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N. S. ELECTIONS.

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There Will be Straight Party

HALIFAX, N. S., Sept. 25.-This the provincial general elections. ch take place next Wednesday. province there will be straight rty contests, in one of the three helburne) where the conservatives hot nominate, Arthur Hood is ming as an independent. Besides elburne, the counties where there no conservative candidates are mouth and Anticonish, which have

contest at short notice, and with the odds largely against them, for in the last house the opposition numbered only five. Still they have not gone into the fight altogether hopeless, and there is a good chance of redeeming several counties that have been in the hands of the liberals during the past

In Halifax there is a division among the supporters of the government, and Stewart, Crosby and Campbell have a

Stewart, Crosby and Campbell have a fighting chance.

A hot fight has been put up in Colchester county, where John F. Stairs, ex-M. P. for Hallfax, heads the conservative ticket against B. F. Pearson, the Dominion Coal Company magnate, and proprietor of the Hallfax Chronicle. Mr. Stairs' colleague is A. S. Black, and Mr. Pearson's is ex-Speaker Laurence.

Cumberland county is another constituency where a keen contest is going on, the liberal ticket being headed by Hon T. R. Black, a member of the government. The conservatives, led by Messrs. Charles Smith and Daniel McLeod, have made an aggressive fight.

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The liberals had been hoping that there would be no opposition to Premier Murray in Victoria county, but today the conservatives nominated John A. Macdonald, ex-M. P., and J. J. McCabe, a ticket that promises to make the liberals do their best.

Lunenburg is one of the counties where conservative hopes run particularly high for a gain. Mr. Wolfe, who heads the conservative ticket, is an ex-mayor of the town.

In Hants county the liberals fried to strengthen their cause by the appointment of Arthur Drysdale, one of the late members, to a portfolio in the government. C. S. Wilcox, who has had the difficult task of leading a small opposition in the house of as-

small opposition in the house of as-sembly, and who was re-nominated by the conservatives, however, is giving Mr. Drysdale all he can do. In Kings county P. Innes, a former general manager of the Dominion At-lantic railway, has as his colleague on

the conservative side James W. Ryan who has much in his favor, and stands a chance of heading the poll, unless money is lavishly used by his oppon-

AMHERST, N. S., Sept. 25.—Libera conservatives of Camberland county this morning nominated C. R. Smith, K. C., of Amherst, and D. McLeod of Springhill, candidates for the local le-gislature. The nomination papers were Among the signatures were those of many former liberals whose assistance whole campaign. Liberal nominations were filed later, the candidates being Hon. T. R. Black of Amherst, M. L.

Tucker of Parrsboro.

A joint meeting was held this afternoon in the Academy of Music, which was addressed by all the candidates. Mayor Dickey presided. Mr. McLeod was cordially received. Mr. Smith was received with much applause. He exposed the claims of the Murray supporters, showing they had been niggardly in expenditure except where their own men were concerned.

This evening the conservatives held

a rally in Parish hall, which was crowded to the down. Beside Messrs. Smith and McLeed, many prominent men addressed the meeting which was an ovation to the two leaders. The opinion is universal here that the conservatives will redeem Cumberland next week. The candidates have metwith enthusiastic receptions everywhere.

HALIFAX, M. S., Bept. 25 .- Louis Dugan takes Melanson's place in Digby as Tobin's colleague. Pressure of business caused Melanson to with-

HALIFAX.

SHELBURNE

TARROUTH.

WHERE THE KING LIVED. A. Gordon Leavitt of the Keyston Insurance Co. has displayed at his of the today three photographs of the then Prince of Wales, during his visit here. The photos are all the more interesting because of the fact that they are probably the only ones of the kind extant. They give three different views of the room and show clearly the pattern of the paper on the wall, the bell cord and the mantel and fire place. Judging from the photograph the last must have been a magnificent place of work—Star

SCH. E. H. FOSTER IS ALL RIGHT.
Capt. Heater, of the schooner E. H.
Foster, now lying at Indiantown, contradicts absolutely the story told by two of his crew to the police that the vessel is unseaworthy. He says that she is as seaworthy as any coaster that leaves the port, and their assertion that there was five feet of water in her hold is untrue. They gave this story out as a reason for not wanting to return to work on the vessel. SCH. E. H. FOSTER IS ALL RIGHT.

ABOUT US.

(St. Andrews Beacon.) The decision of the royal party not to occupy the private houses in St. John that were being fitted up for them in a sumptuous manner by the local government, has caused much disappointment. The cup of bitterness of the St. John people will be filled to overflowing if. Major Mande should issue an edict against the wearing of Mayor Daniel's purple robe.

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Wind Failed the Big Racers Thursday and It was Called "No Race."

Said:

"I had no time to think," and when asked if the Columbia did as well as he expected her to do, replied: "I have nothing to learn about her."

The story of the race as it progressed, tack by tack, with all the manoeuvres that make a yachting contest, follows:

When the Time Limit Expired the Columbia was Over Half a Mile Ahead of the Shamrock-Yachts Were Several Miles from the Finish.

NEW YORK, Sept. 26.—One of the biggest crowds that ever put to sea went down to Sandy Hook lightship today to witness Sir Thomas Lipton's second challenger, Shamrock II., and the white flyer Columbia struggle for the yachting supremacy of the world

second challenger, Sharmock II., and the white fiyer Columbia struggle for the yaching curpement of the world in the first of the cup races of 1951. But the accuration face returned distance studies of the cup races of 1951. But the accuration face returned distance is the cup races of 1951. But the accuration face returned distance with the columbia have to thim as if one was called the cup of the cup races of 1951. But the accuration face returned distance with the columbia have to thim as if one was called the cup of th of in heavy weather is, of course, service and all first American by the control of the course of th

off straight out the Long Island shore to set the outer mark. The log over her taffrail, which measured the distance, took no account of the tide which was running out, so that the distance as covered before the float was dropped overboard, measured by the bottom of the sea, was probably nearer seventeen than fifteen nautical miles.

Tive minutes before II o'clock a puriof smoke burst from the committee boat. Then began the jookeying bean hand the line, of which Charlle Barr, the American skipper, has proved himself so many times a grandmaster, and the skill he displayed today was enough to warm the cockles of American hearts. He got into the wind-ward berth, and try as the English—well satisfied with what the boat did

PRESIDENT'S ASSASSIN

Electrocuted at Sing Sing

During the Week of October Twenty-Eighth -Czelgosz Made a Brief State-

SACKVILLE N. B. Sept. 26.—A. It wo story wooden building is to be built on Bridge street by Captain Peter Hanson. The structure will have a frontage of 29 feet and a depth of 50 feet. Richardson & Bürke of this town have the contract and the work will be completed by December. The lower flat will be used by Frank Harper as a bakery and restaurant, while the upper flat will be fitted up for a dwelling house.

A house owned and occupied by Tuttle Fillmore, in Little Shemogue, was burned to the ground on Monday night. The fire caught from a defective flue. Only part of the contents was saved. The loss was partly covered by insurance.

Work on the Sackville bridge, over the Tantramar, has begun, and Contractor Brewer expects to have it ready for traffic by December.

The exhibition of the Sackville and Westmorland Agricultural Society is being held today. The weather is fine and a large crowd is expected.

Bliss Anderson of Cole's Island has been chusen by the liberals to contest the parish of Sackville in the coming municipal election. He will probably be opposed by C. C. Campbell and John Johnson, the present councillors.

A LIVELY RIDE. wards the end of the public whar Fortunately it had to cross the C. I R. track, which brought it to a stand still a short distance from the end of the wharf. There were no passenger on board, but the new conductor had very lively ride for a few, minutes.

MCKINLEY'S ASSASSIN,

Leon. F. Czolgosz, Found Guilty of Murder in the First Degree.

The Address of the Counsel and Judge's Charge.

BUFFALO, N. Y., Sept. 24.—Leon F. beyond a reasonable doubt that the Czolgosz, alias Fred Nieman, was to-day found guilty of murder in the first charged against him. degree by a jury in part three of the supreme court in having on the 6th day of September shot President Wm. McKinley, the wounds inicted by such | all over our country, who think that gunshot wounds afterwards resulting in the death of the President. The wheels of justice moved swiftly. The trial of the assassin consumed eight hours and 26 minutes, and covered a period of only two days. Practically all of this time was occupied by the clear, so conclusive, that even had the it is doubtful if the jury would have one returned today.

The announcement made this after moon by the attorneys for Czolgosa that the eminent alienists summor by the Erie County Bar Association and by the district attorney to exam-Ine Czolgosz and to determine his exact mental condition, had declared him to be perfectly sane, destroyed the only form of defense that ex-Judges Lewis and Titus could have put to-

Before adjournment, Justice White announced that he would pronounce sentence upon the defendant Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock. The was at once taken through the tunnel, under Delaware avenue, back to the iail. To all appearances he was in no way affected by the result of the

The crowd gathered at city hall today was the largest since the arraignment. People were lined up on both sides of the big rotunda on the second floor when court convened, and fring ed the stairs leading from the floor There was no demonstration, her of women saw today's proceedings, At 2.44 this afternoon District Attorney Penney abruptly announced that the case of the prosecution was ended. Ex-Judge Lewis arose slowly and, addressing the court, said the sudden close of the case against Czolgosz was a surprise to him and his colleague. They had no witnesses to call for the defense. He asked the court that he be allowed to address the jury at venerable jurist began an address that will long be remembered by those who

the act of this man, but the question is whether his act was the act of an insane man. If an insane man, it is ted of that charge. He would then, of course, be transferred to an asylum

"Much discussion has occurred in our midst and has been called to my attention as to the propriety of any defense being interposed in this case. Many letters have been received by me since I was assigned with my as sociate to defend this man, question the propriety of a defense being at tempted. You, gentlemen, know, per-haps, how Judge Titus and myself came into this case. The position was sought by us, but we appear here performance of a duty which we thought devolved upon us, notwithstanding it was an exceedingly agreeable one. His honor, the ju who presides at this trial, as a justice of the supreme court, is here because the law makes it his duty to sit and preside at this trial.

to do so. You gentlemen are sitting there because you were commanded to appear, and under our system of jurisprudence it was your duty to sit here, hear the testimony in this case and perform the duty of determining her this man is to be executed or

because under our system of jurisprudence no man can be placed on trial for the high crime of murder, the penalty of which, under the law, is death, without he has the assistance of counsel. The court has the power excuse and succeed in being relieve of the duty.

bers of the legal profession, they be-come members of the court. They are come members of the court. They are compelled, if assigned, to defend a criminal, or, rather, the one who is charged with a crime. They are compelled to respond to and accept the duty unless they can present some reasonable excuse, and if they refuse to perform that duty they are critical. to perform that duty they are guilty

of a misdemeanor and are liable to punishment by the court. "So you see, gentlemen, if any sim-ple-minded, thoughtless person should entertain the notion for a minute that a crime he has committed, is entitled under our laws to the benefit of a trial. In the case of murder he must

trial. In the case of murder he must have a trial.

"You sat there and listened to the defendant's plea of guilty when he was arraigned at the opening of this term, but the law of our state will not permit him to plead guilty to such a crime as this. The law is so careful of the rights of its citizens that it will not permit a man to plead guilty to this crime of murder, that even after he had conceded his guilt in this case, it was fncumbent upon the court to he had conceded his guilt in this case, always met with the protoundest rests was fincumbent upon the court to spect. His death was the saddest blow insist that the trial should proceed to me that has occurred in many and that the people should establish years."

"There are in our country individuals, not, I hope, in very large numbers, but we know they are scattered in a case like this, or even in charges of much less degree, it is entirely proper that the case should be disposed of by lynch or mob law. We can hardly take up a paper without we learn that in some part of this free and independent country, some man has been murdered on the suspicion or belief that he was guilty of some crime. This state of things does not exist in our community, but it does in some parts of our state, as every in-

"It is charged here that our client is an anarchist, a man who does not elieve in any law or in any form of government. And there are, as we are told, other individuals who entertain that opinion. We all feel that such doctrines are dangerous, are criminal, are doctrines that will subvert our government in time if they are allowed to prevail.

lieve firmly in that, I do not believe it creates a danger to this country equal to the belief, becoming so common, that men who are charged with crime shall not be permitted to go through the form of a trial in a court of justice, but that lynch law shall take place of the calm and dignified administration of the law of our courts of justice.

"When that doctrine becomes suffiiently prevalent in this country, if it ever does, our institutions will be set aside and overthrown, and if we are not misinformed as to the state of mind of some people in some parts of our country, the time is fast approaching when men charged with crime will be permitted to come into court and submit to a calm and dignified trial, but will be strung up to a tree on the bare suspicion that some one may hold that they have committed

"It is not long since I read in a paper that a colored man in the south had his life taken because he had insulted a white man. What it was the paper did not say, but he was strung up. I suggest, gentlemen, that class community who are crying out in our cities and are sending letters to eard it. ExJudge Lewis said: lawyers suggesting that the man who is charged with the crime that this to have a trial before a court of juslice. I submit that they are a more ngerous class to the than the anarchists about whom we read so much.

"Now, it is is the duty of every American citizen, or of every good men, to stand firmly by the law and put his voice against any idea that a man should be punished for any crime until he is proven guilty in court, beyond any reasonable doubt.

"My associate and myself are here to uphold the law. Some weak minded people entertain the notion that the twyer who appears in defense of a defendant is in court to obstruct the due process of the law, to balk justice and to delay by technicalities. But every man who knows the members of the bar understands that this is not so. My associate and myself are here for the same purpose that the earned district attorney is here forto see that this trial progresses in a legal, orderly and proper manner. We must in every way possible put down and suppress this feeling that cases may be disposed of without the inter-

ention of courts of justice. "This trial here is a great object lesson to the world. Here is a case where a man has stricken down the beloved president of this country, in broad daylight, in the presence of hunfreds of thousands of spectators. If ere was ever a case that would excite the anger, the wrath of those who saw it, this was one, and yet, under the advice of the president, 'Let no man hurt him,' he was taken, confined in our prison, indicted, put upon trial here, and the case is soon to be sub-mitted to you as to whether he is uilty of the crime charged against him. That, gentlemen, speaks vol-umes in favor of the orderly conduct of the people of the city of Buffalo. "The defendant has refused on almost every occasion to talk with his counsel. But I know there is in every human being a strong desire to live. Death is a spectre that we all dislike to meet, and here this defendant, without having any animosits against our president, without any personal motive, so far as we can see, committed the act which, if he was ane, must cause his death. How can a man of sane mind perform such an act? The rabble in the streets will say however, says that you must consider the circumstances and see if he was in his right mind or not when he committed the deed. If you find he was not responsible, you would aid in lifting a great cloud from the minds of the people of this country. If the beloved president had met with a railroad accident and been killed, our grief could not compare with what it

Ex-Judge Lewis was crying when he finished, and the eyes of many of those in the court room were filled with

Ex-Judge Titus then arose and said that ex-Judge Lewis had so complete-ly covered the ground that it seemed entirely unnecessary for him to relterate it, and he would therefore rest. erate it, and he would therefore rest.

At 3.10 District Attorney Penney began summing up. He spoke in a clear, well medulated voice, and every word could be heard in any part of the room. He said:

"It is hardly possible for any man testand up and talk about this case without the deepest emotion. It was the most awfultragedy that ever came upon the world.

"We have shown you how this defendant stood in the Temple of Music that afternoon and shot down our beloved president. We have shown you how he deliberated on and planned this awful crime. We have shown you how he attended anarchistic and socialistic meetings at which were sown in his seart the seeds of his terrible act.

"The counsel for the defence says if the "The counsel for the defence says if the efendant was sane he is responsible, and he was insane he must be presumed to be anocent. He tells that is a presumption of

from this case, it is not my intention to indulge in extended remarks.

"When I think, gentlemen, of that grand man who stood but a few days ago in the Temple of Music, and how he came from the lowly walks of life, how he was first a school teacher, then a lawyer, then a ludge, a governor, a congressman, and then a president of the United States, and, above all, a loving husband, and that on the last day when he said, 'It is God's way; good-bye all, good-bye,' a man so great that he could raise his hand and save his own assassin, a man who could shake the hand of even the very worst man you could imagine.

"He was the noblest man, I believe, God ever created. A man who stood near him in the Temple of Music said to me, 'I have travelled in all parts of the world, and have seen people assembled to greet their rulers, but when I saw the people stand in the railway stations and along the country through which the funeral train passed, that they might get a look at the casket of this great man, I was convinced as never before that there is such a thing as a national heart."

heart.'
"That national heart was broken, and it will take God's way and time to heal it. It was broken by a class of people who are coming to our country in increasing numbers, and while harbored by our laws, are propagating their malicious views; a class of people that must be taught that we have no place for them on our shores, a class of people that must be taught that they cannot take the life of unyone irrespective of consequences.

"Think again, gentlemen, here is a man who does not want a lawyer, who does not believe in God nor in law, a man who does not believe in the marriage relation, yet our laws are such that he is defended by two of the ablest jurists in our city, as if he was the most respected defendant, and even though he comes into court and says he was guilty.

guilty.

"Yet, gentlemen, you are required under the constitution to listen to the formal pre-sentation of the evidence, notwithstanding the fact that this man says he does not want it."

you cannot would that the defendant is guilty.

You cannot and this man guilty. The people have submitted evidence tending to show that it was premeditated. If you are satisfied that there was design and premeditation, and, if in accordance with that premeditation and design, these shots were fired, then the defendant is guilty of the crime of murder in the first degree.

'You must consider all this evidence that the people have submitted to you. You must consider it fairly and without prejudice. You are the sole judges of the facts in this case."

Continuing, Justice White said: "The defendant has been given every advantage of experienced counsel. I deplore any incitement to violence, and the man who is ready to go out and committed a crime because some other man had committed a crime is as guilty as the latter, and his act is just as reprehensible."
The court the defined the various statutory degrees of homicide.
Justice White then commended the jurors for their patience during the trial, and ordered them to retire and bring in a verdict. Just before they did so, however, District Aitorney Penney requested the judge to charge the jury that the law presumes (ve) y individual sane unless proven otherwise, and the court said to them:
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Lawyer Titus also asked the court to charge the lury, "that if they were satisfied from the evidence that at the time of the committal of the assault the defendant was laboring under such a defect of reason as not to know the quality of the act or that it was wrong, he was not responsible, and the jury must acquit."

"I so charge," said the judge.

After the jury had retired to consider the evidence, the scene in the court room became dramatic in the extreme. Decorum was somewhat forgotten, and the spectators stood up, and many walked about the room and engaged in conversation. The guards about the assassin, who still sat in his seat before the bench, were doubled, Chief of Detectives Cusack and two of his men taking positions just back of Czolgez's chair. Others took seats to the left and right, and many "plain clothes" men were seen mingling among the crowd surging about the room, closely watching everyone whose face was not a familiar one to them. There was no disposition to crowd about the prisoner, although the object of all seemed to be to get in a position where they could get a full view of his face. He had been seated all the afternoon, his hands clasped on the arms of the chair and his head bent forward and a little to the left. The room was not warm, but Czolgosz frequently took his handkerchief from his pocket and mopped the perspiration from his forehead and cheeks. At no time during the absence of the jury did he raise his eyes or lift his head or seem to know that he was the object of interest of several hundred men and women. Every time the door was opened all eyes were turned in that direction, the evident thought in every mind being that the jury would take only a few minutes to agree on a verdict.

It was 4.25 when the crier rapped for order and the jury filed into the room. The clerk

"We have," responded Foreman Wendt.
"What is your verdict?"
"That the defendant is guilty of murder is
the first degree."
There was a moment of slience and the

Court was at once adjourned.
Czolgosz was immediately handcurred to his guards and hurried from the court room down stairs to the basement and through the tunnel under Delaware avenue to the jail, He appeared to be in no way affected by the result of the trial.

ONE TEASPOONFUL of Pain-Killer in hot water sweetened will cure almost any case of flatulency and indigestion. Avoid substitutes, there is but one Pain-Killer, Perry Davis'. 25c. and 50c. MOUNTED TROOPS IN SOUTH AFRICA.

Major Merritt Thinks Canada Could Produce a Mobile Body.

OTTAWA, Sept. 21.-The Journal publishes the following interview with Major Merritt in regard to the efficiency of the mounted troops which were engaged in the South African war:

A letter regarding mounted soldiers and the Boer war was reprinted a day or two ago by the Journal from the Toronto Globe, written by Major W. H. Merritt of Toronto, who is at present here at the musketry school at Rockliffe.

The letter raised some points of interest, and as Major Merritt saw very exceptional service in Africa, where for nearly a year he was aide-de-camp to General Brabant, commanding the colonial division of Cape Colony, a Journal reporter called on him yesterday to ask some questions regarding points in his letter. Major Merritt had referred to the unsatisfactory ent of the Imperial Yeomanry or other troops operating in South Africa, and of the nounted corps of eastern Canada.

