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Headlight Parlor Matches. BEWARE OF IMITATIONS.

ne salesmen will tell you they can give you a match just as good as the Headlight. Do not be deceived

There is only one Headlight and that bears the name of the E. B. Eddy Company, Limited.

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FOR THE FEET.

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FOR THE PURSE.

Is guaranteed here. We are solid trying season of the year. Here are upon that platform. The goodness of just such boots for spring wear as you our goods goes without saying. The lowness of our prices is pheno

Boots, elastic side and laced, in box calf, satin calf, dongola kid and buff leather, with good stout so les, specially for spring wear, and prices only \$1.25, \$1.50, \$1.75, \$2.00 and \$2.50.

WOMEN'S Spring boots with stout soles, in box calf and dongola kid, at \$1.50,

\$1.75, \$2.00, \$2.50, \$3.00, we are war.

BOYS'

Shoes in box calf, buff leather and dongola kid, at \$1.25, \$1.50, 1.75, \$2.00 MISSES!

Shoes, same leathers and styles as the ladies', great wearers, at \$1.25, \$1.35, \$1.50.

YOUTHS' Similar to the boys', only in sizes 11 to 131-2, priced at \$1.00, \$1.25.

\$1.50.

CHILDS'

A splendid stock of Children's shoes at prices from 60 cents to \$1.56 the pair.

M. L. SAVAGE, and Charlotts.

BRITISH LUMBER MARKET.

(Timber Trades Journal, March 7.)
Last week there was the usual retail amount of business done in the Liverpool market in the whitewood trade, but we do not learn there was much activity displayed in any branch of it. It was ever thus in the month of February—shippers are on the look-out for orders for future delivery, whilst just at this time importers in this district are endeavoring to reduce their stocks before the next season's shipments are put on the market. With regard to spruce, we learn that sales of Lower Port deals—that is, Nova Scotian shipments from Bay Verte, Pugwash and similar low-class goods—have been sold at from 5s. to 6s. 3d. per standard f. o. b. for delivery up to an advanced period of the shipping season. But these are for small cargoes by sailing ships suitable for admission into small ports in Ireland and Scotland,

and does not hardly apply to large ports, such as Liverpool.

Little has been done for New Brunswick shipments; the prices demanded for future contracts have checked all demand until the stocks are reduced to a more reasonable figure. We cannot get away from the facts that the stocks in Liverpool and Manchester are still on the high side, compared with those of some years ago. The official figures of the stocks held in first hands at the end of last month are 12,300 standards in Liverpool, and 16,200 standards in Manchester—a total of 25,500 standards. This is a quantity which is too large, and we cannot be surprised that in face of these figures there is little disposition to import high-class spruce at the prices asked.

AN INTERNATIONAL BRIDGE.

St. John, N. B., March 18, 1903.

NEW SPRING CLOTHING.

We are showing by far the largest and best assortment of Spring Clothing we have ever shown. The style, patterns and make are all that can be desired — great improvement over previous years. You are invited to inspect them.

Men's Suits—Any style, pattern or size one could wish for. Prices to \$14.

Men's Spring Overcoats—In dark grey, made Chesterfield style, with full silk facing. Prices \$7.50, 8.50 and 9.00.

J. N. HARVEY, Talloring and Clothing, 199 Union Street, Opera House Blo

IS IT POSSIBLE?

New York Actually Learns Something From London.

how the London constables regulate traffic.

He stood in the centre of Broadway, at Canal, and gave signals to his four aides with his whistle. When he whistled once it was the sign to stop the vehicles on Broadway to let those on Canal street move. When he whistled twice, the vehicles on Canal street had to stop and those on Broadway moved back and forth across Canal or turned into that street.

To his surprise he found that the hitherto obstreperous truckmen were quick to understand the new order of things. They quickly saw that the new code was of material benefit to themselves, and they obeyed the whistle and stood still till ordered to go on. There was no doubt of the success of the new road rules. Traffic never before moved so smoothly at this point, probably the most congested in New York.

TWO MONTHS HARD LABOR. An Idyll,

An Idyll.

The bright rays of the March sun poured down upon the whitewashed walls of the jail as well as on other places. Near these walls a patch of asphalt paving would have been exposed to the sun were it not that interested parties were protecting it. Peg-leg Nickerson, Joe Carr and Andy Ervine were the thoughtful ones who at the risk of airing their bodies were shielding the asphalt from the warm sun. Nickerson was stretched out at full length, one hand grasping the tail of the jailer's dog, while with the other he laboriously flicked pebbles into an empty wheelbarrow which was working as hard as the men.

Carr sat tailor fashion, but seemed to be asleep. The picture was a pretty one. Carr's head fell lovingly on Ervine's neck and stayed there. Perhaps Andy was too tired to move it. Ervine's neck and stayed there. Perhaps Andy was too tired to move it. Ervine's neck and stayed there. Perhaps Andy was too tired to move it. Ervine's neck and stayed there. Then Carr sat up and lighted his pipe. A few vagrant puffs and the pipe dropped. the head fell over again, and the dog, wasging his tail, wagged Peg-leg's hand with it. The wheelbarrow stood still. The three men were doing jail hard labor.

TRIED TO ESCAPE.

Immigrant Held For Deportation Gets Away and is Recaptured.

Away and is Recaptured.

U. S. Immigration Inspector Robinson brought back to the city on the Boston express today an Armenian immigrant who had escaped 'from the quarantine at Sand Point on Monday night. The immigrant landed here about a month ago, and has since been detained under treatment for a severe case of trachoma. His case having proved incurable arrangements were being made to deport him, and fearing the return to his own country he effected his escape from the hospital. As soon as his absence was discovered steps were taken toward his apprehension. It was known that he wanted to go to the States, so a special watch was kept on the roads thither. Mr. Robinson arrested him last night on the Boston express.

only, it treats of all household mat-ters connected with the kitchen, fur-niture, clothing, &c., &c.

A SLIGHT FIRE.

About four o'clock this morning, while Sergt. Hastings and Officer Perry were patrolling Paradise Row they discovered that a workshop in the rear of Gideon L. Read's house was on fire. It had evidently originated from a stove, and was gaining considerable headway. The officers procured a few buckets of water and succeeded in extinguishing the flames without feeling it necessary to send in an alarm.

A SIX-TON ELEPHANT.

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NEW YORK, March 18.—The elephant Jingo, said to have been larger than Jumbo, died at sea on the steamer Georgic, which arrived today from Liverpool. Jingo was purchased in London. He had not travelled since infancy, and from the time of sailing from Liverpool the animal fretted. Its death occurred March 12. Detricks had to be erected to hoist the body over the side. Jingo was 22 years old and weighed six tons. He was 12 feet high, valued at \$50,000, at which figure he was insured for sea risk.

AMERICAN TURNED DOWN.

ST. PETERSBURG, March 18.—Interior Minister Von Plehew has informed the mayor that the government has refused the application of Murray A. Verner, of Pittsburg, Pa., for the St. Petersburg and Moscow traction franchises. Both municipalities opposed the applications. They desire to construct these railroads themselves.

