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All Accounts due by the Exhibition Association, in connection with the Exhibition just closed, must be rendered not later than, 15th September, as books will be CLOSED IMMEDIATELY THEREAFTER.

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MISCARRIAGE OF JUSTICE

The fools are not all dead yet. One in Pensylvania took his dog to the woods and tied a stick of dynamite with a fuse to his neck. Then fight-the fuse he let the dog go. Though the fellow ran for all he was worth the dog kept close to his heels. When he got into the house the dynamite exploded. The dog was killed and the house was wrecked but unfortunately e was wrecked, but unfortunately the man escaped.

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THE INDIVIDUAL MAN.

(From an Address by Albert Shaw at the Forty-First Quarterly Convocation of the University of Chicago.

I propose today to say something about the position and prospects of the average young man in the face of vast current and immpending changes in economic and industrial society. It is obvious that there are prevalent interest and anxiety in view of the kinds of interest and anxiety in view of the kinds of interest and anxiety in view of the kinds of interest and anxiety in view of the kinds of interest and anxiety in view of the kinds of interest and anxiety in view of the kinds of interest and anxiety in view of the kinds of the ki

That the next best thing to knowing the law is knowing where to find it was illustrated once when Judge Simeon E. Baldwin of the Yale law school in an examination on corporations asked his class a question

REINDEER IN ALASKA Good reports come from the results of the governmental experiment in introducing the reindeer into Alaska. It is said there are now over 4,000 of the animals in the territory and that the increase is about 30 per cent. a year, and that the American born are larger and stronger than the imported stock. In fact, it is predicted that within a few years the Laplanders will be sending to Alaska to get reindeers to breed from to improve their own animals.—San Francisco Cali.

St. John, September 12, 1902.

# OVERCOATS.

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FALL OVERCOATS, \$4.75 to 10.00. FALL OVERCOATS, dark grey, full silk facing, only \$8.50.

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### LABOR TROUBLES

Affect Telephone Service in Every Southern City.

NEW ORLEANS, La. Sept. 12.—At a meeting of the local union No. 4, Integnational Brotherhood of Electrical Workers, yesterday, it was decided to attempts to carry the strike of the telephone linemen to every city in the south in which the Cumberland Telephone and Telegraph company operates. F. E. Lockman of St. Louis, International vice-president, was present at the meeting and directed the deliberations, so far as the sweeping action was concerned.

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A session of the international officers
of the Telephone Linemen's Union has
been called to meet at Washington on
September 16, and it is said that the
future policy of the New Orleans strike
will then be passed on.

TRIESTE, Sept. 12.— The garrison
here has been reinforced by two battalions of infantry as a precautionary
measure in consequence of the strike of
dock laborers. Three of the arrested
leaders have been released.

As a result of the arrest of the ringleaders of a recent demonstration at
Trieste seven hundred dock laborers
and others struck work yesterday and
the work of the port was much affected.
The demonstration which led to the
trouble was organized with the object
of compelling the authorities to suppress a newspaper which had made
itself unpopular with the workmen.

#### THE ENGLISH MAIL

Will'Be Slower After the First of October

LONDON, Sept. 12.—After October 1, mails for the White Star line steamers will not reach Queenstown until 10.15 a. m., Thursdays, instead of .7 a. m., as at present, thus considerably delaying the departure of those vessels. The reason for the alteration in time is the refusal of the White Star line to further co-operate with the general post office in accelerating the mail boat service from London to Dublin. The company has hitherto contributed \$30,000 yearly towards the acceleration, but it now says it feels it is no part of its duty to continue such an outlay, and the post office therefore is reverting to slower trains.

#### METHODIST CONFERENCE.

Rev. William Dobson to Convey Fraternal Greetings.

(Special to the Star.

WINNIPEG, Sept. 12.—The Methodist general conference yesterday on the recommendation of the mission committee decided to make the term of all members of the General Mission Board four years, and also to give greater powers to superintendents, Rev. William Dobson, Windsor, N. S., was elected fraternal delegate to the Methodist Episcopal conference of the United States.

The entire body went to Brandon by special train this morning to view the wheat fields.

#### STEAMER ASHORE.

COLOMBO, Ceylon, Sept. 12.—A boat containing the first officer and five men of the British steamer Nithsdale, has arrived here. The officer reports that the Nithsdale grounded on a reef south of Cardina, one of the Maldive Islands in the Indian Ocean, September 8. All hands are safe. The steamer is in a precarious condition owing to the danger of her slipping off the reef. She has a cargo of 4,000 tons of sugar. The Nithsdale was built in 1906, and is owned at Glasgow.

# THE WEATHER.

TORONTO, Sept. 12.—Light variable winds; fine today and on Saturday; not much change in the temperature.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 12.—Forecast—Eastern States and Northern New York: Rain tonight and Saturday; cooler Saturday with variable winds becoming east and fresh. Western New York rain tonight and Saturday.

## WINNIPEG NEWS

(Special to the Star.) WINNPEG, Sept. 12.—Premier Rob-lin is ill at his residence here. The doctors have forbidden him to do any business.

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The Hudson's Bay Company reports
Indians slaughtering wood buffalo
north of Edmonton, although the law
is strictly against the killing of these

#### IT COMES HIGH.

NEW YORK, Sept. 12.—High records of stock exchange seats have been broken by the purchase of a membership for an unknown man for \$\$1,000. In addition to this sum \$1,000 will be the price of initiation. Memberships were sold seven years ago as low as \$13,500.

#### WOMAN MURDERED

NEW YORK, Sept. 12.—The body of a young woman, who, it is believed, was murdered, was found on Pier 30 East River today. She had been beaten and choked until her face was almost black. The police have no clew to her identity or any trace of her murderer. She was about twenty-five years old.

#### GET OUT YOUR GUNS.

NEW YORK, Sept. 12.—The rumor that a revolutionary expedition is being prepared at Maranhaos for the purpose of invading the territory of Acre and opposing the Bolivian authorities has been confirmed, cables the Rio Janiero correspondent of the Herald. It is reported that Rodrigo Corvalho is the leader of the movement.

#### A MEAT TRUST

Second Only to the Steel Trust in Magnitude.

Consolidation of Packing Interests With Hundreds of Millions

CHICAGO, Sept. 12.—The Record-Herald says today: The long expected merger of the great meat packing interests of the United States will go into active operation Saturday, Sept. 27, unless there should be an entirely unlooked for change in the plans agreed upon by all those concerned in the deal at a meeting held here today. An industrial combination, second only to the Steel Trust in point of magnitude and importance, is, therefore practically an accomplished fact.

