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EUROPEAN POWERS ARE IN A STATE OF UNREST

Relations Between MANY MEN AT **Sweden and Russia Badly Strained.**

Controversy Over the Status of the Baltic - - - German **Defends Germany's Attitude** in Regard to Reforms in

for more than a year, and the Russian ficers have spent their time in making elaborate surveys and soundings. It is be believed in some quarters here that Germany will adopt drastic measures against. Denark if this state refuses to join Germany and Russia against Sweden in the efforts to make the Baltic a "mare clausum."

CHRISTIANIA, Feb. 17—Stories which have appeared in the newspapers lately have exaggerated the importance of the exchange of views going on since last November between the governments of states bordering on the Baltic sea, as well as the states of western Europe.

The present negotiations do not touch the question of the Baltic sea, as well as the citaged as a "closed sea" which the German government has not and cannot raise. The object is to assure the status quo with which the whole world is satisfied. They were made possible by the better feeling which has prevailed for some time between Sweden and Russia, a condition most acceptable to all the powers of Europe. This rapprochement will permit of the abrogation when oportunity offers of the convention of 1836 under which there is maintained on the Aland Islands off the Swedish coast, a situation for which there is mo real necessity.

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GOVERNMENT CANDIDATES IN YORK COUNTY SPOKE TO AUDIENCE OF THREE SCHOOL BOARD

ST. JOHN, N. B., MONDAY, FEBRUARY 17, 1908.

Amasa Brewer and His Two Sons Made Up Whole Audience at Zealand Meeting---General Notes of the Campaign.

SUPREMACY OF THE SEA

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LONDON SWEAT SHOPS

AWFUL CONDITIONS IN

MEETS TONIGHT

Estimates for the Year and **Other Important Matters Wil** Be Brought Up.

HAVE GONS TO ST. STEPHEN

Irving Earle and Ha-old Draper Have Been Located.

WILL PAY SCULPTOR
\$1,500 IN ADVANCE

Champlain Monument Committee This Morning Decided to Pay All Money On Hand to

Railway, told the Times today that two lads aged about 14 and 15 had gone down to the border town on his train Saturday afternoon. Conductor Green said that in conversation with him one of them had told him that his name was Draper, and that consequently he has no doubt but they are the missing boys. He ascertained that they had purchased tickets from George Philps, ticket agent, and told Mr. Green that they were going to work in the cotton mills at St. Stephen.

Temperance People Ask for Funds to Fight Scott Act

Father Bernard Vaughan Strongly Denounces Them

He Tells How Poor Workers in London Slums Live---One **Particular Case Where Straw Mattresses Do Double Duty** in Room Occupied as Sweat

Do if Quebec Longshoremen
Raise Rates.

MONTREAL, Feb. 17 (Special)—As a result of a meeting of the Champlain monument committee this morning it is probable that work will be commended at once by Hamilton McCarthy, the sculptor and that inside of a year the morning to the screek.

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Newspaper Supplement is Dead in Paris.

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At the Union Today Men's Fancy Tweed Suits

Regular \$10 and \$12 values,

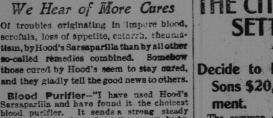
for \$4.50

Men's Fancy Tweed and Worsted Trousers

Regular \$3 value,

for \$1.98 Union Clothing Company

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Contains all the wonderful lung-healing virtues of the Norway pine tree and cures Coughs, Colds, Bronchitis and all Throat and Lung Troubles.

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There is nothing "just as good" as Dr. Wood's. Fut up in a yellow wrapper; three pine trees the trade mark: the price is 25 cents.

COLD SETTLED ON THE LUNGS.

Mrs. Irwin Bennett, Parrsboro, N. S., writes: "I feel it my duty to write a few words in praise of Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup I took a bad cold, which settled on my lungs, and made it almost impossible to breath at times. I coughed constantly and could not sleep at nights. A friend told me how Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup had helped her, so I procured some, and before I had taken one bottle my cough was gone and I could lie down and sleep at night."

In the Cause of Freedom,

By Arthur W. Marchmont.

The heart has supplied to it two sets of nerves, one set which quickens, the other which slows its action. The proper action of these nerves, so important to the wellbeing of the heart, depends upon the general condition of the nervous system. If there he nerve derangement of any kind it is bound to produce all the various phenomena of heart derangement.

Knowing the intricate structure of the heart, and being aware how diseases of the nerves affect the heart, we have combined in Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills a treatment that will cure all forms of nervous disorders as well as act on the heart itself, and in this is the secret of their success in curing so many cases of heart trouble which have defied all other treatment.