When first spoken to the major was mewhat indignant that the word 'diffidence," as it appeared in his original letter, should have been print-

those existing in the Imperial Yeoman-ry he advocated, Major Merritt replied that he did not think at this moment it could do much good to enter into details, but he contended that possibilities existed in Canada at present wanting in South Africa, which if properly handled would result in a force more mobile, and more effective for that reason, than any which he had seen there.

He said that of course the Cape Colony and Natal Yeomen made splendid Mounted Irregular Horse, but they unfortunately could not obtain certain requirements which could readily be supplied from Canada, as local conditions here had developed exactly what was needed to supplement the lacking conditions of mobility on the British side.

THE "CANADIAN RANGERS."

It may be remembered that Major ial government to raise a mounted corps in Canada if the dominion govit."

Justice White began his charge to the jury at 3.29. He said:

"Gentlemen of the jury—In this case the defendant has acknowledged his guilt. Such an acknowledgment in such circumstances cannot go to the jury or the court. The law says that all the facts must be observed and reviewed by you. The law guarantees that the defendant shall have a fair trial by twelve men, impartial and fair, capable of taking the testimony of the triat, and give it thorough consideration. If, when all the circumstances of the case are considered by you, there still exists in your minds a reasonable doubt that the defendant is guilty. The people is a mounted corps in Canada if the dominion government to pay all expenses) but that the authority has not been given, Major Merritt said yesterday that a constant complaint of his South African colonial comrades that they could not get just such facilities and advantages as Canadian conditions permitted was the factor which made him regret keenly the seeming hanging-back of the Canadian government for "The Canadian Rangers" for service in South Africa.

"But do you think the men could be got?" Major Merritt was asked.
"I believe," he replied, "that far from the people of Canada having lost all interest in the desire to stand side by side with our comrades from Austra-lia, New Zealand and South Africa, and with the volunteers and yeomanry of the motherland, who are all still fighting month after month, that we could raise half a dozen more regiments. "You must remember," he added, "that besides the attractions of sentiment and military experience, a from \$1.25 to \$2.25 is offered, everything found, and that the regithe end of the war, and the whole thing would not cost Canada a cent, and much money spent in the country to horse and equip the corps.' In reply to a remark of the reporter

that he remembered seeing some sort of statement that the dominion gov rnment had made an offer recently which has been refused by the war office, Major Merritt said that he did not feel at liberty to go into particu lars, but he would say that as the gov ernment seemed to contend that he should not have sent an offer through the Canadian high commissioner, all he wished was that a second offer he had made through the usual channe here might be sent on to the British

"I believe," said the Journal. re taking a course of musketry here. if you will excuse the question, is it ot strange that after a recent camaign you should go to a school for he rudiments of fighting? The major laughed and answered that he did not mind the question at

"This question,"he said, "from fighting point of view, is by all odds the best for infantry and mountain for infantry and mounted corps that has been inaugurated in Canada. In the other schools much time is taken up in learning details ected with barrack room life and parade movements that never take place before an enemy, and are not neessary for "citizen soldiery," but in the course at Rockliffe the whole instruction is in the actual art of killing (as the Boers say) with a rifle,

"Supposing every man in Canada was an expert with the rifle, and un-derstood the ordinary movements of riflemen under control of a leader, what an army we would have," coninued the major. "Well, that is where we would be if the simple and prac tical course of instruction given her was carried broadcast through Can-

"Of course," he concluded, first and foremost, and all the time, a lover of cavalry, and, with increased cavalry must have, at all times, the very best shooting iron going, no mater what it is. Hitherto no attention has been paid to the rifle by my arm of the service and that is why I am tryng to remedy past deficiencies." To a reference to Major Merritt's allusions to the "unsatisfactory" condi-tnon of the Eastern Mounted Corps and an enquiry as to why the word "eastern" was used. The answer given was that in the matter of mobile efficiency he believed there was no com-parison between the splendid practi-cal efficiency of the Mounted Police of the N. W. T. and the less satisfactory conditions of the corps of eastern Canada; that he knew nothing, or had asked nothing, about the arrange-ments connected with the mobilization of the mounted corps that went from Canada to South Africa, but he would not be surprised that if the Mounted Police had had complete control of the equipment of a corps for South Africa something much nearer the mark would have been obtained than was the case.

BIRTHDAY ANNIVERSARY.

Family Re-Union at the Home of Coun. Richard Lutz to Celebrate His 74th Birthday. (Moncton Times.)

The some of Coun. Richard Lutz,

Steeves Mountain, was the scene of a happy re-union of members of the family and friends on Friday last, in onor of Mr. Lutz's 74th birthday anniversary. There were present to celebrate the occasion nearly all of Mr. Lutz's sons and daughters, some forty-three grand children, two greatgrand children and a large number of friends. The daughters were Mrs. Gilbert Steeves, Steeves Mountain; Mrs. Fletcher Rogers, Houlton, Me., and Mrs. Arthur Fowler, Butternut Ridge, and three sons, Douglas, D. N., I. C. R. station agent at New Mills, and German, Bonnel's Corner. The unavoidable absentees were Mrs. Joseph Hope, Steeves' Mountain, and John. I. C. R. station agent at Belledune Messrs. John, Joshua and Zachariah Lutz, Steeves' Mountain, and Mrs. David Trites and Mrs. Wm. Matthews On being asked what changes from of Monoton, brothers and sisters of Coun. Lutz, were also among the guests. During the evening Mr. Lutz was presented with a handsome easy chair, accompanied by an address which was read by I. B. Humphrey, station agent at Harcourt, an old friend of the family. Mrs. Lutz was also remembered, being presented with a serviceable cape.

After the presentation, luncheon was served and this part of the evening's roceedings proved to be not the least interesting feature of the programme. The balance of the evening was spent by the adult members of the happy circle in social chat, while the younger generation spent a most enjoyable time with games of different kinds. On the whole a very pleasant time was spent and Mr. and Mrs. Lutz were wished many more years of uni ted happiness.

Coun. Lutz, although 74 years of age is still hale and hearty and very ac tive for one of his years. He is held in high esteem by the community i which he lives and has ever be to be a good neighbor and friend. He has served at the munici pal board and has been elected at th head of the poll almost every time he offered. Coun. Lutz was born on the Salisbury road, about four miles abou Moncton, and when about ten years o age he removed to Steeves' Mountain where he has lived ever since. H has served on the board of school trus tees in his district ever since the en-actment of the free school law and is altogether regarded by those who him many more of such pleasant at n versaries sa recorded above Coun. Lutz, in retiring from th

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Druggists in 10 and 25c. sizes. LOCKE "NOT FIT. HALIFAX, N. S., Sept. 24.— Some time ago Sydney Locke, one of the most prominent men in western Nova Scotia, killed his three children Lockeport by shooting. He was arraigned today before Judge Meagher and a jury on a charge of murder. Evidence was put in to show tha Locke was insane. This jury after being out fifteen minutes, returned a verdict of not fit, meaning that owing to insanity the prisoner was not in a condition to be tried. \He will be left or the governor to confine in son place until such time as he become fit to stand trial.

A SMALL TRIBUTE TO THE MARTYRED President McKINLEY



Thile the old flag he loved well is flying at half-mast! and every nation on the globe Stands speechless and aghast— At the fiendish heart and hand,
Inspired by words of hate,
Which hurled a bullet, swift and sure
At a hero good and and great.
And we cry with trembling voice—
Oh, God! Our help must come
From thy great tender heart of love;
"Thy will—not ours—be done."
"Good has be food has all!" "Good-bye! Good-bye to all"
"Tis God's way; He knows land quietly the martyred one
Sank to his last long rest.

He does not hear our cries; He does not feel the thrill That stirs the land from east to west, For he lies pale and still! So wreathe sad emblems! tells! And walk with quiet tread; For the hero of a nation lies Peaceful—silent. Cold and dead. R. SPROULE M

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A LOVER'S GIFTS.

(Fredericton Herald.) Squire William Harrison of Sheffield s engaged this week in hearing evidence in a rather unique and spicy law suit. The plaintiff is Charles W. McBeath, and he is seeking to recover from John Jordan by process of law the value of certain articles, which he claims Mr. Jordan's daughter, Sadie, procured from him on the strength of a promise of marriage, which promise she failed to keep. He submitted to the court the following inventory of the articles or gifts which he bestowed

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News from Sackville and Point du

SACKVILLE, Sept. 21.—Rev. Samuel Howard of Bay Verte, who went west on the harvesters' excursion about five weeks ago, returned yesterday. He reports having a very enjoyable trip. The death of Mrs. Alpheus Read (nee Maggie Ward), took place at her home at Upper Rockport on the 19th instant. Deceased had been in failing health from consumption for about months. She leaves a husband and four small children, the eldest about eight years old. Mrs. Read was 34 years of age.

Mount Allison University opened on the 19th inst., and students are arriv-

ing by every train. The freshman class will be larger than the average. POINT DU CHENE, Sept. 21.—Bark

Bertha, Jensen, cleared on the 18th for River Mersey, but on account of head winds is still in port. Bark Finn, Mahoney, arrived this morning from Pictou, where she has undergone thorough repairs. She now hails from Pictou, N. S. She will take the cargo (discharged while stranded) from here to Ship Harbor, discharge there and shift to Tusket, near Yarmouth, and there reload for South American ports. The perseverance and dogged determination of her owner, Alfred Dickle, of Lower Stewiacke, and Capt. D. W. Mahoney, who commands her, are highly commendable.

McLEOD-PARKER

A very happy event took place at the residence of Samuel W. Belyea, Middle street, Carleton, on Tuesday, when his granddaughter, Miss Amanda B. Parker, was wedded to J. Ernest Mc-Leod of the Sun mechanical staff, and rictor of the King's Dining room The ceremony was performed by Rev. B. N. Nobles. About fifty of the friends of the young couple were present and sat down to a substantial supper. There were numerous and appropriete presents, as the bride and groom are a most popular young couple, identified with church and other organizations in the west end. They leave today for a trip to Queens county, and on their return will reside on the City road.

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A GOOD SHOW.

Annual Exhibition of the St John Agricultural Society

At Moosepath Park Yesterday, Very Successful-Splendid Live Stock

The annual exhibition of the St. John Agricultural Society at Moosepath park Tuesday afternoon was in many respects the best show they have ever held, and in certain lines it excelled any exhibition yet given in the province this season. There were exhibited about 200 head of cattle chiefly Jerseys, Ayrshires and grades. It was a most creditable exhibit, and shows that the farmers of the county are making rapid strides in the improvement of their stock. The exhibitors who made the largest contributions to the grand display were Samuel Creighton, Josselyn and Young, Robert Mc-Lean, J. Fred Watson, Wm. Donovan sheep and swine there was a good ex-hiblt. Horses, both days J. M. Denovan and W. A. McFate. Of hibit. Horses, both draught and car-riage animals, were shown in great numbers, and it kept the judges busy to determine which were the best ones.

The poultry show was an attractive thing, and many visitors spent a long time in looking over the birds. They were all young birds and & marked improvement could be seen over previous shows. Everything in the way of root crops was good, and in fact everybody seemed to have gone a lot

The directors and officials of the society were present in force, and among the prominent gentlemen outside of who visited the show were Lt. Col. Tucker, M. P., Surveyor General Dunn, D. J. Purdy, M. P. P., William Shaw, M. P. P., S. S. Hall, Dr. D. E. Berryman, Chief of police Clark and W. A. Quinton.

The directors and exhibitors and ome of the visitors had an excellent dinner on the grounds, A. M. Nixon being the caterer. Mr. Nixon gave every satisfaction.

The awards of the judges are here FARM AND DRAFT HORSES.

(George M. Barnes, Judge.) Stallion, 4 years and upwards-Jos. Stallion, 2 years old—Joseph Cavanagh, 1st; J. M. Donovan, 2nd; Josselyn & Young, 3rd.

Mare, 4 years and upwards-Thomas Hayes, 1st; E. M. Abbott (Dominion Express Co.), 2nd; W. A. McFate, Mare, 3 years old-Joseph Cavanagh,

Mare, 2 years old—W. A. McFate, 1st; T. A. McFate, 2nd. Brood mare and foal-W. A. McFate, 1st; Wm. Donovan, 2nd. McFate, 1st; James O'Neill, 2nd; Wm. Onevan, 3rd. Matched pair—E. M. Abbott (Domin-

2nd; Thos. Hayes, 3rd. CARRIAGE HORSES (Geo. M. Barnes, Judge.)) Stallion, 4 years and upwards — S. Golding (Synonym), 1st.

Mare, 4 years and upwards-Thomas

Stallion or mare-J. F. Watson, 1s Matched pair-Geo. McAvity, 1st. Thoroughbred stallion, any Fred Stephenson, 1st. Gentleman's driving mare or geldin -E. L. Jewett, 1st; L. B. Knight, 2nd; J. H. Fleming, 3rd.

AYRSHIRE CATTLE. (M. H. Parlee, judge.) Bull, 3 years old and upwards-Wm. Donovan, 1st.

Bull, 2 years—J. M. Donovan, 1st; J.

Bull, 1 year old—S. Creighton, 1st; Robt. McLean, 2nd. Cow, any age—S. Creighton, 1st and 2nd; J. M. Donovan, 3rd. Heifer or cow, 2 years old—S. Creighton, 1st; Wm. Donovan, 3rd. Heifer, 1 year old—J. F. Watson, 1st and 2nd; S. Creighton, 3rd.

Herd, 1 bull and four females-S. Creighton, 1st; J. M. Donovan, 2nd; Wm. Donovan, 3rd. fer calf-J. M. Donovan, 1st, 2nd

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ritt, judges.) Bull, 3 years and over-S. Creighton,

Bull, 1 year old—Josselyn and Young, 1st; Geo. A. Noble, 2nd. Cow, any age—S. Creighton, 1st and 2nd; Josselyn and Young, 3rd.

Heifer or cow, 2 years—Denis Con-nolly, 1st; S. Creighton, 2nd and 3rd. Heifer, 1 year old—Fred Stephenson, 1st; Joselyn and Young, 2nd; Geo. A. Noble, 3rd. Jersey herd—S. Creighton, 1st; Josselyn and Young, 2nd.

Heifer calf—S. Creighton, 1st; G. F. Stephenson, 2nd.

Bull calf—S. Creighton, 1st.
Cow, 3 years old—Geo. A. Noble, 1st;
S. Creighton, 2nd; Josselyn and Young,

Cow, any breed-Wm. Donovan, 1st; J. M. Donovan, 2nd; Josselyn and Young 3rd.

GRADE CATTLE (M. H. Parlee, judge.) Cow, any age—Wm. Donovan, 1st; J. M. Donovan, 2nd; Josselyn and Young, 3rd. Cow, 3 years old or under—Wm. Mullin, 2nd; Josselyn and Young, 3rd.
Cow, 2 years old—Wm. Mullin, 1st;
Geo. A. Noble, 2nd.
Heifer, 1 year—J. M. Donovan, 1st;
Robt. MoLean, 2nd; Wm. Donovan,

Heifer calf-J. M. Donovan, 1st Wm. Donovan, 2nd; Wm. Mullin, 3rd. Herd 6 females—Wm. Donovan, 1st; J. M. Donovan, 2nd.

(M. H. Parlee, judge.)

Pair spring lambs—Wm. Donovan, 1st; J. Fred Watson, 2nd. Leicester ram—S. Creighton, 1st and

ster ewe-Wm. Mullin, 1st; J. M. Donovan, 2nd.

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SWINE. (M. H. Parlee, judge.) White Chester boar-J, F. Watson 1st; J. M. Donovan, 2nd.

White Chester sow-J. M. Donovan, st and 2nd Yorkshire sow-Wm. Mullin, 1st: Josselyn and Young, 2nd. Spring pig, boar-Phillip Moore, 1st Wm. Mullin, 2nd. Spring pig, sow-Josselyn and Young,

Pure bred sow and litter-J. M. Don ovan, 1st and 2nd. Special Tanworth sow-J Tanworth boar-Josselyn and Young,

ist; J. M. Donovan, 2nd.

GRAIN AND PRODUCE. (Henry Gallagher and J. S. Armstrong

Bushel white oats-Albert McFate Bushel yellow buckwheat - Albert McFate, 1st.

Long mangold wurtzel—Robt, Mc-Lean, 1st; Thom. Clark, 2nd, Mangold wurtzel, globe—W. A. Mc-Fate, 1st; Josselyn & Young, 2nd. Table beets Josselyn & Young, 1st; Thos. Clark, 2nd.

Parsnips—Josselyn & Young, 1st. Early Rose potatoes—G. Fred Step-henson, 1st; Frank V. Hamm, 2nd. Markee potatoes—G. F. Stephenson, 1st; Robt. McLean, 2nd. Snowflake potatoes — Wm. Mullin, 1st; G. F. Stephenson, 2nd. Copper potatoes-G. F. Stephenson

Minister potatoes-G. Fr Stephenson,

Delaware potatoes-Thos. Clark, 1st. Carrots, table—Albert McFate, 1st. Swedish turnips—Josselyn & Young, lst; Wm. Mullin, 2nd. Kangareo turnips-Wm. Mullin, 1st; Frank V. Hamm, 2nd. White cabbage Wm. Mullin, 1st; Thos. Clark, 2nd.

Red cabbage—Josselyn & Young, 1st.
Pumpkins—Frank V. Hamm, 1st;
Josselyn & Young, 2nd. Turban squashes - Thos. Clark, 1st; Josselyn & Young, 2nd. Hubbard squashes—Thos Clark, 1st; Josselyn & Young, 2nd. Black oats-Albert McFate, 1st.

BUTTER. (W. H. Merritt and J. H. Case, Judges.) Firkin of butter—Josselyn & Young, 1st; J. Fred Watson, 2nd. Roll butter-Denis Connolly, 1st: Jos selyn & Young, 2nd; G. F. Stephenson

POULTRY.

(W. A. Jack, Judge.) Black Minorcas, 1 cockerel and four White Leghorn, single comb—Wm Reid, 1st; Albert McFate, 2nd. White Leghorn, rose comb—William Reid, 1st.

Barred Plymouth Rocks.—J. Fred Watson, 1st; Josselyn & Yeung, 2nd. Buff Cochins.—Albert McFate, 1st. Black Langshans.—F. V. Hamm, 1st. Hamburg.—W. B. Newcombe, 1st;

Toulouse geese—Wm. Mullin, 1st. Pekin ducks—Wm. Mullin, 1st; J. F. During the day, Happy Girl did a half mile at 1.10, and Mr. Golding gave

Among the visitors were: W. H. Price of the I. S. S. Co., Geo. C. Daniels, the New England pasenger agent of the Southern railway; Customs Of-ficer Kenfield of Boston, and Messrs. Pendleton and Payne of Providence. Robert McLean had a big number of entries. He has been corneting at exhibitions for 40 years and always President Frink and Secretary Mil-

lidge did everything they could to make it pleasant for everybody. All the other directors exerted themselves in that direction.

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BOER-BOUGHT.

A British Journalist Recreant to His Country, Tells a Plain Story of His Strange Career.

(London Daily Mail.)

All familiar with the controversy on South African affairs which preceded the war will remember the name of Reginald F. Statham. Posing as an unblassed and independent expert on South African affairs, writing from a leading club of a great political party, the National Liberal, he flooded the English press for some years with bitter pro-Boer statements. He was the great South African authority on the Manchester Gusrdian. He was a constant contributor to the London pro-Boer dailies. He wrote in sober monthlies and solid weekly reviews; he issued books and pamphlets; his letters would have filled volumes.

Soon after the outbreak of the war facts about his career leaked out which made even his old anti-patriotic friends turn aghast. Now, under his own name, he has published his life story, showing how, while posing as a patriot, he was in truth the paid secret agent of the Pretoria government. But the story deserves to be known. Mr. Statham has not told all the facts; he naturally puts everything in the most favorable light to him self. But he tells enough.

EARLY DAYS.

The son of a tamous Liverpool legal family, Reginald Statham started life with good prospects. His grandfather and great-grandfather had been town clerks of that city, and on misfortune coming to Statham's father, Mr. Horsfall, M. P., undertook his education. Statham began by running away from school, but, of course, as he says, that was not his fault. By the time he was sixteen his godfather would have no more to do with him. According to his own account, he was too finely strung for mere commercial life. But after some difficulty he got a place in the office of a Liverpool firm. Here the other clerks became jealous of him, "and the jealousies led to a quarrel, which resulted in my leaving."

