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In connection with New York's present invasion of "please help the bilind" individuals one of the gatemen of a certain big ratiway station tells an illuminating story. He was off duty for an hour or two when he noticed one of the gentry who make it their business to harrow, and also harvest, the human heart, sitting waiting for a train. He had let his satchel rest on the floor by his feet. The gateman had some curiosity as to the contents of the satchel, and filled also with a pardonable determination to do a little investigating in the field of social mendicancy, went over to the afflicted wight "on rubbers"—to use a strong phrase—and lifted his "grip." It was suggestively heavy. Still making no sound, the gateman cirried it along the line of seats and set it down twenty feet away. The "poor blind man" all the while looked straight ahead of him and gave no sign. But about this time an outgoing express finished making up, and in another five minutes the last call was shouted. Then the beggar was no longer pathetically oblivious of his loss. With a sudden sputter of bad words, he flung prudence aside, ran for his satchel, and with a parting volley of profanity at the gateman, dashed thnough the gate and caught his train.—New York Tribune.

Criticism of France Refuted by Min-

PARIS, Aug. 7.—Speaking at the opening of the exhibition at Foix, department of Ariege, M. Delcasse, minister of foreign affairs, said that there are people who are fond of pointing to France as a decayed country, and to the French as a decadent race. He had no faith in the opinion of such critics. Thirty years ago after the France-Prussian war, he declared, the same pessimistic views appeared. Since then France has built up once more a splendid army, a magnificent fleet and a world-wide commerce. Moreover, she had come to the front in the world's orld-wide commerce. Moreover, she as come to the front in the world's biltics. She held a preponderating saltion in many questions, especially africa and in the Far East. Could anyone, he asked, look at this record and term the French a dying race? It was not to be thought of. The destiny of France was far from being accom-

THE COAL STRIKE.

Charles Edwards, pastor of the Presbyterian church, and formerly state president of the Young Men's Bible Society,
said Thursday that the young men in
his congregation, which is made principally of mine workers, have informed
him that foreigners have determined
to cut off an ear of every man who
returns to work so that they will forever be marked as "unfair workmen,"
Mr. Edwards says that his young
men are in a position to know and he
believes the story. The foreigners
think this is the easiest method of preventing attempts to break the strike.

Two coal mines are now in successful operation in Alaska. They produce good steam coal.

TENDERED-HEARTED RESS

She wouldn't beat the carpets,
She wouldn't wilp the cram,
She wouldn't wilp the cram,
She wouldn't pound the beefsteak;
Too cruel it did seem.
She wouldn't strike the matches,
She wouldn't strike the matches,
She wouldn't cut a chicken,
Or think of drowning care;
She wouldn't cut a chicken,
Or think of drowning care;
She wouldn't cut a chicken,
Or think of drowning care;
She wouldn't cut a thicken,
And work of the strike the strike of the work of the strike o

CANADA'S GREAT SCHEMES.

BRIGANDS.

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The payment of the ransom for Miss Stone has, as might have been expected, given great encouragement to the predactory classical encouragement to the predactory encouragement in seized by brigands and held for ransom, while in Greece, which was recently free from the pest, brigands, and need not provided. The police seem to be powerless, and there is reason to fear that in some districts the people sympathize with the criminals. The true remedy would be a Thuggee Department, with nothing to do but collect evidence against brigands and hunt them down; but could not something be done by the old device of our barbarian ancestors? We fancy that if the district in which the crime occurred were always compelled to pay the ransom, brigands would find their trade much too uncomfortable. A populace, even if it is not very virtuous, only loves brigands as long as it profits by them. That is just one of the cases in which collective punishment is allowable and also effective.

—London Spectator.

LORD KITCHENER'S TOP HAT.

Foreigners Threaten to Cut Off Men's

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A MINE HORROR.

Thirteen Lives Are Known to Application For Appointment Number of Important Changes Have Been Lost,

As a Result of an Explosion in a Bowen, Col. Mine.

PUEBLO, Colo., Aug 8.—A special to the chieftain from Trinidad says: "A disastrous explosion occurred at 6.30 o'clock last night at No. 3 mine at Bowen, a small camp about ten miles north of this place. Thirteen liyes are known to have been lost. The exact number of men working on the night shift and in the mine at the time of the explosion is unknown. The mine is worked by the Union Coal Company of Denver. It is a slope mine, situated on the mountain side and about four hundred yards from Tipple Blow. The explosion occurred about eight hundred feet from the mouth of the slope and was caused by fire damp.

Immediately after the night shift had started in the slope a startling explosion occurred entirely filling the mouth of the slope and shaking buildings and breaking windows a mile distant. As the mouth of the slope was filled, the rescuers were delayed for some time, but succeeded in reaching some of the men through an old slope and eight dead bodies were quickly brought to the surface. The mine is filled with gas and smoke and the rescuers are affaild of after damp and are unable to stay in the mine more than a short time. Mothers, wives, and children of the dead and imprisoned miners are almost crazed with grief and the scenes presented at the mouth of the mine is a most pathetic one.

The powder house in the mine, usually containing 1,000 pounds of powder, blew up and it is that which caused so great disaster. The general belief is that the entire mine has been ruined, and if not, it will take months to get it in working order again. The rescuing party is pushing forward with all possible haste, and before many hours the exact number of lives lost and the total amount of damage will have been determined."

TRAIN ROBBERS

Suspected to Have Been Escaped Convicts-Five Arrests.

Convicts—Five Arrests.

CHICAGO, Aug. 8.—Gus Hyatt, who escaped with 15 other convicts from the Nashville, Team, penitentiary last Monday night, is now sought as the leader of the train robbers who held up the Burlington express at Savanna, Illinois, twenty-four hours after the escape.

At. St. Paul, Minn., five men who are suspected of complicity in the pobery are under arrest. They were taken in a body as they alighted from a Great Western train. They gave their names as George McKinnon, H. D. Coleman, Henry Lee, F. D. Patchen, and William Dunn. Steps have been taken to ascertain whether these men or any of them can be identified as having escaped from the Tennessee penitentiary.

THE DEATH ROLL.

HANOVER, Aug. 8.—Rudolf Von Bennigsen, the national liberal states-man and former chief administrator of Hanover, died yesterday evening. He was 88 years old. SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 8.—Alfred Ellinghouse, the theat that manager.

Ellinghouse, the theatrical manager, is dead, after several months' illness from heart failure. He was 39 years

old. SAN FGRANCISCO, Aug. 8.—Miss Querita Vincent, the vaudeville actress, is dead in this city of consumption.

ROME AND THE FRIARS

ROME, Aug. 8.—The action of the Philippine friters in selling their lands to syndicates of laymen, is disapproved at the Vetican. The lands are considered to be church property, inalienable without the consent of Rome. An investigation indicates that the Dominicans alone sold their lands, when the sales are definitely ascertained, the friars will be obliged to show the amount received by them and reimburse the church.

Linen dress skirts are most convenient and appropriate for summer wear. Special sale of these goods at Dykeman's. 89c. each.

PRESIDENT MITCHELL

Thinks Settlement of Coal Strike Will Come Soon

WILKESBARRE, Pa., Aug. 8.—Pre-

A HERO'S FUNERAL

NORTH TONAWANDA, N. Y., Aug. NORTH TONAWANDA, N. Y. Aug. S.—The funeral of Dr. T. Howard Gray, who was drowned Monday night, was held from the North Presbyterian church yesterday. Interment followed in Elmlawn cemetery on Delaware street. The search for the body of Miss Ruby Adams, the Toronto young woman whom Dr. Gray tried to save is still in progress.

THE WEATHER

WASHINGTON, Aug. 8.—Forecast— Eastern states and northern New York—Fair tonight and Saturday; light to fresh nortwest winds. TORONTO, Aug. 8.—Maritime—Mod-erate southwest to west winds, a few scattered showers, but on the whole fair.

THE BOER COMMISSION

LONDON, Aus. 8.—The priemier, A. J. Balfour, today announced the appointment of the following commission of inquiry into the conduct of the Boer war. The Earl of Elgin, chairman; Sir Henry Norman, Sir John Hopkins, Lord Esher and Sir John Estee

BRITISH TRADE INCREASE.

LONDON, Aug. 8.—The July sta ment of the board of trade shows creases of \$5,290,500 in imports, s \$8,217,000 in exports.

BEAR GULCH.

of Receiver Comes

Up Today.