Mrs. John Riley, Douro, Ont., writes:
"I have been a great sufferer from heart
and nerve troubles for the last ten years.
After trying many remedies and doctoring
for two years, without the least benefit, I
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my reply.

"You can write to your Consul, then."

We both understood that this was merely intended to gain time, and we wasted some time in pretended difficulty about phrasing the letter, while a conversation continued over the wire which clearly showed the man at the other end was in trouble

rith gasolene if you want the notor-car to go. The oil supplies the power that makes the wheels turn round.

The human machine is set in motion in the same way by

Scott's Emulsion

Folks are like motor-cars. At times they get run down.
Scott's Emulsion is full of power.
It not only produces flesh but gives new power to weakbodies.

VIGOROUS ADDRESSES DELIVERED YESTERDAY

Rev. W. J. Keirstead and Rev. L. A. Mc-Lean Speak Before the Every Day Club---Rev. James Crisp at Thorne Lodge Meeting.

pices of Thorne Lodge, I. O. G. T., in Tabernacle church yesterday afternoon.

W. F. Washburn presided and Jeremiah Thompson conducted the devotional exercises. Mr. Thompson also referred to a sight which met him in Brussels street. A small boy was so intoxicated that he was falling all over the street.

Rev. Mr. Crisp spoke for a prohibitory law. Some people said that love should be used not law, but law and love must go hand in hand. He referred to a case where he was called to the bedside of a man who had left farming to take over a liquor business. He urged Mr. Crisp to get a promise from his wife that she would stop selling liquor. The wife promised, but a few days after her husband died, she continued the business as usual. When Mr. Crisp remonstrated with her, he said, she told him that when they first went into the business she could not sleep through dread of it, but that now she had no conscience is the mat-

Daily Fashion Hint for Times Readers.



Every Reader Should Know The Following Medical Facts:

How few realize that twenty-five per cent of all disease has its origin in some interference with the function of elimination. Up to a certain point the body has power to object to destructive elements, but this power is limited. When it happens that the body is loaded with wastes and poisons which it can't eliminate, fermentation, decay and germ life run riot through the blood. Serious illness is the result unless nature is assisted by a cleansing tonic like Dr. Hamilton's Pills, which are purely vegetable, contain no mercury, no bismuth, no injurious metallic ingredients of any kind. Suoh a medicine is the greatest possible assurance to every man and woman of health, spirits and contentment. Grand results are achieved, and famous cures made every day by Dr. Hamilton's Pills, as this letter proves.

From Newfoundland Miss Lillian Anthony of Upper Gullies, Conception Bay, writes: "In praise of Dr. Hamilton's Pills, I must say that I have used them with grand success for three years. They never fail to cure me of indigestion or constipation. Formerly my face was full of pimples but now my complexion is clear and ruddy. In more ways than I care to mention have Dr. Hamilton's Pills helped me, they would be good for every woman to use."

Insist on only Dr. Hamilton's Pills, 25c. per box or five boxes for \$1.00 at all dealers

FINANCIAL and COMMERCIAL

N. Y. STOCK MARKET.

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LONDON, 2 p. m.—Exchange 485.90.
Consols 86 7-8; Anaconda, 29 3-4; Amalg
Copper, 47 1-8; Atch 67 1-4; Baltimore &
Ohio, 77 1-4; Chesapeake & Ohio, 27 1-4;
Chi & G West. 3 7-8; C. P. R. 143 3-4;
D. 18 1-2; Erie 13 1-2; Illinois 124 5-8;
Kansas & Texas, 19; Louisville & Nashville 89 1-2; Mexican 17 1-2; Northern
Pacific, 119 5-8; Central 93 7-8; Ontario &
Western, 30 1-2; Pennsylvania, 110 3-4;
Reading 94 3-8; Rock Island 11 3-4; Southern
Railroad, 9 3-4; SJ. 30 1-2; Southern
Pacific, 67 1-8; St. Paul 106 1-2; Union
Pacific 113 1-4; U S Steel 27 1-2; United
States Steel pfd 91 3-4; Wz 15 1-8.
Expected Standard oil directors meet
for dividend today.
C. W. Morse returns from Europe and

cent.

Total gain in cash from interior by banks in first seven weeks of this year largest on record.

Banks reported less than 25 per cent reserve against twelve last week and twenty at this time last year.

National R. R. of Mexico first pfd. dividend postponed on account of pending merger negotiations.

Great flood damage reported in Western Pennsylvania, Indiana, Kentucky, New England and up New York state.