Nature study in the public schools is the subject of a paper to be read by Miss Grace Murphy in the rooms of the Natural History Society tomorrow afternoon at four o'clock. Next week the Thursday afternoon lecture course given by the associate board will close with a re-union of its members, when Miss Christine Matthew will read a paper entitled "A Ramble in Switzerland."

POPE LEO'S POEM

On the 93rd. Anniversary of His

cardinals of the Sacred College.

Leo, now sets thy sun, pale in its dying ray,
Black night succeeds thy day,
Black night for thee, wasted thy
frame;
Life's flood sustains
Death casts his fatal dart.
Robed for the grave, thy bones
Lie under the cold stones.
But my freed soul escapes her chains,
And longs in flight to reach the realms
of light.
That is the goal she seeks,
Thither her journey fares.
Grant, Lord, my anxious prayers,
That with the citizens of heaven,
God's face and light
May ever thrill my sight,
That I may see thy face, Heaven's
Queen,

Queen,
Whose mother love
Has brought me home above.
To thee, saved through the tangles of
a perilous way,
I lift my grateful lay.

FREDERICTON.

No Movement of the Ice Yet-A. O. H. Concert.

FREDERICTON, N. B., March 18.—
The case of Gunter and Miller is now being tried by Judge Wilson and jury, in the York County court,
By consent McCey vs. Burpee stands two weeks to be tried in chambers.
A large crowd filled the opera house last evening at A. O. H. concert, the most successful ever held by this order here.

here.

Last evening Lt.-Col. LeB. Wilson, assited by Dr. Godsoe, inspected Fowler Division, Uniform Rank K. of P. He also installed officers for the ensuing

FOWLIS THE GOLFER.

He and His Wife Die Within a Day of Each Other.

NEW YORK, Mar 18—David Fowlis, a noted authority or curling and golf, and the landscape gardener of George's Court, the magnificent estate of Geo. J. Gould, at Lakewood, and his wife died within a day of each other at their home in this city. Each was 69 years old. Mr. Fowlis died of pleursy, from which he had suffered for a great part of the winter. His wife died of paralysis. Mr. Fowlis was born in Ayrshire. Scotland. He became gardener for the Duke of Sutherland, and from that employ he passed to be one of the chief gardeners in the famous Kew gardens in London. He came to this country in 1864. He was for 24 years secretary of the Grand National Curling Club of America, until his retirement at the last annual election in September. For years he held the Mitchell McClintock and Darymple medals. NEW YORK, Mar 18-David Fowlis,

. THE MURDER MYSTERY

Still No Light on the Question of Mrs Neal's Death.

There are many cook books, but the very best book of this kind that has come to our notice is Smiley's Cook Book Book and Universal Household Guide, published by the Smiley Publishing Company, 232 W. Washington street, Chicago. The book is sold only by subscription. Write to the publishers. The book should be in every household; it not only tells how, in the best way, to do an endless number of things in the home, but it tells why you do them that way. It also explains the principles of the process. It is not a cook book only, it treats of all household mather than the principles of the process. It is not a cook book only, it treats of all household mather than the principles of the process. It is not a cook book only, it treats of all household mather than the principles of the process. It is not a cook book only, it treats of all household mather than the principles of the process. It is not a cook book only, it treats of all household mather than the principles of the process. It is not a cook book only, it treats of all household mather than the principles of the process. It is not a cook book only, it treats of all household mather than the principles of the process. It is not a cook book only, it treats of all household mather than the principles of the process. It is not a cook book only, it treats of all household mather than the principles of the process. It is not a cook book only, it treats of all household mather than the principles of the process. It is not a cook book only, it treats of all household mather than the principles of the process. It is not a cook book only all productions and the police have been working have been

was a quiet and unoffensive person, of a kind and generous disposition, and well known on the west side. She was liked by all and there is not a man in Fairville who would not have defended her from assault. The asylum officials state that none of the patients at the annex were out at the time of the murder was committed, and that even had they been, none of them would have harmed the old woman, who knew them all and who had repeatedly shown them many little attentions.

The police cling to the theory that tramps are the criminals. Quite a number of strange characters have been seen around Fairville during the past few months, and it is, thought that some of these could explain the mystery. Two men in particular are being sought for. They are the two who were camping near the shore and who took a number of meals at Mrs. Neal's house. These men were seen on Friday, but since then have not been heard of. It was reported that they were at the Bay Shore on Sunday, but so far this has not been verified, as no one has been found who saw them on that day.

Members of the city police force are

one has been found who that day.

Members of the city police force are spending the greater part of their time around Fairville, picking up every scrap of information which may tend to throw light on the mystery.

CHESTER, Vt., March 17,—Reports received from the maple sugar makers in this vicinity indicate that owing to unfavorable weather very little sap has been collected and the season is likely to prove a failure, at least in the low-lands. What syrup has been made here is selling for \$1 to \$1.10 per gallon, but there is not enough to supply even the local demand.

CHESS.

MONTE CARLO, March 17.—The in-ternational chess tournament conclud-ed today. Tarrasch won the first prize of \$900 with twenty points. Mar-oczy took the second prize of \$450 with 19 points, and Pillsbury won the third prize, \$236, with 18 1-2 points.

T. P. Copeland of Woodstock is at the Dufferin hotel. M. F. Hennesey of Calais is in the city.

MANGED TO-DAY.

A Murderer Pays the Penalty at

Windsor N. S.

Windsor N. S., March 17.—Sion Azubally, the Turkish or Syrian pediar, was hanged this morning at 5.30 o'clock. Radeliffe officiated.

The crime for which Azuballey was executed was the murder of a fellow-countryman, Lion Lundore, a boy of sixteen years of age, on the 22nd day of October last, at Tenneycape, N. S.

With his skull battered in and his face covered with blood from a great gash on the side of his face, the dead body of Lundore was found late in the afternoon in the tunnel of the famous old Tenneycape Mine, a short distance from Noel. The horrible discovery was made by two men who had been hunting.

They were proceeding along the road toward Noel when they met Azuballey who was struggling under two large packs which he had strapped across his back. Shortly after passing him they found several trinkets, such as are carried by pediars, lying in the road side. They picked them up, and after proceeding a short distance further they saw small patches of blood, and from the surroundings it looked as if a struggle had taken place. They searched about the vicinity, but could find no further trace of anything. When they returned to Tennycape they informed several people of their suspicions, and what they had found on the road. A searching party was at once organized, and half a score of men with lanterns started out to make an investigation.

On reaching the place where the blood was they gained an additional clue, which put them on the right track. They then proceeded to the Tennycape mine, and with lighted lanterns several of the men entered the tunnel.

After they had gone about forty feet the held of Landdre was found It.

tunnel.

After they had gone about forty feet
the body of Lundore was found. It
was removed to the surface, and then
to Tennycape, where Coroner Smith
took charge of it.

The back of the skull was crushed in
and there was a large wound on his
face.

Azuballey went to Tennycape and put up at a house, where he intended to remain for the night. After the finding of the body he was placed under arrest and a guard put over him. He made no statement about the crime. It was afterwards learned that the prisoner came, with his chum, whom he murdered, from Syria, some time during the year 1902. Both the prisoner and the murdered boy were in the employ of a countryman of theirs named Corey, of Kentville, who supplied them with goods, and sent them out to peddle in the county of Hants.