What Mr. Harry T. Bush and His Friends Allege-A Very

(Anaconda Standard, Aug. 2.)
The Bear Gulch Mining Company is having troubles of its own. Internal dissensions have arisen among stock-holders and there is a noisy cry for a new deal by those who think they have received the worst of what they call illegal stock manipulations. Harry T. Bush of Jardine, who is a well-known gold mine operator, is in the city to confer with his attorneys in the preparation for the hearing to come up Aug. 8 at Red Lodge, when the application for receivership will be argued.

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Although Mr. Bush is not now interested in the Bear Gulch property, he was the organizer of the company operating the mines, and until two years ago was its president. By a process known to finance he says he was effectually frozen out, and recently his holdings were disposed of, with other assets turned over by him to a trustee. Mr. Bush's name, however, is prominently mentioned in the legal proceedings, and he is accused of having received considerable benefit from the manipulations which the complainants allege defrauded other stockholders.

The application for the appointment of a receiver was made by exCongressman Campbell in behalf of John Murdock, who in turn is acting as trustee for P. L. Kimberly, H. M. Ryan, M. Dreyfus, A. E. Nusbaum, F. C. Rutan, George Atkins and others, who are stockholders in the Bear Gulch Mining Company. The defendants named are A. C. Jardine, A. C. Blair, J. P. Thomas, G. Wetmore Merritt, W. H. Baraby, B. C. Van Houten, H. T. Busi, J. R. Wolcott and J. F. Bledsoe, It is charged in the complaint that in september, 1898, the capital stock of the company was increased from \$100,000 to \$1,000,000, and that prior to filing the certificate of increase Bush, Bledsoe and Wolcott as trustees and directors for the company, together with Jardine and Blair, procured an option on the Legal Tender Extended claim for the sum of \$6,000; that they transferred the option to Harry Yeager. It is further alleged that in November, 1899, an increase of an additional \$500,000 was made, 100,000 shares of which was also manipulated for the wind heads of which was also manipulated for the wind heads of which was also manipulated for the

It is further alleged that in November, 1899, an increase of an additional \$500,000 was made, 100,000 shares of which was also manipulated for the benefit of the defendants through the nominal purchase of claims. It is stated in the complaint that when Bush was president of the company he advanced 140,000 shares of his holdings to furnish funds needed by the company for operating expenses, but the remainder of his stock is said to have been unloaded and is now in the hands of other persons. Mr. Bush refuses to discuss the case, but expects to spring several surprises when it comes up for hearing.

hearing.

The Bear Guich claims are among the richest in the west, and already more than \$1,000,000 has been taken out and distributed among the stockhold-

terday from Jardine, where he was called in connection with the pending application for a receiver for the Bear Gulch Miring Company.

Linen dress skirts are most convenient and appropriate for summer wear. Special sale of these goods at Dykeman's. 89c. each.

WILKESBARRE, Pa., Aug. 8.—President Mitchell of the United Mine Workers, said today that he would not go to Michigan to take part in the conference between the coal operators and the striking miners. He said it would not be necessary for him to make the trip, because he had received assurances that a settlement satisfactory to each side would be reached shortly.

shortly.

J. E. Loomis, vice-president of the D.

L. & W. Co., who has been making a
tour of the strike region with a view of
reporting actual conditions, as he
finds them, to the presidents of the
coal carrying railroads, has completed
his mission and will probably make his
Proport to the operators at a meeting. report to the operators at a meeting to be held in New York tomorrow.

EVENING DRESSES. "You say the evening wore on. What did it wear?"
"Why, the close of day, of course."—Uni-versity of Minnesota Punch Bowl.

HIS ONLY CHANCE. Wife.—"Henry, do you know that you are the habit of talking in your sleep?"
Husband.—"Yes, my dear, and it rouldin ake me long to get in the habit of talking then I'm awake if you'd give me a chance."
Chicago News.

A FLUENT SPEAKER.

ent? Say, he talks fast enough t you think it's his mother-in-law'."—Philadelphia Bulletin. GOLF OR HENS.

THE CORONATION.

in Programme

Of the Service to be Held in th Abbey Temorrow.

LONDON, Aug. 8.—A number of important changes in the coronation programme were announced today. The recognition in which the king is presented to the people by the archishop of Canterbury as the "undoubted king of the realm," will be performed once instead of four times as given in the official programme. The litany, which was to have followed the recognition, will not be said. The sermon will be omitted, and the Te Deum which was played in the order of the service after the presentation of the Bible, will not be sung at that time, but will be sung during the recess, at the close of coronation office, when the king visits Saint Edward's chapel. Owing to the age of the Very Rev. George Granville Bradley, the dean of Westminster, who is Si years old, the king has relieved him for the duty of placing the regalia upon the altar, and this service will be performed by Canon Duckworth, but the dean will present the crown to the schbishop for the act of coronation, and will lay the ampulla and spoon on the altar, will place upon his majesty the colobium sindonis and the supertunic, on the close pall of cloth of gold, will deliver the spurs to the leving's sword from the altar and that cloth of gold, will deliver the spurs to the lord great chamberlain, will take the king's sword from the altar and hand it to his majesty, will put upon the king his armilla and imperial man-tle, will take the orb with the cross from the altar and deliver it to the archbishop for presentation to the king and will receive the orb from the king to be laid by him upon the altar.

THE SHIPPING COMBINE.

Statement By Premier Balfour in House of Commons.

LONDON, Aug. 8.—As intimated in these despatches yesterday, the announcement made in Belfast that an agreement had been reached between the admiralty and the Morgan shipping combine was premature. Negotiations on details of the agreement are still proceeding, and, it is believed, with every prospect of success.

In the house of commons this afternoon the premier, A. J. Balfour, said the government had been engaged in negotiations connected with and arising from the circumstances connected with the formation of the shipping combine. LONDON, Aug. 8.-As intimated in

ombine.
"Unfortunately we are not yet in a cosition to make a statement to the rouse," said Mr. Balfour, "the accident o the colonial secretary, Mr. Chamberlain, having caused some delay, but am confident that when the house neets again we shall be in a position o take it into our confidence."

CHAMBERLAIN JR.

Father and Son Both in the British Cabinet.

LONDON, Aug. 8.—Official announcement was made today that Austen Chamberlain, son of the colonial secretary, has been appointed postmaster general, vice the Marquis of Londonderry, resigned. The appointment of Sir William Hood Walrond to be chancellor of the Duchy of Langaster, in

Sir William Hood Walrond to be chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster in place of Lord James of Hereford, resigned, because of ill health, was also officially announced today.

Since Austen Chamberlain will have a seat in the cabinet the rare spectacle will be furnished of both father and son holding cabinet rank simultaneously. It is said that a new office, that of minister of education, has been created, to which the Marquis of Londonderry has been appointed.

LEGAL WAR NOW.

Returned Soldiers Will Attack the War Office.

(Special to the Star.)
KINGSTON, Ont., Aug. 8.—The men
of the Third, Fourth, Fifth and Sixth
regiments, C. M. R., have retained
council and will endeavor to collect a
year's pay from the war office. They
have contributed \$5 each towards the
expenses.

PICTURE CUSHION TOPS. They are all the craze. 50c. quality, 25c. each at Dykeman's.

A ROYAL SCARE.

MADRID, Aug. 8.—Considerable alarm was felt today during King Alfonso's journey from Oviedo to Leon. While the train was in a tunnel near Lievarges, the door of the king's saloon suddenly opened and was bapken off. The king convinced himself personally that the occurrence was accidental.

THE POPE AND MARRIAGE.

LONDON, Aug. 8.—A despatch from Rome says the pope has notified the reigning houses of Europe that no more dispensations for consonquineous marriages will be granted. It is the wish of the pope, says the despatch, that royal personages contract marriages outside of royal families in order to stop degeneration.

DESTRUCTIVE FIRE.

PORT AU PRINCE, Hayti, Aug. 8.-A great fire at midnight here burned down sixty houses, causing damage estimated at \$200,000. The people remained calm during the progress of the fire.

REDUCED PRICES

are this week's feature at 19 Charlotte street. The goods are what they have been, but the figures are not-continued hot weather effects prices like ice and melts them. Don't swelter when you can be cool, under one of our light soft felt, or straw hats, but take comfort from now on at just about half the regular prices.

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SLEEPING IN CHURCH.

"After all," said Mrs. Gaileigh, "it isn't so bad to have a husband who sleeps in church. Mine dreamed all through the sermen last Surday, and I can't help feeling glad every time I think about it."