"I was at a loose end for a year or two," says he, during which time he was living at home. Then he secured an unpaid post in a firm of cotton brokers. "In a few menths," says he, "the conduct of the business was left almost entirely in my hands, without any kind of supervision." He was promised half the profit of any new business he introduced, and he began a speculative account on behalf of a friend, without that friend's consent. Lose resulted; he gambled further to cover it, and the loss continually grew. But it was not his fault. All this went on "without any fraudulent intention on my part, and through mistakes which any one of any business experience would have dreamed of committing." He finished up by laying hands on a large sure of money beloning to the firm and going abroad.

He was arrested, brought to trial, and sent to prison. On his release has family came to his aid. They sent him to a Midland town for six months, and then found him a home with one of his brothers, where he spent about three years writing poetry, and (to quote his own words) "hoping that something might turn up." A singular fact is that for his family, who endured the disgrace and kept him so long, he has not a single kindly word to say in this volume.

IN SOUTH AFRICA.

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He met a lady who had a few hundred pounds. He got her to pay for the publication of a volume of his poems, and married her. For some months he seems to have drawn on her small means and lived on them, while he wrote more poetry. He calls his marriage "the most frightfully imprudent marriage concelvable." For him it seems to have been advantageous.

He was very religious now and wanted to become a clergyman. But neither the Anglicans nor the Unitarians would have him, and it was a little time later before he found acceptance with the Theists. He ministered to them for eighteen months, then, after an interval, became a journalist, and in 1877 went to South Africa as editor of the Natal Witness.

wood declined the task, and the honor never came.

IN TOUCH WITH PRETORIA.

His relations with the Transvaal govern ment are worth tracing in some detail. In 1883 he seems to have been urging the Pretorian authorities to send him as their fepresentative to England, for the state secretary then wrote to kim: a secretary then wrote to kim: a secretary then wrote to kim: The secretary then wrote to kim: The secretary then wrote to kim: These letters have been used to have been charged to express to you the heartfelt gratitide of the government for all you have done and are still doing in favor of our equality and are still doing in favor of our equality and government.

However, at present, while the commando at Mapoch is still on the veldit, the government would rather abstain from sending or delegating anybody to Europe."

For some time Statham edited a paper in Pretoria. Then be became editor of a Rhoules organ. When that stopped he found himself in great financial difficulties, and Mr. Reitz came to his rescue with a gift of £10 a month. Soon a place was secured for him on the Free State Express, the extreme anti-Rhodes and republican organ. The Transvall government made him a present of £1500, and with that he set out on a European campaign.

He came back to London at the end of 1885, and got to work. He first secured the car of the Manchester Guardian, my stuff, of course, being telegraphed from London over the special wire. Scott, the editor of the Guardian, was in London the chief day, and wired for me to meet him, the is very appreciative as regards what have done?

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ing to their own men through thick and thin. There was no need for the liberals, in repudiating imperialistic principles, to repudiate the virtue of loyalty to those who have stood in the forefront of their own trailizing our schools.

[To Correspondents—Write on one side of the paper only. Send your name, not neces-sarily for publication, with your communi-cation. The Sun does not undertake to re-turn rejected menuscripts. All unsigned communications are promptly consigned to the waste basket.]

VIEWS OF A TEACHER AT SHIP-PEGAN ON COMPULSORY

EDUCATION, ETC. To the Editor of the Sun:

Sir—In your issue of the 14th inst., I cheerfully noticed the correspondence of "Crusader" about the teachers and

our schools.

Indeed, "Crusader's" views on this question, in which every teacher takes a vital interest, will inspire hope and courage, to every member of the noble teaching profession, even those who have resolved to abandon it.

Since a good many years the teachers are clamoring against the books used in our schools, chiefly those used in the Acadian schools. At last year's United Teachers' Institute, held at interval, became a journalist, and in 1877 his conference on the needs of the Witness.

To follow Statham's career in South Africa during the succeeding years would demand too much space. He edited many papers of various views. He early established friendly relations with the Boots.

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"The idea is that, instead of returning to South Africa, I should remain in England to watch Transvaal affairs through the newspapers. The arrangement would be made with the Netherlands Railway Company and the Transvaal National Bank, who would pay me so much a year, to which I should, of course, add what I could make in other ways."

On January 23rd he wrote:

"Leyds is to be in Amsterdam, I believe, at the end of the month, and I am to go over and see him there. What they want is for me to be a sort of unofficial journalistic Trensvaal consul in London.

He saw Dr. Leyds and Mr. Lippert, and the arrangement finally made was £600 a year, with £100 a year for office expenses, and six months' notice on either side.

HIS OWN WORDS. of half of the expenses for carrying children to and from schools? Wherexer this step has been taken it has resulted in giving regular attendance and higher branches of study. It has also awakened a taste for study in

As to the teachers' salaries and superannuation, I am of "Crusader's" opnion, and as a member of the teachers' crusade, shall humbly make a suggestion. If we want to unite, let us form in every parish a teach-

whose hands is the country's future, will be returned by a good majorit and that we want to faithfully discharge ourselves of our duties.

I remain, your servant

D. D. D.

Shippegan, Sept. 19th. THE BOERS AND THE HAGUE PARRSBORO, N. S., Sept. 24 .- Schr.

sir—The Associated Press despatch writer is ever eager to get back at his old business of blowing the Boer trumpet, all the more so as his opportunities grow fewer and farther between. He is just as ready now as he was a year ago to foresee the downfall of the British ministry at least, if and an alarm was sounded. The firement that of the whole empire in every nigh overturned the British govern-ment. Moreover (and the most deadly blow of all), the Dutch government is going to call in the intervention of the

This is announced with an air as if the Hague conference was a part of the supreme court of civilization, arm-ed with power and authority to sum-mon any or all of the nations of the world before it, to lay down the law to them and to punish them if they de-lay to obey it. Probably the despatch monger is not quite such an ignoramus as he represents himself to be, but he evidently presumes the major-ity of his readers to be unaware that the Hague conference is nothing of the its constituent nations or to interfere between any two of them, unless requested by both parties (observe the "both") to do so. Moreover, the Boers lie entirely outside of the pale of the Hague conference, and are not now nor ever have been recognized by it as a "nation" any more than the Finns or the Filipinos. In short, this threat bout the Hague conference is not the Hague conference is empty bluff and swagger intended to please or to terrify ignorant readers, according to their sympathies.

TYRTAEUS.

GAGETOWN, N. B., Sept. 19, 1901. To the Editor of the Sun :

Sir—The Queens County Gazette of the 18th inst., in speaking of municipal elections, says: "There is not "much election talk in this parish as "yet, and it is reported that there will be no contest here (parish of Gage-"town). Messrs. F. I. Dingee and J. W. Dickie will be elected by acclam-

'ation."
Now, this is all wrong. The editor of the Gazette knows perfectly well, or should know, that if the liberal party run Mr. Dickie or any other man there will be a contest for the reason that the conservatives will cer-tainly put up two candidates, and two good ones at that, and moreover, they go into the contest to win. The Gaz-ette is evidently expressing the wish of the liberal party rather than the facts, and no doubt would be glad to see Mr. Dickle made a councillor without opposition. But let me say right here that if Mr. Dickle expects to sit

our people know a good thing when they see it and will return a good majority of our party to represe them at the board, for they know that conservatives stand not for extrava-

The editor of the Gazette may, therefore, expect to see a good fight, not only in the parish of Gagetown, but all over the county, and need not ex-

ers' club (debating club for example) and then unite all the clubs and work hand in hand for our rights.

Let other teachers give their views through the journals; in short, let us rise and show that we are those in whose hands is the country fortune. again, and the prospects are that they will be returned by a good majority

Yours, etc.,

PARRSBORO NEWS.

CONFERENCE. Serene, Lyons, with a full freight of the Editor of the Sun:
Sir—The Associated Press despatch from St. John on Sunday and moored fall of the British ministry at least, if not that of the whole empire in every temporary or trumpery mishap that befalls an outpost in South Africa. From his despatches of this evening one would get the idea that a couple of unsuccessful skirmishes have nullified all the British successes of the last eighteen months, set the Boer oligarchy upon its legs again, and well board. The fire-men responded promptly, but it was found to be unnecessary to turn on the hose. The burning lime was hoisted out and thrown overboard and the perishable goods were rescued as far as possible. Considerable damage was done to the flour and sugar, of which there were quite large quantities on objective of the sum of the two promptly, but it was found to be unnecessary to turn on the hose. The burning lime was hoisted out and thrown overboard and the perishable goods were rescued as far as possible. Considerable damage was done to the flour and sugar, of which there were quite large quantities on objective or the found of the perishable goods. of dynamite belonging to the C. R. &

BRAVE PICTOU CAPTAIN. Captain James McKenzie of Pictou master of the four-masted schooner Gypsum Empress of Windsor, N. S., gallantly rescued four persons from drowning, in New York Bay, on the night of July 29th last. For his timely rescue the genial captain was a few, weeks ago the recipient of a valuable pair of marine glasses, which he prizes very highly. The case bears the

A NARROW ESCAPE.

An accident luckily resulting on injury to property only occurred in Fowler's axe factory yesterday. A few moments after the machinery had been started a huge grindstone, which had been hung but a day or two ago and which had never been used, broke in two. One of the pieces flew upwards, striking the shafting with which it was connected and disabling all the machinery in that part of the building. The other half went in an opposite di-The other half went in an opposite di-rection, tore through two wooden parrection, tore through two wooden titions, smashing the boards as the they were paper and finally brought up against some other shafting at the ear wall of the building. The stone measured about seven feet in diameter, was thirteen and a half inches thick and weighed three tons. The break was caused by a flaw in one

side of it. the machinery a number of the em-ployes of the factory were compelled to quit work. Considering that a num-ber of them were moving about in the path taken by one of the piec stones it seems miraculous that all escaped uninjured.

For the past week an old man by the here that if Mr. Dickie expects to sit at the next board of councillors he will have to get up and hustle better than he ever did before.

Two years ago the conservative party in the county of Queens realized that a more economical administration of public affairs was necessary, and accordingly an effort was made and they succeeded in electing to the council a body of men pledged to cut down expenses. Now, as you know, to make a pledge of this kind is one thing and to carry out the promises is another.



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From Wednesday's Daily Sun.
THE NOVA SCOTIA BLECTIONS.

This is nomination day for the provincial elections in Nova Scotia. During the brief period of two weeks since the writs were issued the opposition has made good use of the time. In the last house the liberal conservatives had members from only three counties, and in these the representa tion was divided. They were there fore obliged to find candidates everywhere on the other side. Most of the old members are again in the field, and were ready to enter upon the canvass as soon as the house was dissolved. The short notice was therefore all in favor of the government.

Nevertheless the opposition at the end of last week had full tickets in the field in thirteen of the eighteen counties. In some of the other constituencies elections by acclamation may be expected, though possibly the fighting spirit may at the last moment display itself in those now counted safe for the government. The election of twenty conservative candithe Halifax Herald of Tuesday has a one day to hear from.

more boastful than the opposition press, but there is an undertone of "putting up candidates merely for " form's sake." After announcing that the opposition will be no stronger than in the last house, and may diseppear altogether from the legislature, the Chronicle goes on : "It would not surprise us, in fact, should a solid "liberal house be elected. We do not "believe it would in the least sur-"prise the opposition themselves." This sounds confident. But the second "government, of the South Shore "railway," and of several other things not to be "lulled into inactivity by over-confidence." This appeal states that the opposition "will fight fiercely and to the last ditch." It reminds the friends of good government and the South Shore railway that "the tories have always been good campaigners." The Chronicle begs every liberal to rally enthusiastically to the support of the government, "working for it "as they would were defeat and not "victory before them." Friends of the government and the South Shore railway are warned that if they hang back dire results may follow, and the Chronicle winds up with the counsel; "Let him that thinketh he standeth 'take heed lest he fall."

The Truro correspondent of the St. John Telegraph gives us to under stand that the government candidates in Colchester are not likely to suffer through over-confidence. The candidates there are Mr. Lawrence. speaker of the house, and Mr. Pearson, the great company promoter. The Telegraph's correspondent says: "Mr. Pearson, with his great mind for "business enterprise, has bonded the "iron property at Acadia Mines for "two months, and it is altogether "likely that the deal will be consum-"mated even before election day. This " will mean the re-starting of the Lon-Ty works, and, with this in "view, the Mines are almost sure to "go for the liberal candidate." The extation that a whole town will go over to the candidate who a week be fore the election takes a two months ond to buy its chief industry has layor of Colonel Sellers about it. But the incident shows that the speaker and his colleague are not unduly hope Mr. Pearson's "great mind for busi-ness enterprise" is fully occupied with the task before it.

WELL ENDED.

The trial of Czolgosz was long enough to establish in legal form the facts

reedom from sensational and specta oular features, it was an agreeable contrast to the trial of Guiteau, the urderer of President Garfield. If the risoner desired to gain notoriety the acidents of the trial did not furnish it. If he is simply an anarchist, who

was determined to kill a ruler, and prepared to take the consequences as a matter of course, his conduct is quite. in keeping with the character. He has at least had the grace to refrain from making any further exhibition of nimself, or any glorification of his cruel and treacherous crime. Counsel and judge have not wasted words. and the jury were not long in returning a verdict with which the world

will agree.

The address of the learned lawyer assigned to defend the accused is the part of the proceedings most open to criticism. This distinguished jurist eems to have thought that it was nimself and his associate who were on trial. Nine-tenths of his speech is defence of himself and an explanation that he was unwillingly counsel addressed to the jury, but to the country, and especially to the citizens of Buffalo. It would have been more in bar if the counsel had performed the duty assigned to him without so much self-consciousness, and without troubling himself to make the populace see that his heart was not in his work. The lawyer who defends a rich and influential criminal has more reason to apologize than the one who accepted the duty of seeing that a fair trial is given to the friendless, despised and despicable wretch at Buffalo.

THE NOVA SCOTIA CONTEST.

The close of nomination day finds the direct party issue joined in all the Nova Scotia counties but three, while only two are left without opposition to the government. Antigonish and Yarmouth are counties where candidates might have been chosen by the opposition for moral effect, but not dates will defeat the government, and there are other counties in which the list of twenty-eight candidates, with sufficient number of admittedly doubtful seats remain to make the defeat The government organs are much of the government possible.

The opposition is somewhat in the position occupied by the Blair governfear even in the boastings. We take ment in this province in 1890, except fear even in the boastings. We take the Halifax Chronicle, chief organ of the government. In Tuesday's leading that the Nova Scotians have not alcolitorial we read that "the opposition as were abandoned eleven years ago "have not more than a bare fighting to have the Blair government. In New Brunswick. At that time the sun in the days of the darry, and it seems that Great Village is to have the shipbulding plant in that connection. The last Pearson (leveland. Hayes and 12 in spruce dimensions are quotiented at \$19 in 20; 30 in and under, \$18 to DIGBY.

Serious fire that connection. The last Pearson feet and up \$11.50 to 19; 50 in 3nd up to 19; 10 and up to 19; 10 and 19; "In all but one or two they are almination the Blair organs claimed twenty-one seats without opposition. This was rather too strong a claim, but as a matter of fact the opposition had only twenty-two straight supporters in the field. Of these they elected nineteen, and the Blair government, which claimed twenty-one supporters after nomination day, could only claim twenty-two after election day. The government which thought that editorial appeals to "friends of good ation did not carry on election day it swept the whole province on nomina single county in which a full opposition ticket had been cominated. Mr. Blair afterwards admitted that his government was beaten, when he said that the Northumberland deal was the only method by which he could save the administration. Mr. Blair saved himself by giving a portfolio to Mr. Tweedie, who had run as one of his mo bitter opponents, and by reducing the stumpage rates which he had a few weeks before pledged himself to maintain. He did these things because his government was beaten in the

The Nova Scotia opposition makes better show than the opposition in this province could make in 1890. It needs twenty members to win, and has thirty-two in the field, not including the independent opponent of the government in Shelburne. In 1890 the Blair government used the Leary Dock and all manner of wildcat railway schemes as bait for the electors In 1901 the Murray government has unfolded a picturesque and gorgeou panorama of railways, ship yards steel works, schools of farming, and all manner of kindred delusions. In these ventures Mr. Pearson fills the role of Dr. Pugsley as the apostle of the political faith cure. The time for a message like the Leary telegram, written in St. John, and read as sage sent from New York by Mr. Leary, has not yet come. It is doubt ful whether Nova Scotia has a states man equal to that device.

THE VACANCIES.

nouse of commons. Four of these, L'Islet, Beauce, St. James, and Layal are in Quebec. These are all caused office, The Ontario vacancies are on, caused by the death of Mr tion of Mr. Corby, and Kingston, by the appointment of Mr. Britton to the ench. York, New Brunswick, is Vacant by the unseasing of Mr. Citb-son, Lisgar, Manitobs, by the un-seasing of Mr. Richardson, and West ens, P. E. I., by the appo

Mayor Prefentaine of Montreal sits for Terrebonne and Maisonneuve honne is protested and until that case is settled he cannot choo seat. When the choice is made elever elections will be due, and La Patrie, which knows, says that the elections will be held together in December. Of these eleven vacant seats ten were held by liberals.

WHAT NEXT?

The judge has not given Czolgos much time to pose as a martyr if he were disposed to do so, and in justic to the criminal, it must be said that he has not tried to make himself conspicuous. If he had delivered orations, or tried in any way to excite sympathy for himself, or made an attempt to escape on the plea of insanity, the situation would have appeared less serious. There is no reason to suppose that this young man acted on his own motion without instructions or communication with others, It is much more than likely that there were accessories before the fact, to the extent of knowing what this man had on his mind. But in all probability the assassin will go to his death withaccord with the best traditions of the out revealing anything. Instead he has gone out of the way to say that he acted alone. Possibly he is telling the truth. More probably he is creening some one else. In any case he is one of a band of persons who have commended such deeds as his. and some of whom may be as leady as he to give away their own lives for the sake of killing a ruler. The execution of Czolgosz makes the number one less. But if the others are like him it cannot intimidate. This man knew positively what the penalty would be and yet he did the

> THE RAILWAY AGE IN NOVA SCOTIA. visiter. Mr. Pearson, who is the Nova Scotia

government candidate in Colchester, is a great campaigner. Up towards Tatamagouche he canvassed a complicated and comprehensive system of railways which would leave no school district un-penetrated. At Truro he and his colleagues have established the interprovincial agricultural college. At Acadia Mines it was announced that he had taken a two months' option of the iron mines and works of Londonay along the coast to Parrsboro Logan, member for Cumberland, is assisting in this Colchester campaign, He is himself something of a projector. The map of Cumberland is pretty well cut up with railways of his that have not yet been built.

NO RACE.

The evolutions of the two yachts Friday did not count in the race, but they seem to have given comfort and confidence to the friends of Columbia. The American boat might perhaps be beaten in heavy weather, but in most of the conditions presented yesterday she had the advantage. We Britishers will

wobbler like some of his colleagues 'so he possesses a degree of respect from conservatives as well as liber-'als which others lack.' The Gleaner losing the respect of both parties, are especially of the one which benefits to

DUMBRO DESTROYED.

M. Whitney's Summer Residen ney Burned Early This Morning

SYDNEY, N. S., Sept. 27, 2.30 a. m.

A general alarm was sent in shortly before 2 c'clock this morning for a fire at Dumbro, H. M. Whitney's summer dence on King's Road. It had mad ousiderable headway before discovered and before the firemen reache riginated in the kitchen, working its yay into the front part, where it was Several streams were immegot to play upon it, but such ne avidity of the flames that the interior was one mass of flames half an hour. Volumes of poured out of every window, which the firemen fought y. 2.35 a. m.—The house is still burning and there are little hopes of saving any of Dumbro, which was occupied by David Baker, superintendent of the Dominion from and Steel Co., since Mr.

BEWARE OF IMITATIONS of Mo-Lean's Vegetable Worm Syrup, get the genuine, don't be deceived with any

BOSTON LETTER

Residents of the Hub Want the Shamrock to Win.

Popularity of Alderman John McGoldrick Recognized by a Post Writer.

Saved from Evil Companions - New York Papers Slinging Mud - St. John's Boy Poet Will Return to see the Duke of York - The Lum. ber and Fish Markets.