THE MINTO AND THE STANLEY.

At half past ten o'clock this forenoon the steamer Minto was still lying
at anchor six miles from the wharf at
Pictou. The Stanley, with two blades
of her propeller spne, was endeavoring
to slowly force a passage through the
ice between Pictou light and the wharf.
The ice is only about two feet thick,
and would not hinder the steamer if
her propellor were perfect. As it is,
the Stanley will probably succeed in
making the passage and then the towing in of the disabled Minto will be an
easy matter. easy matter.

BURIED TODAY.

The body of the late Freeman T. Stearin was brought to the city from Campbellton yesterday and taken to the residence of his son, 2! Hammond street. At half past two o'clock this afternoon the funeral was held, service being conducted by Revs. R. P. McKim and David Long. Interment was in Fernhill.

THE WEATHER.

COMMERCIAL.

DAILY QUOTATIONS.
Furnished by W. S. Barker, Banker

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SHIPPING NEWS.

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PORT OF ST. JOHN.

A Arrived.
Catstwise—Schr Linnie and Edna, Stuart,
from Beaver Harbor; sch Little Annie, Poland, from West Isles.

Sch Whitem Jones, 20th access, for vine-yard Haven. Stmr Asratein, 1013, Eides, for Brown Head for orders. Stmr Loyalist, 1419, for London, via Hali-fax. fax.

Coastwise—Schr Thetina, Apt, for Annapolis; schr Golden Rule, Calder, for Campobello; schr Linnie and Edna, Stuart, for Beaver Harbor; schr Rex, Stevens, for Quaco; schr Little Annie, Roland, for West laies; schr Augusta, Evelyn, Scovil, for North Hoad; schr Elihu Burret, Spicer, for Port Williams.

We are showing some new styles in Spring Hats

PRICES:

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17 Charlotte Street

Boot and Shoe REPAIRING.

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

We don't cobble-we repair.

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

WEDDED TO PORTLAND.

Portland Paper Thinks Grand Trunk Will Not Come to St. John.

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Will Not Come to St. John.

(Portland Press.)
Envious and jealous St. John may kick all it pleases against the facts of geography, but that will not alter the facts a whit. Kicking will bring St. John not an inch pearer Montreal or make Portland an inch farther away. The fact will remain throughout all time that in point of distance and time Portland is much the nearest port on the Atlantic seaboard to the Canadian metropolis, while St. John and Halifax are several hundred miles farther away. The forces of commerce, like other forces, seek the line of least resistance, and in this case the line runs to Portland. Railroad companies are in business for money, not for sentiment, and as long as a particular company finds a certain route more profitable than another route it will naturally seek the more profitable one. To be sure, if Canadians care enough about it to tax themselves to that extent, they might perhaps hire the Grand Trunk to abandon Portland altogether, dismantle its elevators, tear up its tracks to Island Pond, and go round Robin Hood's barn to St. John; they could do that by making good to the railroad in the form of bounties and subsidies, but it would be a very costly way to gratify spite, and the tax payers would be likely to grow tired of it after a while.

With the course of trade left free to follow its naturally as the needle seks the pole. It is indeed "wedded to Partlewille."

the Grand Trunk will continue to run to Portland as naturally as the needle seks the pole. It is indeed "wedded to Portland" by bonds of steel, and a di-vorce cannot be made except by means of such violence that the consequences would be as injurious to Canadians as to Americans. Our friends in the ad-joining province in the east ought bhis to Americans. Our friends in the adjoining province in the east ought philosophically to face the fact that for better or worse—and surely for better—Portland is and must remain the Grand Trunk's seaboard terminus; and they ought to be able to perceive that it would be greatly to their advantage to have a second transcontinental line, and that therefore they should not attempt to place trigs in the wheels of the project.

You will like the flavor of Red Rose

TURN ON THE WATER.

There does not appear to be any good reason why the drinking fountain at the head of King street might not be turned on. The weather is now quite warm and there is no danger of the fountain freezing. The absence of the water is felt by many people who have been in the habit of making use of the fountain.

The cargo of the Donaldson steamer Indrani on her last trip out from St. John was valued at \$136,385, including \$18,661 worth of U. S. goods. Of the Canadian portion of the cargo, wheat amounted to \$49,740 and cattle to \$40,875.

The Lake Ontario's cargo was worth \$95,729, including wheat \$19,120; meats, \$13,887; cattle, \$19,360, and foreign goods \$12,980.

Philip Palmer has returned after a visit to Sackville, Moncton and Shediac, to which places he went after attending the Orange Grand Lodge at Chatham last week.

C. V. Wetmore and R. W. Currie of Sydney are at the Dufferin.

D. C. Clinch was a passenger on the noming Boston express today. Rev. S. H. Howard returned to the city today.

NEW YORK, March 18.—A report is published here from Rome that the Superior of the Trappists has announced to the Pope that Andre Giron, the tutor who eloped with the Crown. Princess of Saxony, has entered the Trappist community.



WILLIAM C. I.R.B., Agent, St. John, N. B. HANSCOM, G. P. & T. A. USTIN, V. P. & Gen'l Manager Foster's Wharf, Boston, Mass.

LET.

) i.ET.—Two self-contained flats, 9 Brin-street, Five rooms in each flat. Rent dollars a month. Enquire JOHN DUN-, corner Waterloo and Golding streets.

TO LET.—For the spring and summer conths, a small flat furnished, in a central ceality. May be had on easy terms. Ap ly at this office. TO BE LET -Lower flat fronting on south de of Elliott Row; two flats fronting on orth side of Elliott Row. These premises fill be thoroughly renovated for desirable mants. A. C. FAIRWEATHER, Barrister,

TC LET.-Two large flats on Main street, orth End. Apply to J. E. COWAN, 99

FOR SALE OR TO LET—The Leasehold remises fronting No % cr. east side of harlotte street, ip the occupation of James I. Lee. A. C. FAIRWEATHER, Solicitor. J.ET.-From 1st May next that very fortshle, self contained dwelling house, recupied by George H. Horton, Esc., 150 Germain street, corner Horsfield, claiming 8 rooms, bath room, hot and cold er, etc. Can be seen on Wednesday and arday afternoon. Apply to W, TREMAINE (D, 48 King street.

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

TO LET.—From 1st May next, fine flat 10. 31 Cedar street, at present occupied by 1. King, Faq. Modern improvemnets. Rent noderate. Can be sten Tuesday and Friday fternoons.

WANTED.—A girl for general housework a small family. Apply at 173 Germain

MISCELLANEOUS

WANTED-Everbody to know of the fam ous Cascade Treatment, proved it myself, fo all allments of the system. Apply to MIS M. HUMPHREY, 118 St James street.

1339. If you are not particular of your medicine you can ring up you, grocer for it. He is not rescousible, but it you wish pure and reliable drugs ring up 1339.

nigni, beating their way.

They were put off at the station here but got aboard when the train started. They were put off again with considerable trouble, when one of the four drew a revolver and fired three shots. Two struck the car quite close to Conductor Heine's head, while the third one struck close to Brakeman Brown.

The four men were arrested by Deputy Sheriff Irving and Town Marshal Hill after a short struggle. The revolver was found on McCaran, but it is supposed that McDonald did the shooting. Detective Skiffington is in town investigating the affair.

To CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY
Take Lavative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All
Guggists refund the money if it fails to
t.re. E. W. Grove's signature is on each

ST. JOHN STAR.

ST. JOHN, N. B., MARCH 18, 1908.

The people of St. John may expect to have much glittering political bait dangled before them during the next few months. There is a feeling that the federal elections will be held in the fall, and a systematic effort will be made by the great political bargainer. Mr. Blair, and his well drilled and well paid party leaders here, to dazzie the minds of the people and persuade them that without Mr. Blair's great influence at Ottawa the city would suffer commercial decay. The future of St. John however, is not bound up with the political fortunes of Mr. Blair, nor does it depend on the amount of patronage he gives to certain firms in St. John, who with great zeal proclaim him to be a wonderful statesman. Everything that this city has got in Mr. Blair's time it has fought for inch by inch sending delegation after delegation to Ottawa, and laboring hard to secures anot care a fig for St. John apart from his own ambitions, and recent events have proved that he has so little respect for the people that he believes he can buy them when they cannot be convinced. It is time for the citizens of St. John to assert themselves. Mr. Blair has played the role of dictator in this province quite too long for its good.

A WONDER WORKER.

"By the use of my system, you will be able to put an instrument in your house and talk to anyone who has a similar apparatus anywhere in the country, without any metallic or artificial connection."

This is the astonishing assertion wad by Nicels Teste with a secret of the greates on the fellow MacAlpine's suggestion was a similar apparatus anywhere in the country, without any metallic or artificial connection."

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It is perfectly obvious that if the MONCTON EXHIBITION ASSOCIAhange of government. The liberals have been tried and found wanting. The honest members of that party are reluctantly compelled to admit that they have been utterly disappointed in

HURRAH FOR BLAIR!

ST. JOHN, N. B., March 17th, 1903.

To the editor of the Star:-

FOR SALE.

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OUR ENVIOUS NEIGHBOR.

GLACE BAY'S GROWTH.

MONCTON, March 17.—At a meeting of the board of trade tonight it was decided to organize an exhibition association for the purpose of establishing a permanent exhibition in Moncton. The proposal is to form a joint stock company with capital of \$10,000 and a stock list is to be circulated at once. If the scheme is successful, permanent buildings are to be erected on a site as central in the city as possible. The Fox Creek Agricultural Society will join in the movement, which will doubtless be carried to a success.

LONDON, March 18.—According to the St. Petersburg correspondent of the Daily Telegraph, rumor is current there of widespread anarchist conspiracy with ramifications among the working men in the industrial districts. Many arrests have been made the Galicia of Russians concerned in smuggling anarchist literature into Russia.

MARRIAGE LAW REFORM.

LONDON, March 18.-It is annou that the government is contemplating the appointment of a royal commission to consider the advisability of a reform of the marriage laws.

stance, according to physicians' statements—in which it has been attempted in New York.

It offered the only hope of saving Inselman's life, and had the consent of his relatives. Particulars of the patient's identity are refused at the hospital.

Inselman struck his head in a fall six weeks ago and soon developed paralysis of the right side, including loss of sight in the right eye.

Physicians diagnosed his case as tumor of the brain, and the rapidly increasing growth was located on the left side of the head. The medical men were unable to check its malignity and death seemed certain and very near for Inselman.

Dr. Matthais Figueria, of No. 14 Stuyvesant avenue, Brooklyn, was put in charge of the case, and decided upon a heroic operation as affording the only chance of saving the patient. Inselman was taken to the hospital and, assisted by the hospital staff, Dr. Figueria, of which was recessarily to cut out a plece of the skull twelve square inches in size, lift this and remove the tumor. The latter had spread and so twined itself among the brain matter that part of the brain was necessarily taken out with the tumor. One-eighth of the whole brain body is the estimate of the surgeons. Inselman quickly rallied from the shock of the operation, and on the day following the paralysis began to disappear. He can now move his right side slightly and sight has returned in part to his right eye. His recovery of all his faculties in their full strength is confidently expected. The surgeons

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AN ENCYCLOPEDIA TRAVESTIED.

Wisdom While You Wait is the title of a little book that has so far been privately printed, the authors of which are supposed to be Charles Graves and E. V. Lucas. The book is a satire on the Encyclopedia Britannica and the enterprise of the Times in promoting the sale of that publication and in promising supplementary volumes.

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Among the suggestions of the various uses to which an encyclopedia may be put by non-literary persons are the following: "When a castor is off the piano a single volume will remedy the defect. Two volumes placed in his chair will make a baby higher. A pile of ten to twenty volumes is as good as a stepladder," and so on. Among the testimonials of this wonderful work one may select that of Lord Knollys, who says that "his majesty has decided to establish a new order of merit, to be conferred upon the few persons who have not contributed to its pages." Mrs. Humphrey Ward is supposed to write, "The portraiture of my earlier heroines might have been better provided with comic relief had I enjoyed the advantages of perusing your inimitable supplement. It positively teems with sweetness and light."

Miss Marie Corelli is assumed to say, "The sorrows of Satan were largely due to the fact that he did not possess the supplementary volumes." Andrew Lang again may laugh at the supposition that he writes. "I have your ingenious volumes by heart. They are among the few books I did not write."

QUICK RESULTS BY ADVERTISING IN THE ST. JOHN STAR.

FOREIGN NOTES OF INTEREST.

The prefect of the Seine having pla-carded Paris with posters describing the terrible effects of alcohol and ab-sinthe drinking, the cafe proprietors each filed a damage suit against him. The Belgian Geographical Society proposes the appointment of a commis-sion to study the correlation of the seismic, volcanic, meteorological and

and that of French Indo-China'is likely soon to be.

A strange spindly plant with nodding little flowers was sent from the City of Mexico to the Madrid botanical garden in 1784, and being new to the botanists, was named dahlia, after Dahl, a Swedish botanist. Florists soon noticed the great possibility of variation in the flower in color and size, but it was rare in Europe until Humboldt brought from Maxico a quantity of the seed.

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MONTREAL STOCK MARKET.

MONTREAL, March 17.—Dominion Iron was a secondary feature in the stock market today, Montreal Power occupying the centre of the stage. It went up to \$7 on rather extensive dealings. Report had it that the company has finally bought out its rival. Lachine Company officials of the latter say they know nothing of it, but it is well known they fixed the price long ago and refused to take payment in Power stock or even bonds, demanding \$200 per share cash. It is now stated the Power company has sold sufficient bonds to buy the Lachine plant. The stock sold at \$7 a week ago. Declines on common iron wobblied comfortably around \$7, the closing being at \$61-2. Preferred went up to \$5 from yesterday's close of \$11-2, and bonds to \$11-2. Nova Scotia Steel was easy around 1061-2. MONTREAL, March 17.-Dominio

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(Toronto Daily Globe.)