Reports concerning the actual terms of the consolidation differ. The most reliable light shed upon the subject was the plan outlined by a Boston authority, who has possessed the most inside information about the deal ever since its existence was first rumored in the early part of last spring. According to this expert the new packing combine is to be capitalized at the rate of twenty-five times the last year's earnings of the constituent companies. For example, Cudahy & Co. are said to have earned about \$20,000, in 1901, which would make their share of the capital stock of the merger \$21,000,000. A four percent, dividend that the new consolidation might be expected to declare would amount to \$440,000, on this lot of stock, approximate its legimate earnings. On the basis of capitalization Armour & Co., whose last year's profits are supposed to have been about \$8,000,000, will receive \$200,000,000 in the new securities in exchange for their business. Swift & Co. will receive \$50,000,000. It is said that it is the undoubted determination of the consolidated meat interests to control all the packing houses and stockyards of the company and save every possible dollar in the cost of manufacturing and distribution. In addition to this all by-products and save every possible dollar in the cost of manufacturing and distribution. In addition to this all by-products will be absolutely controlled and efforts made to buy up industries that are closely allied to the meat business.

# A GENERAL EXECUTED

PORT AU PRINCE, Hayti, Sept. 12.

General Chicoye of the Firminist forces, who was defeated at Petit Goave, Aug. 8, and set fire to that town before evacuating it, and who was subsequently arrested near Jacmel, was executed at Jacmel Wednesday, Sept. 10, after having been tried by a military tribunal.

CONGREGATION UNION. The Woman's Board Had Charge of

At last evening's meeting of the Con-At last evening's meeting of the Con-gregational Union the following were appointed on the union committee: Revs. G. M. Whyte, S. Sykes, D. W. Pinder, R. Pegrum, R. R. Morson, J. M. Austin and Messrs. G. G. Moore, Capt. Hilton, J. W. Jewett, A. Taylor, Capt. W. Godfrey, Mrs. A. N. Tupper, Mrs. H. Dunlap and officers of the Un-ion.

ion.

Rev. R. R. Morson, pastor of the local church, delivered an address of welcome, which was responded to by Rev Churchill Moore. Dr. Warriner, of the Congregational College, Montreal, gave an educational address.

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Today was woman's board day in the programme of the Congregational Union. The most in the congregation of the Congregational Union The most in the congregation of the programme of the Congregational Union. The meeting opened with a devotional service, led by Mrs. J. D. Horton, after which the president, Mrs. McEwan, of Brooklyn, in the chair, an address of welcome to the delegates was delivered by Mrs. John Wade, and responded to by Mrs. Churchill Moore. The treasurer, Mrs. Wm. Kerr, presented her report, showing that during the year \$716 had been raised for missions.

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Reports were received from the dif-ferent societies and the following com-

mittees were appointed:
Plan of work—Mrs. Horton, Mrs.
Dearborn, Miss Harrison, Mrs. God-

Dearborn, Miss Harrison, Mrs. Godfrey.

Resolution—Miss Burpee, Mrs. Dunlap, Mrs. Gardiner.

Finance—Mrs. Wm. Kerr, Mrs. Whyte, Mrs. Weaver.

The president, Mrs. J. D. McEwan, who is about to go out to Brazil as a missionary, presented her annual report, in which she stated that this was the bannier year of the society in every respect. Certain recommendations looking towards the furtherance of the work were made.

The election of officers resulted as follows:

President, Mrs. R. Pegrum.

1st Vice-president, Mrs. Churchill Moore.

Moore, 2nd vice-president, Mrs. Tanner, 3rd vice-president, Mrs. Whyte, Secretary, Miss Barker, Treasurer, Mrs. William Kerr, Supt. of misison boards, Miss A. Bur

pee.
Auditor, Mrs. Dearborn.
The session then adjourned until this afternoon. At the public evening service tonight Rev. J. D. McEwen will speak on "Interior Brazil as I saw it."

# CARNEGIE'S OFFER REJECTED.

(Special to the Star.) PORT ARTHUR. Ont., Sept. 12.— Carnegie's offer to establish a free library here has been unanimously re-jected by the town council.

#### THE COAL STRIKE.

The Men Declare They Will Hold Out Longer.

TAMAQUA, Sept. 12.—Officials of the coal companies state that on Monday two more breakers in this section will be converted into washeries, one in the Panther Creek Valley and another on the outskirts of this place. It is said that the two plants will ship over one hundrell tons of coal a day. A force of deputies is being secured to guard the operations.

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Nearly all the local unions of the United Mine Workers in this vicinity have held meetings at which the srikers re-affirmed their allegiance to President Mitchell and pledged themselves to stay out until the coal companies grant con-cessions, no matter how long it may

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The men apparently have little hope that the meeting of Mitchell and Governor Stone in Harrisburg tomorrow will have much effect on the strike situation.

situation.

POTTSVILLE, Pa., Sept. 12.—A. number of local branches of the United Mine Workers in this district at the regular weekly meetings have adopted resolutions expressing their intention to remain on strike until ordered back to work by National President Mitchell or by a convention of mine workers.

# ALMOST RUINED?

Prolonged Rains Do Great Damage to Crops in England.

NEW YORK, Sept. 12.—A special cable to the Herald, from London, says: According to reports from all parts of England the heavy rains of the last three days, coming on top of an exceptionally wet summer, have very seriously damaged the crops. Thousands of farmers find ruin staring them in the face. Grain has suffered severely and the land has been reduced to a quagmire. In some places water is now standing among the wheat.

#### A BAD INDIAN

Will Go on La Longue Traverse on Oct. 24th

DEADWOOD, S. D., Sept. 12.—Judge Garland, in the United States court yesterday sentenced Allen Walkinshield, the Rosebud Indian, convicted of murdering Mrs. Sarah Ghostface Bear, to be hanged at Sioux Falls, October 24. The prisoner heard the sentence with more than ordinary stoicism.

On May 8th, Walkingshield killed Mrs. Bear, and carried away her daughter. Before going to trial he cofessed to killing several persons. The confession was used against him at the trial.

## MARCONI

Messages Received Across France, Spain and the Alps.

NEW YORK, Sept. 11.—The following cablegram was received today by the Marconi Wireless Telegraph Co. of

America:
LONDON, Sept. 11, 1902.—"Have received following from Marconi: Perfect message received inside Gibraltar harbor and throughout entire course of Mediterranean tour direct from Poldhu across France, Suain and Alps. All telegrams for king and minister received correctly on tape off Spezia." (Signed), Marconi Wireless Telegraph Company, Limited."