(From Our Own Correspondent.) BOSTON, Sept. 25.—The football en thusiasts at the recently re-opened colleges and academies have begun to "warm up" for the season's campaign, but the decidedly summer like weath-er of this week has brought opera-tions in this line of sport to an abrupt stand still. Then, too, the public general have little use for the gridiron mix-up until the international yacht races, due to begin tomorrow are disposed of, Regarding the yacht tages, it can be said with all truth that no English boat in a similar con-test has had as many friends on hostile American soil as Sir Thomas Lipton's Shamrock II. May she
quish the boat of the New
Yacht Club, and that decisively vansh the boat of the New York cht Club, and that decisively is the sincere wish of thousands of Bos-tonians, who but for certain unhappy elopments in would be loyal to the craft of their countrymen. What little betting here it has been announced to the public been done on practically even

ome of the New York newspapers are having a high old row over the question of what responsibility was contributed to the assassination of President McKinley. ident McKinley by the "yellow rnals," particularly Hearst news-pers. in their violent attacks upon in during the past four or five years. He Sun and Press immediately after he shooting accused the New York ournal of inflaming weak-minded inlyiduals against the president and of dividuals against the president and or indirectly countenancing anarchistic doctrines. These attacks were made with much bitterness, inter-mixed with personalities, but the Journal took no notice of them until after Mr. McKinley had been buried. Then the Journal and other Hearst newspapers opened directing a torrest of choice journal of the counter of choice in the choice of the choic and other Hearst newspapers opened fire, directing a torrent of choice journalistic billingsgate and vituperation upon the Sun and all the Danas, dead

The city marshal of Laconia, N. H., has arrested James B. Costello, aged 31, and Irenaeus J. McDonald, aged 22, of Quebec city, on suspicion of having mutilated a United States flag at North Woodstock, N. H., recently. Ethel Lamonte, aged 17, said to be-dng in St. John, was arraigned in the municipal court here on Tuesday on a hope for Shamrock weather in the next contest, though we are none of us quite sure what Shamrock weather the distribution officer favored giving her a change of the sure what Shamrock weather the conficer favored giving her a change of the co to reform, but before the judge mad a decision, her lawyer stated that The Fredericton Gleaner in a com-plimentary reference to Sir Louis Davies says: "He has been a hard "fighter for his party, but never! a whom she had been married offered to pay. Her lawyer, however, appealed, and the case is still unsettled. It appears that Miss Eamonte came from St. John, where her parents are well to do, last April, to spend a vacation with her uncle in Lowell. Shortly after her arrival she tell in with eviloumpanions, and, it is said, her uncle could do nothing with her. The young woman is of prepossessing appearance. woman is of prepossessing appearance, and it is said has seen enough of the

he has written 259 poems and hopes to reach St. John in time for the Duke of York's visit, which occasion will pro-bably be made the subject of the

nt, who is deaf, dumb and blind, has dent, who is deaf, dumb and blind, has returned to Boston from Halifax, where she was received with great findness on all sides. Miss Kellar greatly delighted the students of the Institution for the Deaf and Dumb at Halifax by exhibiting some of her newly acquired powers of recitation. It is not quite accurate to say that the souns lady cannot speak for in a great measure this faculty has been testored to her by hard study. She well educated, and more thtelligent than the average person.

ent propose to keep it alive un-issue is settled one way or the "The Observant Citizen" of the Bos-ton Post, which paper has several St. John men on its staff, writes of the representative from Stanley ward: "While in the quaint little city of St. John, N. B., see day lest week, I ran across Alderman John McGoldrick. Mr. McGoldrick has been elected to this office for 16 successive years. This alone would be a guarantee of his popularity, but one need only walk around town with him and witness signs of recognition. recognition from men, women and obliden to be convinced that he is the real thing in his astive city. The alderman visits Boston quite frequently, and when he does come he is the recipient of hearty greetings all along the

Mrs. Elizabeth S. Foster, wife of Joseph A. Foster, formerly of Chatham, dled at her home, 176 Border street, East Boston, Sept. 19. She was 37 years of age. The funeral was held on Saturday at the Church of the

Most Holy Redeemer.

John J. Macdonald, a brother of Rev. Kenneth J. Macdonald of Hallfax, died in Dorchester, Sept. 22.

Among provincial visitors in Boston this week were the following: B. A. Lester, G. Carrill, William McFarlane, W. G. Kee, St. John; C. R. Palmer, noton; R. M. Taylor, Mrs. M. Barrie, H. B. Vargrave, Halifax.

The holders of shares of copper mining companies here have had a nervous thing of it this week, due to the pronounced break in the Boston and New York stock markets. As Boston is the leading copper share market of the country, the violent recessions in prices hit quit a number of citizens hard. The trouble was due to the weakness of Amalgamated, the Standard Oil combine which controls most the great Montana mines. The stock tumbled 39 a share to 390 on Monday, and touched 38 3-5 today, because of a decrease in dividends, and is still an uncertain commodity to trade in. There is a supicion that the Standard Oil crowd are endeavoring to "squeeze" certain outside interests to come to terms.

The spruce lumber market in Boston ontinues to show marked firmness. 163 tons register.

Prices are more than fully maintain.

H. Corey Jenks is building a tele-Prices are more than fully maintained, and the demand appears generally satisfactory. It is said that many mills are still short of logs and that miles. It is probable that the line it is impossible to fill difficult orders calling for large dimensions. It is impossible to tell how long a time will be constructed a telephone line from has constructed a telephone line from the constructed at the line will be constructed at the line wi elapse before there is a break in prices, the "Lodge" to the mine, and thence but in some quarters there is a belief to Advocate Harbor, a distance of that no important developments are more than two miles. likely to arise until quite late in the company in communi fall, when building operations slacken because of cold weather. Laths are well sustained at the recent advance. John for Tynemouth Creek, went selling at 33 for 15-3 in, and \$2.80 to 2.85 ashore near the latter place last week, and will be a total wrack. The Prospect of selling at 33 for 15-1 in, and \$2.80 to 2.85 asnore hear the latter place last week, for 11-2 in. Clapboards are very and will be a total wrack. The Prossource and 323 to 32 for extra pect was owned by Capt. Robert Newspruce and 323 to 32 for clears. Only somb of Parrisboro, and was insured. Sch. Ray G., Wagstaff, is fixed to the provinces last week. These carboad piling at Harrington River for ried a total of 185.33 feet, 48,000 feet. Boston. of piling, and 7,367 railway ties: Fen boards, \$12.56 to 12. Hemiock is also very firm. Good eastern boards are worth \$14 to 14.56 for 12, 14 and 16 in. If take very much like a contest between the fot and the kettle.

The authorities in all the New English states are re-doubling their efforts of the past year towards stampig out smallpox. The disease has not higher figures are named for the stock not obtained a firm hold anywhere, on hand. Salt cod are very firm, and but there are cases in all the states will in all prebability go higher at an named, including twenty or more in early date. For large shore and Georges \$6.50 to T per quintal is asked, and for medium \$5.50 to 5.50, with large dry bank selling at \$6.25 to 6.50, and medium \$5 to 5.35. Barrel herring are in short supply and the market is firm.

Nova Scotia large split are held at \$6 to 6.50, and medium at \$5 to 5.50. Sardines are very firm at an advance to \$3.60 to 3.75 for quarter oils and \$3 to 3.25 for three-quarter mustards. Canned lobsters are still in very small supply. Jobbers are asking \$3 to 3.25 for 1 lb. talls and \$3.25 to 3.50 for flats. Live lobsters continue in good request at 16 to 17c., with boiled two cents

STARTED OUT WELL.

SACKVILLE, N. B., Sept. 26.-The nnual fair of the Sackville and Westnorland Agricultural Society was formally opened at two o'clock this aftermany opened at two eclock this after-noon by Premier Tweedie, who made an admirable speech. He spoke of the progress which the farmers of New Brunswick had made, of the need of their being loyal to their province, and the educational benefits derivable from agricultural shows: An agricultural college was soon to be established, which could be attended by students from all parts of the maritime provinces upon equal terms. He thought it would be a good idea for the provincial government to offer a prize to be given to the best agricultural show in the provinces. in the province. Senator Wood and A. B. Copp. M. P. P., also made short but forcible addresses.

The weather was perfect today and the attendance was the largest on regord. The rate received and the statement of the rate received and the statement of the rate received.

LATEST BOER STORY

NOW YORK, Sept. 26-A trek, to Mexico is contemplated by the Boers according to a cable despatch from London to the World, which says: "Part of the kind is the Floreshales estate, a concession from the government of Mexico to certain financiers, one of whom is a member of the house of commons. The purchase price has been set down at \$5,500,000, which will

buy 20,000,000 acres, this being the ag-gregate of two concessions now in the hands of syndicates. The smaller of the two estates comprises 5,000,000 acres. This land has seaboard of 200 miles and will the seaboard of 200 miles and will thus offer shipping fa-allities, which were denied to the Boers South Africa and which they so

NOVA SCOTIA NEWS

WOLFVILLE, Sept. 23.—Prof. Cecil nd Mrs. Jones of Acadia have returned from Chipman, N. B., where they have spent the summer. John C. Jones, Acadia, '99, son of Prof. R. V. Jones, has gone to Harvard to engage in study. Miss Gertrude Seely, who has been visiting friends here, has re-

turned to her home in St. John.

Miss M. Nash of Fredericton is the guest of Mrs. T. P. Calkin, at Kentville. Wilford Strong, who has been visiting friends in St. John, has returned home. Fletcher B. Bishop, after an absence of several years in Vancouver, is visiting old friends in Wolfville. Scott W. Fraser of Beverley, Mass., who has been visiting friends in Wolfville, has gone to John to visit relatives. The annual provincial convention of

the Woman's Christian Temperance Union will take place at Berwick on Oct. 1st. A welcome meeting will be held Tuesday evening.

PARRSBORO PARRSBORO, N. S., Sept. 25.-J. Newton Pugsley, B. L. Tucker, E. R. Reid, P. A. Holmes and Adams Baird, all of Parrsboro, have purchased from S. P. Benjamin of Wolfville his East Avon timber lands, containing 17,000 acres. The price paid was \$55,000. The new owners of this valuable property

a view to getting out a large cut next winter. Cochran & Soley and others of Fox River have secured an option of the Hatfield & Smith timber property at that place. It consists of about 5,000 acres of excellent timber land, and the price asked is in the vicinity of \$50.

will commence operations at once with

Dr. F. A. Corbett of Parrsboro has somebody or else attempting to "squeeze" sold the schooner Demozelle to J. Girthe metal market in order to force will employ her in the ness between the Parrsboro shore and the United States. The Demozelle was built at Hopewell Cape in 1888, and is

phone line between Parrsboro and Newville—a distance of about twelve miles. It is probable that the line The Colonial Copper Co. of Cape d'Or has constructed a telephone line from This puts the

uses. The loss for the people there fire was, by hard work, controlled just as it reached Capt John Starr Hayden's property, which had a very har-

row escape. Lt. Gov. Jones passed through to Halifax this morning by the "Flying Bluenose," His honor did a very kind and thoughtful act today. He re-quested Customs Officer Thorne of the Digby customs to purchase some comforts (fruit, etc.) for the seamen sick with smallpox, yet quarantined at Meteghan. The governor did not stint the silver for the purpose

Barkentine Ethel Clarke went to Annapolis today. At Annapolis she will complete cargo and clear for Cienfuegos. When loaded, the vessel will have received her cargo at three viz., Bear River, Digby and Ann

DEADLY GASOLINE

(Chatham Advance.)

Guy Tait, a lad about 12 years old, son of W. G. Tait, who lives on Cunard street, was unharnessing the w. J. Smith. There were with him at the time his brothers, Ellmer, aged ten, and Burton, still younger; also Howard Luke, a lad of about 12. They had a lantern, which was about to go out from lack of oil, and they undertook to replenish it from a tin ure of "oil," pouring it from the measure through a funnel lift the oil holder of the lantern, the wick of noider of the lahtern, the wick of which was still burning. All at one there was a great flash and blaze, which set Elmer Tait's clothing on fire. His brother, Guy, endeavored to extinguish the flames, but they seemed to burn the harder, and before they had burned themselves out, the lad was so bandly injured that he gered in great suffering until one o'clock, a. m. Wednesday, when he
died. He had every possible attention
from Doctors Ritchie, Richard and
McDonald, but was beyond their skill. There is little doubt that lads were using as oil was gasoline, a barrel of which was kept in the stable on tap—an extraordinary place and condition in which to have such a dangerous fluid.

TELEGRAPH LINE TO DAWSON.

completed. Commencing today the Ganadian Pacific Telegraph Co. will accept telegrams for offices on that line at the following rates, plus the local rate to Ashcroft:

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son, Five Fingers, Fork Selkirk, Hoot-ilirqua, Lower Laberge, Miles Canyon, Ogilvie; Selwyn, Stewart River, Tag-ish, and White Horse, \$4.00 and 20. Fort Cudahy, Forty Mile, Northern International Boundary, \$4.75 and 25. The Daily and Weekly Sun are disthuted in all parts of Canada,

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provincial convention of 's Christian Temperance take place at Berwick on welcome meeting will

PARRSBORO.

ORO, N. S., Sept. 25.-J. sley, B. L. Tucker, E. R. Holmes and Adams Baird, oro, have purchased from an of Wolfville his East lands, containing 17,000 price paid was \$55,000. The of this valuable property operations at once with etting out a large cut next

Soley and others of Fox ecured an option of the mith timber property at It consists of about 5,000 lent timber land, and the is in the vicinity of \$50 .-

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Jenks is building a telebetween Parrsboro and distance of about twelve probable that the line be extended to Athol. Copper Co. of Cape d'Or to the mine, and thence e Harbor, a distance of wo miles. This puts the

ct, Newcomb, from St emouth Creek, went he latter place last week, total wrack. The Pros ed by Capt. Robert Newro, and was insured. Wagstaff, is fixed to Harrington River for

DIGBY.

t. 26.—Yesterday quite a the locality (near Vicwhich lies on the east y Gut) took place, burn-siderable ground and de-s. Hattie Ellis home and south it licked up fen-and a number of fish it is all they had. The hard work, controlled just Capt John Starr Haywhich had a very har-

nes passed through to morning by the "Flying is honor did a very kind ful act today. He re-oms Officer Thorne of as to purchase some etc.) for the seamen pox, yet quarantined at governor did not for the purpose.

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CITY NEWS.

Recent Events in and Around St. John

Together With Country Items trom Correspondants and Exchanges.

When ordering the address of your WEEKLY SUN to be changed, send he NAME of the POST OFFICE to which the paper is going as well as hat of the office to which you wish member! The NAME of the Post ce must be sent in all cases to ure prompt compliance with your

Captain Robert Cann has purchase from G. P. Mitchell & Son, Halifax, the two-topsail schooner Ida.

The Artillery band will parade 30 strong, resplendent in brand new uniforms for the Halifax trip. Willard Kitchen has secured th

contract for the building of a wharf for the I. C. R., Pictou. The official robe which was made in England for Mayor Daniel to wear during the visit of their highnesses

arrived yesterday. Schr. Lizzie Williams, from Calais for Boston, sprung a leak off Cape Ann, and arrived at Salem Sept. 20, leaking 5.000 strokes per hour.

Sch. St. Clair, Capt. Kingston, from Cadiz Aug. 15, for Gaspe, P. Q., arrived at Plymouth the other day with foremast damaged.

In the Summerside, P. E. I., Methodist church, last Sunday, Rev. Jeb Shenton of Fairville, N. B., occupied the pulpit morning and evening. The services were in connection with the hurch's anniversary.

Prince Edward Island horses appear to suit Capt. Maudsley's requirements better than those of any other prov-ince, and he has already bought a large number of re-mounts for the British army. At Alberton alone he murchased 16 animals purchased 16 animals.

There is a desided change in the date of thanksgiving day. Last year it was Thursday, October 18th, and this year it is shoved away forward to Thursday, November 28th.

Mrs. W. C. Hicks. formerly Miss Jennie Hughes, daughter of the late Rev. B. N. Hughes, is mourning the Ioss of her infant daughter, Katherine, who died at Summit, New Jersey

The boys' brigade of the town will be given a place in the military procession during the wisit of the duke and duchess. Considerable of the intervening time will be spent in drill in order that the brigade may make as good a showing as possible.

WHY EXPERIMENT when you can get a remedy that has been tested for over twenty-five years. Fuller's Blackberry Cordial cures all Summer Complaints in Children and Adults and may be had at all dealers, price 25

Neil Beaton, aged thirty, met a sad death at George's River, Cape Breton on the 24th. He was engaged in drilla distance of twenty feet. He was picked up unconscious and conveyed to his nome, where he soon died.

Engineer Spence Thompson, in charge Saturday evening three miles east of McAdam Junction. A party of men from McAdam went out to the place broken. The moose was killed and taken into McAdam.

Coroner D. E. Berryman, M. D., is acting sheriff for St. John county and will discharge the duties until a successor to the late sheriff is appointed by the local government. Dr. Berryman was notified yesterday by the government to take charge in the interim. He was acting sheriff for three weeks after the death of the late Sheriff Harding.

There will be an exhibition and fair at the Edmunston Trotting Park on Oct. 25, which will be opened by his honor the Heut, governor. An excellent prize list has been prepared and excursion rates have been arranged for on the railways. The sports include a farmers' race, tree for all, a bicycle race, and pulling matches for horses and oxen.

Thomas Campbell of Charlottetown has secured the contract for straightening the curve on the P. E. I. R. at Blueshank. His plan is to remove the clay with trolleys attached to an engine. The common practice has been to remove the earth by means of scoops or carts. The employment of an engine in this confection is a new departure in railroading. Mr. Campbell is an old railroad contractor, and had contracts on the main line of the P. E. I., R., when first constructed.—Patriot, 23rd.

WHEN IN DOUBT es to what to use for Diarrhoea, Cholera, Cramps and all Summer Complaints, don't hesitate to try Fuller's Blackberry Cordial, tried and tested for over twenty-five years. 25 cents at all dealers in medicine.

MONBY TO LOAN.

ONEY TO LOAN on city, town, village country property in amounts to suff a rate of interest. H. H. PROKETT, So or, 50 Princess street, St. John.

The canvassers and colectors for the SEMI-WERK-LY SUN are now making their rounds as mentioned below. The Manager hopes that all subscribers in arrears will pay when called

B. W. Robertson, in Charlotte Co.

Edgar Canning, in Albert and Westmorland Counties. John E. Austin, in Queens County.

***************** LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE

[To Correspondents—Write on one side of the paper only. Send your name, not necessarily for publication, with your communication. The Sun does not undertake to return rejected manuscripts. All unsigned communications are promptly consigned to the waste basket.]

WHEN P. E. ISLANDERS WANT TO VISIT ST JOHN

To the Editor of the Sun: Sir-As the Duke and Duchess Cornwall and York are not visiting Prince Edward Island, would it not be well for your committee of man-agement having in charge the recepion to the royal party on the 17th October in St. John City, to have excursion rates from the Island, as we believe a large number would avail themselves of visiting your beautiful city at that time should any induceents offer in the way of cheap fares? O. B. WADMAN

Crapaud, P. E. I., Sept. 25th, 1901. DIGBY COUNTY, Sept. 24, 1901. To the Editor of the Sun:

Sir-You and your readers undo edly noticed a few days ago where Capt. Pratt in the Curiew towed up some small fishing vessels to St. An-drews for violation of law in catching errings on the spawning ground bouthern Head, Grand Manap. making laws that will forbid a fisherman in a boat or vessel from catching herrings in a certain described locality, and then issuing licenses to some 15 or 17 weirs to fish and take thousands of barrels of spawn fish on the very grounds interdicted to the boats and vessels. It is no wonder that our fishermen fume and fret over this matter. Why should the government make believe that they are trying to preserve the spawning grounds and then allow these weirs to destroy more fish in one day than all the vessels would do in a month's time? Away sels would do in a month's time? Aw with such mockery. Why pretend to preserve the fisheries when they allow to wit, the lobster law enacted in west-ern Nova Scotia. One member threat-ens to resign. Another one defies the tovernment and puts his name to ar-icles in the weekly press telling the ishermen to break the law and he will to have a new minister of fisheries and I pray High Heaven that he will be one who will look after the interest of all and not of a few, one who will know a fish when he sees it, and one who, when a law is made for the preservation of a valuable fishery, will Yours, ONE INTERESTED.

Sackville Post: P. G. Mahoney, who has been in Antigonish for two or three weeks, spent Sunday at his home in Melrose, but left again yesterday for Nova Scotia. Mr. Mahoney has shipped 1,400 lambs from Antigonish and expects to ship several hundred

Hartley Case and Mable I. Ons of St. John.

DOLE-VAUGHAN.—At St. James church, Tuesday, Sept. 24th, 1901, by Rev. A. D. Dewdney, Richard Dole to Ella Yarrington, daughter of S. T. Vaughan, all of St. John.

HAMM-DUPLISEA.—At the residence of the bride's parents, Enniskillen station, N. B. by Rev. O. N. Mott, James W. Hamm of St. John west to Miss Ada Duplisea of Enniskillen station, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Duplissa.