U. S. government will institute suits against S. P. Co. for alleged extensive rebating.

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Winks—Yes, I always find something to be thankful for.

Dinks—Well, we have cracked wheat and hash for breakfast every day

nth. Can you see anything about that to be thankful for?

Winks—Yes, I would be glad that it's February.



Is he a fellow who has seen better days?"
"No; he's the kind that has always seen a worse storm."

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THE ALASKA BOUNDARY.



WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 17-Under existing at Fairbanks say the trouble is Operators have planned against

WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 17—Under representations made by the United States a year or more good for higher wages and shorter hours there are so serious as to need the presence of troops, President Roosevelt has been company of infantry ordered from Fort Gibbon to Fairbanks. The troops are expected to preserve order while the labor disturbance last.

Telegrams from Fairbanks to the attorney general state that open air mass meetings are being held by the striking miners and that threats of violence have been made. Miners have picketed the trail between Valdez and Fairbanks, Most of the newly arrived laborers are Russian.

Persons here familiar with conditions

EARTLE, BORDER CITY TIMES

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SEATTLE to the cuttome of a strike a year or more agams. All and less the cuttomine declared the best in England. Along the gent to violence the switch end of 2,000 men and new plant to violence the less the strikers resort to violence the short the mine owners apparently have the fight at ready won. They have espend headquarters in Seattle, where they have established an employment agency, and have sent the first dead-ment of a force of 2,000 men. Headquarters are sent to a force of 2,000 men and the tobacco vendetta in western K

THE BORDER CITY TIMES

News of the St. Croix Valley Gleaned by Berlin Society Woman Loses Last Act in Sydney Mine Horror Times Correspondents.

JEWEL ROBBERY

Pearl Necklace and Pin

CAUSED BY EXPLOSION

in Sydney Mine Horror.

HALIFAX, Feb. 16 (Special.)—After deliberating for several hours the coroner's jury in the mine accident rendered the following verdict: "We find that the decased, Malcolm Beaton, Allan R. McDonald, Duncan McDonald, Lachlin Gillis, John A. Campbell, William McKenzie and the four Bulgarians came to their death on the morning of the 7th day of February, 1908, at or about the hour of 7 o'clock, near the southern ends of the upper and lower levels of No. 3 lift south in the Porthood coal mines by an explosion of some explosive mixture."

some explosive mixture.

Since the close of the inquest another examination of the mine was made on Saturday, when Manager McLellan discovered an empty powder can completely shattered; above spot where the can was found a considerable amount of damage was done. There was a large hole in the roof and timbers were blown away. At this point the man who was most disfigured was found, and it is now believed that this discovery explains the cause of the explosion. First the powder and then the small amount of gas along the level ignited. This explosion took place near face of level, and not in balance, as at first supposed. The jury, however, found that explosion took place near face of level and the finding of this can seems to justify their verdict. The fact that brattice was down would have nothing to do with explosion at the face of level. Operations at the mine are going on as usual, John Morrison, of Stellarton, has been appointed fore boss. Stewart has been dismissed, and it is said other heads will

HORSEWHIPPED BY THE NIGHT RIDERS

A DOUBLE FUNERAL

Enacted Yesterday.

PITTSBURG'S WEALTHIEST **CHURCH FORCED TO CUT SALARIES 10 PER CENT.**

Coroner's Jury Returns Verdict Trinity's Endowment Forbids the Renting of Pews, and Employes Are Asked To Sacrifice Pay.

PITTSBURG, Feb. 15—Old Trinity, the wealthiest and most prominent Protestant Episcopal church in Pittsburg, has been forced by financial stress to make a ten per cent cut in salaries. There was only one exception. The rector, Rev. Dr. Alfred Arundel, being under contract, still receives \$9,000 per year.

A peculiar combination of circumstances caused the cut, which, it is said, may be only temporary.

The late John H. Schoenberger, by his will, endowed the congregation with \$250,000, with a proviso that the pews should be forever free. The endowment consisted of securities in the town site of Roby, Ind., where it is believed Schoenberger intended some day to erect large stele works. He died and the project fell through. Now this endowment is a millstone. Deprived of revenue from pew rent, the vestrymen were compelled to ask the workers of the church in its different charities to accept a reduction. The assistant rector, Rev. William Shea, was cut \$300 a year. Choir singers, lay workers and others who were engaged in the different philanthropies of the congregation all made sacrifices.

PREPARATIONS FOR THE OLYMPIC GAMES

Stadium to Hold 70,000 People Under Course of Construction at Sheppard's Bush,

Eddyville, Ky., Citizens Dragged from Homes and Lashed by Masked Men.