"Why, who ever heard of such a thing!" her friend exclaimed.

"You see, our minister preached a horrid, impertinent sermon against women paying so much for the clothes they wear, and I just known that if Jonathan had been awake he'd never got through quoting it to me."—Chicago Record-Herald.

LOOKING AHEAD. "The Rev. Dr. Knott was just grand wasn't he?" exclaimed the Chicago-bridgeroom. "Didn't you like the way he read our wedding service?" "Indeed I did," replied the bride. "I'm determined to have him on every future occasion of the sort."—Philadelphia Press.

A MILLINERY HINT.

Mrs. Aristocrat—"Did you hear what Mrs. Nouveau Rich said to me at the concert this afternoon?"

Mrs. Wellborn—"No, my dear; do tell me about it."

me about it.

Mrs. Aristocrat—"Well, she informed
me she had decided to have a nom de
plume in her hat."—Harper's Bazar.

A SAFE RULE.

"How can you tell real cut glass-from the imitation?" asked Mrs. Gas-

"You can't always," said Mr. Gaswell; "but when anybody offers you a piece of real cut glass for 15 cents, don't: buy it."—Sacred Heart Review. STEAMERS, ETC.

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WANTED—A girl for general house work. Apply to MRS W. F. ROBERTS, corner Main street and Douglas avenue. WANTED. — A girl experienced in the marking and sorting room. Also a woman to wash flannels. Apply at once. AMERICAN LAUNDRY.

MISCELLANEOUS.

SUMMER BOARDERS.

EA VIEW HOUSE, Lorneville, St. John inty. Permanent and transient boarders be given excellent accommodation. House the beach and commands a view of Bay of Fundy. Shade trees, hammocks gwings. Terms reasonable. R. W. DEAN, Sea View P. O., St. John County.

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LOST.—Between St. James street and the London House, Charlotte street, a pair tady's gold rimmed glasses. Finder with the street at \$1. James circut.

SURRENDERED THE CUMBER-

BOSTON, Aug. 7.—The Eastern Steamer Cumberland, which was recently badly damaged by collision in the harbor with the steamer Admiral Farragut, to the companies which insured her, and she is to be sold. The Steamship Co. will build a new steamer for the Maine and St. John, N. B., service, at Bath, Maine.

MARRIAGES.

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ST. JOHN STAR.

ST. JOHN, N. B., AUGUST 8, 1902.

A LESSON.

It has been stated that young Doher old tanyard. It is a well known fact that on any Sunday an evangelist as the most ardent zeal could wish Not only on Sundays, but in the even the ears of residents of near-by house language and profanity. Complain has been made to the police, at various times during the last year or two without mending matters.

That is not the only locality concern ing which complaint is made. The ob ervant citizen discovers that far too many young fellows who ought to be content to loaf around their favorite orners, discuss prize fights the char acters of cheap fiction and such subthat direction, plan mischief or absorb sinister views of life from the older eprobates. It is very clear that our civilizing and regenerating agencies de ot touch life as sharply as is desirable at a very important point. They people in the formative period of their ties are most keenly active. Whenever lights on the life around us revealing ores that were hidden or unheeded During the last few months there has een a revelation of youthful depravity not likely to soothe the public con science. Quite a number of young felows have been implicated in petty thefts or other misdeneanors. They did not develop their evil propensitie in a day. It was a matter of growth

ciations. Two remedies immediately suggest themselves. One is a compulsory school law, and the other is a stringent police system. The latter would necessitate a larger police force, but it is better to expend a few dollars than to go on winking at a system, or crime in our midst.

THIS IS GOOD NEWS.

The Telegraph quotes the following from the American Herald, and says they are "some mottoes of the Tele-

"Honesty of purpose, fidelity, control, industry, a sound morality, a strict sense of justice should all be dis-cerned in the faithful journalist. Reli-gion is but duty."

Telegraph has at last decided to take up the pursuit of the forger of the Rothesay lists, and never give it up till he has either been captured or folwed the example of that other outlaw, Mr. Tracy.

TOMORROW'S PLEASURE.

ess with which the people are now enering into the spirit of tomorrow's celebration. It would have been nothing short of disgraceful to have permitte the day to pass without some special observance. The holiday will now be heartily observed and all the citizen: will have an opportunity for enjoythe appearance of the South African soldiers in the military parade. city is proud of them, and also of those militia men who had not an opportun ity to go to the front, and will give hearty cheers for both on Coronation Day.

TYPICAL COMMENTS.

The Sun Publishing Company has placed an order with Messrs. R. Hoe & Co., machinists, New York, for a ing at a single operation a sixteen-page paper at a speed of ten thousand ar hour. This press will exceed in capacity any in New Brunswick. The Messrs. Hoe expect to deliver it early in October. The Sun is to be congratu-lated on this evidence of its success.—

Our morning contemporary, it is stated, is about getting a new press v. sich will be able to print its entire e. ition in less than ten minutes. Mechanical facilities alone however cannot make a newspaper.—Telegraph.

"Twenty thousand men wanted in Mani oba and the Northwest to help gather the harvest. One hundred and sixty acres of fertile land free to any man who wants to stay up there and co....t harvests for himself."

THE GIANT'S CAUSEWAY.

The Glant's Causeway is situated at the northern extremity of County Antrim, a short distance from Port Rush, Ireland. It consists of countless hosts of basalite pillars, varying in shape from a pentagon to an octagon, the average length of each column or pillar being about eight feet, the whole stacked so closely together that a knife blade could hardly be inserted between them. But the formation of these pillars is not the least wonderful part about them, for, although they may be counted by thousands and tens of thousands, each column is fashioned with a symmetery that suggests a mason's handlwork. Their composition is a perfect fusion of one-half flinty earth, one-quarter lime and clay, one-quarter almost pure iron, each pillar being divided into regular legaths or joints which come together as a perfect natural ball and socket union.

Although to be found in small detachments (Imbedded in the cliffs, sands, etc.) for some distance along the shore, the principal aggregations forming the causeway proper consist of three projections or tongues known as little, middle and grand causeways. These singular columns are of different lengths and present an astonishing appearance as they stand, an army of at least 40,000 strong marshaled on the shores of Erin as if ever ready to do battle with the rising tide.

FACTS ABOUT LONDON.

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A child is born every three minutes, and a death is registered every five minutes. The city contains over seven hundred railway stations, nearly eight hundred miles of railway line and eleven railway bridges span the Thames. Daily a million people travel on the undergnund railways, and two and a half millions in 5,000 omnibuses, 7,000 hansoms, 14,000 cabs and 7,000 tram cars. The total population is between six and seven millions.

Four thousand postmen deliver 10,000,000 letters weekly, walking a distance equal to twice the circumference of the globe. Sixty thousand letters are written a day, consuming thirty gallons of ink.

Ten thousand miles of overhead telegraph wires atmost shut out the smoky canopy which spreads above the same London streets, and the number of telegraph messages received in London last year was over six millions. Ninety million gallons of water are consumed daily.

THE WORD "JOSS."

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"It's a mistake to suppose that 'joss' is a Chinese word," says a retired ship's carpenter. "I've traveled agood bit in the orient in my time, and among the odds and ends of interesting information I picked up was a knockout of the genuineness of 'joss' as a Chinese word. Chinamen only know 'joss' when they come in contact with Europeans. A Chinese priest that I became chummy with in Hankow told me that there was no such word in Chinese. He explained that the word was a corruption of the Spanish word 'Dios' and had come into use through the missionaries. Manyearly missionaries, he said, were Spanish priests, and their pronunciation of 'Dios' was speedily corrupted into 'joss' by the native tongues and applied to the Chinese seaboard that the word is understood by Chinamen. In the interior, the priest told me, the Celestials had no knowledge of it."—Philadelphia Record.

HOSPITAL INQUIRY.

A special meeting of the commissioners of the General Public Hospital was held last evening for the purpose of inquiring into the charges made by Dr. T. D. Walker, one of the visiting staff, against Dr. Lunney, the resident physician at that institution. Dr. Walker complained that Dr. Lunney had not been courteous in his conduct. Dr. Lunney, on the other hand, charged that Dr. Walker had not a ways been courteous to him, and Dr. Pratt, the assistant superintendent, backed Dr. Lunney up in his statement.