### A MATTER OF FORM.

To Courtmartial Two Men Who Went to South Africa

(Special to the Star.)

KINGSTON, Ont., Sept. 12.—A courtmartial has been ordered to onsider
the cases of Bombardiers Fee and
Piercy of the Royal Canadian Field
Artillery, who deserted from B battery
and enlisted without permission to
serve with the Canadian forces in
South Africa. The men returned yesterday to the city and gave themselves
up. It is unlikely that any punishment
will be inflicted.

## THE DEATH ROLL.

TORONTO, Sept. 12.—George Farqu-har, a well known contractor of this city, died yesterday of paralysis. He was 66 years old. NEW YORK, Sept. 12.—Stephen Mc-Carnick.

Cormick, said to have been the oldest employe of New York city in point of service, and the oldest member of Tammany Hall, is dead, He was 75 years old.

years old.

LITCHFIELD, Conn. Sept. 12.—
Charles B. Andrews, ex-chief justice of the supreme court of Connecticut, died at his home here this morning of heart

disease.

LONDON, Sept. 12.—William Waldorf
Astor's daughter, Gwendoline, died of
consumption this morning at Cliveden.
Her body will be taken to New York
for burial.

#### SUON GOT TIRED

DOVER, Eng., Sept. 12. — Frank Holmes of Birmingham started from Dover at hair-past six o'clock this morning in an attempt to swim the English channel. After being in the water two hours he abandoned his attempt.

Holmes was caught in a squall and vas unable to proceed.

#### A SICK QUEEN.

SPA, Belgium, Sept. 12.—The condition of the queen of the Belgians, who was seized by such an attack of asthma yesterday that a physician had to be hurriedly summoned from Brussels, is serious today, but no immediate danger is apprehended.

#### WHERE DID YOU GET THAT HAT?

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SITUATION SERIOUS.

The Panama Revolutionists Have Cut Railroad Lines .

WASHIN JTON, Sept. 12.—Secretary of the Navy Moody this morning received the following cablegram from Commander Potter of the Ranger: Panamá.—Received cipher message this morning saying revolutionists cut the railroad line. Situation serious. Transit across isthmus still open.

(Signed), The cablegram was not dated. The navy department also received a despatch from Commander McLean, of the Cincinnati, announcing his departure from Cape Haytian, for Colon. The cablegram was not dated.

## MUNICIPAL OWNERSHIP.

Scientist Declares !! Is Rapidly Increasing Municipal Debts.

BELFAST, Sept. 12.—At today's session of the annual meeting of the British Association for the advancement of Science, R. P. Porter read a paper in the Economic Section on the subject of Municipal Trading, pointing out that American experience showed there was no wisdom in this form of civic enterprise, which was so rapidly increasing municipal debts in England. Mr. Porter advocated a wisely arranged leasing system which would secure steady revenues for the local treasuries and ensure good and cheap public services.

## A MOULDERS' STRIKE

(Special to the Star.)

GUELPH, Ont., Sept. 12.—The moulders in Crowe's iron works are on strike. About forty men are out. After working for over thirteen years for \$2 a day the men last December asked for an increase of fifty cents a day, which was granted on their making an extra output to correspond. They now demand 25 cents more with no extra output.

#### EASTERN STEAMSHIP CO'y. ADDITIONAL DIRECT SERVICE



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Advertisements under this Head: Two words for one cent each time, or Three cent word for ten times. Payable in advance. ANTED.-Smart Boy in printing of BARNES & CO.

MANYED—A smart young man as sten-ographer and clerk in mercantile office. Ap-ply by letter stating previous experience, ctc., to A. B. C., care of Sun Printing Co. WANYED.—At once, Coat Makers; also man to sew and press. Apply to D. & J PATERSON, 77 Germain street.

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#### HELP WANTED, FEMALE.

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WANTED — Experienced needlewo-men and machinists needed at once. D. MAGEE'S SONS, 63 King Street.

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Must be good plain cook. Good wages. Ap-ply with references. MRS, T. H. ESTA-BROOKS, 266 Prince William street. WANTED.-A Cook. Apply to MISS THORNE, 15 Mecklenburg street. WANTED.—A faithful middle aged womas general servant in family of three, goo ages given to right person. Address M. WANTED-A gilr for general housework pply to MRS. R. FINLEY, 78 Sewell

WANTED.—Girl wanted for general housework. Apply at 166½ Sydney street.

WANTED—Nurse Girl, to stay home at night. Apply 16 Horsfield street.

#### FOR SALE

Advertisements under this Head: words for one cent each time, or Three FOR SALE.—A Bourne Piano, in good order. Can be seen any afternoon at 11 Summer street. SALE-A good sound horse. Apply L. & J. T. McGOWAN, 158 Princess Telephone No. 697 HOUSE FOR SALE.—House 165 Adelairoad, 2 flats, 5 rooms on each flat. Enquion the premises.

#### MISCELLANEOUS

t. B. PERMANENT BOARDERS.— The Leowne House, No. 40 South Side Figuare with large, bright, well furnit ones and excellent table service, offers is all disconnents to permanent boarders be winter season. Terms moderate. W.

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SHOW-CASES A bargain for some on-ter Nickie Cases for sale cheap. Call an so them at W. TREMAINE GARD'S Joweler and Optician, 43 King street.

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# ST. JOHN STAR.

ST. JOHN, N. B., SEPT. 12, 1902.

SOUTH SHORE SERVICE.

The Telegraph this morning dwelt at great length upon the importance of having a steamer on the route from St. John to Yarmouth and south shore ports

On May 25th, or nearly four months ago, the Telegraph published the folowing despatch from Halifax:

"At a meeting of the Halifax and Newfoundland Steamship company's directorate Friday it was decided to take the steamer Harlaw off her present route and place her on the route between this port and St. John, calling at Yarm-uth and other intermediate norts." ports.

The above statement was correct, and the company submitted their offer to the dominion government. The latter might have accepted it, but an extreme ly ill-advised article in the Telegraph roused the opposition of Halifax mer chants, and as a result of their pro tests the Harlaw was not transferred to the route. Neither did the govern ment call for tenders for the service which, has been greatly needed, bu never supplied since the loss of the steamer Monticello. St. John firm now offers to provide vessel if both federal and provincia governments grant a subsidy. service is greatly needed, and if the federal government will do nothing it is the duty of the provinical government to take action. We should have had the Harlaw, and would have secured that steamer but for the Telegraph's folly and the hostility encountered in

the government at Ottawa. There are however, some difficultie to be overcome in connection with the propesed service. The federal subside of \$7,000 is only granted from year to year, and is for a service extending to Halifax. There is now a service from Halifax to the south shore ports, which receives, as the Monticello did, a sub sidy from the Nova Scotla government If now Mr. Tweedie decides to do some thing for the benefit of the trade of thi province he will be doing no more than doing. As we are nearing an election and his colleagues will be profuse in their awards of praise for St. John enterprise and in professions of zea for the welfare of this port.