EDDYVILLE, Ky., Feb. 17—Night riders, 300 strong, galloped into Eddyville at 1 o'clock Sunday morning, aroused inhabitants by firing hundreds of rifle shots took ten men from their homes to the edge of the town and whipped them severely and then dashed away before daylight, threatening to return later. Those whipped are:

Police Judge C. W. Rucker.

LONDON, Feb. 17—The last girder for the steel structure for the great Stadium at Shepherd's Bush, London, in which the Olympic games will be contested this year, was placed in position this week, and some idea can be obtained of the magnitude of the British Olympic Association's undertaking. This stadium has been designed to accommodate 70,000 spectators, and besides will contain rooms for the competitiors, officials and general public, and a lot of floor space for exhibits of sporting implements. The centre is a turf arena 700 feet in length, and is 300 feet in width, around which has been laid a running track having three laps to the mile. The turf and tracks were laid last fall and are in splendid condition and have been declared the best in England

ST. JOHN FIRE ALARM

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WHN RUSSELL JR. Manager.

ercolonial Railway? What can he do to

make the Intercolonial "go ahead by leaps

The appeal of Mr. Emmerson in Mone

ton, like that of Dr. Pugsley in St. John,

is not only a convincing proof of the weak-

ness of the Robinson government, but a

glaring attempt to humbug the people. It

should be treated with the contempt it

leserves. The introduction of federal is-

sues in some constituencies and not in

others is also an evidence of insincerity which should arouse the indignation

WHAT DOES IT MEAN

he provincial treasury?

Is there to be another railway raid on

What company other than the Grand

transcontinental line could have any ob-

fic, and why is there any mystery about

Why did Dr. Pugsley omit from his

speech in the opera house all reference

o the Valley Railway and then have the

Sun print as part of that speech a full

provincial politics to do with the extension

olumn of statements he never made?

matter of so much importance?

THE EVENING TIMES, THE DAILY TELEGRAPH

New Brunswick's Independent newspapers.

These newspapers advocate: British connection. Honesty in public life. Measures for the material

progress and moral advancement of our great Dominion.

No graft! No deals!

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THEY ARE AFRAID

dazzle they assume that an attempt is being made largely to to deceive them. The history of the Centvague assurances ral and International Railways is not reof great things to be done for the good of scheme Dr. Pugaley may present on the the city and province. This speech, in- eve of the elections. Is it intended, if cluding a good deal that he did not say the government is returned, to plunge the at all, was prined in full in the Sun and distributed free throughout the city, to use the words of Hon. Geo. F. Hill in reinfluence the electors. Dr. Pugsley in St.

John, Mr. Emmerson in Moncton, and
Senator King at Chipman make the same

afford to take any chances in this matter. appeal in different terms. Winter port Mr. Hazen and his colleagues will have no ent at St. John, I. C. R. develop- light task to extricate the province from ment at Moncton, coal mine and railway the financial difficulties into which twenty-Was there ever a more _so much the worse for the province. shameless attempt to becloud the real is-

sues of the campaign? a rebuke to Dr. Pugley for his meddling The New York American makes these in this affair would but redouble his zeal caustic observations concerning the case of in his own behalf. The like is true of Charles W. Morse, the financier, who has Mr. Emmerson. Senator King, of course, just been arrested in New York. is easy in his mind. Senators are responsible to nobody.

"In the exciting chase of the broken and, possibly, ruined Morse the federal and

The wheels of industry will not stop ccunty authorities have been contending when Mr. Hazen is made premier. The with valiant rivalry. It is unfortunate that I. C. R. will still be a government rail- the same official enterprise did not exist operated by a government responsible to ing the paper institutions that have now the people of Canada. The port of St. fallen about his ears. It is curious that in John will remain just where it is—the those days of his affluence there was no efmost advantageous port for the winter fort to inquire into his share in his dibusiness of Canadian transcontinental rail- vorce proceedings—proceedings that sent ways. The Central Railway and the coal one of his lawyers to jail and disbarred deposits of Queens will be where they are another. It is equally strange that there deposits of Queens will be where they are now, with equal opportunity for useful the land and th development. The branch railways will be just as valuable as they are now, and Mr. Emmerson, if he be at all sincere, will be just as eager to have them taken Let there be no confusion of the issue. true that Morse's creditors have found him

The Robinson government is to be judged out, but is every knavish financier to go on its financial policy, its highway policy, the school book policy, the bridge policy, its railway policy, the bridge policy, its lack of an immigration policy, and its general failure to give the province a proits railway policy, its agricultural policy, gressive and economical administration. It in Westmorland would be an indication deserves defeat, and the federal meddlers that the people were in favor of the extension of the I. C. R. When did any should be sent about their business. member of the opposition say he was opposed to its extension? But what has ga