HOYT-SHORT—At the Church of St. John Baptist, Sept. 25th, Herbert C. Hoyt to Eunice K. Short, both of St. John. Ceremony was performed by Rev. C. B. Kentick.

ERAEL-SPENCER.—At the residence of J. St. St. John C. B. Kentick.

LATE SHERIFF STURDEE.

Universal regret was expressed the city Wednesday, when it was learned that Sheriff Sturdee, who had learned that Sheriff Sturdee was dead. It was not unexpected, but there is none the less sincere regret at the termination of a useful life which had seemed to give promise of many more years of usefulness.

Henry Lawrance Sturdee, M. A., his

heriff of the city and county of St. sheriff of the city and county of St.
John, was born April 11th, 1842, in St.
John. His parents were Henry Parker Sturdee and Emily Lawrance, his
wife, both natives of England. Mr.
Sturdee was educated at private schools
and King's college, Fredericton. He
matriculated in September, 1858, was
awarded the Douglas gold medal in
1859, graduated B. A. in 1861 and M. A.
in 1863. He studied law in St. John in 1863. He studied law in St. John with Gray & Kaye, barristers; was adwith Gray & Kaye, barristers; was admitted an attorney in 1864 and called to the bar in 1865, and has since practiced his profession in St. John. He was appointed a referee of the supreme court of New Brunswick, equity side, in 1886, and was appointed sheriff in April 1893. He was elected an alderman for ward four of the same for ward for ward four of the same for ward for war ortland in 1883, 1884 and 1885. He was also elected a councillor of the munci-pality of St. John in 1883, and served five years in that capacity. He was sen warden in April, 1884 and 1885 In April, 1886, he was elected mayor of Portland, and was re-elected by accla-

mation the following year. Sheriff Sturdee belonged Sheriff Sturdes belonged to the Church of England and has been vestry clerk and treasurer of Trinity church since 1871 and secretary treasurer of the Madras school since 1877. He was worshipful master of the Union Lodge of Portland, A. F. & A. M., was a member of the New Brunswick Royal Arch Chapter, and of the Encampment of St. John (Knights Templar). He was two years president of St. George's society and was lieutenant colonel of the 3rd St. John reserve militia.

Sheriff Sturdee was married Sept 26th, 1866 to Jane Agnes, daughter of the late William R. Fraser, M. D., of Edinburgh, Scot'and, who survives him. together with five children, viz: H. Russell Sturdee, with the James Pender company; E. Fred. L., of the C. P. railway, Toronto; and Harold E. C of the C. P. railway in this city, an wo young daughters. He leaves prother, E. T. Sturdee, and two sist ors, all of whom reside in St. John Sheriff Sturdee resided on Mount Plea-sant, off Wright street, which house

POLICE MAGISTRATE'S TRIBUTE. Before taking up the regular busi-ness of the police court that morning Magistrate Ritchie said: Magistrate Ritchie said:

"I have to announce the death of Sheriff Sturdee, which occurred at an early hour this morning. By his death the city loses one who in the different positions it has been his lot to occupy, has proved himself a most conscientious and painstaking official, performing his duties in a careful and entirely satisfactory manner. When one like sherin Sturdee passes away it is a grand thing to be able to say that on account of his own personal worth and his service to the community at large the announcement of his death is heard with universal regret. I have known Mr. Sturdee intimately for upwards of forty years, having been a student with him in the '60's, and to me his

death is a matter of personal loss." The St. John Law Society met Thursday morning and passed resolutions in regard to the late Sheriff Sturdee, for thirty-five years a member of the bar. J. D. Hazen, K. C., presided, and said that the meeting was alled a put on record their recognition of he active and prominent part played by the late Sheriff Sturdee. For the last five or six years his duties brought him in intimate contact with the members of the bar and all who knew him, knew that no man could have discharged his duties in a better manner. In election matters his duties was discharged in an impartial manner and he held the scales with an even hand.

L. A. Currey, K. C., in tresenting the following resolution, said that it was a sad event that brought the society together and a titing tribute should be paid. Great credit and honor is due to the late sheriff or the impartial manner in which he discharged regard to the late Sheriff Sturdee, for

and will not be swerved from the path of right by friend or foe.

partial manner in which he discharged his duties. His family can look back upon an honorable record. To the members of the bar he was always courteous and kind.

Resolved. That this society has learned with profound regret of the death of one of its members, thenry Lawrance Sturdee.

Mr. Sturdee has for many years been prominent in professional and civic affairs. As alderman and mayor of the City, of Portland, as a member of the synod or his church and secretary of several of its committees, as a member of our profession and as a citizen, he displayed qualities of a superior order, and later, as High Sheriff of the City and County of Saint John, he brought to the discharge of that honorable and important office a judgment and experience which enabled him to command public confidence and respect. In his death this society has lost a worthy member, the community a useful and desirable citizen. It may truly be said of him that he was a splendid type of an educated Christian gentleman.

And further resolved, That this resolution he entered.

loss.

In seconding the resolution, Dr. Stockton said that he concurred with the remarks of the president and the mover of the resolution. Sheriff Sturdee was admitted an attorney at law on the same day that he was admitted a student-at-law, and the acquaintance and friendship formed then had remained unbroken. He had always found him an upright and honerable member of the profession, one of the highest meeds of praise to be given any man.

The resolution was put and carried

The resolution was put and carrie On motion of J. R. Armstrong, K. C. seconded by the Attorney General, it was decided to meet in a body at the law library this afternoon at a quarter to three to attend the services in Trinity church. OTTAWA.

mmer Postal Arrangements Withthe Yukon May be Terminated at Any Moment.

of Salmon in the Miramichi Very Large-Special Officers Sent to Prevento Their Slaughter.

OTTAWA, Sept. 25.—There is surely row brewing in connection with the issue of invitations to the pavilion on Parliament hill and the state dinner on the day of the arrival of the Duke and Duchess. It is claimed by clergyen of the evangelical demonination that the Roman Catholic and Church of England clergy alone were recog-nized and invited to be present. The prevalent feeling is expressed in a dignified letter to the Press by Rev. Dr. Moore, ex-moderator of the Pres byterian church. Mr. Gobeil, deputy minister of public works, had the is suing of invitations. He is credited in an evening paper with an explanation of his actions, but repudiates the interview. Mr. Gobell says he is reonsible only to his chief, and that when Hon. Mr. Tarte calls upon him for explanations he will give them.

In this connection an interesting story is being told. Mr. Falconio, the papel ablegate, was one of the invited iests to the state dinner last week It is said that as a prince of the church he claimed precedence over Archbishop Duhamel, but the arch-bishop held firmly that the state dinner was not a clerical affair, being purely a state function. The authorties recognized this contention and below both Archbishop Dunamel and the Anglican bishop of Ottawa, being

junior to both. It is explained that the reason why the privilege of the free admission into Canada of bicycles owned by members of the league of American wheelmen has been withdrawn is because the asociation has lost considerable money der the existing arrangement. The sociation gave a bond to the cus-ms authorities under which they arantee the duty upon bicycles ought into Canada under the existing regulation and not returned to the States within aix months. Some dishonest persons have taken advantage of the concession, and the association has been compelled to pay up for this dishonesty. The association itself has therefore, asked for the can-

stion has been compelled to pay up for this dishonesty. The association itself has, therefore, asked for the cancellation.

A telegram was received today from Commodore Winslow at Halifax, stating that Admiral Bedford was at sea, but that in a few days he would return and the matter of permitting the officers and men of the Indefatigable to give evidence before the Montreal pilotage board regarding the grounding of the warship in the St. Lawrence. ing of the warship in the St. Lawrence will be laid before him.

Lady Minto lost an \$800 bracelet en route to the parliament buildings Mon-

notice issued by the post office depart-ment today, summer arrangements for the despatch of mails to Dawson and other places in the Yukon district may this takes place it may be necessary, as in previous years, to restrict mails to letters and a limited quantity of

partment are now being devoted to making the royal review at Toronto The run of salmon on the Miramich is reported to be exceptionally great, is reported to be exceptionally great, but on account of the lowness of the water the fish have been unable to ascend the Northwest and Southwest branches. The consequence is that they are detained in pools at the head of the tide, these pools being simply alive with a solid mass of salmon. Owing to this extraordinary condition of affairs the fishery officers find it difficult to prevent the wholesale destruction of the fish, and it has been struction of the fish, and it has been found necessary to send down from the head waters of the river overseers to guard these pools, where the salmon are lying awaiting a rise of water. General O'Graiy-Haly was asked today if there was anything to make public about the trouble in connection with the men who turned out in khaki on Saturday, contrary to orders, to receive their medals. The general would not speak on the subject, beyond saying the mafter was being considered by higher powers.

J. R. Booth, the well known lumberman, has undertaken to erect a burner in which the destroy his mill refuse. Accordingly there will be a supension of prosecutions by the marine department.

ment.

A. L. Sifton, commissioner of public works in the Northwest government, has been offered the vacant position of chief justice of the supreme court of the Territories. It is reported that he has declined the offer.

The Duke of Cornwall told some gentlemen here that the Ottawa illuminations were the best he had ever seen in any part of the world.

The smallpox situation in Ottawa is is very serious. Compulsory vaccination by law is being enforced in the suburbs.

City Solicity McViety has required.

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City Solicitor MeViety has rounded upon Aid. Lewis, who is suing the corporation for illegally spending, as he contends, \$7,500 on the reception to the Duke of York. The city solicitor says either Lewis is disqualified as an algerman or else he must withdraw file suit, on the ground that no alderman eau, sue the corporation and retain his seat at the council board.

to the house within half an hour of the occurrence, but not a moment too

COURT NEWS: Circuit Court.

From Friday's Daily Sun. Mayes v. Connoily occupied the circuit court all day yesterday. The cross-examination of the defendant occupied the morning session, and the re-examination took nearly the whole of the afternoon. The P. Charleson re-examination took nearly the whole of the afternoon. Thos. P. Charleson, the bookkeeper of the defendant, then went on the stand and was under examination by Mr. Currey at the hour of adjournment. The case will be resumed this morning and there will be a short adjournment in the afternoon for the funeral of Sheriff Sturdee.

Attorney General Pugsley and J. R. Attorney General Pugsiey and J. B. M. Baxter for plaintiff; A. A. Stock-ton, K. C., and L. A. Currey, K. C.,

Probate Court. Yesterday morning in the probate court a petition was presented by Michael Gallagher, a creditor, to re-move Edward McGuiggan, jr., from the office of administrator of the es-tate of his father, the late Edward McGuiggan, on the ground that he was allowing the estate to be wasted. A citation was granted, returnable the 4th day of November next. John L. A patition to pass the accounts to the amount of two hundred and eighty-six thousand dollars of the estate of the late James D. Lewin was present-

of November next. Bowyer S. Smith, County Court In county court chambers, before Judge Forbes, yesterday, in the case of Schofield Brothers v. Edward J. an & Tilley, on behalf of the aintiffs, an order was made for the what property, etc., the defendant had which is liable to be taken under ex-

Before Judge McLeod the taking the evidence in the suit of Charles McGregor Roberts against the steamer Pawnee, which ran into the schoon er Roland at the mouth of the harbo years' experience, was the first wit-ness called. On the day of the collision he was out in a rowboat with Charles Trainor, looking for a job and having heard the sound of a horn and having heard the sound of a horn, steered in the direction from which it came. They met the schooner Roland. There was thick fog and they could see one hundred yards. Some time later he heard the steamer's whistle to the eastward, and rowed towards the steamer, which in his judgment was

Gordon Morris, one of the crew, we gave evidence in a former proceeding was recalled and allowed to correct statement made by him as to the bloing of the horn. He said he was bloing it oftener than the Partridge land whistle. H. H. McLean, K. for plaintiff, and C. J. Coster for defendant.

THE ROYAL VISIT.

No Invitations to the St. John Recep-

turned from Ottawa, Montreal and Quebec, whither he was as the reprement to study matters in connection with the reception of the Duke and Duchess of Cornwall and York in on the St. John reception. Mr. Rob-ertson is delighted with what he has en and heard, and more especie with the Ottawa illuminations. He says that the Duchess of York has says that the Duchess of York has captivated everybody by her courtly grace and sweet disposition, and that the hold she has taken on the Canadian heart will last for all time.

At a meeting of the committee of the government yesterday, George Robertson, secretary of the committee, submitted a report of his visit to Quebec, and various details connected with the visit of the royal carty wars. with the visit of the royal party

with the visit of the royal party were considered.

Among other matters it was decided that there shall be no invitations to the reception by their Royal Highnesses to be held in the evening in the exhibition building, but that all ladies and gentlemen costumed as required by the regulations will be received.

Other official announcements of published interest will be made in a day or two.

Sun to state that th portion of the reception in St. John will be on a large scale. Over 700 members of the different N. B. corps will, including 80 to 100 of the Princess Louise Hussars, will be brought to this city by the local government to reinforce the several St. John branches of the service, and in addition the Canadian regulars at Fredericton will be called on to swell fire military display.

AT WINNIPEG.

The Royal Visitors Given a Splendio Reception at the Manitoba

Thousands of Visitors from the Prairie Towns Participate in the Welcome-At Regina Today-

WINNIPEG, Sept. 26.—The Duke and Duchess of Cornwall received their first welcome to the west at Winnipeg, the capital of Manitoba, today. They arrived at noon, and during a halt of ten hours' duration were the

guests of a hospitable people. Thousands of visitors from the prairie towns gathered for participation in the reception, and the streets were filled with cheering crowds when were filled with cheering crowds when the royal party arrived. It was shortly before noon when the royal special pulled into the C. P. R. station, and there was a great throng gathered to greet its passengers. All of the local militia and police, the regulars quartered here and several civic societies were formed about the station for the procession that followed. The Duke and Duchess were welcomed by Premier Laurier and Countess of Minto, who arrived on the pilot special, Lieut. Governor McMillan, Premier Roblin, ed by the executors and a citation was issued, made returnable the 11th day Governor McMillan, Premier Roblin, Mayor Arbuthnot, the bishops of the Roman Catholic and Anglican churches, the judges of the supreme court and a number of prominent cit-

After the formal presentations, the Duke and Duchess were escorted through the flag decorated streets and inder great arches made of wheat to a stand in front of the city hall; where

The Duke replied, after which he presented service medals to 96 young Canadians who served with the col-onial contingents in South Africa. At the conclusion of the ceremonies the city hall, the Duke and Duch the city hall, the Duke and Duchess were driven to government house, where they lunched with Lieutenant Governor and Mrs. McMillan. At 3 o'clock in the afternoon the Duke and Duchess asisted in the formal opening of the new building of Manitota University. There was another large crowd gathered about the university, and the Duke and Duchess were foundly cheered when they drew up and entered the grounds.

They were first presented with an address, and after the Duke had replied, were taken into the building to sign the register.

Three thousand school children, mar-shalled on a great stand, sang patri-otic songs, and a cadet company of young Indian boys gave an exhibition

United States Consul Graham was presented to the Duke by the mayor, and was given a very cardial greating.

Participants and spectators joined in

ner tonight at government house.

The city was brightly illumina and during the night there was and during the night there was a torch light procession and an elaborate display of fire works. The night scenes on the streets, with the lights, decorations and moving crowds, were very attractive. Hundreds of men bearing torches escorted the ducal party to their train at 10 o'clock and

for the west.

The next stop on the tour will be made tomorrow at Regina, where the Duke and Duchess leave the train for a few hours.

coops will escort them to government ouse, where they will be entertaine

MONCTON

MONCTON, Sept. 26.—Edward, or Cooke Wallace, as he is more familiarly called, arrested last night in conly called, arrested last night in con-nection with the murder of Poirier at Glace Bay, was released today on re-ceipt of a telegram from Crown Pro-secutor Hearn that there was no evi-dence to cause his detention any longer. According to Wallace's own story, he did not know exactly what happened after he left the restaurant on the night of Poirier's disappear-ance.

Secretary Paver of the L C. R. In

SYDNEY, N. S., Sept. 26.—The town

councillor Hanrahan moved that owing to the increase of twenty-five per cent. in insurance rates, that the business of the town be taken out of the tariff companies and placed with non-tariff companies. Passed.

Mayor Crowe, speaking on this matter, said a strong memorial should be sent to these companies respecting the rating of town buildings. He trusted that this movement would lead to the

FOR LIEUT.-GOVERNOR.

PROVINCIAL NEWS

Harvesting is done. Considerable buckwheat was damaged by the late

the record by picking ripe wild straw-berries last Thursday.

Joseph Robinson, formerly of Elgin, but late of Havelock, died on Friday at the residence of J. W. Robinson of Elgin, where he had recently gone to make a visit. The deceased, who had been felling for paging a year way. been falling for nearly a year, was 77 years of age, and had been for many three daughters. The sons are: J. W. Robinson of Elgin, S. A. Robinson of Lake View, Me., and A. H. Robinson, superintendent of the Elgin and Havelock railway. The daughters are Mrs. C. A. Stafford of Atlanta, Mass.; Mrs. Gideon Graves of Goshen, N. B., and Miss Amanda Robinson of Malden, Mass. Three brothers and one bister Mass. Three brothers and one bister survive him, namely, John Robinson of Silver Lake hotel, Duluth; Elias Robinson of St. John, and Mrs. George Graves of Glenville. The late R. D. Robinson of Sussex was a brother. The fumeral took place on Saturday from the residence of J.W.Robinson of Eigin and was conducted by the Rev. Mr. Saunders of Eigin Baptist church. The floral offerings were very beautiful. Blanch Alward, who has recovered from her late illness, has accepted a

from her late illness, has accepted a school in St. John. Detective Ring of St. John spent

Tuesday in Havelock looking into the burglary case. A very enjoyable corn party was seld at the residence of C. F. Alward

A. C. M. Lawson of Salisbury, gran secretary of the Grand Lodge of New Brunswick, I. O. G. T., delivered a lec-ture at Spring Hill on Saturday even-ing in the interest of Good Templary. A temperance sermon was preached in Havelook Baptist church yesterday lock Baptist church yesterdaying by the Rev. Dr. Brown. A.

C. M. Lawson also addressed the meet accepted a position in the store of the Sussex Mercantile Co. of this place. The fall races on Havelock trotting will be held on the 10th. good purse will be offered, which the directors hope will bring out some

BOIESTOWN, Sept. 23.—This morna young man named Fred Palmer, of William Palmer of Campbell tlement, had his hand shattered by the explosion of a dynamite cartridge.

Dr. Irvine was called and had to amputate the hand a few inches above the wrist. Mr. Palmer has only been a few months married and the accidant of a section of the section of t

dent is particularly sad.

Miss Ella Green of Hayesville, and George Moore of the same place, are to be married on Wednesday of this week, Rev. Harold Clarke officiating.

Fred McCloskey left by the C. E. R.

ectrical engineering department. Rev. Haroid Clarke has returned com the marriage of Rev. Mr. Robb, and occupied the pulpit of the Boies-town Methodist church on Sunday

will return to her home in Alberton, P. E. I., on Tuesday. She will spend a few days with her son, in the employ of Messrs. Robb of Amherst, on her way back.

her way back.

The evangelistic services in the Bolestown Methodist church, conducted by Rev. W. J. Kirby, closed on Friday night, a large congregation being in attendance. The services have resulted in much good to the members of the churches and others. Special services commence tonight in the Doaktown Methodist and Presbyterian churches. Mr. Kirby will be assisted by Revs. Mr. Knight and Clarke.

Mrs. Sharpe of Benton is visiting at

Next week Rev. Mr. Kirby expects to finish the evangelistic services in this field, and will go to Salisbury, where he will commence a two months campaign, assisted by Rev. C. H

In a letter received from Rev. G. W. Fisher, president of the N. B. and P. E. I. Conference, and now in Englands says he will sail tomorrow, the Lake Manitoba, for hon Ath, by the Lake Manitona, for home. He expects to occupy his pulpit in the Central Methodist church, Moncton, the first Sunday in October. He speaks very highly of the ecumenical conference he has been attending in the City Road Methodist church, Lon-

HAMPSTEAD, Queens Co., Sept. 24.

Geo. N. Palmer, formerly of this place, but now of Moncton, and wife, are here visiting friends.

Allison Armstrong and family of Pokiok, St. John, were the guests of

Pokiok, St. John, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. John A. Dougan on Sun-

Fred C. Stuits and Miss Laura Slipp were elected delegates to attend the Provincial Sunday School Convention at Fredericton from the Central

Provincial Sunday School Convention at Fredericton from the Central Hampstead Sunday school.