The Star quotes today from the Ot tawa Citizen the story of Mr. Harriss's cheme to inaugurate a revival of high class English music throughout Can The object of the present movemen to make the renaissance of English song in Canada a corollary to the cele oration of the coronation of King Edward VII., to encourage acquaintance with the musical heritage of the empire so that Canadians may be as fa niliar with the best that English talent has produced in that line as they are with the many glorious traditions and achievements that have made the empire great."

It will be remembered that several elergymen, since the Doukhobors arrived in Canada, have in addresses of ublished interviews spoken highly of these people, and if we mistake no predicted that they would become excellent citizens. The latest develop ments do not bear out the views expressed. Some of those clergymen, perhaps all of them, were friendly to the liberal government, and seem to have taken too rosy a view of its imtration policy. We want no more Doukhobors.

Mr. Whitney's confidence that the Ross government in Ontario will either esign shortly or be defeated appear to be well for inded. It does not seem possible that Mr. Ross can get a work ing majority. The opportunist is not as much in evidence in Ontario as i New Brunswick, and the prospect of lower by purchase is an exceedingly doubtful one. The people have prac-tically declared against the govern-ment, and Mr. Whitney will probably ere long be premier of the province.

Those persons who transferred their jewels from the safe to any old place in order to lock up their high prices beef for security in the first name stacle, will now be constrained to to the safe for the storage of coal wiff it is likely to be the most valuable of all the assets of prince or peasant.

I'm. Mr. Blair will find provin polities somewhat mixed up when he returns home. As he will soon be here, his trands, Messrs. Tweedle and Pugs ley, ay wait for a conference before call'n; on the elections.

The has been a good year for th lum rmen, and the outlook for the next year appears favorable. The man who has good spruce timber on his land has a profitable asset.

#### AT IT AGAIN.

The remark of Pres The remark of Fremier Tweedie, that whatever conspires to the general benefit of the chief commercial city of New Brunswick makes for the advantaget of the whole province, is a statesmanilke recognition of conditions, and implies an appreciation of the desirable possibilities in provincial government enterprise which in other respects has already characterized our present provincial administration.—Telegraph.

When a newspaper praises a for saying what is perfectly clear to the most common-place mind, and calls it a statesman-like utterance, it appears obvious either that the man is capable of nothing better or that the paper is well paid for praising the language in which he conceals his real thoughts and purposes. If there is a school boy in the city who does not know that what is for the general benefit of St. John (whether it conspires of erspires) makes for the advantage of the whole province, he is a very dull school boy. It may of course be that the idea has just dawned upon the Telegraph, which is a school-boy journal. But Mr. Tweedie will certainly not thank his organ for its officious zeal.

The city council should at pace attend to the matter of having proper street signs put up. There should be a plain sign on every street, at every corner.

THE SOUTH SHORE ROUTE.

THE SOUTH SHORE ROUTE.

William Thomson & Co. Offer to Put on a Steamer.

W. H. Barnaby, John Sealy, W. S. Fisher and T. H. Estabrooks, representing the council of the board of trade, interviewed Hon. Messrs, Tweedie, Pugsley and McKeown and urged that the government subsidize a steamer for the South Shore route. Wm. Thomson & Co. offer to put a steamer on this route if they get a subsidy of \$7,000 from the federal and \$5,000 from the provincial government. The steamer will travel 12 knots, have 2,500 barrels freight capacity and accommodate 45 passengers. Two trips in three weeks, and possibly weekly trips would be made. It would take about five months to obtain such a steamer, but the firm have one in view. The board of trade committee set forth in the strongest terms the need of placing a steamer on this route once more. Premier Tweedle said the government would consider the matter when they met on the first Tuesday in October, and reply at once thereafter.

## OTTAWA FREE PRESS.

Foreshadows Canada's Part in Imperial Defence Scheme.

OTTAWA, Sept. 11.-The Free Pres (liberal organ) says it is probable that at the approaching session the govern-ment will invite parliament's concur-rence in a scheme by which Canada ment will invite parliament's concurrence in a scheme by which Canada will practically assume the duty of defending her own borders. This will be the dominion's contribution towards imperial defence. Details are yet to be worked out, but the Free Press says it is not unlikely that they will include the taking over of the garrison duty now done on the east and west coast by imperial tropps. A skeleton force large enough to attend to what garrison service is required to serve as a stiffening for the military and for instructive work, an organized headquarters staff capable of attending to all needs of the soldier on active service, an army of Canadians trained in the use of the rifle is what the dominion will be asked to undertake.

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N. S. EXHIBITION.

HALIFAX, Sept. 11.—The Nova Scotia exhibition had beautiful weather today. The attendance reached 10,271. This was practically the opening day for owing to Wednesday's downpour of rain nobody went to the grounds.

The free-for-all trot and pace at the exhibition speed contests was won by Rockfarm Grace of Springhill in threstraignt heats. Second money was wen by Sunday, owned by S. A. Fowler of St. John, which finished second in each heat. Third money was won by Ferron of Bridgetown. Alix T. of Sydney Yon foun'h money. The one other starter was Parkwood of Charlottetown. Best time, 2.21.

The 2.40 trot and pace was won by Harry M. of Elmsdale, It took five heats. Hairy M. won the sast three Sousa of Moncton won second noney. Soamp of Petitecoliac third and Patit. Bangs of St. John, owned by Those Hayes, fourth money. Best time, 2.241-4.

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OTTAWA, Sept. 11.—From a cable received by Sir Edmund Barton, the Commonwealth tariff has been adopted by both houses of parliament. The senate has a right to make suggestions but not to change the tariff. There was some discussion between both houses as to the exact powers of the senate in this regard, but the matter was amicably settled in the end and the tariff was adopted by the upper house as passed by the house of representatives. The average tariff of the Commonwealth was about il per cent. [Sir Barton and party visited Eddy's works this morning, and the Experimental Farm this afternoon. The governor general gave a state diamer in their honor tonight.]

# I. C. R. CHANGES.

MONCTON, N. B., Sept. 11.—Assistant Manager E. T. Horn has severed his connection with the Intercolonial and leaves tomorrow for Baltimore, where he accepts a responsible position on the Baltimore and Ohio road.