CRACKING THE WHIP

of a railway owned by the federal gov-The Hon. H. R. Emmerson at Moncton ernment? Mr. Emmerson makes a vain on Saturday evening made the following appeal. The people are not to be hoodextraordinary appeal to the employes of winked in this fashion. Nothing more the I. C. R. and the people of Moncton:- shameful has occurred in recent political "If you want to see the I. C. R. go campaigning in Canada than this attempt ahead by leaps and bounds, if you want by Messrs. Emmerson and Pugsley to into see the number of its employes multi-fluence the province by federal interfer ply, then vote for Premier Robinson and his colleagues and we will convince the compared with this wholesale attempt to Laurier Government at Ottawa that our influence constituencies? policy is the policy of Canada. Let us vote to build up the I. C. R. and make it Readers of the Times are urged to read a transcontinental line that will be the with care the letter of Mayor Sears, pub pride of our people and a credit to the lished in this issue, and written by Mr. Sears when he and Mr. McDade, who government of Canada."

be in sore straits when the ex-minister of railways is summoned from Ottawa to ment in 1903. Mene, Mene, Tekel Uphar. New Fancy Ginghams, make this frantic appeal to the support- sin. ers of the federal government and to the The premier must be very doubtful of his that federal patronage must not be used in behalf of any candidate seeking a poliject an appeal. It is alike a threat and a must not further the cause of any candipromise. The men of Westmorland should resent this gross attack upon their liber-rule to follow in Canada at the present a change. resent this gross attack upon their liber- rule to follow in Canada at the present ties and send Mr. Emmerson back to time. Ottawa with the lesson that in all provincial affairs they are quite competent to Mr. M. L. Hayward, who described act without federal threat or promise. To himself as always a Liberal, presided at suggest that there is any sort of relation the opposition meeting at Hartland on between the federal government's policy Saturday. He is one of those Liberals ter the federal bribers of constituencies. with respect to the Intercolonial and the who see clearly, and refuse to permit Dr. complexion of the government at Freder- Pugsley and Mr. Emmerson to confuse icton is to bring against Sir Wilfrid Lau- the issue. rier and his colleagues a very grave charge.

If Mr. Emmerson deliberately says that

The government press has been parad
Great Bargains in Paper Covered Bo Novels, etc., 3c., 5c., 9c., 10c., 15c. each. the federal government will be in any ing ex-Warden Flett of Northumberland way influenced in its railway policy by the as an ardent supporter of Premier Robway influenced in its railway policy by the action of the people of this province in the exercise of their sovereign right to elect their own representatives in the legislature, then he either slanders the federal government or it is unworthy of

respect.

What has Premier Robinson to do with York, Charlotte, Carleton, Queens, Kings
the number of men employed on the In- and other counties to the opposition lead-

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If we do wrong, ah then His hand Will use the chastening rod; Afflictions come at His command 'Till we return to God. When in repentance we return—
Weep, low at Jesus' feet,
Then His abounding love we learn,
And find our joy complete.

He takes away our filth of soul,
And clothes us with His Grace;
He heals our wounds: Made fully whole,
We take a higher place. St. John, N. B., Feb. 13, 1908.

IN LIGHTER VEIN

WEDDING PRESENTS. Mother—The glass has just arrived.
Daughter—I wonder what it is for?
Mother—Looks like it might do to hold

HUMBLE JOYS. "A humble existence hab its joys," said Uncle Eben. "Cullud people is moe'ly good-natured 'cause dey ain't got money enough to buy gold bricks. Nobody ain' gwinter bother to git up bogus 'possum an' sweet potatoes.—Washington Star.

DOING HIS SHARE.

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"Gentlemen, you have all treated to drinks and cigars."

"Well, Titewad?"

"Let me relate a joke at my expense."—
Washington Herald.

WHAT'S IN A NAME?
Redd—Is that a fact that you have given your automobile a name?

Green—Yee, named it after my wife.

"Because is is unmanageable?"

"No; because it is always running people down."—Yonkers Statesman.

MEETING CONDITIONS. "The prospects for tomorrow are protracted rain, or snow, or a thun-storm, preceded by a warm wave, or clear and cold or cloudy weather, winds brisk and desultory, or steady

calm."

"There," remarked the weather clerk looking at the bulletin he had penned "nobody can say that this bureau isn't equipped for emergencles and anxious to please."—Philadelphia Ledger.