"Only by those who know something officially with regard to the growth of the insurance companies will the full smeaning of the results which have been achieved by the Independent Order of Foresters during the two months just closed be fully understood. The public have been so used to hearing of the success of this Order that fresh figures of large additions to the membership do not strike them as anything uncommon, mon, but even the most casual observer, we imaging, will be somewhat astonished at the fact that during the months of December and January this great Canadian and International Order has considered no less than 14,602 applications for membership in its granks. Of these 13,140 were accepted. Perhaps the most striking feature of the additions to the membership of the Order during this time has been the fact that by far the greatest proportionate number of new members has been secured in the Province of Ontario, where the Order is best known, with a total membership of about 210, 5000 to begin February with. Dr. Oron-hyatekha has set the figures for the end of the year at 240,000, and as the supreme Chief Ranger usually succeeds in what he marks out as the proper measure of progress for the Order, no doubt these figures will be reached. Undoubtedly the growth of this institution has become phenomenal."

We notice that the average age of the membership of this wonderful Order is only a fraction over 36. The amount of money paid during 1902 to widows and orphans, and disabled Barchem by this Society was \$1,467. 46. 65.00, and this went into nearly 1,600 homes. The Order also issued nine thousand Sick and Funeral Cheques, the total sum paid in that branch of the Order's work being about \$175,000.

WINTER PORT. (Toronto Daily Globe.)

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WINTER PORT.

A settlement of the difficulty about securing berths in the harbor was reached yesterday, and now all the vessels in port are at docks discharging and loading. The Salacia of the Donaldson line moved from the western side of the new government pier yesterday afternoon to No. 4 berth Sand Point. Then the Alcides of the same line took the Salacia's place. The Furness boat Guif of Venice moved up from the Pettingill wharf to the borth given up by the Alcides. This afforded a place for the Lake Simcee to dock and she began at once discharging at the corporation wharf the 700 tons of cargo she brought here from Liverpool.

Str. Manchester Trader left Halifax for this port last night.

It is understood the Donaldson str. Lakonia will come out here before the close of the season. She is a new vessel of over 3,000 tons.

The Allan liner Parisian made the run over from Halifax in good time. She left that port at 2 a. m. Monday and was at the Island at 9,30. She docked at No. 2 pier at 1 o'clock yesterday afternoon.

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LATE SHIP NEWS.

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HALIFAX, Mar. 17.—Ard, str Horne, from
St. Johns, NF, and salied to return; sohs
Lawrence A Muurce, from Gloucester, Mass,
for Banks, for buit; Harry A Nickerson,
from Boothbay, Me, for Banks, for batt
(and both cleared).
Cleared, strs Beta, for Bermuda, Turks
Island and Jamaica; bktn Albatross, for St
John, N B.
Sailed, str Pro Patria, Henri, for St
Pierre, Mig, Manchester Trader, Mann., for
St John.

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St John.

HALIFAX, Mar. 17.—Sld, sch Huttle L M, McLeod, for Valparaiso, Chill.

British Ports.

GLASGOW, Mar. 16.— Ard, str Corean, from Boston; 17th, str Tritonian, from St. John, NB, and Halifax, via Liverpool.

LUNENBURG, N. S., Mar. 9.—Cld, schs Nellie Louise, for Cuba; 12th, B C Anderson, for Porto Rico; 13th, Renown, for Trinidad.

Pool,
Foreign Ports.
BOSTON, Mar. 17.— Ard, strs Conseulo, from Hull; Eldsvold, from Louisburg, C B. Salied, strs Boston, for Yarmouth, N S; Mystic, for Louisburg, C B. CALAIS, Me., Mar. 17.—Sld. schs Jessie Hart 2nd, for New York; Elizabeth M Cook, for do.

do. SALEM, Mass., Mar. 17.—Sid, schs Rebecca Huddell, for St John, NB; Winnne Lawry, W Huddell, for St John, No.
VINEYARD HAVEN, Mass., Mar. 17.—
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The United States senate voted yesterday to ratify the treaty with Colombia for the construction of an Isthmian canal.

INDEPENDENT ORDER OF FOR- MORNING'S NEWS.

and delivered an address on the order, after which a very pleasing programme of music was furnished by some of the best talent of the west side. The chair was occupied by Percy N. Wetmore, Chief Ranger of the Court. At the close of the entertainment coffee and other refreshments were served. There is talk of the establishment of a companion court or ladies' branch of the order, as a result of the meeting.

J. F. Dockrill yesterday gave a contract to Sliney & Mitchell for putting a new steel roof on the Opera House. The work will be begun today.

The wedding is announced to take place Tuesday, March 24, of Miss Bessie Kerr, of Camden street, North End, to Captain Rupert Wry, of Sackville.

Lord Stratheona, Canadian high commissioner, has been interviewed on the Canadian fast line and declared the line would beat the New York boats by a clear working day.

Hazel, the 11 year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dennis McCarthy, who was badly injured while skipping with some playmates Saturday, and who was unconscious from Sunday night, is now improving.

On Monday evening Rev. Mr. Nobles united in marriage William H. Best and Lilian Burnett, daughter of James Burnett, of Carleton. The young couple will reside in the West End on Guilford street. The bride received many useful presents from friends.

A very enjoyable whist party of 15 tables was given by Mrs. W. J. Fraser, 31 Peters street, last evening, and the following persons were the prize winners: Mrs. Robert Strain, gentlemen's first prize; Mrs. T. H. Foster, ladies' second prize; Robert Sancton, second prize; E. Clinton Brown, third prize.

PROVINCIAL.

The Frederleton board of trade has

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The Fredericton board of trade has sent resolutions to Sir Frederick Borden, protesting strongly against the removal of the militia headquarters to St. John. The city council has also entered a strong protest.

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PARLIAMENT.

OTTAWA, March 17.—Petitions came in showers in the commons today. Several favoring protection for beet root sugar were received.

Mr. Law introduced a bill to amend the Canada Temperance Act.

Hon. Mr. Mulock brought in his bill to aid in the settlement of railway abor disputes.

labor disputes.

On going into supply MacLean of Dast York again took up the question of appointing a successor to Sir Oliver Mowat. He urged that the lieutenant governor of Ontario holds the office dilegally and that he is also unfitted for the office. for the office. He moved a resolution introduced in 1895 by Hon, David Mills, declaring that it is against the interests of the country for any lieutenant governor to hold office at the conclusion of his term without the issue of a new commission. The former debate arose out of Sir Leonard Thicy and Governor Schultz of Manitoba holding office after the expiration of their terms. He read Laurier in support of the motion, which was the strongest possible argument in favor of the course such as now proposed in Mowat's case. Cartwright's utterances on the subject were equally strong. He called on the government to vindicate the constitution and live up to their former pledge.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier claimed that there was no fixed term for a governor. It was a different case in 1895, when Sir Leonard Tilley and Governor Schultz of Manitoba held office for years after their term expired. Mr. Mowat was in full possession of his faculties, and it would be a crime to remove such a man at the present time when a grave crisis was in the province. The government did not intend to take any such action.

After a few remarks by Sproule and Northrup it was decided to adjourn. for the office. He moved a resolution introduced in 1895 by Hon. David Mills,

NOTES.

A deputation of market gardeners was introduced by Arch Cambpell and F, D, Monk. The government promised consideration of their demands for more protection. A cotton deputation received a similar promise.

Ottawa Irishmen had a monster parade today in honor of their patron saint.