Detective Skeffington's jurisdiction has been extended over the whole of the Intercolonial, the same arrangement as existed previous to the late John Ring's appointment by Mr. Blair.

Chronic constipation surely cured of money back. LAXA-CARA TABLETS never fail. Small, chocolate coated, easy to take. Price 35 cents. At druggists!

ing Property in the West.

Minn., president of the Manitoba Land and Investment Co.; Colonel C. H. March, of Litchfield, secretary-treasurer of the same company, accompanied by Messrs. A. and S. Wells and Mrs. and Miss March, are in the city, having come to see the farming lands of the West under the present most favorable conditions, when the bountiful harvest is being garnered in. Senator Wells, the Messrs. Wells and Colonel March were seen by a representative of the Free Press last evening, and in reply to queries, all the party emphasized their unbounded confidence in the country. The company were pioneers of the Americans to invest money in the Canadian West, and to direct immgration from the States to this country, and they have had no cause to regret the action they took. As a proof of their faith in the country, it is only necessary to quote the fact that they recently increased their capital to \$500,000. Referring to the elevator and grain business of the company, the gentlemen state that, having taken over the system of elevators of the Northern Elevator company, they have already six established and have placed orders for material to construct six additional ones. The grain and elevator business will be continued under the style and charter of the Northern Elevator company, although officered by the same gentlemen as the Manitoba Land and Investment Co. This season most of the wheat handled will probably be shipped through Port Arthur and Fort William, but some may be shipped to the Minneapolis mills.

Asked as to how the crops of Manitoba and the West compared with those of the United States, the party were unanimous in declaring that they had seen nothing anywhere equal to Manitoba and Western Canada comments. and Investment Co.; Colonel C. H. March, of Litchfield, secretary-treas

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The company will greatly extend their operations in Manitoba and Assiniboia. A bank was recently opened at Langenburg, Assa., by March Bros. & Wells, members of the company.

In reply to queries as to probable immigration from the States, they declared there will be a large stream flowing this way this fall from southern Minnesota and Ohio. They gave as a reason for this emigration that farmers can sell out in those states at from \$40 to \$50 per acre, and they can buy land here much superior in quality and productive power at from \$5 to \$10 per acre.

Most of the lands sold by the com pany so far have been sold to actua settlers, even the large tracts that were sold to syndicates have since beer were sold to syndicates have since been resold to actual settlers. The incoming settlers from the States consist of the best class of Germans and Scandinavians, men who invariably possess the capital, and are practical farmers. These are the best class that can be secured to settle and develop the West. These people will settle near Langenburg, Assa., and in the Newdale district of Manitoba.

The settlers who bought land from the company last year have large crops this year, and are more than pleased with their investments. Not one of them would sell out and go back to

Northern railway.

### ROASTS THE TELEGRAPH.

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The Telegraph & vesterday made an attempt to make it swiper that the reports which it is giving of the proceedings of the Deaf & wibstantistly correct. A few days ago commission of Enquiry are substantistly correct. A few days ago commission er Barry felt called upon to rebuke the Telegraph quite sharply for the absurd and unworthy methods it had stiopted to misrepresent the proceedings, and in this way to prejudice the public wind. Our contemporary has probably reft the sting in the commissioner's remarks, but even now it shows no disposition to be truthful. The Telegraph not only distorts; it deliberately misrepresents the counsel and the commissioner. It has displayed a malignify throughout unworthy of gentlemen. Its course has been a disgrace to fournalism; its action contemptible in the extreme. Its reports are prepared by a person who is acting the part of prosecutor and persecutor, and similar reports are prepared for another paper by the same peson. Journals which are invariably influenced by a sense of fairfiess deline to use or counterance its reports, for on their very face they are batches of deliberate merely as the emanation of a malignant mind. The Telegraph in fact seems to have been inspined by the notion that it is free to control the commission at will, and the conflictions suggest that it has not hesitated to act in accordance with that beller.

# FAITH IN CANADA. Quick Fit Quilt Size Batting, ways in sta

American Investors in Farm-

Building Elevators and Selling Land to Actual Settlers-The Great Crops.

(Winnipeg Free Press.) Senator H. H. Wells, of Morris

J. QUILT BATTS GREAT SUGGESS. . .

These batts are ma the exact dimensions of a full sized quilt, presenting a very fluffy and sightly appearance. Open out smoothly. No thick spots. No thin places.



#### MEDICATED BATTING.

We also keep the most reliable medicated batting nufactured. One pound rolls. Always in stock

THE BATTLE LINE.

The following steamers will come here within the next few weeks to carry deals to U. K. ports; Cheronea. Cunaxa, Platea and Sellasia.

Str. Leuctra, Capt. Grant, from Benisof, reached Baltimore yesterday. Str. Trebia, Capt. McDougall, left Barry Dock Wednesday for Rio Janelip with coal.

Str. Mantinea, Capt. Pearce, sailed from Sharpness Wednesday for Miramichi to load deals.

Str Cheronea, Capt. Swatridge, cleared at New York Tuesday for this port. The latest addition to the fleet, the Himera, Capt. Lockhart, arrived yesterday afternoon from Greenock. This is her maiden wpyage. The Himera is a fine ship, the largest of the lot, Her dimensions are: Length, 340 feet; beam, 46 feet; hold, 25 feet. She is built of steel and registers 2,351 tons net, and her carrying capacity is 5,800 tons. The Himera is fitted with triple expansion engines and is admirably fitted for the handling of carro. Rustons. The Himera is fitted with tripse expansion engines and is admirably fitted for the handling of cargo. Russell & Co. of Port Glasgow were the builders. D. E. North, who superintended the construction of the ship, came out as a passenger. The Himera is at No. 2 bepth, Sand Point, where she will take in a cargo of deals.

#### ST. JOSEPH'S COLLEGE.

The number of students entered at the university of St. Joseph's College is exceptionally large this year. More than one hundred and seventy boarders than one hundred and seventy boarders are present now, and others are arriving daily. The indications are that the 200 mark will be reached before many weeks have elapsed. St. John is represented by a larger contingent than ever before in the history of the institution. Classes are all running smoothly at present, and the athletic association is to send a base ball nine to Moncton on Saturday to play the Stars of the railway centre.

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A reception which will fulfil the dual purpose of welcoming the new Y. M. C. A. secretary, Mr. Wilson, and of extending a farewell to Don. C. Malcolm, who leaves fext week for McGill University, where he will take a medical course, will be held at White's restaurant this evening. An evening of social pleasure will be followed by one of White's dainty suppers. The affair is being conducted by the boys' work committee.