DON'T LOAF. Don't loaf and shirk, and dawdle, Pitch in and make things hum, In that way you can hasten The glad millenium. The glad millenium.

If you have been a dreamer,
Wake up and work! Yes you!
Take off your coat and hustle,
And make your dreams come true!
—Somerville Journal.

THE WORLD'S

The Victoria Falls, on the Zambesi Riv-

The striking solitude, the weirdness

any one spot.

The striking solitude, the weirdness of the whole scene, and the tropical surroundings are most impressive, and it calls for many an hour's contemplation before one can attempt to realize the enormous scale upon which the Great Architect of the Universe has worked.

On stepping a short distance across the railway line by the hotel, one reaches the edge of the steep cliff covered with thick bush and watches the water rushing through the gorge and swirling round the first bend of the zigzag, eddying in innumerable inlets. The magnitude of the cliffs opposite, on either side of one and inclosing the vast gorge, is difficult to realize, especially as the mighty river, its depth masked, appears comparatively insignificant, and one utterly fails to conceive the immense vista of thousands of years that must have passed since the water first began its working or eroding the 40 miles of gorge.

of gorge.

In the distance can be seen the sprayrising from the eastern end of the falls and above the thick bush, to the left, one

rising from the eastern end of the falls and above the thick bush, to the left, one can also see the vapor emanating from the other portions of the falls.

The whole of the southern side of the chasm facing the main falls constitutes a beautiful tropical forest about a mile long and 200 to 300 yards broad. This is called the "Rain Forest," because it is being constantly drenched, more or less, with spray. The vegetation in this forest is of the most luxuriant description, owing to the atmosphere closely resembling that of a hothouse; large evergreen trees, in which monkeys abound, grow along the face of the cliff, and round about tree orchids, rare ferns and flowers are numerous. One flower, called "Gladiolus promulinus," has a yellow blossom so shaped that the spray cannot enter the inside.

Within a stone's throw stretches a gigantic curtain of ever-trembling water, scintillating in the sunlight, with all the vivid tints of the rainbow and emitting a dull thunderous roar. Where the water is shallow, beautiful, lacelike effects are at once produced: at other points where the water is probably five or six feet deep, it is of a brownish color and glides over the edge of the precipice in an oily manner, to be split up lower down into intermittent snow-white, foaming masses, merging into the zone of perpetual opales. The fall of the cliff of the content of the conten

Rhodesian Railway Company for the privi-lege of crossing.

The bridge is provided with a double rail track of the South African standard gaugh of 3 feet 6 inches and has a boarded footway on each side. The width of the bridge between the side parapets is 30 feet. The span, though not a record one, is not to be despised. The central arch measure 500 feet, and the side spans to-gether 150 feet, making a total length of 650 feet.

gether 150 feet, making a total length of 650 feet.

From this point, which is some 400 yards from the falls, one is better able to realize the immense drop, the gigantic scale of the cliffs and the terrible power of the water. The mere sensation of looking over the edge of the bridge, which is high enough to allow St. Paul's cathedral to stand beneath, is apt, notwithstanding that the parapets are broad and substantial, to inspire vertigo.

The most gorgeously brilliant rainbows are seen from the bridge. Often they are in the form of a complete circle right underneath the arch and sometimes two or more separate and complete circlar rainbows appear oncentrically to one another. When a bright moon shines a beautiful, soft rainbow, generally also in a complete circle, makes its appearance under one's feet.

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WHEN EDWARD SEARS URGED ALL LIBERALS TO DESTROY AN INIQUITOUS GOVERNMENT

How the Mayor Felt in 1903 When He Set Forth His Honest Convictions and Predicted Government Downfall---What Has Caused the Change in Five Years?

"WHAT ARE WE VOTING FOR TOMORROW?

What are YOU voting for? Please think.' Here in the city and county of St. John and in the great railway centre, county of Westmorland, the late government are forcing Dominion politics to the front and are sheltering themselves from attack mainly behind the policy of the great Liberal party. But, thank God, the Liberal party was created for a nobler purpose than a veneer for opportunism. chieftain, Sir Wilfrid Laurier, to conduct the Liberal party within the citadel, pro

"But this local election has no bearing on the administration of the Dominion affairs. In no sense of the word can the New Brunswick government be called Liberal. It never announced itself to be such. No convention ever determined that it should be changed from a coalition to a Liberal and partizan government, its leaders ever repudiated the necessity or advisability of so doing. So, then, if Mr. James Robinson is a good enough Conservative for a leader of the Liberal party to use his influence to elect to the Dominion House without injury to the Liberal party, why may not Mr. Hazen be a safe Conservative for the Liberals to elect to the local House without injury to the Liberal cause in the Dominion, when, like Mr. Tweedie, he is to lead a coali-

A REVIEW OF WALL STREET

Wall Street is Gradually Emerging from Its Slough of Despond---What Authorities Say

in this connection, but this one will suffice to show that, despite the numerous onslaughts to which all corporate interests have been subjected, investors are still keenly alive to the many bargains now prevailing in the stock market.