The evidence of Dr. Walker, Miss Mitchell, the matron, and Dr. Lunney was taken and then the inquiry was adjourned till next week. In the absence of Dr. Bayard, Commissioner Maher presided at fast night's meeting.

A PRACTICAL RELIGIONIST.

(Belleville Intelilgencer.) A certain minister in this city is in the habit of saying striking things. He was tolking yesterday about the duty men owed to their families. "If I," he said, "had to choose between at-tending class meeting and looking af-ter my family I would choose the lat-ter every time."

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The moral meant to be conveyed is that no man is justified in engaging in any occupation, no matter how sacred, if by so doing he neglects the interests of the boys and girls who call him fa-ther. This may be rather in opposition to the stereotyped religious sentiment, but it's good hard, common sense, just the same.

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

CROPS THE BEST YET.

OTTAWA, Aug. 7.—Wm. Hutchison, ex-M. P. P., who, has just returned from a trip to the Pacific coat, voices the general opinion that the crops in the Canadian Northwest are the best yet. In Dakota the same rule, applies, and wheat is king on both sides of the line. Montana, however, according to the Ottawa visitor, is a rather forlorn-looking state, presenting to the eye one unbroken strip of khaki-colored country.

CALVIN CHURCH CONCERT.

The concert in Calvin church last ight was well attended and proved ae of the most enjoyable ever held

CORONATION DAY.

The Programme of Tomorrow

St. John will put on its holiday at-tire tomorrow early in the morning, instead of as has been the rule this summer at high noon on Saturdays. keep people in town, but none to

The programms consists of the fol-

Races on the harbor under the direction of the Polymorphians.

Ball game between Roses and Alerts on New York arounds.

Jed Prouty matines at the Opera House.

Evening.

Polymorphian torchlight procession.
Civic fireworks' display under the direction of the firemen.

Jed Prouty at the Opera House.

ORANGEMEN'S PARADE

The Orangemen will meet at their hall at 9.30, where interesting addresses will be delivered, after which the members will parade to St. James church and listen to a special sermon by the Rev. Mr. Dewdney. The arrangement of the service has been carefully considered and printed. All attending will receive a copy of the service printed for the occasion.

THE REGATTA.

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The regatta in the harbor in the afternoon promises to be a big attraction. The course will be from off north wharf to buoys off the Beacon and back. In the four oared professiomal race the Belyea and Emerald crews have entered. Belyea and Hood and Clark and McLellan have entered for the professional double scull race. Four entries have been received for the fishermen's race and entries may be made with E. Ross at any time.

THE TORCHLIGHT PROCESSION The Polymorphians have completed arrangements for what they think will be a creditable torchlight procession in the evening. It is expected the Boys' Brigade and the returned South African soldiers will take part. Fire works and torches will be supplied by the club. On the return of the procession to the rink a promenade concert sion to the rink a promenade concert will be held, when refreshments will be served. There will be a big display of fire works at Victoria rink during the evening. All people desiring to take part may report at any time at the rink before 8 o'clock Saturday

NOTES. NOTES.

NO. 8 Bearer Co. will assemble at the armory at 9 a. m. Saturday, 9th inst., in review order, and will thence proceed to the Barrack square to join the militla of the city in celebrating the Coronation of His Majesty the King.

Rabbi Wolenske, of the Jewish synagogue, announces special coronation services next Sabbath (Saturday), commencing at 9.15 o'clock, a. m. Visitors are invited.

tors are invited.

The military veterans of N. B. will meet at the corner of Douglas avenue and Main street at 10.30 to attend the laying of the corner stone of the Soldiers' monument. All retired officers and men having medals are invited to parade and wear their medals and decorations,

CANADIANS DROWNED. "

OLD ORCHARD, Me., Aug. 7.-A strong undertow, caused by the brisk east wind and high tides of the past east wind and high tides of the past few ddys, claimed the lives of three bathers here today. The dead are George Ford, aged 70 years, of Ottawa, a former member of the board of aldermen of that city: Walter Basham, aged 55 years, of Montreal, chief train despatcher on the Grank Trunk R. R., and Miss Florence J. Thomas, aged 20 years, also of Montreal.

It is supposed that the three who remained in the water when Miss Ford returned to the hotel, were washed off the raft by the waves and caught in the undertow. Mr. Basham was known as an expert swimmer, and it is believed he lost his life in trying to assist the others.

cident occurred.

Miss Thomas was an elocutionist and was to have been married this autumn.

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A peculiar feature about the case is the fact that Miss Ford was told by a fortune teller only last night that there would be a death by drowning in her family within a short time. When her grandfaher's party did not return at noon she recalled the words. Less than an hour later the prediction of the secress was proven correct.

FREDERICTON NEWS.

FREDERICTON, Aug. 7.—In the case of the People's Bank v. Estey, a verilict was given for plaintiff, with leave to appeal to the full bench.

Saturday's coronation celebration will be grand and enthusiastic.

Chronic constipation surely cured on money back. LAXA-CARA TABLETA lever fail. Small, chocolate coated, asy to take. Price, 25 sents

MR. KRUGER'S HAT. (Hamilton Herald.) e doubt if the Canadian tr brought home Mr. Kruger' talk through it as well as it

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Fifteen different qualities and three sizes in each quality.

BOARD OF WORKS.

ard of works held a session tenders for dredging at the McLeod wharf and building the wharf.

the following schedule of prices:

Iron in bolts, per 1b

Dredging any material except rock, place of deposit to be outside of break-water, 50 cents per cubic yard, scow measurement. Removing old wharf, 60 cents per cubic yard.

M. J. Haney of Charlottetown submitted a sprice of \$80,000 for the work in connection with the proposed wharf building on the McLeod property, and the deliouving prices for the materials required and work to be done as called for in the specifications:

Birch, per ton \$10.00

Pine, per ton \$10.00

Pine, per ton 16.00

Pine arisws, per lineal foot 100

Iron per B 600

Pine arisws, per lineal foot 100

Pine arisws, per super yard 100

Pine arisws, per super yard 1.00

Fendens, per square yard 1.00

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D. W. Clark & Son agreed to build the wharf on the McLeed property according to plan and specification, finding all material and doing the work in a good, substantial and workmanilke manner for \$49.457. The schedule price for planking would be 90 cents per square yard. The above tender was based on the city supplying the contractor 2,000 tons of birch timber at \$5.40 per ton, 500 tons of white plan at \$52 per ton, and 80 pieces of fenders at \$5.2 per ron, and 80 pieces of fenders at \$5.2 per ron, and 80 pieces of fenders at \$5.2 per ron, and 80 pieces of fenders at \$5.2 per ron, and 80 pieces of fenders at \$5.2 per ron, and 80 pieces of fenders at \$5.2 per ron, and 80 pieces of fenders at \$5.2 per ron, and 80 pieces of fenders at \$5.2 per ron, and 80 pieces of fenders at \$5.40 per ton, 500 tons of birch timber at \$5.40 per ton, 500 tons of the birth of the state of the pieces of fenders at \$5.40 per ton, 500 tons of the difficulty \$5.00 per demanded in the event of the Jateling \$5.00 per demanded to the rone to fix the director and engineer to figure out the cost and that Mr. Connolly be asked to name a bramp sum.

And Raxter, Millidge and Bullock were appointed to enterview representatives with a view to the purchase of the Lawton wharf property.

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Springfield, Head of Belleisle Bay, on Tuesdays, and at 2 p.m. on Saturdays.

Heaver and the death occurred yesterday morning of Henry Trenaman, city clerk of Henry Hen

prominest lumberman in this province.
Some years ago he removed to Boston, and later took up his residence on Hazen street in this city, where he lived in retirement for several years. Last, year, upon the advice of his physicians. Mr. McLean moved back to Boston. A family of six daughters, Mrs. James Millican of this city, Mrs. T. W. Bell of Moncton, Mrs. William H. Allen, Mrs. Frederick Pollard and Mrs. William Simpson of Boston, and Mrs. F. Balley of Spokane. Washington, and one son, Senator Randolph McLean of the latter place survive.

TWO BAD ACCIDENTS.

About eight o'clock last night John Smith, an employe of Cushing's Pulp Mill, had his leg badly crushed by getting in contact with a cog wheel. Surgical ensistance was at once procured and the man removed in an express wagon to the General Public Hospital, Ampuriation may be necessary. Mr. Smith belongs to Milford.