Sir Francis Langelier will be admin-istrator of the province of Quebec dur-ing the absence of Governor Jette and after a while will be appointed gover-

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

BOSTON LONGSHOREMEN.

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BOSTON, March 17.—Longshoremen to the number of 3,000 employed on the wharves of the trans-Atlantic steamship lines in Charlestown, East Boston and South Boston, have presented a request for an increase of 10 cents an hour in wages, and new rules regarding meal time and the handling of hatches, gear, etc. The men are now paid 30 cents an hour for day work, 40 double time for Sunday, holiday and overtime work.

The request is to be refused by the companies, a reply to that effect having been decided upon this afternoon at an informal gathering of the representatives of the companies.

The steamship men claim the condition of business does not warrant an increase in wages, and also that the men are paid better than at any of the competing ports, New York, Philadelphia, Baltimore and Portland, in the United States, and St. John, Halifax and Montreal, in Canada.

ST. JOHN'S MANSE.

Rev. J. M. MacLean. Dear Mr. Short,—I have very great cleasure in bearing testimony to thort's "Dyspepticure" as a remedy of Indigestion. It has been of un-peakable benefit to me. Yours sincerely.

FOSTER INTERVIEWED.

TORONTO, March 17.-Hon. G. Foster, conservative candidate in the election, who was defeated by 200 ma candidate, ascribes his defeat to ma chine politics and corruption. He does the politics and corruption. He does not believe the tariff question had any significance in the campaign, and says he has not the least doubt the farmfers of North Ontario, as of the dominion generally, are strongly in favor of adequate protection of Canadian products, and especially so in respect to the undue competition and unfair tariff and trade conditions maintained against Canada by the United States. If the liberals made gains in any farming sections it was due to very different considerations than those arising from the tariff discussion. If a strong a trend of active and hot antagonism to my candidature was observable among any class it was among a number of strong lumbermen and timber operators, who, besides doling all they could to swell the vote of my opponent, used very strong and unusual methods to prevent men in their employ from casting a vote for the conservative candidate, not stopping short of absolute refusal to allow them to go to the polls. Friends of ours who drove 80 miles in to bring out willing voters from camps were met by a positive refusal to allow the employe to leave his work. In this way we were deprived of a large number of votes, This attitude was not personal on their part nor from fear that the conservative tariff policy would injure them.

It may be explained by the close connection of the provincial and dominion cabinets and the fact that the franchises controlled by the former were made to tell in favor of the candidate of the latter.

Turning to the recent general election in New Brunswick Foster said: A discreditable local government was tottering to its well deserved fall, and would have been beaten beyond recall if left to itself. Suddenly from out of the dominion cabinets and the fact that the franchises controlled by the former were made to tell in favor of the candidate of the latter.

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DEATH ROLL.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., March 17 .-PROVIDENCE, R. I., March 17.—
Lewis W. Anthony, senior member of
the wholesale shoe concern of Green,
Anthony & Co., died today, aged 78
years. He leaves a widow and three
children. Mr. Anthony was prominent
in the financial and religious life of the
city, and in addition to being connected with many other institutions, was a
member of the Board of Fellows of
Bates College, Lewiston, Me. He presented Anthony Hall to Storer College
and Roger Williams Hall to Cobb Diwinity School, Lewiston, Me.
PORTLAND, Me., March 17.—Lemuel H. Cobb, editor and proprietor of
the Portland Daily Press, died tonight
of pneumonia.

ST. PATRICK'S DAY SPORTING NEWS.

ST. PATRICK'S HALL. At St. Patrick's Hall, Carleton, the St. Patrick Glee Club presented Irish minstrels. The programme was as fol-lows:

Curtain raiser-Oft in the Stilly Night.. Opening chorus-Come Back to Erin

At St. Rose's Hall, Fairville, the four-act drama Uncle Rube was the bill, and was given with the following cast:

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AFTER TWO MONTHS.

CHARLOTTETOWN, March 17.-After two months in the ice of Northumberland Strait, the steamer Stanley is lying at anchor in the open water near Powell's Head, one mile outside of Pictou light, and the Minto is with ing two blades of her propellor broken cff, or she could quite easily cut cff. or she could quite easily cut through the ice at the mouth of the harbor, which would not interfere with her progress. The Minto's propellor is completely stripped. The ice barrier at the mouth of the harbor is very slight, being two feet at the thickest place and honey-combed. The Stanley will attempt to force a passage through. When once the ice barrier is cleared away, there is a clear way to Pictou wharf, and the tug Weatherspoon can go out and tow the Minto in. Barring accident, they should arrive in Pictou by tomorrow, all right. The latest report is that instructions have come from Ottawa for the Stanley to try and proceed to Georgetown and tow the Minto with her.

M. MacLean.
M. N. B., March 12.
t.—I have very great aring testimony to leure" as a remedy It has been of unto me.

J. M. MACLEAN.

The Portland Daily Press, died tonight of pneumonia.

HALIFAX, March 17.—John Duffus, and one of the best known men in Halifax, died today in his 75th year. He was a member of the former dry goods firm of Duffus & Co.

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WINNIPEG, March 17.—One of the five C. P. R. freight clerks charged with breaking contracts pleaded guilty in court today and was fined the costs are not of the five C. P. R. freight clerks charged with breaking contracts pleaded guilty in court today and was fined the costs are not of the five C. P. R. freight clerks charged with breaking contracts pleaded guilty in court today and was fined the costs per box. All druggists.

particularly south of Long Island during the period fixed for the decision of
the international match, it would be
difficult to satisfy Mr. Fife and Skipper
Wringe that the home trials of the
challenger could be taken as conclusive. For this reason, if none other,
the thoughtful yatchsmen of the New
York Yacht Club are quite confident
that when Sir Thomas's small fleet arrives in New York waters the Shamrock I., the beaten challenger of 1898,
will be a part of it.

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HONOR FOR WRINGE.

The general feeling among British yatchsmen seems to be that if America's cup is ever to come back to England Captain "Bob" Wringe Is the man especially designed by Providence to bring it. He has had a lot of experience in American waters, having sailed the Belmont yacht for some time. He also sailed Alisa for F. B. Jameson and accompanied Captain Archie Hogarth on Shamrock I. Before he became a crack yachting skipper he had been to sea before the mast as an ordinary sailor.

The captain is considered a mighty man in the picturesque little Essex town of Brightlingsea, whose every inhabitant, man, woman and child, knows all there is to know about yachting, and more, too.

It is a matter of fixed belief among the experts who swarm about Captain Wringe's modest house in Brightlingsea that if he wins the cup he will be made "Sir Robert" at the very least, and that Sir Thomas will step from a baronetcy, on the outer threshold of the House of Lords, through the desired portals and with the barons stand.

If you want to be a peer it makes all the difference in the world whether you are a baron or a baronet. It is the little "et" on the end of his title that HONOR FOR WRINGE.

THE GUN.

America.

NEW YORK, March 17.—Thomas Anderson of Boston and Dr. Wm. H. Luckett of this city, are the new pistol and revolver expectations are considered by the U.S. Revolver Association and the control of this city, secretary-treasurer of the present of this city, secretary-treasurer of the present of the pistol out of a possible 500. Dr. Luckett's score with the revolver was 437.