#### Y. M. C. A. GYMNASIUM.

At a meeting of the board of directors of the Y. M. C. A. last night it was decided that if possible a competent physical instructor should be obtained this fall to continue the work so well started by Mr. Alken last season.

Secretary Wilson was instructed to correspond with applicants for the position, and if arrangements can be completed it is the intention to open the courses of instruction early in October.

FREDERICTON BRIEFS.

FREDERICTON, N. B., Sept. 11.-Mrs. Woodbridge was on the stand all day at the deaf and dumb inquiry, which was again conducted behind closed doors. It is thought the inquiry will be 66%cluded this week. Rev. Mr. Kempton gave his illus-trated lecture, the Story of Evangeline, at the Opera House this evening, un-der the auspices of the Tourist Asso-

#### PALMA TROPHY,

OTTAWA, Sept. II.—The American team which is to compete on Saturday for the Palma trophy reached this city at a cockrek today. They are a natty locking lot of men and were a natty locking lot of men and were a natty locking to the station. They were a companied by General Spencer, who is as charge, and Brig. General Edward A. Campbell, and many well knowif American militia men.

OTTAWA, Sept. 11.—The following militid changes are announced: 62nd Regf.; St. John Fush lers—Capt. R. R. Rankinë is transferre d to the reserve of officeris. Lieut. H. 1. Robertson resigns his commission, et al. (2007) and Lieut. A. P. Pool real Lieut. A. P. Parks retires.

SYMPATHY.

Dealer—"How is the then this morning?"
Clerk—"Seventeen belok zero.
Dealer—"Raise the price of coa other dollar per ton. God help

Sold from the Atlantic to the Pack-Red Rose tea.

#### TRAVELLERS' GUIDE.

DEPARTURES

By Intercolonial Railway. Hampton (suburban)

Halifax and Sydney.

By Canadian Pacific Railway

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ARRIVALS

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By Intercolonial Railway.
From Halifax and Sydney (Saturday only).

Halifax.
Suburban Hampton
Sussex.
Quebec and Montreal
Moncton Mixed).
Hampton (Suburban)
Halifax and Pictou.
Halifax and Pictou.
Halifax Hampton (Suburban).
Canadian Pacific Railway.
Fredericton Express Fredericton Express
Boston Express
Montreal Express.
Boston and Fredericton Express.
Welsford Suburban arrivals.

N. B. Southern Railway.

From St. Stephen Steamers of the Eastern S. S. Co.
Line, Monday, Wednesday and
Friday. 8.00 a m.
Steamers of the Dominion Atlantic
Railway, daily 7.45 a.m.
Steamer for Grand Manan, Tues. 9.00 a.m.
Carleton ferry boat makes twenty minute
trips from 6 a. m. until 10 p. m., and half
hour trips from 10 p. m. until 11.30 p. m.
RIVER SERVICE.

Steamers Leaving Indiantown.
Steamer Clifton leaves for Hampton at 3 p.
m. every Monday, Wednesday and Saturday.
Leaves Hampton at 5.30 a. m.
Steamer Hampton at 5.30 a. m.
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Steamer Hampstead runs daily to Wickham leaving Indiantown at 4 p. m. and Wickham on return at 6 a. m.

Steamers of the Star line leave at 9.00 a. m. daily for Fredericton. Returning leave Fredericton at 8.30 a. m. ericton at 8.30 a. m.

Steamer May Queen leaves for Salmon River and way points at 8 a. m. on Wednesdays and Saturdays. Returning, leaves Salmon River at 6 a. m. on Mondays and Thursdays. Steamer Star leaves at 10 a. m. on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays for Washademoak and Coles' Island. Returning leaves Coles' Island at 6 a. m. on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays.

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The ferryboat E. Ross runs from Indiantown to Milford, making twenty minute trips from 6. a, m. until 19.30 p. m.

The stmr. Majestic will leave Indiantown

and Times

400 a. m. ST. JOHN MAILS.

The Hours at Which They Close and Times When Incoming Mails are Due.

Mails now cices at Post Office as follows:

For Boston, etc. 5.45 a.m. Digby. Compared to the 

C. OF E. SYNOD.

MONTREAL, Sept. II.—The principal business considered by the General Synod of the Church of England today was the use of the revised version of the scriptures as well as the authorized. The house of bishops sent a message recommending that the canon be changed to permit the use of the revised version. The lower house concurred after the question had been threshed out, so that the revised version may now be used if preferred. The bishops also recommended the establishment of a church insurance association, which would insure churches and other property of the church. This was referred to a committee. The session will probably end tomorrow.

#### C. A. E. HARRISS

Has Greater Scheme Than Chapman Festival Choruses.

Will Organize Choral Societies in Canada and Have Great Festivals of English Song.

Charles A. E. Harriss, the well-known Canadian impressario and composer, returned Monday from his trip to England. His stay in Ottawa, his home city, was a brief one, as he left the same night for Toronto en route to Winnipeg and the Pacific coast. Mr. Harriss' western trip is taken with a view to promoting and perfecting his plans for a most ambitious musical project. It is a movement having for its object the formation of large bodies of adult voices—choral societies—in the principal cities and towns of Canada from the Atlantic to the Pacific.

Next spring, commencing in April, these societies will produce the works of English masters, of which, strange to say, but little is known as yet in Canada. The project will have a national and patriotic significance, inasmuch as it will commemorate the coronation of King Edward VII. The plan, moreover, will be the inauguration pf yearly musical festivals such as have made Leeds. Norwich, Gloucester, Heresford, Birmingham and other English towns famous. That it is a most ambitious project, far-reaching in its influence for good, can readily be seen when it is stated that over 3,000 voices in different parts of Canada will receive thorough and special training. Mr. Harriss has every confidence in the success of his scheme, on the preliminaries of which he has been working for the past two years. He believes that it will be self-supporting. At his residence, Earnscliffe, last evening he showed, a Citizen representative letters received from leading musicians in all parts of Canada, who endorsed his plan, expressed belief in its ultimate success and offered their services.

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While in England Mr. Harriss consulted Sir Alexander Mackenzle, the celebrated composer and president of the Royal Academy of Music, London. The latter expressed strong sympathy with the scheme and promised it his personal support. He will visit Canadain April during the Easter vacation at the academy and conduct the final rehearsals. His presence in this country in itself should prove a great incentive to good work, as he is certainly one of the greatest composers and conductors of the age. Mr. Harriss, himself, will personally conduct the rehearsals and preliminary work in Montreal and Ottawa. He will also, from time to time, visit the other cities in which societies are being formed.

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His object in entering on the great work thus early in the day is to lay his plans before the members of existing societies before they have made arrangements for the season's opera-

arrangements for the season's operations.