Miss Mabel Vanwart, eldest daughter of Wilford Vanwart, and Willard Slipp, son of Asa Slipp, were married this morning at 10 o'clock. The nuptial knot was tied by Rev. W. H. Perry, F. B. paster of this place. Mr. and Mrs. Slipp took the steamer Victoria en route to Boston on their bridal tour, after which they will reside at Central Hampstead,

MONOVION N. B. Sent. 35. Cook

MONCTON, N. B., Sept. 25.— Cook Wallace is under arrest here, under instructions from the crown prosecutor at Glace Bay, Cape Breton, in connection with the murder of Poirier on Saturday night. An officer is expected tomorrow with a warrant to take Wallace back to Cape Breton. Wallace denies all knowledge of the crime. He says he has been working on the reserve branch of the Louisburg railway as a brakeman and latterly as a conductor, and that he drew his pay and quit on Saturday. Wallace's father lives here.

The funeral of the late Alex, F. Irving of the I. C. R. shops, who died Saturday night in Montreal, where he had gone for treatment, took place

to which the deceased belonged, marched in the procession, headed by the Citizens' band. There were many beautiful floral tributes, including wreaths from the firemen, Oddfellows, and trades union, and a crown from the employes of the I. C. R. turning shop, in which the deceased worked.

A very pretty wedding took place at the residence of Mrs. Z. Lockhart's tonight, when her daughter, Miss Ethel, was married to Alfred Gorbell of the I. C. R. Only friends of the family were present. After the cerefamily were present. After the ceremony, which was performed by Rev. J. B. Champion, tuncheon was served and the young couple left on the maritime express for Montreal en route to Buffalo and other points of

In a match for \$200 a side at Shedia today, Robert Wood, owned by P. F. Melanson, defeated Jock, owned by John P. Leger, best two in three heats. Best time, 2.37 1-2, the track being very heavy.

RICHIBUCTO, Sept. 25.—The circuicourt, Chief Justice Tuck presiding, pened yesterday. The grand jury ected R. O'Leary as their fores There was no criminal business to deal with, and after being addressed harged. There were no civil cases to be tried and the court adjourned. Miss Maud Grierson, a nurse at the Massachusetts General Hospital, is

Father Henry O'Leary, who was ordained on Saturday last, leaves short-

Loggie discharged a cargo of box shooks for A. & R. Loggie last week. Con. Wm Robertson of the N. Y., N. H. and H. railroad, who has been in town for the past months, accompan-led by his wife, returned to Boston

Councillors Robt, W. Beers and Fred S. Peters, who represented this parish for the past two years, will again be candidates in the election which takes place on the 15th of October.

SACKVILLE, N. B., Sept. 25 .- The Strathcona Coal Co. will meet in Faw-cett's brick block on Friday at one o'clock for the purpose of completing organization.

The artificial lake on the park of the ladies' college is now completed. The money required for this work was supplied by Senator Wood.

Rev. Cecil Wiggins and wife, who have been in Quebec and Montreal in company with Sir Louis and Lady s, returned yesterday. The and allowed them to land. A meeting of the Sackville Parisi Liberal Association was held last night, when the following officers were ht, when the following officers were ted: President, Chas. E. Lund; reasurer, C. C. Avard; treasurer, W. B. Dixon. A committee of five was appointed to consider what action should be taken with reference to the

DORCHESTER, Sept. 25 .- Scott H. Dickie's store at Middleton, about a nile and a half from Dorchester, was burglarized last night and goods to Entranca was effected through one of the upsiairs windows. A large lot of clothing of different kinds, silks, tobacco, etc., were included in the list of articles taken, and while it is a little difficult to say just what was taken, and was taken. taken, yet it was quite apparent that the thieves secured a big haul. The safe, however, was not disturbed, and it looked as if the burglars were after a winter's supply of clothing, etc., mather than cold cash. There were wagon tracks about the premise showing that the thieves had cor

prepared to carry away a con able quantity of stuff. able quantity of stuff.

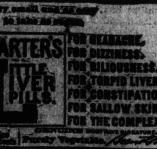
There is quite a number of ex-convicts hereabouts, and lately an ex-convict stranger has been here with his old associates and people are naturally suspicious of them.

An ex-convict named John Doyle has been arrested for complicity in the affair and is now in jail. Detectives Bowser and ayer are now after two more ex-convicts named Nickerson and Doyle, who have decamped.

BENTLEY'S is the best Liniment.

HOPEWELL HILL, Sept. 24.-Miss Adelaide Barrett Jump, of Boston, gave the closing recital of her New Brunswick tour last evening, und the auspices of the ladies of the Ba tist church. Rev. F. D. Davidson of Tennessee, the Dead Doll, and Gree Grow the Rushes, were particular good. During the evening two chorus





and Mrs. Paul C. Robinson of St. John sang several selections that were greatly enjoyed, her finely trained voice wing to particularly good advant-. At the close of the entertain-nt refreshments were furnished and the sum of \$27 was cleared in aid of

the Baptist church fund.
Gordon A. Stuart, who has been visiting his home here, left this morning for Boston, where he resides. Miss Augusta Buttenfield has returned from a visit to Sussex. Miss Ada Northrup of Collina, Kings Co., is visiting friends at Lower Cape.

Allen Fales and C. C. West have from Addison Derry the

little schooner Velma A., which will be run as a packet between Moncton and Shepody river ports. Albert Robertson has moved his family to Albert.

MILLTOWN, N. B., Sept. 23.—Phil section was visited by a very heavy frost last night. The funeral of Zene Fitzpatrick too place from his father's residence, Mill-town, Maine, Friday, Sept. 20. The funeral procession was headed by the St. Stephen band and the Order of phen band and the Order of es. Mr. Fitzpatrick will be

sed very much by his young asso-The death of Mrs. Effic Miller, wife of John Miller, took place at her home at Ferry Point, Calais, Wednesday, Sept. 18, after a lingering and painful illness. The funeral took place Friday morning at the Church of the Im-Conception, Calais. She husband and eleven children

to mourn their great loss. Captain Colin J. Grearson of Calais and Miss Fannie B. Bohannon were married Wednesday evening at the home of Mrs. Mary Bohannon, Pleasant street, by the Rev. W. W. Ogler.
Wm. McKenzie is here, called by the ickness of his brother, Sandy Kenzie. Bert Butler arrived home Saturday, after spending the summer

William McKenzie leaves this morning for Millinockel, where he is em-ployed in the pulp mill.

MILLSTREAM, Sept. 23.- George Hayes, an old resident of this place, died on Friday, 21st, of paralysis, jeaving a wife and grown up family. Interment took place in the Head of the Millstream cemetery. Rev. Mr. Hamilton conducted the guerral envises. ilton conducted the funeral service The family have the sympathy of all Ripe strawberries were picked by some of the children on their way to school one day this week.

SHOT TO DEATH Particulars of the Death of Claud Law

at Canterbury Station. CANTERBURY STATION, Sept 24 One of the saddest and most pathetic dents in the history of this village curred on the afternoon of Saturday, 1st inst., about a mile from the station, near what is known as Estey

About one o'clock p. m., a resident of the place, Mansfield Grant, by name, taking a Snider Enfield vigo started down the C. P. R. track toward the lake, for an afternoon's hunt. From the track he proceeded a short distance through the woods, to a brook flowing from the lake. Here he remained for some minutes. An old unfrequented highway road, now obstructed by fall-en trees and alders, crosses this brook about forty fect from where the hunts-man halted.

Shortly after Mr. Grant left the station another hunting party, consisting of John Lundon, Chas. Lundon, his little nephew, and Claude Law, the all residents of the village, started to-ward the same lake, along the old oad near which was Mr. Grant. When about fifty rods from the road the party separated Mr. Lundon and his nephew leaving the road, and Claude following it toward the lake in quest of ducks. About a minute after the separation Mr. Lundon heard the reseparation Mr. Lundon heard the reserved and again the shout. ort of a rifle, and some one shout: 'I'm shot." Hurrying to the spot, he found Mr. Grant caressing the body of the unfortunate little fellow, who

of the unfortunate little fellow, who was limp and lifeless.

Grant says he heard the boy rustling through the trees, and thought that it was a deer; and that, under this false impression, he fired at the moving boughs and thus shot the boy. Monday forenoon an inquest was held, the above statements being chiefly based on evidence then brought forth. The jury brought in a verdict which, so far as the writer's knowledge goes, merely condenses the above narrative: adding that Mr. Grant should not have shot until he saw what he not have shot until he saw what he was aiming at.

The remains of the poor boy were interred this morning in the cemetery near the village, and in sight of the school which he regularly attended, the school-children, led by their teachers, forming part of the sad proces-

SMALLPOX IN HALIFAX. Two Cases Broke Out in a Lodging House on Lockman Street.

A special meeting of the board of health was called last evening to con-sider a most serious matter. Several weeks ago two seamen landed from Canso from the schooner Goodwin, ow in quarantine at Lawlor's Island and subsequently came to Halifax. They stayed at "08 Lockman street They stayed at '08 Lockman street over night and took the D. A. R. next morning for Yarmouth, Previous to their admission to the lodging house on Lockman street, the landlady noticing spots on the face of one of the men, demanded a certificate of freedom from disease. This was furnished dom from disease. This was furnished by a city physician. At Middleton, however, Dr. A. P. Reid, secretary of the provincial board of health, noticed the case and on his instructions the men were detained at Meteghan station as small pay suggests. The first state of the case and the state of the case of t tion as smallpox suspects. The disease developed later and the men were put under strict surveillance.

When it became known here that the men had slept in a Halifax house the men had stept in a Halifar house the local board of health took every precaution to prevent infection. The lodging house was thoroughly fumi-gated and the proprietress showed every disposition to assist in the pre-ventive measures. Yesterday two

tons of smallpox and pronounced the patients to be suffer-ing from the dread disease.

The authorities at once proclaimed a peen placed on guard, and no person is permitted to approach the house. The malipox ward of the infectious diseases hospital will be opened at once and Captain Downey will act as keeper. Supplies for the institution hav een ordered to be sent out, and everything possible will be done to prevent the spread of the scourge.

AT CHATHAM.

Annual Meeting of Women's Foreign Missionary Society of the Methodist

CHATHAM, N. B., Sept. 25 .- At this lelegates was introduced by Mrs. Byon Coulthart, and was fully discusin an interesting manner by the dif-

tary, read a very encouraging report, showing increases in membership and

ed with an eloquent address on the past work of the society and hoping or a continuance of the good work. A consecration meeting, led by Mrs. Sprague of Sackville, was the closing feature of the afternoon session. At the evening service an address of welcome was presented from St. Luke's church, which was read by Mrs. Matthews. Greetings were also read from St. John's and St. Andrew's churches. The corresponding secretary's report showed the adult membership of the society to be 1,578; young members, 1,717, and that subns amounted to \$136 over th

Two interesting sessions were held Tuesday, the executive meeting in the evening at the residence of Mrs. J. B. Snowball.

SALE OF INVENTIONS. The entire right to patent No. 399,960 for sad iron heating apparatus in 44 counties and one township of Ohio, has been assigned to the Shreve Manufacturing Company of Shreve, Ohio, June 4, 1901, by John Dally, for \$1,000.

657,304, for oil can. In consideration of \$500, Frank P. H. Loftis has assigned (May 20, 1901), his entire right in the states of Oregon and Washington, in his patent No. 469,-543, to D. H. Handon, for "gang ed-

\$1,500, assigned to W. K. Trimble and J. C. Campbell, of Joplin, Mo., his enand coffee pot, in seven named states, and also in the invention of ribbon

torneys, Montreal, for a copy of their nventor's Help.

For Infants and Children.

CANADIAN SYMPATHY

Token of a Feeling Which Should Be Cu (Syracuse, N. Y., Post-Standard.)

(Syracuse, N. Y., Post-Standard.)

The attitude of the people of Canada towards the people of the United States at this time is the attitude of warm brotheriliness. All social functions attending the visit of the King's son, who has now reached Quebec, have been suspended. It might almost be said that throughout the whole dominion eyes are turned towards Washington rather than towards Quebe. The yacht Ophir, bearing the Duke and Duchess of Cornwall and York, was in Canadian waters when the bulletins from the bedside of the dying president were circulated throughout the globe, and Canada was in mourning.

The Toronto Globe expressed the hope that this coincidence might mean greater international fellowship. Americans who were in Canada at the time say that the feeling of the people of Canada was not less strong, apparently, than the feeling of the people of cities on this side of the line. You might have thought it was Sir Wilfrid Laurier who lay dying. In a theatre in London, Ontario, some empty headed attified at McKinley's death. It was pitched out of the place, and received a very thorough thrashing at the hands of his fellow Canadians.

Now all these evidences of Canadian friendliness, like the tokens of friendliness on the part of Great Britain during the Spanish war, are specially grateful to the American people. Our relations with Canada in past years have been clouded and modiled in many ways. We have had boundary disputes, one of which nearly caused a war, and we have had great discussions about Canadian annexation, as though friendliness could not exist on any less terms than absorption.

Those who have held this opinion ought to be convinced of their mistake by the manner in which Canada turned out with her volunteers for the Boer war.

The manner in which the news of McKinley's death ras been received in Canada is a token of the very sort of feeling which we hope to see grow and deepen on both sides of the line, the enthusiasam of kindliness without the slightest lack of dignity or the slightest tou

strict quarantine. A policeman has

morning's session of the W. F. M. S. Mrs. Chipman read an address. About seventy delegates attended. After the minutes were read, Dr. Maud Killam iress. The subject of the duties of

At the afternoon se rhomson of Fredericton lead the open-ng exercises, and the year's report of the work was submitted by Miss Pal-mer. The report showed that a large amount of valuable work had been done, and the Chatham district was congratulated upon the work the ranch had done. The contributions were more per capita than any other

Mrs. Coulthart, mission band secre-

ontributions.

Mrs. Chipman of St. Stephen follow-

of last year.

Dr. Maude Killam addressed a large audience in St. Luke's church on missionary work in China. She spoke of sionary work in China. She spoke of the state of the sionary work in China. She spoke of the few missionaries in proportion to the population, described the differ-ent religions and gave many illustra-tions which so retarded the progress of China, the evils of the opium habit was referred to at length and she closed an interesting, helpful and in-structive address with a strong ap-peal for financial aid.

York, N., for \$2,500, his entire right in the State of Maine for his patent No.

Edwin C. Crook, on May 21, 1901, for

ironer and renovator, for which pat-ent has been applied for. Write Marion & Marion, patent at-

CASTORIA

Bicyclists and all athletes depend or pre-two joints limber and muscles in trim. WEDDING BELLS.

(Tuesday's Sun.)

Yesterday afternoon at the residence of Charles Lowe, Princess street, Dr. Mayes H. Case was married to Mrs. Elizabeth M. Baird. Only a few were present. The ceremony was performed by Rev. J. D. Freeman. Dr. and Mrs. Case left on the Quebea express Mrs. Case left on the Quebec express for Quebec, Montreal and Toronto. On their return about the middle of next month, they will reside at 179 Princes

At Holy Trinity church yesterday norning, John McMahon was married to Miss Annie Kelly, daughter of oCnluctor Kelly of the I. C. R. Rev. Fr. Walsh performed the ceremony.

Last evening at the residence

David Breen, 238 City, road, his daughter, Miss Annie R. Breen, was united in marriage to Andrew I. Me-garity, the well known grocer of City road. The ceremony was a very quie one, and was performed by the Rev. T. J. Deinstadt of the Exmouth street church. After the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Megarity left by train for Monc-

Rev. Mr. Deinstadt officiated at an other wedding last evening. In Exstreet church at 7 o'clock Arthur B. Sprague, electrician, of Worcester, Mass., was united in marriage to Miss Ada Keller, daughter of

John Kellen. The home of R. J. Dibblee, 150 Broad street, was the scene of a quiet wedding Tuesday afternoon, when his niece, Annie Louise Northrup, and Isaac Burns Murray, of M. and C. W. II. Grant's insurance office, were united in the bonds of holy matrimony. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. A. D. Dewdney, pastor of St. James' church, in the presence of only the most immediate relatives. The bridal party left by the St. Croix for

Boston and New York. Flags were flying in Indiantown yesterday in honor of the marriage yeserday afternoon of Miss Florence Brown, daughter of James Brown, of Holly street, to Alexander Munroe of Portland, Me. The ceremony was performed at the home of the bride's father by Rev. R. P. McKim in the presence of a number of friends. Mr. and Mrs. Munroe left yesterday afternoon for their home in Portland.

In the presence of a large number of guests, Nelson Jeffries, of Jeffries' Corner, and Miss Lena Seeley of Lower Norton were united in marriage in the Lower Norton church at 10 o'clock yesterday forencon. The bride was at-tended by her sister, Miss Minnie eley, and the groom was supported by Ralph Markham of this city. ceremony was performed by the Rev. C. P. Hanington. After the ceremony luncheon was served and a recept held at the home of the bride. Mr. Ars. Jeffries left by the C. P. R. fo Sussex. The bride was the recipient

of many beautiful gifts.

KINGSTON, Ont., Sept. 25.— Edwi.

J. Adams, architect, of the Kingsto penitentiary, and Mrs. Palmer of St. John, N. B., were united in marriage at Portsmouth yesterday. The ceremony was performed by Rev. A. Laird of Cook's Presbyterian church. Mr. and Mrs. Adams left on a trip to St.

en was unearthed in Summers searching the premises of George Wedge (Office:) The officers, who were J. D. Noonan, for both of whom Mrs. Wedge had worked and who had suspected her, found a quantity of dry goods, silverware, bedding, tollet soaps, etc., part of which had been taken from private houses and part from stores, the latter still bearing the price tickets. Both Mrs. Noonan and Mr. Ching identified some of the goods as being theirs, while some of the ticketed goods were identified by clerks from the stores of Messrs. Mc-Gougap & Wright and R. T. Holman, Mrs. Wedge confessed to having stolen some of the stuff, and wanted to be forgiven for it. but she was taken be-fore Judge McLeod and formally charged with larceny. After hearing the evidence his honor remanded her for trial at the next session of the supreme court .- Pioneer

MEN OF THE DAY.

The contest for the seat in Northeast Lanarkshire, rendered vacant by the death of Mr. Colville, radical, is now in full progress between the three adopted candidates, namely, Sir W. Rattigan, unionist; Cecil B. Harmsworth, liberal, and Mr. Smillie, labor. Of the electorate of about 17,000 there are about 3,000 Roman Catholic voters living in the several districts of the division. At meetings of this section of the electorate resolutions have been adopted in favor of Mr. Smille. The last-named has the support of the executive of the frish League, who have sent organizers, to be followed by members of the Irish parliamentary party, including Mr. Redmond. It is further asserted by those who are supporting the league programme that any cleavage among the Irish voters is rather apparent than real, the position having, it is alleged, arisen on account of what is regarded as the too hasty publication of the league's declaration in favor of Mr. Smillie.

A short and easy way with candidates has

the league's declaration in favor of Mr Smillie.

A short and easy way with candidates has been suggested for the consideration of the electors of Northeast Leanark, says the Daily Chronicle. The story goes that some workmen, while awaiting their "turn" in a villiage barber's shop, passed the time in discussing the probable result. Some of the men thought that the contest would be more satisfactory if one of the candidates retired, and so avoided the complications of a three-cornered fight. "Who should retire?" was the question, and the barber declaring that it should be Mr. Smillie, the labor candidate, expressed himself somewhat vehemently as to the means of procuring that end. "You have the means in your own hand," muttered the gentleman upon whom he was operating, speaking as well as could be expected with a razor gliding over his throat. "What do you mean?" said the barber. "I am Mr. Smillie," was the reply, "and you have me at your mercy."

GLASGOW EXHIBITION.

The Glasgow exhibition executive council states that up to the 4th inst. there had been taken at the gates and for season tickets about £195,000. They had placed in the bank about £20,000 and it was understood they had about £20,000 yet to pay in respect of the expenses connected with the buildings and several items of that account which they could not get until the measurements were complete. Altogether 105,000 season tickets of all classes had been sold, which represented about £100,000, half seasons to the number of 14,000 having been sold since the beginning of August. It was estimated that when the exhibition was closed thereworld be a surplus of not less than £100.

WANTED.

WANTED-A SECOND CLASS TEACHER for remainder of present term. (Female for remainder of present term. (Female preferred.) Apply, stating salary, to JOHN STEWART, Secretary to Trustees, District No. 12, Mascarene, Parish St.George, County of Charlotte.

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Stall A. City Market.

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CANADA'S ARRAY

Of Knights Commanders of St. Michael and St. George.

The Order was Founded to Com. memorate Placing of Ionian Island Under Britain's

There were already eleven Canadians holding the rank of Knights Com-Order of St. Michael and St. George, to which Sir John Boyd and His Honor Lieut. Governor Jette of Quebec were raised last week as a result of the visit of H. R. H. the Duke of Cornwall and York.