THE RING.

Benny Yanger Given the Decision KANSAS CITY, March 17.—Benny Yanger was given the decision over Kid Abel In a lo-round go at Vinyard's hall tonight, Yanger had the better of the contest throughout, but Abel made a, good showing, especially for gameness.

VACHTING.

END OF THE SHAMROCK II.

Weeks ago, when the light spars and all the available iron work of the Shamrock II., still on the shore at Erie Basin, were sent to Glasgow, the Herald predicted that the yacht would not be used as a trial horse for the Shamrock III. Since then Sir Thomas Lipton has practically admitted to correspondents in New York that no attempt would be made to refit her for service during the present international match. And, if rumors afe true, Sir Thomas might have added, nor on any other occasion would the attempt be made by him to place the old challenger in commission.

Offers have been made to Sir Thomas by speculative Americans to buy the Shamrock II.' not for racing or cruising purposes, but to break her up and sell the material for what it will bring in he pink market. These propositions have been refused thus far, it is said, but it is practically acknowledged by xperts that such will probably be her nd.

The reason for this contention is that he hull of the yacht would not again and the strain of her enormous rise and events there were the strain of her enormous rise and events the work of the surface and the divorce proceedings instituted 1 Mr. Burdick against his wife, Mr. Park firmly believed, was the motive for trombe with Burdick against his wife, Mr. Park firmly believed, was the motive for the rimby believed, was the believed, was the motive for the rimby believed, was the motive for the raid burdick against his wife, Mr. Park formly believed, was the motive for the rimby believed, was the bolieved, was the motive for the suit was not stopped. Panke the Pennell had threatened suicibility to the fresh the suit was not stopped. Panke the Pennell had threatened suicibility to the fresh the suit was not st

The entertainment held last evening in the school room of St. Andrew's The children were trained by acquitted themselves most creditably The programme was made up as fol-lows: Korea, Misses Murdoch and Mc-Served. Audrey Hamilton: See-Saw, Misses Belle Tufts, Jessie McLean and Alice Murdoch: Red Riding Hood, Miss Jennie Tufts; Mary had a Little Lamb, Miss Florence McLean; Tambourine Girl, H. Buck; Marry Marry, Misses Simonds and McLean; One, Two, Buckle My Shoe, Miss E. Tufts; Oranges and Lemons, J. White, H. Cassidy, M. Morgan and A. McRobbie; Little Edith, Miss Edith Nixon; Saluting Mother Goose, the Mission Band. The entertainment was in aid of the Trinidad missions.

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AT PARTRIDGE ISLAND.

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There are in quarantine at the island about 100 people, all of whom were taken off the strs. Lake Ontario and Lake Simcoe. Thirty-eight of the people are in the hospital, all of the cases being measles except two people who are suffering with diphtheric croup. Seven or eight people were discharged yesterday and sent up to the city. Among the detained people are 18 men who came out on the Simcoe. They are Englishmen and represent that they are members of the Anti-Vaccination League. Thirty people in all who came here on the Simcoe refused to be vaccinated at first, but finally twelve succumbed. Dr. March took these eighteen down to the island, intending to keep them till the expiration of 18 days after the departure of the Simcoe from Liverpool. It is said some of them are displaying a willingness to get vaccinated rather than remain on the island any longer.

A. Gordon Leavitt and Wm. Mcntosh gave talks last evening in the Natural History Society rooms on Birds and Insects. Mr. Leavitt spoke of the birds which fed largely on inefficacious help of insecticides. A hearty vote of htanks was tendered both gentlemen for their valuable and suggestive addresses

EVANGELISTIC MEETINGS.

Despite the rain a good audience greeted Evangelist Robbins last night in the Coburg street Christian church. The sermon dealing with the certainty of the judgment, was intensely interesting and instructive, and the speaker held the close attention of his audience to the last. Mr. Robbins is an able exponent of the Scriptures, and in the course of his remarks makes clear many obscure passages and gives to others a new meaning as they pass through the crucible of his mind. The Christian, the honest seeker for truth or the sceptic will find food for thought in Evangelist Robbins' sermons. mons.

Every night in Coburg street Christian church at 8 o'clock.

SATISFIED.

Because, ma'am," replied the man on the platform, "it's a mail snatcher.'
And she took her head in again.

AT THE MUSEUM

'Kin I see that fat lady? asked the little boy, timidly.
'What do you wish to see her about?' asked the museum manager.
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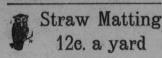
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PARK'S DERFECT **EMULSIGN**

HAD HARD TIME. Suicide of Boy Who Did Nothing But Work.

BALTIMORE, March 17.—John McCartney, fifteen years old, shot and killed himself in his bed-room in his employer's home yesterday. He was apparently in good spirits when he entered the room a few minutes before the shot was fired.

The following note was found on the bureau:

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"To whom it may concern:
"I am to die like a dog would, but I am better off dead. I do nothing but work. May I say good bye to every-

THE DALHOUSIE ROBBERY.

In the Dalhousie post office robbery case George Chifferton testified that Johnson had arranged with him to commit the robbery, leaving the window so that he could get in, and the money in a drawer previously indicated, where he could easily lay his hand on it. Chifferton says he carried out the robbery according to the programme and afterwards divided the money with Johnson. Detective Chamberlain also gave evidence and stated that Johnson, when he found that Chifferton had confessed, and was confronted with certain incriminating letters, admitted his own guilt in the matter. He therefore stands committed for trial for the robbery and later will be tried on the charge of sending poisoned candy through the mails to Chifferton.

G, W. P. Rev. J. W. Hamilton and officers of Grand Division S. of T. accompanied by the propagation committee, will officially visit Gurney Division No. 5, S. of T. in the Temperance hall, Market Building, on Thursday, 19th inst. at 8 p. m.

A party of twenty-five Italians, who have been engaged to work with the Dominion Steel Company, passed through the city today on their way from Boston to Sydney. They were in charge of Contractor Cozzoloni, who hires men for the steel company.

NOTICE TO ADVERTISERS.

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

ST. PATRICK'S DAY.

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The police court docket this morning showed that the day of reland's patron saint had not been generally observed as an occasion for drinking, only four drunks found their way into the meshes of the police net and the day was not particularly responsible for these.

Ada Hector, a dusky belle of Duke street gave way to the promptings of a spirituous consciousness and unblushingly admitted that she had been quite drunk. Eight or two months.

Harvey Edwards, from Drury Cove, considered that the circumstances in connection with his arrest were, to say the least, rather peculiar. He was fined four dollars, and left his overcoat, a brown ulster, which looks too small for any of the cops, as a pledge for the money, which, he said, he would bring in a few minutes. He had been drunk on Market square, and whele the police were busying themselves with him W. I. Brown came along and made some remarks concerning a saloon keeper who had refused to give him liquor. Brown was fined eight dollars for profanity.

Thomas Mitchell, who was found was remanded that he might have time to think.

John Dean, arrested for assaulting William Peckham, wanted a witness William Peckham, want

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The carnation is today the leading cut plant, and the demand for it is increasing by leaps and bounds. Its vi-

poses.