"We do not desire that our plans shall clash with those of organized specieties," said Mr. Harriss. "We want to secure the co-operation of every choral club and society and member thereof. It is a national project, one in which every Canadian engaged in musical affairs should take an active interest and part. Canada has made little or no advance along musical lines," he said; "in fact in many centres, particularly the smaller cities and large towns, there is a backward mo ment. This should not be. The world are the many should have been interested twenty years ago. Financial rated twenty years ago. Financial rated twenty years ago. Financial rated the statement of the fire attention to the furtherance of such a large movement. My lot has fall a in pleasant places. I have the time, I am willing to give it and my ser ices to the work."

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is Mr. Harris' intention to engage It is Mr. Harris' intention to engage a celebrated symphony orchestra of indinant, one of the leading three in parica, for the different productions, his is an organization of sixty memors, and on account of the heavy excesse its engagement for one or few ates could, hardly be entertained, respectively, in a series such as is planned to urs of all the cities provided with treat they would under existing consons be unable to secure.

ORK OF ENGLISH MASTERS.

Tr. Harriss lays great stress on the fact that in the first series, next April the works of English masters alone will be produced. This, he believed, should power little short of a revelation to Conadians, whose knowledge of such works, outside the operatic field, is now practically limited to Sir Arthur Sullivari's Gollen Legend, Coleridge Taylor's Hiawatha and Villers Stanford's Revenge, Even these have been given in but few of the leading cities, Ottawa in the list.

"The works of the foreign masters alone are known here," he remarked last evening. "Sir Alexander Mackenzie yearly conducts his works in England and on the continent, Germany included, but here in Canada he is known best by name and reputation. The people are strangers to his works. All this is wrong, and when they have had the privilege and pleasure of hearing the English works they will, I'm sure, learn to appreciate them as much as the English public does."

The presence of Canadian students in Leipsic, Dresden and other musical centers of Germany is held responsible in part by Mr. Harriss for the predominance of foreign works in Canadian choral efforts.

The principal solo parts will be taken in the Canadian series by English festival soloists chosen by Sir Alexander Mackenzie. This in itself should prove a strong feature. The works chosen for Canada are those that were especially written for and produced at the English festivals. Programs, varied and attractive, will be arranged, differing with the different towns. Mr. Harriss intends to keep in view the public faste in arranging the festivals. They will be of a nature that will entertain ORK OF ENGLISH MASTERS.

and prove enjoyable to all. A special effort will be made to arouse public interest in music and place it in Canada, on the well deserved footing it holds in England and Germany.

England boasts its Birmingham musical festival, where the illustrious Mendelsshon first gave to the light his masterpiece The Elijah. Leeds, Non-wich, Gloucester, Hereford, the Royal Albert hall and the great London Handel festivals, occurring year in and year out, together with other lesser festivals in the provincial towns of England, are of inestimable value to the hundreds of thousands attending these musical feats of yearly occurrence, and if, upon smaller lines to commence with, the singers of Canada can inaugurate yearly musical festivals with grand choruses, orchestra and an eminent soloists, then there will be a wave of musical advancement over the country such as will further th musical art itself and add to the education of the Canadian people.

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The following is a complete list of English works to be taken up:

Sir A. C. Mackenzie's Story of Sayld, Dream of Jubal, and the Cotter's Saturday Night.

Villers Stanford's Revenge and Battlee of the Baltic.

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Hubert C. Perry's Ode to Ste Cecilia, Blest Pair of Sirens, and Job.

Sir Arthur Sullvan's Golden Legend, and F. Cowen's Coronation Ode.

Coleridge Taylor's Hiawatha.

Ed. Elgar's Banner of St. George.

Frederick Bridge's Ballad of Clampherdown.

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Cowen's Scandinavian Symphony.
Stanford's Irish Rhapsody.
Mackenzie's London Suite, Burns'
Scotch Rhapsodie No. I and 2, Overture to the Opera, Cricket on the Hearth, Nautical Overture Britannia,
Ballad La Belle Dame Sans Merci and Coronation March.
Ed. German's Gipsy Suite.
Ed. Elgar's Meditation Lux Christi,
Sullvan's Overture Di Bollo:
MacCann's Overture to the Ships of the Flends.

#### OPPOSITION LEADER.

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THE RING.

The Latest Challegre Received by Littlejohn.

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(London Daily Chronicle.)

From a recent speech of the Hon.
Daniel O'Connor, one of the members
for the city of Sydney, New South
Wales: "In rough and brutal philology a deputation called them barmaids. I call them ladies of the bar.
The white beauty of their character is
unimpeachable. Why should it be less
degrading to hand out a roll of flannel
at a draper's shop than a stimulant at
a respectable hotel? You can see these
noble little ladies on any Sabbath
morning wending their way, after a
late Saturday night, to a cathedral to
worship the Eternal God. I defy these
brutal calumniators to besmirch their
characters."

# WETMORE-WARING.

A ceremony, very quietly performed by Rev. H. F. Waring at the home of the bride's father, G. H. Waring, at Lancaster Wednesday evening, made Frank Wetmore, son of G. E. Wetmore of City road, and Miss Addie F. Waring of Lancaster man and wife. Only the relatives and a few intimate friends were present. Mr. and Mrs. Wetmore will reside on Rock street.

#### 62ND FUSILIERS.

N. C. O.'s and men of "A" Co., Capt. Smith, will meet this evening at 7.30 for return of cipthing and receipt of annual drill pay.

"F" Co. will assemble at the drill shed this evening at 3 o'clock to receive pay and return uniforms.

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

#### SPORTING NEWS.

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At Philadelphia-

O'Nesti and Eatman Matched.

Tip O'Neill and Eatman, the colored sprinter of Carleton, have been matched to run one hundred yards, O'Neill to give Eatman a handicap of three yards. The stake is \$5a e side, and the race is to take place in two weeks time on the Shamrock grounds. The colored sprinter has a good reputation and his friends are confident that he will be in the plak of condition. O'Neill has been playing base ball all summer, but can only fit himself for such a bandicap race by hard work. Tip is a big friend the place of the playing base ball all summer, but can only fit himself for such a bandicap race by hard work. Tip is a big friend to be such that he will be in the matched to the matched to the playing base ball all summer, but can only fit himself for such a bandicap race by hard work. Tip is a big friend to be such that he will be such that the playing the complete of the playing the pla

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CRICKET.