Apart from the fact that money still continues practically a drug in the market, and ignoring the present declining tendency of railroad earnings and the possibility of some dividend reductions in addition to those already announced, there are a number of factors in the situation which prompt a more hopeful feeling concerning the general investment and speculative situation than has prevailed of late. Conspicuous among these are indications of a moderate improvement in the iron and steel trade, which is generally regarded as the barometer of business conditions in all branches. Still another encouraging feature of the situation is the healthy state of the country's foreign commerce, as reflected in the exports from the United States for the month of January. In practically all the leading commodities there is an increase shown over the same period last year, among the most notable cases in point being cotton, the value of the exports of which for the period referred to amounted to \$76,687,000 compared with \$69,990,000 in January 1907 and \$38,992,000 in January, 1906. It will thus be observed that our exports of cotton last month were more than double those of two years ago. Considerations such as these have done much to dispell the gloom that has recently pervaded the financial situation and account for the better tone that prevailed in the stock market at the end of the week just closed.

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AND IT HAS IN THIS REGARD INSt. John's, Nfid., Feb. 9—Schooner Richard
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THE PROVINCIAL ELECTIONS

News and Opinions Concerning the Approaching Contest in This Province.

Splendid Reports From All Over the Province Tell of Opposition Successes - Opposition Majority of 1,000 is Predicted in York County---Anti-Government Sentiment is Daily Growing.

The linearity policy. He also discussed the injury it was doing to the country.

Mr. Slipp mercilessly scored the government for its attitude with reference to the school books. He pictured in its to the school books. He pictured in its table may be added to the government for its attitude with reference to the school books. He pictured in its label in the coming election, as

caucus because he had not been invited.

He had heard since that Mr. Leighton had said that if he was going to stay away that when he got another case in Carleton that when he got another case in Ca

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The Princess Moving Picture Theatre.
Mrs. Flora MacD. Denison will lecture in the Church of England Institute on "Equal Political Rights for Women."
Opposition candidates will address ward meetings.

LATE LOCALS

Battle line steamship Sellasia, Captain Purdy, arrived at Genoa on the 12th inetfrom the Tyne.

The annual meeting of the S. P. C. A will be held in the board of trade rooms tomorrow morning at 11 o'clock.

At a meeting of the congregation of Ludlow street Baptist church last evening after the regular service it was unanimously resolved to ask Rev. E. C. Jenkins to reconsider his resignation.

Owing to the illness of Rev. Mr. Kuhring, the Men's Bible class of St. John's (Stone) church will not meet this evening, but will, it, is hoped, reassemble on Monday evening, Feb. 23.

The Furness liner Florence arrived from London Saturday morning. She had a good passage out. Captain Dawes, latchief officer of the Florence, is in command, Captain Barr having been promoted to the Canadia.—Halifax Mail.

The annual ball of St. John Council, No. 837, Knights of Columbus, will be held in Keith's assembly rooms tonight. Great preparations have been made, and there is promise of a large attendance and an enjoyable time.

Saturday.

Harold Draper aged about 16 of 188 Metcalf street and Irving Earle aged 15, of 172 Metcalf street have been missing since Saturday after aged 15, of 172 Metcalf street have been missing since Saturday after of the younger boy, said he did not expect to see his boy again and has given him up for lost. Abraham Estabrooks, of 136 Metcalf street, and Irving Earle aged 15, of 172 Metcalf street, that feather of the younger boy, said he did not expect to see his boy again and has given him up for lost. Abraham Estabrooks, of 136 Metcalf street, and Irving Earle aged 15, of 172 Metcalf street, the feather of the younger boy, said he did not expect to see his boy again and has given him up for lost. Abraham Estabrooks, says he head alive.

Both had their working clothes on, and were without money,

OPPOSITION

The four opposition meetings this evening and give brief addresses.

An opposition meeting will be held in Anthony's hall, Red Head, tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock. The speakers will be Homer D. Forbes, W. H. Harrison and J. Milton Price.

The Brooks ward opposition committee room in St. John street will be opened to morrow night, and all interested will find a welcome there.