Ralph Hoslett, of 246 Union street, tempousrily employed at the St. John Iron Works, yesterday morning was engaged with others in working at a shaft when he got caught and was whiride around with the machinery. He was forced through a small space and his clothing torn from his body, which was very badly bruised. He was taken to the hospital. Hoslett is a married man of the was care and the contact of the contact of the contact of the machinery.

TRAVELLERS' GUIDE.

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RIVER SERVICE.

Steamers Leaving Indiantown.

Steamer Clifton leaves for Hampton at 2 p. m. every Monday, Wednesday and Saturday. Leaves Hampton at 5.0 a. m.

Steamer Hampstead runs daily to Wickham on roturn at 6 a. m.

Steamer Springfield leaves at 12 noon for Springfield, Head of Belleise Bay, on Tuesdays and at 7 p. m. and Wickham on roturn at 6 a. m.

Steamer Thursdays, and at 2 p. m. on Saturdays.

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at 5.30 p. m. daily for Gagetown and way points. Returning will leave Gagetown at

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ST. JOHN MAILS.
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COURT PRIDE, A. O. P.

ind the second and the new members ing the evening five new members proposed and W. B. Anderson was itated and afterwards appointed to after the increasing of the order' surance in the province.

To cure Headache in ten minutes use KUMFORT Headache Powders.

Mrs. J. B. Snowhall, wife of the Lieuten-unt Governor, is in town.

And test they look Upon the brook 's just the place for trouting: The poles are fixed. The lines unfilted, luck not one is doubting. They decorate
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But not one trout they're showing.
—Pittsburg Chronicle-Telegraph. RAILWAY TIED UP. NEW HAVE, Conn., Aug. 7.—The tie up of the system of the Fair Haven and Westville R. R. Co. resulting from the strike the conductors and motormen was still complete this morning. Not a wheel was turned during the night ,except of the mail cars. At eight o'clock this morning one mail car was in operation.' There was no disorder during the night and the streets are now quiet. FATAL CLOUDBURST. TRINIDAD, Colo., Aug. 7.—At Bossburg, five miles west of Ratan, N. M., a cloudburst killed four persons, Mrs. Francesco Domingues and three children and a family of busband, wife and three children are reported drowned at ELDON MULIAN'S SUCCESS.

ELDON MULLIAN'S SUCCESS.

(Fredericton Heraid.)

L. W. Johnston has received a letter from his daughter Miss Winnifred Johnson, dated Johannesburg, South Africa, July 3, in which she speaks of the great teachers' convention being held there. There are 700 teachers present at the gathering, Miss Johnston says that Dr. Eldon Mullin is practically the head of the educational department in the Transvaal, and has had his salary raised \$1,000 since arriving at Pretoria. It is understood that his original salary was \$4,000, so that he is now drawing the very likely to return to New Brunswick under the circumstances. Miss Johnston mentions having met Dr. Mullin, Miss Mullin and the Misses Bridges, formerly of this city.

NEW COMPANIES.

Carey A. Fawceit and J. P. Sherry of Menramocok; Joshua. Peters, C. W. Robinson. John C. Patterson, A. E. Peters, H. R. Peters, R. Clark, A. H. Jones and J. T. Kyan of Moncton; are incorporated as the Fawceit Honey Co., limited, with a capital of \$4,000.

A long list of prominent Moncton men are incorporated as the Moncton Curing Rink Co., limited, with a capital of \$6,000.

35,000.

The first meeting of the Canda Railway and Coal Company will be held at the office of C. N. Skinner on ten a clock in the foreneon, for the purpose of organising the company, electing arectors, etc.

LACK OF SOAP, PERHAPS.

"St. John Star says:--"Three sharks were seen in Halifax harbor on Monday. Halifax bathers will have to come to St. John for a safe plungs."
Will the Star kindly inform Halifax bathers at what time of day there will be samelent water in St. John harbor for bathing purposes?" "—Halifax Re-

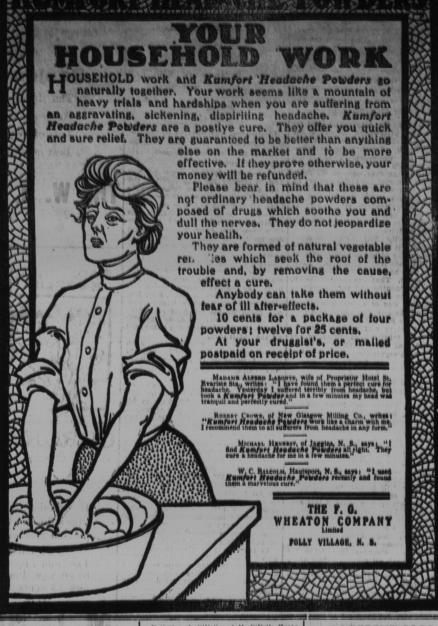
There is always plenty of water in St. John harbor to, wash people from other places, and this is the first intimation that any Halifax man had found the supply inadequate to his needs.

NOVA SCOTIA GIRL ASSAUITED.

**STON, Aug. 5-Boston has a "Jack to Slugger." Four erimes are put to him. The latest is that of Miss enrette Marshall, of 100 Centre street. 2. Double play, Brodelit to Capitaline, Stolen bases, Oldtown, 4; 2. Double play, Brodelit to Capitaline, Stolen bases, Oldtown, 4; 2. Double play, Brodelit to Capitaline, Stolen bases, Oldtown, 4; 2. Double play, Brodelit to Capitaline, Stolen bases, Oldtown, 4; 2. Double play, Brodelit to Capitaline, Stolen bases, Oldtown, 4; 2. Double play, Brodelit to Capitaline, Stolen bases, Oldtown, 4; 2. Double play, Brodelit to Capitaline, Stolen bases, Oldtown, 4; 2. Double play, Brodelit to Capitaline, Stolen bases, Oldtown, 4; 2. Double play, Brodelit to Capitaline, Stolen bases, Oldtown, 4; 2. Double play, Brodelit to Capitaline, Stolen bases, Oldtown, 5; 2. Double play, Brodelit to Capitaline, Stolen bases, Oldtown, 5; 2. Double play, Brodelit to Capitaline, Stolen bases, Oldtown, 5; 2. Double play, Brodelit to Capitaline, Stolen bases, Oldtown, 5; 2. Double play, Brodelit to Capitaline, Stolen bases, Oldtown, 5; 2. Double play, Brodelit to Capitaline, Stolen bases, Oldtown, 5; 2. Double play, Brodelit to Capitaline, Stolen bases, Oldtown, 5; 2. Double play, Brodelit to Capitaline, Stolen bases, Oldtown, 5; 2. Double play, Brodelit to Capitaline, Stolen bases, Oldtown, 5; 2. Double play, Brodelit to Capitaline, Stolen bases, Oldtown, 5; 2. Double play, Brodelit to Capitaline, Stolen bases, Oldtown, 5; 2. Double play, Brodelit to Capitaline, Stolen bases, Oldtown, 5; 2. Double play, Brodelit to Capitaline, Stolen bases, Oldtown, 5; 2. Double play, Brodelit to Capitaline, Stolen bases, Oldtown, 5; 2. Double play, Brodelit to Capitaline, Stolen bases, Oldtown, 5; 2. Double play, Brodelit to Capitaline, Stolen bases, Oldtown, 5; 2. Double play, Brodelit to Capitaline, Stolen bases, Oldtown, 5; 2. Double play, Brodelit to Capitaline, Stolen bases, 5; 2. Double play, Brodelit to Capitaline, 5; 2. Double play, Brodelit to Capitaline, 5; 2. Double play, Brodelit to Capitaline, 5; 2.

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SPORTING NEWS.

BASE BALL. Oldtown, 8; Roses, 5.

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St. John ball cranks had their first opportunity yesterday of comparing their favorites with an outside team, and the locals did not advance any in popular opinion by the comparison. After making a good start and holding the lead for four innings, the Roses went to the woods and stayed there. Certain members of the team played good ball and worked hard, but there was a lask of snap and go in their work. Usually they are full of ginger, but yests aday they were tired. O'Neill, usually the life of the team, made a record for himself by striking out four times.

The score:

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OLDTOWN.
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McGeehan, r, f. Shay, c. f. ... Foulder, 3b ... Cannon, 2b ... Raftery, 1. f. ... Brodleiff, s. s. O'Neill, 2b ... Tibbets, c. f. Friars, ib ...

Batteries—J. O'Neil and M. O'Neil; Evans, onovan and Farrell. Attendance, 2,500.

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ter, 4. New Tenn at Practice.