The order, though older than that of the Star, of India, has been placed af-ter it in dignity. Founded in 1818 to commemorate the placing of the Ionian Islands under the protection of Great Britain, it was at first limited to the natives of those islands and of Malta, and "to such other subjects of his Majesty as may hold high and confidential situations in the Mediterrafixed at the numbers of 15, 20 and 25 respectively. Since 1868, however, the classes have been enlarged, until their numbers now are: First class, Knights Grand Cross, G. C. M. G., 65; second class, Knights Commanders, K. C. M. G., 200, and third class, Companions, C. M. G., 342. The order has also been extended to include any person who in colonial or foreign affairs. The motto of the order is "Auspicium meli-oris aevi" (the token of a better age.) There are five Canadian members of

Hon. Louis Amable Jette was born at L'Assomption on Jan. 15, 1836, and received his early education there, as a fellow-student with Sir Wilfrid Lauin Montreal. In 1872 he entered the treal East by defeating Sir George Cartier by a majority of 1,255, and continued to sit for that constituency unof the superior court of the province. In the same year he was appointed and made LL. D. He was one of the three commissioners appointed by the dominion government in 1891 to in-quire into the Bale des Chaleurs matter, and on Jan. 20, 1898, received his present appointment as lieutenant gov-ernor, in succession to Sir J. A. Chap-

Sir John Boyd received the honor of knighthood in 1899, and has been chan-

Dr. Petersen of McGill University came to Canada in May, 1895, to succeed Sir J. W. Dawson as principal, having held the position of principal and professor of classics and ancient history in University Dr. Petersen of McGill University came to Canada in May, 1895, to succeed Sir J. W. Dawson as principal, having held the position of principal and professor of classics and ancient history in University College, Dundee, since 1882. He was assistant professor of humanity for two years in his own university of Edinburgh, after taking a degree at Oxford, where he won the Ferguson scholarship, open to where Harvard square was, as that ed at the Edinburgh high school and at Edinburgh university, graduating in 1875, the youngest man of the year, but first in first-class honors in classics. He was also successful in carrying off the Greek travelling fellowship, and for some time studied at the University of Cottingen before returning versity of Gottingen before returning to Edinburgh to accept the Mackenzie and English literature. Principal Petersen's was created LL. D. by St. An-

Joseph H. Pope, who is now a C. M. G., is under secretary of state in the Canadian civil service, which appointment he received in April, 1896. Born and educated in Charlottetown, in his earlier years he was a bank clerk, but entered the civil service in 1878 as private secretary to his uncle, the late Hon. J. C. Pope. In Septem-ber, 1882, he was appointed private secretary to the late Sir John Macdonsecretary to the late Sir John Macdon-ald, and serving in that capacity until Sir John's death in 1891, Mr. Pope gathered the material for a biography of that distinguished Canadian, which he published in two volumes in 1894. He is a student of earlier Canadian history, and in 1889 won's silver medal offered by Lieut. Governor Angers for the best critical and historical essay

on the life and voyages of Jacques The Rev. Oliver Matthieu, principal of Laval university, and Principal Grant, are eminent Canadian educationists, and their careers are intimately known to most Canadians, as are those of Mr. Shaughnessy, Mr. Oliver Howland and Major Maude, who have also been honored by his

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have suspended payment. They are taking stock and preparing a stateirm stated to the Star today that labilities, and that with an extension of time they could pull through all right. There would have been no dif-ficulty but for the sudden demand made ipon them, arising out of the othe

The firm will probably make an ar ent that will enable them to go on. Great sympathy is felt for them and it is universally hoped that they may be able to arrange matters so that the industry which gives employment to many persons may be kept in active operation.—Star.

ST. JOHN MEN IN TROUBLE.

(Chatham Commercial.) About a month ago a number of St sewerage. They were tough looking haps, and turned out to be as tough as they looked. When pay day cam they quit work and started in to enjoy themselves, one of them saying that if ever Chatham's lockup was full they would fill it. He was right, for or would fill it. He was right, for one day last week each of the seven cells in the jug held a St. John man. A couple of them had money enough to pay their fines, but the others had nothing, not even a corkscrew, so Judge Connor gave them two hours to leave the town. They went.

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" 23 ANNIHILATION OF LOTTER'S FORCE

Graphic Description of the Cape Victory.

Scene of Frightful Carnage-How the Capture was Finally Made Complete-Boers Had Plenty

of Ammunition.

LONDON, Sept. 20 .- Details from Graaff Reinet, Cape Colony, of the practical annihilation of Commandant Lotter's force by Colonel Scobell, show that it was by far the severest blow the invaders have yet received. The success was effected by means of clevcolonel Scobell's force consisted of Colonel Scobell's force Consisted Rifles,

9th Lancers and Cape Mounted Rifles, numbering altogether 280. Commandant Lotter's force was 114 strong. At the beginning of the week the commando was marked down in a of the Cradock district. The approach of Colonel Scobell's column made the enemy move off in a southerly direc-tion. The column continued the pur-suit, and on Tuesday afternoon our on the Vogel River. The column was then some five miles away, but a de-Purcell with a force of Cape Mounted

Rifles, who attacked without delay The enemy held a position behind the schantzes they had built, but were dislodged, whereupon they doubted back and made north for the moun-

dislodged, whereupon they doubled back and made north for the mountains on the Pearston Road. Colonel Scobell then made certain dispositions for the purpose of circumventing the enemy, which were happily successful. On Wednesday morning our scouts located the enemy on a farm at Groenkloof.

The pickets were rushed at dawn. The enemy occupied the centre of a basin surrounded on all sides by ridges. They withdrew to two kraals and a shed, their horses being tethered in a shed, their horses being tethered outside. Colonel Scobell at once toook in the situation and Captain Purcell was sent to occupy a position to the south, Colonel Scobell himself taking a position on the east, while Lord Douglas Crompton, with a force of the south, Colonel Scobell himself taking a position on the east, while Lord Douglas Crompton, with a force of the south, Colonel Scobell at once to the south, Colonel Scobell at once to the south, Colonel Scobell at mose of the south, Colonel Scobell at once to the south, Colonel Scobell at once to the south, Colonel Scobell at mose to the south, Colonel Scobell at once to the south of the south of the

up by the several bodies of our troops), the torrent of lead from our elevated position resulted in every corner of the enemy's position being well searched.

For upwards of three-quarters of an hour the fight was kept up.

Then white flags were seen to go up, but as the enemy still continued to fire, no notice was taken of the sign of surrender. A private of the 9th Lancers who galloped down to the kraals when first he saw the white flag was shot through the head within twenty yards of the enemy. Firing came out of his shelter, followed by his men. Our forces then closed in, and the capture was complete. Invesleven of the enemy had been killed, forty-six wounded, a number of them dangerously, while fifty-six had come been a ceaseless storm of bullets.

The sight which presented itself in the shed is described by an eye-witness as horrible in the extreme. Dead and

While the fight was progressing five of the enemy escaped from the kraal and dropped into a donga hard by, but the fire was so hot that they could not make headway along the dongs, and when our troops closed in the five bodies were found. Two of the trict, who have been instrumental in stirring up many of the young bloods both regarded as exceptionally fine

nen. One was shot through the head and the other through the heart. It is the opinion of many who took part in the fight that had the hoisting of the white flag been delayed for a quarter of an hour not a single man of the Boer commando would have es-caped death or wounds. The surprise

caped death or wounds. The surprise of the enemy was complete. They never thought that the skilful tactics of Col. Scobell would be put in operation. They expected that he would follow them up on their trail, and consequently put their scouts out in the direction from which they considered he would come. They therefore neglected to throw out scouts in an opposite directions. throw out scouts in an opposite direc-tion, contenting themselves with plac-ing a small picket within rifle range able. Most of them are without cover-ing to their feet, and in the great majority of cases their clothes are in tat-ters. Their horses are in fairly good

ndition; 269 were captured.

condition: 269 were captured.

The enemy's supply of ammunition was ample. When the fight began their bandollers must have been full, and large quantities were found in their wallets after the surrender. Fourteen dynamite cartridges and a coll of fuse were found among their belongings.

The distance travelled by our column in its flanking movement was forty little more than twelve hours. The force was not hampered by a convoy or guns, those impediments having been left behind several days before. The men carried only their rifles, ammunition and a couple of blankets.

GREATER VIENNA.

When Vienna was expanded some years ago into "Greater Vienna," such large sparsely inhabited tracts of land

rest land and hills higher than St. sphen's spire. The plow is active thin this new Vienna, corn grows in undance, and the vine flourishes. abundance, and the vine flourishes. Fish are caught in quantities, and the hare and several kinds of deer are hunted. This Vienna contains canals, springs and streams, the latter descending from the Wienerwald, while the Danube moves majestically across the landscape; beyond it is seen the rich tract of the Marchfeld, yellow with corn. It causes a recoller feeling with corn. It causes a peculiar feeling to find one's self in such charming the Eustachian tube that leads from country and yet to know that one is still in a city. Wild flowers and birds abound, with the lilac, laburnum and hedge rose.

FREDERICTON.

Water in the River Very Lew - Funeral of the Late Miss Needham-Wedding Bells.

FREDERICTON, Sept. 25.-The funeral of the late Miss Jane Needham, whose remains arrived here on the morning express from St. John, took place immediately upon the arrival of the train, and was quite largely attended by former acquaintances and friends of the deceased lady. Mr. Stur-dee accompanied the body from St. John, and had to return home upon the next this morning of his father, the sheriff of St. John. The body was taken to St. Ann's church, where Canon Roberts, D. D., solemnized the beautiful service for the dead, the choir rendering appropriate music. In-

terment was made at the old burial ground. Clara, daughter of the late Peter McFarwas married at 3 o'clock this afternoon to Arthur H. Woods of this city. They went to the Pan-American and New York on

OLD RAILS AS GIRDERS.

Buffalo Car Barn Framed Entirely of useless Rails.

The best disposition to make of old, worn-out street car rails is a puzzling one to managers. Many uses have been found for them in structural work, but the International Traction Company of Buffalo is probably the first to use them to any great extent in girder work. In building the company's new car barn they have been used exclusively. The rails are old six-inch girder sections in thirty-foot nit their use as car tracks they still have ample strength for car barn framing. In some cases, as in forming the upright columns, two rails are placed together, with the base of one rail fitting closely into the head of the as horrible in the extreme. Dead and wounded were lying about all over the floor of the shed, and many of them girder. In forming the main supportwere bleeding profusely from their ling roof girders two rails are bolted wounds.

TO BREAK THE WILL.

from New York to attend the funeral of his widowed mother, will make an of his widowed mother, will make an effort to recover property which has been willed to others. The deceased was supposed to be worth \$30,000. Some \$20,000 in cash is alleged to have been sent to a religious order in New York, and real estate to the value of \$6,000 was transferred to the same society. A niece at the north end received \$3,000. The son got \$3,000, and the Roman Catholic clergy of the city got \$100 each for religious purposes. The son intends to make an effort to counsel with that end in view.—Her-

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THE SMALL NATIONS.

(New Orleans Picayune.)
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John and Norman McGrath, sallors belonging to the sch. E. H. Foster, which is lying in the stream, ready to sall for Fairhaven, complained at the police court this week that the vessel was unseaworthy. Yesterday they were handed over to the police by the captain, Wm. Heater, for desertion. During the day the portwardens, at the request of R. W. Williams, the owner of the Foster, held a survey on the vessel. They found some water in the hold, but when the pumps were put in operation the water was lowered very much. They reported that the vessel was seaworthy, so that the McGraths will probably have to go in her.

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Is your hearing bad on cloudy days?
Do you have ear-ache occasionally?
Are there sounds like steam escaping when you blow your nose do the crack?
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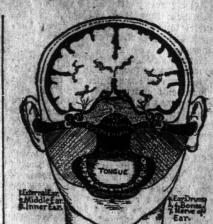
rack?
Do noises in your ears keep you awake?
Hear better some days than others?
Do you hear noises in ears?
Is hearing worse when you have a cold?

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WITH HEAD NOISES.

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JUDGE WILSON DEAD.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 2t.—Jeremiah Morow Wilson, principal counsel for Rear Admiral Schley and one of the leading lawyers f Washington, died suddenly in his apartients in the Shoreham hotel shortly after liclock today. Heart failure, superinduced an attack of acute indigestion, coupled the Bright's disease, caused his death. Alough somewhat indisposed last night and is morning, the end came unexpectedly. Judge Wilson was a settle of the state of t

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condition and has been all summer. Very rarely is it possible to get water free from sediment and a good deal of the time it resembles the contents of a roiled mud puddle.—Monoton Times.

SERMON.

Rev. Dr. Talmage in His Discourse Commends the Spirit of Amity and Good Feeling and Mentions Illustrious Examples of that Spirit.

another name for Melfta. This island, which has always been an important commercial centre, belonging at dif-ferent times to Phoenicia, to Greece, to Rome, to Arabia, to Spain, to France, now belongs to England. The area of the island is about 100 square miles. It is in the Mediterranean sea and of such clarity of atmosphere that Mount Actna, 130 miles away can be distinctly seen. The island is gloriously memorable because the Knights of Malta for a long while ruled there, but most famous because of the apostolic ship-wreck. The bestormed vessel on which Paul had "laid to" on the starboard tack, and the wind was blowing east northeast, and, the vessel drifting probstruck at what is now called St. Paul's bay. Practical sailors have taken up the Bible account and decided beyond controversy the place of the ship-wreck. But the island which has so rough a coast, is for the most part a garden. Richest fruits and a profusion of honey characterized it in Paul's time as well as now. The finest oranges, figs and olives grow here.

When Paul and his comrades crawled

up on the beach, saturated and hungry from long abstinence from food and chilled to the bone, the islanders, could not speak Greek, opened their doors to the shipwrecked unfortun-Everything had gone to the bottom of the deep, and the barefooted bareheaded apostle and ship's crew were in a condition to appreciate hositality. About twenty-five such men a few years ago I found in the life station near East Hampton, Long Is-land. They had got ashore in the night from the sea, and not a hat or shoe had they left. They found out, as Paul and his fellow voyagers found out, that the sea is the roughest of all robbers. My text finds the ship's crew ashore on Malta and around a hot fire n the islanders can offer them. And they go into government quarters for three days to recuperate, Publius, ruler, inviting them, although he ss in the house that time, his father down with a months they stayed on the island. ing for a ship and putting the nders to a severe test. But it endured the test satisfac-torily, and it is recorded for all the ages of time and eternity to read and hear in regard to the inhabitants of Malta, "The barbarous people showed us no little kindness."

to measure heaven to tell the length, the breadth, the height of that magnifieent word. It is a favorite Bible word and it is early launched in the brook of Conseils and the back to be the back. ook of Genesis, caught up in the book Joshua, embraced in the book of Ruth, sworn by in the book of Samuel, crowned in the book of Psalms and enthroned in many places in the New Testament. Kindness! A word no more gentle than mighty. I expect it wrestle me down before I get ugh with it. It is strong enough to throw an archangel. But it will be well for us to stand around it and warm ourselves by its glow as Paul and his fellow voyagers stood around the fire on the island of Malta, where the Maltese made themselves immortal in my text by the way they treated their victims of the sea. "The barbarous people showed us no little kind-

way. You say it is clemency, benignity, generosity; it is made up of good wishes; it is an expression of beneficence; it is a contribution to the hap-Induess; it is sunshine of the soul; it affection perennial; it is a climacter-grace; it is the combination of all ; it is compassion; it is the perhave made a dead failure in your definition. It cannot be defined, but we felt its power. Some of you may have felt it as Paul felt it, on some coast of rock as the ship went to pieces, but more of us have again and again in awful stress of life had either earth or heaven hands stretched which "showed us no little kind-

There is kindness of disposition, kindness of word, kindness of act, and there is Jesus Christ, the Impersonation of all of them. Kindness! You cannot affect it. You cannot play it cannot dramatize it. By the grace of God you must have it inside you, an fality of the one and the tonic of the other. It cannot dwell with arrogance of spite or revenge or malevolence. At its first appearance in the soul all these Amalekites and Gerishites and Mittites and Jebusites must quit, and quit forever. Kindness wishes every-body well-every man well, every woman well, every child well, every bird man well, every child well, every bird well. well, every child well, every bird well, every horse well, every dog well, every cat well. Give this spirit full swing, and you would have no more need of societies for prevention of cruelty to animals, no more need of protective sewing weren. tions, and it would dull every sword until it would not cut skin deep, and unwheel every battery till it could not toll, and make gunpawder of no more use in the world except for rock blasting or pyrotechnic celebration. Kind-

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WASHINGTON. Sept. 22.—In this discourse Dr. Talmage commends the spirit of amity and good feeling and mentions illustrious examples of that spirit; text, Acts xxviii, 2, "The barbarous people showed us no little kindness."

Here we are on the island of Malta, This island. The performs will whalm everything. perfame will whelm everything.

THE GRACE OF FORGIVENESS.

But are you waiting and hoping for ome one to be bankrupted or exposed or discomfited or in some way overthrown then kindness has not taken possession of your nature. You are wrecked on a Malta where there are no oranges. You are entertaining a guest so unlike kindness that kindness will not come and dwell under the is a revengeful spirit or retaliating spirit, as I know by experience, for I have tried it for five or ten minutes at time. When some mean thing has been done me or said about me, I have felt: "I will pay him in his own coin

I will show him up. The ingrate! The traitor! The liar! The villain!" But five or ten minutes of the feeling has een so unnerving and exhausting I have abandoned it, and I cannot understand how people can go about torturing themselves five or ten or twenty years, trying to get even with some body. The only way you will ever triumph over your enemies is by forgiving them and wishing them all good and no evil. As malevolence is the most uneasy and profitless and dangerous feeling, kindness is the most healthful and delightful. And this is not an abstraction. As I have tried a little of the retaliatory feeling, so I have tried a little of the forgiving. I do not want to leave this world until

I have taken vengeance upon every man that ever did me a wrong by doing his a kindness. In most of such cases I have already succeeded, but there are a few malignants whom I am yet pursuing, and I shall not be content until I have in some wise helped them or benefitted them or blessed

Let us all pray for the spirit of kindness. It will settle a thousand questions. It will change the phase of everything. It will mellow through and through our entire nature. It will transform a lifetime. It is not a feeling got for occasions, but perennial. That is the reason I like petunias betess. Yea, for three ter than morning glories. They look stayed on the island very much alike, and if I should put in your hand a petunia and a morning glory you could hardly tell which is the petunia and which the morning glory. But the morning glory blooms only a few hours and then shuts up for the day, while the petunia is in as widespread a glow at 12 o'clock at noon and 6 o'clock in the evening as at sun-A MAGNIFICENT WORD.