There are several varieties of the carnation, one of which, known as the Lawson carnation, has a value of \$30,000. Peter Fisher of Massachusetts is known as the producer of this species, and received the above named sum for the same. He has also produced two other varieties of equal value.

A leading florist of St. John is about to enter upon the experiment of growing this variety in large quantities, and will make a large extension to his hot-houses at Bloomfield, Kings county. His premises now occupy 10,000 square feet, and he believes that his new venture will prove a genuine success.

R. K. Y. CLUB SMOKER.

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THE DEADLY TOY PISTOL.

(Pictou Advocate.)

By forwarding through the post a letter containing 500 odd toy pistof caps some unthinking person came near to causing the destruction of the post-office at North Range, Digby county, a few days since. The caps were exploded when the package was being stamped, and it was with difficulty that the building was saved from being burned.

Seotch soft coal, \$5.50. Gibbon & Co.

GOOD SETTLERS.

The Middlemore Children Who Come to This Province.

mething About the System by Which They Are Cared For.

boy or girl must sign the following agreement:—
"I herewith apply for a boy of..... years, and, if necessary in my application, I agree to provide him proper food and clothing, so that he shall be as well clothed as at present, and medical attendance; also with such common school education as is supplied in the district where I reside; and I undertake that he shall attend Sunday school and divine worship, and I undertake that he shall attend Sunday of more easily than they deserve, and it not infrequently happens that an offender is let go upon promising to come back with or send the money to pay his fine. During the present week two or three have been released on this condition, but the money has not been heard of. One man said he would wak to Smith Town and send in the necessary four dollars. Another was going to his ship and would be right back with the money. But it hasn't come.

Some little time ago a young man from the North End got his freedom upon promising to bring back the cash. Said if he did not return that afternoon it would not be his fault. Evidently there has been a case of abduction or forcible detention in the North End for the man has not been seen in court since. The magistrate ordered that a warrant be issued for his arrest, but this is regarded as only a bluff.

A NEW CARNATION.

The carnation is today the leading cut plant, and the demand for it is increasing by leaps and bounds. Its vignerable was the carnation is today the leading cut plant, and the demand for it is increasing by leaps and bounds. Its vignerable was and the would wak to solve a supply of clothes are when I received him; and I undertake that he shall attend Sundal I undertake when he is old enough, to pay him in place of providing clothing, sufficient wages for services he may render me, and also to retain him in my employ up to the age of 18 years, unless there be full and adequate cause for his alto remove him fremove in winder me, and alequate cause for his alto the received him; and I undertake when he is old enough, to pay him in place of providing clothing, sufficient wages for services he may render me, and alequate cause for his removal; in which case he shall condender to a service he may render me, and adequate cause for his alto the me and a service of the mean has not been shall be returned to Mr. Middlemore's house of the wars of the mean has not been shall be returned to Mr. Middlemore's house of the wars of the wars of the mean has not been shall be

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NEW FURNITURE FIRM.

Everett & Sime, the new furniture firm, are to be found at No. 91 Charlotte street. Mr. Chas. S. Everett, who has long been known in connection with the furniture business in St. John, has associated with himself Robert S. Sime, well and favorably known in the house furnishing trade in this city, and of late manager for Gordon & Keith, Hallfax.

WHERE THE CARS STOP.

street Railway Take Measures for Better Service—Further Improvements.

children who have lost one of both of their parents and are in need of a home.

During the last seven years about 1,200 of these children have come to these provinces. Mr. Gerow says that in the four years he has been agent for the company an average of about 120 per year have been brought out. About June 9 or 10th next, 130 will arrive at the Halifax home.

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About The six new cars which are expected shortly will be placed on the main line and on Douglas avenue will further improve the service. With these additions and the improvements in the tracking the company expect to give a three minute schedule on the busy part of their main line. Instead of the present five minute service.

Proposed improvements in the tracks with will be made as soon as the following princess street by way of Carmarther to Duke will run along Princess to the line in the city so that green to make the princess street by way of Carmarther to Duke will run along Princess to Wentworth, by Wentworth to King Street east, down to Pitt and thence of the young people and where one is ill-used takes him or her away. He has power to prosecute for extreme illusage.

The dominion government pays \$2 per head for these little immigrants. Mr. Middlemore contributes \$1,000 per year, and the rest of the funds needed are voluntarily contributed in Eng-

year.
Mrs. Lawrence and daughter of Wolf-Mrs. Lawrence and daughter of Wolfville are visiting in St. John,
Wylie McC. Manning, son of Rev. Dr.
J. W. Manning of St. John, has successfully passed the Dalhousie Law
School examinations.
Mrs. Geo. R. Smith of St. John is
the guest of her mother, Mrs. William
Gordon, in Pictou.

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C. P. R. ACCIDENT.

The Montreal express is between four and six hours late today. The delay is due to an accident which occurred at Hardy Pond, fitteen miles this side of Brownville at half past five o'clock this morning.

Full particulars have not yet been received, but it is understood that the rails at Hardy Pond had spread and although the engine passed over in safety almost the entire train was derailed. All the cars, with the exception of the sleeper, left the track and two of them turned partly on one side. The line at this point is not particularly dangerous, and for this reason, among others, the rolling stock was practically uninjured. The truck on one car was somewhat damaged. No persons were hurt.

An auxiliary train was sent out from Brownville and the derailed cars hauled back on the track.

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LOCAL.

To those who desire to secure a superior grade of soft coal it will be interesting to know that a special importation of the celebrated "Virtue-will" coal, one of the best soft coals minor the resting to know that a special importation of the celebrated "Virtue-will" coal, one of the best soft coals minor the resting to know that a special importation of the celebrated "Virtue-will" coal, one of the best soft coals minor the resting to know that a special importation of the celebrated "Virtue-will" coal, one of the best soft coals will on Scottch and has give in Scottch and the cilomache will one standard to be far superior to coal is claimed to be far supe

NEW BRUNSWICK COPPER.
(Moncton Times.)

Col. Alperson, managing director of the Maritime Reduction and Copper Co., and Major Dawson, of Dawson-ville, who is also a stockholder in the company, returned yesterday from the Vernon copper mine. Talking to a Times reporter, Col. Alperson says work is progressing satisfactorily at the mine. The big tunnel is now in a distance of 182 feet and work will shortly be resumed on the breakwater. In a few weeks time Col. Alperson expects to have things booming at the mine.

Easter

Should cost you at least ten or twelve dol-Our ten dollar and twelve dollar suits are equal to any custom suits at double that amount. Get one of our ten or twelve dollar suits and you will be well dressed all summer.

At \$10, Men's **Spring Suits**

In English Worsteds, grey and brown mixtures, stripes and checks, fashionable cut with very best trimmings.

At \$12, Men's **Best Black Clay English Wor**sted Suits

single or double breasted or cutaway styles. Equal to any \$20 custom suit.

Our \$12 Suits for Men

In English Striped Worsted, are made in single breasted, square front style with S. B. vest—this is the latest.

Men's \$8.50 Suits

in good Canadian tweeds, stripes and checks, equal to any \$14 suit to order.

Boys' Suits,

ages 10 to 16 years in English Striped Worsted Suits, \$7.50. Striped Tweed Suits for boys \$3.50, 4.00 and 5.00.

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