The new south end base ball team wer at hand last evening practising on the Barrack square, preparatory to a contest will one of the major teams next week. The men showed up well.

Today's Game.

Oldfown and the Roses will play again on the Shamrock grounds this atternoon, commencing at 3 o'clock. Van Almkerk will pitch for the locals, and Kane for the vistors.

Notes.

The Lifties defeated the Wild Roses last night in Elm street by a score of 11 to 4. Bitteries: for the Lifties, O'Brien for Wild Roses, Dever and Garnett and Murphy.

The Curlews defeated the Young Sons of Sets last night, 10 to 6. Batteries; for the Curlews, Donnoily and Nye; for Young S. The Curlews desired the Young Sons of R., Mackey and Raynoids.

The Curlews desire a game with the Silver Stars as soon as possible.

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COMMERCIAL.

NEW YORK, Aug. S.—Wall street. Opening prices showed some striking advances in continuation of the rise which was in propress when the market closed last night. A few important stocks assged slightly, but without affecting the generally strong tone. M. O. Pacific railled 11s from yeaterday's depression. Hocking Valley rose 14s. National lead a point and Nashville, Chattanoggs and St. Louis a large fraction. The market was active and dealings were widely distributed.

COTTON NiSW YORK, Aug. 8.—Cotton futures op-ened firm. Aug. 8.44; Sept., 7.91; Oct., 7.99; ...ov., 7.73; Dec., 7.73; Jan., 7.71; Feb., 7.73; March, 7.71.

DAILY QUOTATIONS.
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MORNING'S NEWS.

Bombay, reached Genon yesterday.

The city market will be closed on Saturday, but will be kept open until il o'clock tonight.

Tomorow is a holiday. If your supply of Red Rose tea is exhausted get a package tonight.

Pilot Doyle left last night for Sydney to bring the sir. Salermo here to complete her cargo.

The Trades and Labor Council will meet tonight at 8 o'clock in Labor hall, Oddfellows' building.

All returned South Andran solders are requested to meet at Currie's Business College this evening at eight o'clock to further discuss the proposed parade on Saturday.

Members of Nos. 1 and 2 Scots Companies will meet at their drill room tonight to consider the matter of attendance at the laying of the corner stone at Memorial Park tomorrow.

St. John Typographical Union will meet on Saturday night, 16th inst, the meeting for tomorrow night having been postponed in recognition of Coronation day.

The Firemen's Relief Association met last night and voted that every member of the fire department is eligible to membership, provided he can pass the medical examination. Dr. Ellis was appointed medical examiner.

The City Cornet Band will run its second Saturday excursion to Watter's Landing tomorrow, per str. Majestic, at 2 p. m., and the Victoria at 4 p. m., returning in time to see the torchlight procession in the evening, in which the band takes part.

A quiet wedding took place last evening at the residence of Jeremiah Stout, Fairville, when his merce, Miss Georgia Baker, was united in marriage to Fred. Perry of west end. Rev. W. J. Kirby, of the Fairville Methodist church performed the ceramony.

The Y. M. C. A. directors met last night and extended a cordial welcome to S. B. Wilson, the general secretary. A committee consisting of G. A. Henderson, E. H. Sommerville and W. C. Cross was appointed to draft the new courses of study and make other arrangements for the combing year, the committee to report to the full board.

Thos. Baxter, aged 10 years, why was given in charge vesterday morning by Am Simpson for s

GENERAL.

Hon. Mr. Tarte and party left Parry Sound last night for Ottawa.

The Summer School of Science adjourned at St. Stephen yesterday.

King Edward yesterday issued a letter of thanks to his people and regretat the disappointment caused by the postponement of the coronation.

Sixteen men were killed and others are missing as a result of a mine explosion at Bowen, Cal., yesterday.

The Marroni station at Table Head, C. B., is rapidly nearing completion. Accommodation will be provided for one hundred operators.

Dest, the Sackville man convicted of murder in Massachusetts, will be executed in September. The prisoner's father visited him this week.

The U. S. battleship Indiana will be at Halifax at the Coronation Day celebration tomorrow, having been orderded there for that purpose.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier is arranging to leave London for Paris and Rome on Aug. 13, thus missing the naval review and Chamberlain's reception to the colonial premiers on the Bider-Dempster boats at Portsmouth on the 18th. The Montreal Star's London cable says: It is understood that Chamberlain has agreed to urge upon the British cabinet the importance of contributing one-half of whatever Canada concributes to the rew fast mail service.

TEMPLE OF HONOIL

TEMPLE OF HONOR.

The reception held last evening in Alexandra hall for the supreme council members was opened by G. W. T. Whittaker in a felicitous speech. W. Templar F. P. Dyer responded, complimenting the grand temple on its kindness and expressing his gratitude to the ladies for their efficient assistance. M. W. R. Doctor Woodruff also made an interesting speech.
Selections by St. Andrew's church

quartette were given and Rev. David Long, of Alexandra temple, delivered

P. M. W. T. Gates spoke; also Hon. C. Q. Tirrell, United States senator from Massachusetts. He reterred to the reception given by the licutenant-governor of New Bruswick in 1877 at Fredericton. The speaker dwelt hap-pily on the attributes of the city of St. John.

John.
Mr. Buckley, of Connecticut, gave a very feeling speech, which was listened to with much pleasure. Other speakers were Rev. Mr. Full and H. D. Williams. During the evening refreshments were served.

IT SATISFIED LINCOLN.

"This new soap, said the barber, 'ta very nice, it is largely made of cream, with just a little dash of alcohol in it.' 'Well, remember, I'm a temperate man,' returned Dobbers, 'and don't put any more of it in my mouth than you can help.'

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COVERING UP A BLUNDER.

(M. A. P.)

Sir Wemyss Reid tells a good story about William Black. At a banquet of the Royal Academy at which he was present, two rich gentlemen, with "self-made" written large over them inquired, with an air of patronage, what line of business Black was in On his meekly replying that he wrote novels, they expressed their surprise and pleasure at meeting a person of his class. The first gentleman said, "I like to meet literary people. I buy books, I've got a library of six hundred volumes all bound in full calf. I've got all the works of Thackeray and Dickenson and if you'll tell me the names of yours I'll buy them too, I've never read them."

The second gentleman anxious to atone for his friend's indiscretion, kicked his shins under the table, and said, "Oh, yes you have, but you've forgotten them."

DEVLIN MAY RESIGN

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(Ottawa Journal.)

It is again reported that C. R. Devin, chief Canadian inimigration agent
in Ireland, has resigned, and will return to Canada. J. O'Keity, who is at
work in the north part of Ireland, and
who comes from Pembroke, will have
t good chance of the position if Mr.

Devin retires.

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MONCTON

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Wednesday, Aug. 13th.

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TRURO DOES WELL

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The effort to raise \$1,000 for improvements in the park is meeting with gratifying success, says the Truro News. The subscription list shows three subscriptions of \$50 each, and six pf \$25 each, besides smaller sums.

The main feature in the proposed scheme is a coronation memorial.

One distinct branch of the improvements, however, will be dedicated as a memorial to Mrs. Susan Waddell Stevens in grateful acknowledgement of her gift to the citizens.

UNANIMOUS VERDICT.

Gentlemen, you wouldn't take me to be a member of a millionaire's family, would you?" inquired the young man. "Frankly, we would not." "Neither would the millionaire; I sked him last night."

EXPOUNDING THE SCRIPTURE.

"Why did the evil spirits enter into the swine?" asked the Sunday school teacher. "Cause hogs will eat any old thing." replied little Sammy.

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COPY FOR SATURDAY'S IS-SUE OF THE STAR should be sent in EARLY FRIDAY AFTER-NOONS, to ensure change, as the paper goes to press earlier on Sa-turdays than on other days of the

LOCAL NEWS

The Star will be issued at noon

In the supreme court in Fredericton today, in White v. Hamm, a new tria was ordered, Gregory dissenting.

Decorations are today being placed on the City Hall and on quite a number of business houses about the city.

Geo. W. Bezansan and Miss Bertie Patrick of this city were united in marriage yesterday by Rev. T. J. Dein-stadt.

The town council of Sydney has voted \$200 fo the entertainment of the maritime board of trade, which visits the pown August 21st.

The Hamburg-American liner Armenia arrived in Hallfax this morning from Hamburg with one hundred and eighty passengers.