Kindness! What a great word that is! It would take a reed as long as that which the apocalyptic angel used is the whole nature all through and clear the whole nature all through and clear the whole nature all through and clear the world down. You cannot shall be a suscillation and seemingly honest for twenty years could have got off track like that. There are two sides to this story and I will wait to hear the world up, although you free the world down. You cannot shall be a suscillation of the world of the world down. You cannot shall be a suscillation to the state of the world and seemingly honest for twenty years could have got off track like that. There are two sides to this story and I will wait to hear the world down. You cannot shall be a suscillation to the state of the world is ever brought to got off track like that. There are two sides to this story and I will wait to hear the world down. You cannot shall be a suscillation to the state of the world is ever brought to got off track like that. There are two sides to this story and I will wait to hear the world is ever brought to got off track like that. There are two sides to this story and I will wait to hear the world is ever brought to got off track like that the world is ever brought to got off track like that the world is ever brought to got off track like that the world is ever brought to got off track like that the world is ever brought to got off track like that the world is ever brought to got off track like that the world is ever brought to got off track like that the world is ever brought to got off track like that the world is ever brought to got off track like that the world is ever brought to got off track like that the world is ever brought to got off track like that the world is ever brought to got off track like that the world is ever brought to got off track like that the world is ever brought to got off track like that the world is ever brought to got off track like that the world is ever brought to got off track on till the sunset of our earthly exist-

Kindness! I am resolved to get it. Are you resolved to get it? It does not come by haphazard, but through culture under the divine help. grow without culture. Rock mountain sage grass grows without culture. Mullein stalks grow without culture. But that great red rose in the conservatory, its leaves packed on leaves deep dyed as though it had been obfiged to fight for its beauty and it were still reeking with the carnage of the battle, that rose needed to be cultured, and through long years its oral anestors were cultured. Oh, God, implant kindness in all our souls and then give us grace to watch it, to enrich it, to develop it! FLOWER FROM ROYAL GARDEN

The king of Prussia had presented to Kindness! All definitions of that him by the empress of Russia the root of a rare flower, and it was put in the royal gardens on an island, and the nead gardener, Herr Fintleman, was told to watch it. And one day it put forth its glory. Three days of every week the people were admitted to these gardens, and a young man, prob-ably not realizing what a wrong thing he was doing, plucked this flower and put it in his buttonhole, and the gardener arrested him as he was crossing at the ferry and asked the king to throw open no more his gardens to the will be on its travels and vigorous public. The king replied: "Shall I long after the funeral psalm has been deny to the thousands of good people of my country the privilege of seeing this garden because one visitor has done whong? No; let them come and see the beautiful grounds." And when the gardener wished to give the king the name of the offender who had taken the royal flower he said, "No; my nemory is very tenacious, and I do not want to have in my mind the name of the offender lest it should hinder m granting him a favor some other tim Now, I want you to know that kindness is a royal flower, and blessed be God, the King of mercy and grace, that by a divine gift, and not by pur loining, we may pluck this royal flower, and not wear it on the outside of our nature, but wear it in our soul and wear it forever, its radiance and aroma not more wonderful for time than

wonderful for eternity. Still further, I must speak of kindness of word. When you meet any one, do you say a pleasant thing or an up-pleasant? Do you tell him of agreeable things you have heard about him or the disagreeable? When he leaves you, does he feel better or does he feel worse? Oh, the power of the tongue for the production of happiness or misery? One would think from the way tongue is caged in we might take the hint that it has a dangerous power. First it is chained to the back part of the mouth by strong muscle. Then is is surrounded by the teeth of the lower jaw, so many ivory bars, and then by the teeth of the upper jaw, more ivory bars. Then, outside of all, are the two lips, with the power of bird." And he answered, "No; I could

tion, scarification and damnation, and as tenderly as at the first call. There are those if they knew a good and the ship's crew as they come up the beach of Malta with the words: know to run on these rocks! Didn't my neighbor, has withdrawn his lawyou know better than to put out on the Mediterranean this wintry month? It was not much of a ship anyhow, or it would not have gone to pieces as the house for one year rent free. There soon as that. Well, what do you want? We have hard enough work to make a living for ourselves without having thrust on us 276 ragamuffins." Not so said the Maltese. I think they said: "Come in! Sit down by the fire and warm yourselves. Glad that you got off with your lives. Make yourself at home. You are welcome to all we have until some ship comes in sight and you resume your voyage. Here, let me put a bandage on your forehead, for that is an ugly gash you got from the floatsame roof. The most exhausting and ing timbers. And here is a man with unhealthy and ruinous spirit on earth a broken arm; we will have a doctor come to attend to this fracture." And, though for three months the kindness went on, we have little more than this brief record: "The barbarous people showed us no little kindness."

> HOPEFUL, CORDIAL WORDS. Oh, say the cordial thing! Say the useful thing. Say the hospitable thing. Say the helpful thing. Say the Christianlike thing. Say the kind thing. I admit that it is easier for same temperaments than for others. Some are editor will take it.' born pessimists, and some are born optimists, and that demonstrates it- old man whose three children were in self all through everything. It is a hot debate as to who should take care cloudy morning. You meet a pessimist, and you say. "What weather to- est son declared that it was his right day?" He answers, "It's going to because he was the oldest, and the storm," and umbrella under arm youngest son said it was his right beand waterproof coat show that he is honest in that utterance. On the same block, a minute after, you meet an optimist, and you say, "What do you think of the commercial prospects?" and he says: "Glorious. Crops not so good as usual, but foreign demand will make big prices. We are going to have such an autumn and winter of prosperity as we have never seen." On your way back to your store you meet a pessimist merchant. "What do you think of the commercial prospects?" you ask, and he answers: "Well, I don't know. Wheat and corn blasted in Kansas and Missouri, and the grain gamblers will get their fist in, and the hay crop is short in some places, and in the southern part of Wisconsin they had a hailstorm, and our business is as dull as it ever was." You will find the same difference in judgment of character. A man of good reputation is assailed and charged with some evil deed. At the first story the pessimist will believe in guilt; "The papers said so, and that's enough. Down with him!" The optimist will say: "I don't believe a word of it. I don't think that a man that has been as useful and seemingly ho

My hearer, if you are by nature a pes-simist, make a special effort by the grace of God to extirpate the dolorous and hypercritical from your disposit until the wrong is established by et least two witnesses of integrity. And, if guilt be proved, find out the -extenuating circumstances, if there are any. Kindness! Let us, morning, noon and night pray for it until we get it. When you can speak a good word for some one, speak it. If you can conscientiously give a letter of recommendation, give it. Watch for opportunities for doing good fifty years after you are dead. All my life has been affected by the letter of introduction that the Rev. D. Van Vranken of New Brunswick Theological seminary wrote for me, a boy under him, when I was seeking a settlement in which to preach the gospel. That letter gave me my first pulpit. Dr. Van Franken, has been dead more than thirty years, yet I feel the touch of that magnificent old professor. Strange sensation was it when I received a kind message from Rev. Thomas Guard of Baltimore, the great Methodist orator, six weeks after his death! By way of the eter-

nal world? Oh, no; by way of this world. I did not meet the friend to whom he gave the mess-age until nearly two months after Thomas Guard had ascended. So you can start a word about some one that sung at your obsequies. Kindness! Why, if fifty men all aglow with it. should walk through the lost world methinks they would almost abolish

KINDNESS OF ACTION.

Furthermore, there is kindness by ness to persecutors, kindness to the action. That is what Joseph showed crippled and the blind and the catato his outrageous brothers. That is what David showed to Mephibosheth for his father Jonathan's sake. That bim all the way and on the cross; is what Onesiphoros showed to Paul in kindnes to the bandits suffering on the Roman penitentiary. That is what the side of him, and kindness to the William Cowper recognized when he said he would not trust a man who spear and hammered the spikes and would with his foot needlessly crush a worm. That is what our assassinated President Lincoln demonstrated when his private secretary found him in the Darlings and the Lincoln demonstrated when his private secretary found him in the capital arounds the last transcendant example of him capitol grounds trying to get a bird back to the nest from which it had fallen and which quality the illustrious man exhibited years before when hav-ing with some lawyers in the carriage on the way to court passed on the road a swine fast in the mire, after awhile cried to his horses, "Ho!" and said to the gentlemen. "I must go back and help that hog out of the mire." And he did go back and put on solid ground that most uninteresting quadru. That was the spirit that was in power, fested by my departed friend, Hon Alexander H. Stephens, of Georgia-and lovelier man never exchanged earth for heaven—when at Washington, / A senator's wife who told us of the circumstances, said to him, "Mr. Steph-ens, come and see my dead canary

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There are those if they knew a good thing about you and a bad thing will mention the bad thing and act as though they had never heard the good thing. Now, there are two sides to almost every one's character, and we have the choice of everhauling the virtue or the vice. We can greet Paul and the ship's crew as they come my was at the first call.

Suppose all this assemblage and all the call they come by the most every shall come by the most every one's character, and we have the choice of everhauling the virtue or the vice. We can greet Paul and the ship's crew as they come my was at the first call.

Suppose all this assemblage and all the most every shall come by the most every one by the come with the choice of their life and then carry out the resolution.

What is them every as at the first call. "What is the matter? It seems to me that the world is getting to be a better What a sorry looking set you are! place to live in. Why, life after all is How little of navigation you must worth living. Why, there is Shylock, is an old lawyer in that young lawyer's office, and do you know what he has gone in there for? Why, he is helping to fix up a case which is too big for the young man to handle, and the white haired attorney is hunting up previous decisions and making out a brief for the boy. Do you know that a strange thing has taken place in the pulpit, and all the old ministers are helping the young ministers, and all the old doctors are helping the young doctors, and the farmers are assisting each other in gathering the harvest and for that farmer who is sick the neighbors have made a 'bee' as they call it, and they have all-turned in to help him get his crops into the garner? And they tell me that the older and more skillful reporters who have permanent positions on papers are helping the young fellows who are just beginning to try and do not know exactly how to do it. And after a few eras ures and interpolations on the reporter's pad they say, 'Now, here is a readable account of that tragedy; hand it in, and L am sure the managing

. "And I heard this morning of a poor of him in his declining days. The oldcause he was the youngest, and Mary said it was her right because she better understood father's vertigo and rheumatism and poor spells and knew better how to nurse him, and the only way the difficulty could be settled was by the old man's promise that he would divide the year into three parts and spend a third of his time with each one of them. And neighboring stores in the same line of goods on the same block are acting kindly to each other. It seems to me that those words of Isaiah are being fulfilled when he says The carpenter encouraged the goldsmith and he that smoothed with the hammer, him that smote the anvil saying it is ready for the soldering. What is the matter? It seems to me our old world is picking up. Why, the millennium must be coming in Kindness has got the victory." DISPENSATIONS OF GENIALITY.

My hearers, you know and I know we are far from that state of things But why not inaugurate a new dispen sation of geniality. If we cannot have millenium on a large scale, let us a millenium on a mage and under our have it on a small scale and under our Kindness! If this world is ever brought to God, that is the thing that will do it. You cannot fret the world up, although you may godliness.

were one day talking with each other, and the east wind said to the west wind: "Don't you wish you had my power? Why, when I start they hail me by storm signals along the coast. I can twist off a ship's mast as easily as a cow's hoof cracks an alder. With one sweep of my wing I have strewn the coast from Newfoundland to Key West with parted ship timber. I can lift and have lifted the Atlantic ocean. I am the terror of all invalidism, and to fight me back forests must be cut down for fires, and the mines of continents are called on to feed the furnaces. Under my breath the nations crouch into sepulchres. Don't you wish you had my power? The west wind made no answer, but started on its mission, coming somewhere out of the rosy bowers of the sky, and all the rivers and lakes and seas smiled at its coming. The gardens bloomed, and the orchards ripenand the wheatfields turned their silver into gold and health clapped its hands, and joy shouted from the hilltops, and the nations lifted their foreheads into the light, and the earth had a doxology for the sky, and the sky an anthem for the earth, and the warmth and sparkle and the gladness, and the foliage, and the flowers, and the fruits, and the beauty, and the life were the only answer, the west wind made to the insolence of the east wind's interrogation.

Kindness to all! Surely it ought not to be a difficult grace to cultivate when we see towering above the centuries such an example that one glimpse of it ought to melt and transform all nations. Kindness brought our Lord from heaven. Kindness to miscreants, kindleptic and the leprous and the drep-sical and the demoniacal characterized executioners while yet they pushed the fore this transcendent example of him whose birth and life and death are the greatest story that the world ever heard and the theme of the mightlest hosanna that heaven ever lifted. Yea. the very kindness that allowed both hands to be nailed to the horizontal timber of the cross with that crue thump, thump, now stretches down from the skies those same hands filled with balm for all our wounds, forgive ness, for all our crimes, rescue for all our serfdoms. And while we take this matchles

kindness from God may it be found that we have uttered our last bitter word, written our last cutting paragraph, done our last retaliatory action. felt our Jast revengeful heart throb. And it would not be a bad epitaph for

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little kindness." But not until the last ittle kindness." But not until the last child of God has got ashore from the P McIntyre, coal. Sch C R Flint, Maxwell, from Philadelearthly storms that drove him on the | phia. rocks like Mediterranean Euroclydons, not until all the thrones of heaven are ounted, and all the conquerors crowned, and all the harps and trumpets and organs of heaven are thrummed or lown or sounded and the ransomed of all climes and ages are in full chorus under the jubilant swing of angeli baton, and we shall for thousands o years have seen the river from under the throne rolling into the 'sea' of glass mingled with fire," and this world we now inhabit shall be so far in the past that only a stretch of celestial me emory can recall that it ever existed at all, not until then will we understand what Nehemiah calls "the great kindness," and David calls "the marvelous kindness," and Isaiah calls "the everlasting kindness" of God.

SHIP NEWS

Arrived. bal.
Str Orinoco, Bale, from the West Indies,
S Schofield and Co, mails, mase and pass.
Str Cumberland, Allen, from Boston, W G
Lee, mase and pass.
Sch Mary C Stewart, Richards, from Rockland, master, bal.
Sch C R Flint, 252, Maxwell, from Eastport, R C Elkin, bal.
Sch Abbie Ingalis, 152, Tower, from New Sch C K Flint, 252, Maxwell, from Eastport, R C Elkin, bal.

Sch Abble Ingalls, 152, Tower, from New York, D J Purdy, coal.

Sch Lizzie B, 81, Belyea, from Thomaston, S F Hatfield, bal.

Coastwise—Schs Friendship, 65, Gordon, from Quaco; Evelyn. 67, Tufts, from Apple River; E Mayfield, 74, Merrlam, from River Hebert; E M Oliver, 13, Harkins, from fishing; Mabel, 23, Cole, from Sackville; Temperance Bell, 78, Tufts, from Point Wolfe; Little Annie, 18, Poland, from West Isles; Silver Cloud, 44, Post, from Digby; Peril, 18, Eldridge, from Beaver Harbor; tug Flushing with barge No 5, from Parrsboro; Sarah A Ellis, 17, Houghton, from Beaver Harbor; Dolphin, 56, Wilbur, from Waterside.

Sch Ina, Hanselpacker, for Boston. Sch Thistle, Steeves, for New York. Sch Walter Miller, Barton, for Co

Sch Walter Miller, Barton, for City Island, f o.
Sch Annie A Booth, French, for City Island, f o.
Coastwise—Schs Maudie, Beardsley, for Port Lorne; Temple Bar, Bent, for Bridgetown; Dora, Canning, for Parrsboro; Little Annie Poland, for North Head; Ouida, Russell, for Gd Harbor; Chieftain, Tufts, for Quaco; Rex, Sweet, for Quaco; Gertie, Ogilvie, for Parrsboro.

DOMESTIC PORTS. RIVER DU LOUP, Sept. 20.— Ard, stmr Coringa, from Hull. SYDNEY, C. B., Sept. 20.—Sid, str Dun-SYDNEY, C. B., Sept. 20.—Sid, str Dunmore, for Glasgow.
ST. ANDREWS, Sept. 20.—Ard, sch Annie
T McKie, from St John.
Sailed, sch Sea Bird, for St. John.
HALIFAX, Sept. 20.— Ard, str Dahome, from London via St Johns, NF.
Sailed, str Guiseppe. Corvaja, for Havana;
Silvia, for New York; Chilian training ship General Baguedeno, for New York.
GRINDSTONE ISLAND, Sept 20.—Cid; str Mokta, for Manchester.
HALIFAX, Sept. 22.—Ard, British cruiser Diadem, from Quebec; str Ophir, from do; sch Illinois, from Gloucester, and cleared for Banks.
Sid, strs Erna, for Bermuda and West Sid, strs Erna, for Bermuda and West Indies; Yarmcuth, for Hawkesbury. Cld, str Lord Londonderry, for Newport Cid, str Lord Londonderry, for Newport News.

JOGGINS MINES, NS, Sept 21—Cid, schs H R Emmerson, coal, for Moncton; Pearl, coal, for Hillsboro.

Sept 24—Str St Croix, 1,064, Pike, from Bosjon, mase and pass.

Sch Fleetwing, 53, Goucher, from Eastport, J W Smith, bal.

Ccastwise—Schs Josie L Day, 18, Coates, from fishing; Yarmouth Packet, 76, Shaw, from Yarmouth; Ouida, 9, Russell, from Grand Harbor; Lennie and Edna, 30, Hains, from Freeport.

At Nawcastle, Sept 23, bark 'Arizona, from Dunkirk.

At Hillsboro, Sept 23, schs Damretta and Jonna, Wallace, from Portland; Hugh Kelly, Haskell, from Salem; Morning Star, Priddle, from St John, and cid for Moncton, At Point du Chene, Sept 21, bark Finn, Mahoney, from Pictou, to take cargo now on wharf since last year. She will proceed to Ship Harbor, MS, and discharge, and afterwards go to Tusket to load for South America.

Sept 25—Sch Hattie Muriel, 84 Wasson

America.

Sept 25—Sch Hattle Muriel, 84, Wasson, from Bridgeport, J W McAlary Co, bal.

Sch Riverdale, 82, Urquhart, from Boston, N C Scott, bal.

Sch Georgia E, 88, Barton, from New Bedford, J W McAlary Co, bal.

Sch Ida May, 119, Gale, from New York, D J Purdy, coal.

Sch Canaria (Am), 243, Darling, from Norfolk, deB Carritte, phosphate rock. ness is a spirit divinely implanted and in answer to prayer, and then to be sedulously cultivated until it fills all the nature with a perfume richer and more pungent than mignonette, and, as if you put a tuft of that aromatic beauty in the tongue, and the results are laceration.

The two lips, with the power of compression and arrest. And yet, notwithout this time forth we lived such benefic or limitations, how many take no hint in regard to the dangerous power of their sick children coming to give the you put a tuft of that aromatic beauty in the tongue, and the results are laceration.

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Coastwise-Schs Sea Fox, 18, Banks, from fishing; Nina Blanche, 30, Chocker, from Freeport; Curlew, 63, Sims, from fishing; Clarisse, 55, Sullivan, from Meteghan.

At Chatham, Sept 24, str Juno, Hummel, from Halifax. Cleared.

Sept 24—Str St Croix, Pike, for Boston. Str Sahara, Card, for Cape Town. Prigt L G Crosby, Perry, for City Island o. Sch Domain, Wilson, for Boston.
Sch Pandora, Holder, for Boston.
Sch H A Holder, McIntyre, for Salem f o.
Sch Eltle, Morrell, for New York.
Sch Manuel R Curza, Spragg, for Washing-

Coastwise—Sehs Lena, Rolf, for Noel; Bear River, Woodworth, for Port George; Thelma, Milner, for Annapolis; Greville, Baird, for Port Williams.

Sept 25—Str. State of Maine, Thompson, for Boston. for Boston.
Sch I N Parker, Lipsett, for Salem fo.
Sch E H Foster, Heater, for Fair Haven.
Sch Erle, Whittaker, for City Island f o.
Sch Sea Bird, Andrews, for Eastport.
Sch Edward W Perry, Smith, for Phila-

At Halifax, Sept 24, sen Robert Graham Dun, Quinlan, for Baltimore.

From Pt du Chene, Sept 22, bark Bertha, Jensen, for Mersey.

BRITISH PORTS.

AYR, Sept. 19.— Ard, bark Glimt, from Newcastle, N B. Newcastle, N B.
DUBLIN, Sept. 19.—Ard, str M C Holm, from Chatham, NB, via Sydney, CB.
SOUTHAMPTON, Sept. 20.—Sld, str Deutschland (from Hamburg), for New York via Cherbourg. SCHANG (from Hamburg), for New York via Cherbourg.

FLATHOLME ISLAND, Sept. 20.—Passed, bork Bice, from St John for Swansea.

MANCHESTER, Sept. 19.—Ard, str Queen Mary, from St John.

KING ROAD, Sept. 19.—Ard, str Roddam, from Parrsboro for Sharpness.

PLYMOUTH, Sept. 20.—Ard, bark Bengal, from Campbellton, N B.

BROW HEAD, Sept. 20.—Passed, str Umbria, from New York for Queenstown and Liverpool.

LIVERPOOL. Sept. 20.—Sld, str Georgic, for New York. LIVERPOOL, Sept. 20.—Sid, str Georgic, for New York.

VINEYARD HAVEN, Sept. 20.—Ard, schs Ada G Shortland, from New York bound e east; Ida May 'from New York for St John; M B S; from Hillsboro for New York; Passed, tugs Gypsum King, towing schs Calabria, Gypsum Queen and barge No. 21, from New York for Windsor; schs John M Brown and Sallie F Sawyer for New York; John M Green, from Shulee for do; Longfellow, from St John for do.

KINSALE, Sept 22.—Passed, strs Dorecht, from Sheet Harbor for Freston; Inca, from Pictou, NS, for Manchester; 23rd, Dominion, from Portland for Liverpool.

LUNDY ISLAND, Sept 23—Passed, str Hong Haaken, from Parrsboro for Cardiff. SwANSEA, Sept. 23—Ard, str Vera, from Tilt. Cove.

TYNE, Sept 21—Sid, str Salerno, for Miramichi.

At Adelaide Sept. 24 ship Centurion Colmichi.

At Adelaide, Sept 24, ship Centurion, Collins, from New York.

At Demerara, Sept 10, str Oruro, Seeley, from Port Spain, for Halifax via ports.

At Liverpool, Sept 28, str Ulunda, from Halifax via St Johns, Nfd.

From Barbados, Sept 7, bark C W Janes, Carson, for Mobile; 112h, brig Clio, Gerhardt, for Halifax.

From Raimouth, Sept 23, ship Senator, Sutherland (from Seattle), for Birkenhead.
From Port Talbot, Sept 23, str Glen Head, Kennedy, from Cork for Quebec.
From Tyne, Sept 21, str Salerno, Lemm, for Miramichi.

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