Opposition Rally Here

The opposition candidates in St. John city, Meesrs. Maxwell, Hatheway, Wilson and McInerney are meeting with great success in their canvassing. It is practically a foregone conclusion that the complete opposition ticket will be elected here. Ward meetings are being well attended and each evening the headquarters in the different wards are filled with workers enrolled under the standard of "good clean administration by Premier Hazen and his colleagues." An opposition rally will be held in the Victoria Rink hall on Tuesday evening, when addresses will be delivered by the candidates and others. This will be the first meeting held in the "Valley" and there is no doubt that it will be an enthusiastic one.

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THIEF AT WORK sneak thief is operating ident from a story told en who called at police Saturday. The strangers, to the old country from heir trunk to the Dufferend. One of them hung he hall and went to sup-

MRS. DENISON TO

SPEAK TONIGHT

A public meeting, admission free, will be held at the C. of E. Institute rooms, Germain street at 8 o'clock this evening, when Mrs. Flora Mac D. Denison of Toronto, first vice-president of the Canadian Suffrage Association, will speak on Woman Suffrage. A large attendance is expected as Mrs. Denison is an attractive speaker and well informed on the subject she presents. Being prominent in journalism work also, the press should be well represented at her lecture this evening.

Mrs. Ellen Ahlbom
The death of Mrs. Ellen Ahlbom, wife of Hermon Ahlbom, occurred yesterday at her residence, 115 St. James street. Mrs. Ahlbom had been paralyzed for nearly two years and on Saturday afternoon had a further stroke, under which she gradually sank. Besides her husband, she is survived by a sister, Mrs. Eliza Kearns, wife of John Kearns, of this city. The funeral will take place on Tuesday afternoon from her late residence.

Police court

Preliminary hearing in the case of theft against Yul Thompson was continued in the police court this morning, when the conly witness examined was Edward O'Brien, who told of having purchased from the defendant two razors, which he identified in court and which he told of having left at a shoemaker shop on Sydney street for Detective Killen.

Thomas Campbell and Joseph Dixon, arrested for drunkenness, were fined \$8 each.
The men arrested by Patrolmen Ross and Marshall, for wandering about Smythe street between 10 and 11 o'clock last night, and being unable to give a satisfactory account of himself to the police, was stood aside for the present.

Herbert McIntyre, charged with a like offence, was similarly dealt with.

Stanley Riley, of the Frost & Wood office, is quite ill at the home of John Bond, Sewell street.His mother is coming from Sydney (C. B.) to be with him.

Mr. and Mrs. George McAvity returned from Montreal Saturday.

Miss Edna J. Hunter, daughter of James Hunter, Princess street, will leave Thursday to take a position in the Presbyterian Hospital School of Nursing, New York.

J. deW. Spurr was better Saturday.

Colonel Edwards and Mrs. Edwards will sail from New York on March 12 on a Mediterranean trip.

J. N. O'Callaghan, an adopted son of Patrick O'Leary, of Campbellton, will to day be ordained to the priesthood in Rome.

Miss Helen Lockhart returned to Mount Allison today, after spending the week-end at her home in Carleton.

The pickpocket is superstitious. He will

reflect McHnlyte, charge with.

RETURNS TO WASHINGTON

MONTREAL, Feb. 16—(Special)—At the inquest held to enquire into the recent tragedy at Ile Perrot, where nime men were blown to pieces by an explosion of nirto-glycerine, the jury brought in a verdict that no one could be held responsible for the accident. No evidence was forthcoming as to the cause of the explosion, for the simple reason that everybody who could know anything about it had been killed. Expert evidence, however, was adduced to show that the plant was one of the best on the continent for the manufacture of high explosives, and that everything possible had been done to minimize the inevitable danger of such work.

Cars

Cars

The pickpocket is superstitious. He will rarely rob a person who squints, this being considered a certain sign of disaster, and if it happens that the purse he steals contains foreign money, it is believed to augur that he will travel a good deal in the future, but whether in the company of a couple of police officers or not there is nothing to show.

DEATHS

COTTLE—In this city, on February 15, Phoebe Ann, widow of Deacon N. B. Cottle and daughter of the late Joshua C. Dykeman, of Jemseg.

Service at her late residence, 45 Exmouth street, today at 7.30 p. m. Funeral on Wednesday at Jemseg.

BELYEA—On 16th inst., Albion F. E. Belyea, infant daughter of Annie and Judeon Belyea, aged one month.

ORMAN—Passed away, at the General Public Hospital, at 2 a. m., on Sunday, Feb. 16, David Christopher Dorman, aged 78 years. It is likely to be his successor.—Yarmouth Tel

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