The pay roll of the Portland Rolling Mill, St. John, is some \$130,000 annual-ly. No wonder the St. John people do not want the works moved elsewhere.

While a freight train was being backed out of the yard at the station today a C. P. R. engine blew out her high pressure cylinder, and several men narrowly escaped injury.

Candy lovers who find it hard to get real snappy, crisp, peanut brittle at this season of the year, ought to go to Lemont's, 173 Union street, where they will always find it reliable and worth purchasing again.

PROBATE COURT.

The last will and testament of Annie G. Ketchum was admitted to probate and letters testamentary were granted to Ezectel B. Ketchum. The estate is valued at at \$3,000 reality. Geo, Fair-

veather, proctor. Letters of administration of the es

Letters of administration of the estate of the late Edward Sargent were granted to his widow, Elizabeth. The estate consists of \$750 personally. C. J. Coster, proctor.

Letters of administration of the estate of Anne Barlow were granted to her sister, Jane R. Barlow. The estate consists of 6,380 real and \$1,530 personal property. E. G. Kaye, proctor.

RUMOR AFLOAT.

A rumor was current this morning that three men employed in Fowler's factory and Christie's woodworking establishment on City Road, had been drowned at Dark Lake. Inquiry at these places showed that at least one part of the story was untrue, as all the employes were either at work or could be accounted for. The rumor considerably disturbed a couple of families, members of which were away fishing. One of the absent boys worked in Fowler's grist mill and the other lives near Christie's establishment. They had been absent since Tuesday, but both returned this morning.

POLICE COURT.

At the police court this morning F. Watson and J. Lynn, coachman, for leaving the shed erected for them at Reed's Point were fined four dollars. As this was their first offence the fine was allowed to stand.

Thecase of Daniel B. Collins, charged with stealing a gold watch from Stanley Howell, who boarded at the same house on Dorchester street was taken up. The evidence of Mr. Howell and William Webber, a second-hand dealer was heard. Mr. Webber identified Collins as the man who sold the watch to him on July 30th for three dollars. The prisoner was remanded.

THE MILITARY PROGRAMME.

The military are to parade in review order at the Barack Square tomorrow morning at half-past eight. In the brigade there will be a body of mounted men, composed of members of the 8th Hussars and some of the Mounted Rifies, who have returned from South Africa; a detchment of artillery and Infanter.

infantry.
Lieut.-Coi. Jones will be in command.
At the park a feu de joi and a royal
salute will be fired.

RIVERVIEW PARK.

Preparations have about been com-pleted at Riverview Park for the cor-onation services there tomorrow. A band stand has been erected and a platform is in position alongside of the monument site. Men of the North End Salvage Corps have been at work as-sisting in getting everything in readi-

The management of the Sussex exhibition have decided to offer \$1,200 in purses for the horse races to take place in the park track on Oct. 1st and 2nd,

follows:—

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2.30 class . . .

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JUDGE FORBES IN SYDNEY. JUDGE FORBES IN SYDNEY,
Judge Forbes of St. John, Rev. Mr.
teodrum of Moneton and Revs A. W.
teLeod of Milleton, N. B., were present
t the meeting of Sydney presbytery
n Wednesday evening. Judge Forbes
ill address the Sunday school of St.
indrew's church, Sydney, on Sunday
fternoon. He is the guest of his broner, Rev. J. F. Forbes.

MAY GO TO SYDNEY

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J. P. Edwards of Londonderry, representing the interests of the Montrael pipe foundry, had a conference yesterday with a committee of the town council of Sydney, to inquire into what inducements the town would offer should they decide to locate there.

G. S. MAYES WINS

Another Victory in the Case Against Connolly

(Special to the Star.)
FRIEDERICTON, Aug. 8.—In the supreme court today in Mayes v. Connolly the verdict of the full court supported the judgment of Judge Gregory, except as to the interest, but even this the chief justice and Gregory were of opinion Mayes was entitled to. The verdict is for \$25,556.69.

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In this case Mr. Mayes first sued for \$20,600 and afterwards increased the claim to \$25,658.69, due him on his contract with Mr. Connolly for the building of the woodwork of the Long Wharf, which was the finest piece of wharf building ever done in St. John. Connolly disputed the claim and set up counter claims, and the case was before Judge Gregory in the circuit court for thirty days. But Mr. Mayes won at every point and was not only allowed the full claim of \$25,558.69, but was also alouwed in the full claim of \$25,558.69, but was also alouwed in the full claim of \$25,058.69, but was also alouwed in the court. Mr. Connolly had offered to settle for \$7,000, but Mr. Mayes felt so assured of the justice of his full claim that he took the case into the courts. After a fong trial he won in the circuit court, hands down. That was early in March. Now after months of delay he has won again in the supreme court.

The case was of special interest because on the one side appeared a contractor who has much to do with government works and political matters, and on the other a local contractor, the excellence of whose work has won for him a high reputation.

SEVEN FOOT TIMOTHY

And Oats 5 Feet 6 Inches High-Kinge County in the Lead.

Thomas Fraser of Nauwigewauk, lings Co., brought to the Star office day a stalk of hay exactly seven feet igh and requested this paper to make

high and requested this paper to make an oat of it.

Mr. Fraser had several other stalks, one of which was 6 ft. 7 in. and another 6 ft. 5 in. In addition to these he brought a number of heads of timothy, measuring ten inches in length, and one and a half inches in circumference. The seed from which this last hay was grown was planted last season, but did not grow till this summer. Mr. Fraser had oats 5 ft. 6 in, high and barley 5 ft. 5 in.

Touching those Albert county persons who spoke boastfully of tail grass, Mr. Fraser observes that when the Kings county after-grass comes along Nauwigewauk may think it worth while to measure blades with them, but not before.

Mr. Fraser presented the Star with a magnificent bouquet of sweet peas. Hereafter tail timothy and oats must be accompanied by floral offerings. As it is doubtful if anything better than 7-foot timothy will come down the pike this season, the flowers will not be rejected if they are accompanied by bulrushes.

BIG EXHIBITION EVENT.

On the afternoon and evening of September the 5th, the large new amusement hall on the exhibition grounds will contain the greatest and most popular attraction ever offered the public in connection with our an-

the public in connection with our annual exhibition.

At this date and place the coronation choir, which sings tomorrow at the opportunition of King Edward, will be heard. Besides the large number in the city interested in this event, there will be thousands of strangers in town at that time who will hall with delight the opportunity of hearing this great choir. The organization will contain some of the members of the West-minster Abbey choir, which made such a popular hit in the city this spring. The choir will be heard in music of a more popular nature than that given by the Abbey choir, and this fact will make the coming event much more anticipated. All seats will be reserved and at a very low price, so that every visitor to the fair can afford to enjoy the rich musical treat. The plan will be opened in a central part of the city on the opening day of the exhibition.

THE FLYING MACHINE.

The men who are engaged in putting down the pavement in rear of the flying machine are rapidly catching up on it, although they are not working any harder than usual. But they are not hindered by the progress of service. The machine is still on the same bid spot, a source of terror to passengers on the street cars, of amusement to many citizens and of pride to the manipulators.

SALE OF BLACK CASHMERE HOSE. Pure wool, seamless feet, 19c. per pair at Dykeman's.

CHANGE IN BAY SHORE SER-

A change has been made in the timetable of the Bay Shore train service.
The mid-day trip, on which the train
left Carleton at 1.10 p. m., will now be
run at 2.30 p. m. The train will leave
Fairville on return at 2.50 p. m.
This service is not being so largely
patronized as was expected, but it is
hoped that the change in time will
prove more satisfactory.

SOUTHERN RAILWAY.

The annual meeting of the N. B. Southern Railway Cp. was held yesterday in the company's office on Princess street. Routine business was transacted and the old board of directors re-elected. The rate of stumpage was increased to two dollars per thousand feet.

Mr. Meighen, the president, left on return to Montreal last evening.

THE FRUIT TRADE.

A. L. Goodwin received yesterday a carload of choice California peaches and plums, in fine condition. He ts hauling today eleven hundred bunches of bananas direct from Boston. THE MAGGIE MILLER.

The steamer Massle Miller will make her usual trips tomorrow except that at 3 o'clock, when the hour of departure will be 2 o'clock.

DAR CASE

Doherty Seen Going Toward the Park Friday Afternoon.

He Was in Company With Two Companions Who Deny Seeing Him.

ce yesterday in connection with the

Doherty murder which promises start-ling developments, As has already been reported the first to identify the body found in the park as that of William Doherty were Frank Higgins and the two Goodspeed hyps, all of whom had been close com-panions of the deceased. Higgins was especially a chum of his and had more than once gone away on trips with him for two or three days, as related in John Doherty's evidence at the in-quest.

quest.

At the time of identification and ever At the time of identification and ever since, these boys and all who were associated in the gang with which Doherty was connected have persisted in declaring that they had not seen him since Friday noon, when Higgins saw him going by the old graveyard with his father's dinner. Higgins has said that he remained about the graveyard all that afternoon.

Now there is a young man, John Baird, about 19 years old, son of Charles Baird of 17 Bruswick street, who contradicts those statements very damagingly.

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Young Baird, who is employed with Scot & Lawton, was not working Friday afternoon, and according to his statement he saw, early that afternoon, Doherty in company with Frank Higgins and another boy going out the lane toward the park.

Baird was closeted with the police last night for a long time. They were very reticent about the interview and Baird refused positively to tell anything about the matter, saying that the police had instructed him to keep the information quiet until he appeared at the inquest. Though the police undoubtedly attach great importance to the story there is not enough in it yet to warrant an arrest, although a close watch is being kept upon some of Doherty's former associates.

As reported yesterday Harry Alexander is responsible for the statement that Frank Higgins sometimes carried a revolver, and a large one at that. This has been emphatically denied by Higgins.

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The police yesterday visited about all the saloons on Brussels street and Haymarket square, but could learn nothing of Doberty being seen in any of them. It had been rumored that Doherty had been seen in a bar in the company of two returned South African solders, but this could not be affirmed. It was stated last night that a young fellow had told that he saw Doherty with two others in the old burying ground on Friday afternoon last. The three were in conversation and Doherty's two companions were displaying a lot of money. One of the party was seen to also display a revolver.

The police are working night and day on the case, but nothing definite has yet been learned. They are following up everything that looks like a clue and investigating all rumors. In their work they are slowly but surely narrowing down the time of the murder and they hope for a successful ending to their work. The present case is a better one to work on from a pplice standpoint than was the Oulton affair, for while in the latter there was a reasonable ground for the belief that death might have been accidental, there is no such ground in the Doherty case.

THE SALE OF SUMMER MUS-LINS is attracting great attention at Dykeman's.

CALVIN CHURCH.

The mortgage for \$4,000, held on the Calvin church property by Dr. Walker of Grand Bay has been lifted by the Presbytery, which has advanced the Iunriher sum of \$2,000 to pay off other habilities and to make certain improvements to the church. There will be ments to the church. There will be kalsomining and painting done in the interior of the edifice. As security for the money so advanced as well as the amount required to lift the mortgage the Presbytery has taken a new mortgage for \$6,000. Thus all the church's financial obligations are held by that nancial obligations are held by tha body.

CHURCH PICNICS.

The picnic of the Church of the Assumption, Carleton, will be on Thursday next, instead of the 18th, as was announced. It will be held on Mrs. Lenihan's grounds, Bay Shore. The use of thebig C. P. R. shed for refreshment quarters has been secured.

The picnic of St. Rose's congregation, Fairville, will be enjoyed on the 19th inst., on the church grounds. Preparations are being made for an exceptionally pleasant day.

MR. O'DONOHUE'S VISIT.

D. J. O'Donoghue of the government department of labor. Ottawa, who came here Wednesday to inquire into wages and conditions on the I. C. R. improvement work at Gilbert's, returned to the west yesterday afternoon. Mr. O'Donoghue said he cecured all the information he wanted and forwarded it to the department.

HIS FOOT CRUSHED.

Joseph Devine, a laborer working on the steamer Skellaquin, lying at Bal-last wharf, had one of his feet badly crushed by an iron rail falling on it last night. Mr. Devine was taken to his home on Britain street and his wounds dressed.

A Morris chair as first prize and a dozen of photos as second is offered by Lemont, the confectioner, to the person who guesses the nearest to the total attendance at the coming exhibition. A purchase of five cents or over entitles you to a guess. Contest closes on September 2nd.

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CORONATION

REDUCTIONS.

If you take advantage of the reduced prices at Savage's this week, you will surely have the event impressed upon your memory.

Men's and Boys' Buff Leather and Dongola Kid Lace and Elastic Side Shoes, which were \$1.75 and \$1.50, now down to \$1.25. 25 cent Shoe Polish,

M. L. SAVAGE, Cor. King and Charlotte Sts.

TOMORROW'S BASE BALL. Alerts and Roses Will Play-Main-Teams Not Coming.

The games between the Roses and Houlton and between the Alerts and Millinocket have been cancelled, and the two St. John teams will therefor play each other at both morning and play each other at both morning and afternoon games tomorrow. The morning game will be on the Shamrock grounds. The Alerts' battery in the morning will be Lovekin and McLean and in the afternoon Coombs and Stevens from Waterville. It is expected that Bucknorn, captain of the Waterville team, will play centre field for the Alerts. The Roses batterles will be Whelly and Walsh in the afternoon. Marrs and Walsh in the afternoon. Marrs is a twirler of considerable repute and comes well recommended.

MUST ATTEND CHURCH. At a meeting of the Ottawa District At a meeting of the Ottawa District Methodist church a memorial, presented by Rev. Ernest Thomas, of Westboro, was passed unanimously, asking the general conference to make it an explicit law that non-attendance at church as a regular thing should forfeit membership. The motion stipulated that the offending members should be given a month's notice.

LOTS OF LABORERS From present indications it is expected that almost twice as many men will go west on the harvest excursions as went last year from the maritime provinces. In 1991 twenty-six hundred laborers took advantage of the trip and preparations are now being made for the transportation of five thou-sand. The excursions start on Aug. 18th.

BURIED TODAY. The funeral of the late Miss Margar-et Miller took place at half-past two o'clock this afternoon and was largely attended. Services were conducted at her late home, 87 Chesley street, by the Rev. Mr. Howard. Interment was in the Church of England burying ground.

From New Zealand comes a new story of Viscount Kitchener. A trooper of the third contingent had been sent to Pretoria. Arriving at his destination he was sitting in a railway carriage awaiting orders. While he was enjoying a pipe a ragged looking "gentleman in khaki" came along the line.

The stranger wore no stars or other distinguishing marks, and did not look in any way impressive. Passing in front of the young officer, he asked: "Colonial?"

"Yes," was the reply.

"Which?"

"Third New Zealand."

"Ah, you are to Join Flummer."

The stranger then began to talk of "inside orders" in a way that surprised the New Zealander, who remarked that he was awaiting just such orders from Lord Kitchener.

"Well, you've got them. I'm Kitchener," was the unexpected reply. The New Zealander took his pipe from his mouth, stood to attention and began to feel uncomfortable, but he found Lord Kitchener absolutely devoid of "side", and a very genial officer.

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THE ROLLING MILLS.

Cor. King and

Both They and the Nail Works May Be Lost to St. John.

(Yesterday's Sydney Post.) Messrs, Joseph Allison, James Man-hester, R. C. Elkin, C. H. Hanington, J. DeWolfe Spurr and Mr. Perkins, a. legation representing the directorate of the Portland Rolling Mills and Maritime Nail Works, of St. John, N. B., arrived in town last night and registered at the Sydney. The delegation comprise some of the most prominient citizens of St. John. Shortly after their arrival they held a conference with a committee of the town council, consisting of Councillors J. K. McLeod, A. C. Ross and W. A. Richardson. The representatives of the company stated the works when established would employ 350 men and will require eight acres of land which they would prefer having in close proximity to the line of railway.

Today a further conference will be held with the representatives and they, will be shown over sites around town from which a selection may be made. At present the company pays out about \$3,000 in wages and salaries weekly. of the Portland Rolling Mills and Mari-

about \$3,000 in wages and salaries weekly.

Some of the directors were approached last night by a post reporter but nothing could be ascertained as to the intentions of the company, or whether they had practically decided upon locating in Sydney or not. They said they would be in a position to judgbetter when they looked over the grounds and heard what the town of

better when they looked over the grounds and heard what the town of Sydney had to say in this connection. It is very probable that the town will be approached for concessions.

A Sydney despatch last night said:
"The delegation representing the directorate of the Portland Rolling Mills of St. John, N. B., have consented to remain over till Saturday in order to inspect probable sites tomorrow. The town will likely grant them a free fite and exemption from taxation for a certain number of years."

PERSONAL.