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 12.—The thirteenth international cricket match between Canada and the United States began today on the grounds of the Germantown Cricket (Ilub. As this is the only international match placed here this year, the Philadelphia cricketers were anxieus to make it a high class one. To that and they selected the control of the

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

DUFFERIN, Sopt. 12.—G. G. Perkins
Doughas, R. N. R., Hallfax, H. A. Smith
Lynn; E. R. S. R., Hallfax, H. A. Smith
Lynn; E. E. Scott, Boston; G. H. Komfeel
New York; G. J. Sanworth, Philadelphia,
C. E. Jackson, and wife, Chicago; Mrs. and
Niss Birt, Liverpool
NEW YORK

NEW YORK, Sept. 11.—J. Pierpont Morgan and Senator Hama, with George Mac-Culloch Miller, of this city; James L. Houghteling of Chicago, Wm. H. Crooker of San Francisco, and Samuel Mather of Cleveland, are the signers of a statement issued today, asking for funds for the work of the Episcopal Church in the Philippines. The sum named as sufficient to yield an idequate fixed Income is \$1,000,000.

# SHIPPING NEWS.

LATE SHIP NEWS

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Domestic Ports,

HALIFAX, N. S., Sept. II.—Ard, British rrusers Ariadae and Indefatigable, from Questics and Charlottetown; torpedo beat form Charlottetown; torpedo hostroyer, from Charlottetown; stream of the charlottetown; torpedo hostroyer, from Charlottetown; torpedo hostroyer, from Charlottetown; and salied for Philadelphia; Corean, from Ghegow and Liverpool cia St Johns, N. F. and cleared for Philadelphia; Florence, from St. John; Louisburg, from do, and salied for Sydney.

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BARROW, Sept. 10.—Ard, str Norwood, from Philadelphia via Bathurat.

MANCHESTER, Sept. 10.—Ard, str Ramels, from Campbellton, N. B.

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Proeign Ports.

BOSTON, Sept. 10.—Ard, str Olivette, from Port Hawkeesbury and Hallfax; Prince George, form Yarmouth, Cleared, schs M. D. S, for Cheverffs, N. S. Cygnet, Burgess, for Parrsboro; Temperance Bell, for St John; Merceddes, for Belleveau Cove, N. S.

Salled, Str Egda, for Louisburg, Prince George, for Yarmouth; St Crolx, for St. John; schs Nellie Carter, for Maitland, N. S., CRPhill, for Ser River, N. S.

Salled, Str Egda, for Louisburg, Prince George, for Yarmouth; St Crolx, for St. John; schs Nellie Carter, for Maitland, N. S., CRPhillisboro, N. B.

HYANNIS, Mass, Sept. 11.—Sld, sch Priscilla, for St John, N. B.

CALAIS, Me., Sept. 11.—Sld, sch Albert B. Boardman, for Calais; E W. Allan, for dot. On the Court of the

CITY ISLAND, N. Y., Sept. 11.—Bound outh, sch Silver Spray, from Port Greville, V YORK, Sept. 11.—Ard, str Avalon, Halifax; tug Gypsum King, from Hantsport.

VINEYARD HAVEN, Mass., Sept. 11.—
Sld, sch Cochrane (from Calais), for New
Bedford: S A Fownes, from New York for
St John: Cora May (from St John), for Fall

River.

Passed, schs Mineola, from New York for Passed, schs Mineola, from do for Sherbrooke, N B; Wm L Elkins, from do for St John; J L Colwell, from St John for New Haven; Harry, from Walton, N S, for New York; Rowena, from Predericton for New Bedford, Promark River, From Calais, bound west.

BALTIMORE, Sept. 11.— Ard, str Tjmo, from Sydney, N S.

## COMMERCIAL.

STOCK MARKET.

NEW YORK, Sept. 12.—Wall street—The stock market opened very active and with lewer prices. Missouri Pacific declined almost two points to 121, but losses otherwise were of moderate fractions. St. Paul lost % and then recovered to a shade above the yesterday's close. Traders showed some concern over the monetary situation, yesterday's late flurry in rates disturbing sentiment somewhat. The stock market weak.

COTTON. NEW YORK, Sept. 12.—Cotton futures opened firm. Sept. 8.42, bid; Oct., 8.37; Nov., 8.31; Dec., 8.34; Jan., 8.32; Feb., 8.18; Mar., 8.17; April, none; May, 8.20.

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leave for Montreal on Saturday. Dr.Walker is to attend the medical convention at Montreal next week.

Miss Maud Scott, daughter of N. C. Scott, north end, leaves tomorrow for Boston, where she will take advanced courses in vocal and instrumental music.

Halirax Mail: Mrs. R. S. DeVeber and her grand-daughter, Mrs. R. S. DeVeber and her grand-daughter, Mrs. R. S. Deveber and her grand-daughter, Mrs. R. P. Starr before returning the summer, left for St. John, where they will visit Mrs. R. P. Starr before returning bome.

Mrs. W. H. Smith of Douglas avenue, leaves next week for Providence to visit her daughter, Mrs. F. F. Flewelling, who will shortly move to San Juan, Porto Rico, where her husband has received the appointment of chaplain to Bishop Van Buren. Miss Fanny Smith will accompany her mother te Previdence.

Rev. J. B. Saer, of Bridgetown, Maine, is at the Dufferin. Mr. Saer, who was formerly a St. John pastor, is visiting his old Bold in a quiet way. He is in the full bloom of yeuthful manhood.

NO TIME TO LOSE.

A morehant in Chestnut street has become very fond of an office boy he engaged last June. The boy entered very early in the morning, when the merchant was reading the paper. The latter glanced up and went on reading without speaking. After three minutes the boy said:

"Excuse me, but I'm in a hurry!"

"What do you want!" he was asked.

"You do? Well," snorted them an of business, "why are you in such a hurry!"

"Got to hurry," replied the boy. "Left school yesterday to go to work, and haven't struck anything yet. I can't waste time. If you've got nothing for me, say so, and I'll lock elsewhere. The only place I can stop long is where they pay me for it."

"When can you come!" asked the surprised merchant.

"Don't have to come." he was teld. "I'm her now, and would have been to work before this if you'd said so."

# MORNINGS NEWS.

LOCAL

Are you using Red Rose tea? It's good tea, with a delicious flavor. Mrs. Nellie Durger of Illinois will speak in Union Hall on Sunday after-

noon.

D. R. Jack will erect several more cottages at Duck Cove in time for next summer's business.

Bicyclists and all athlets depend on BENTLEY'S Limment to keep their joints limber and muscles in trim.

"G" Co. 62nd Regt, Capt. McKean, will meet tonight at the armory at 7.30 for the return of clothing and receive next.

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St. Stephen's church auxiliary of the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society will meet this evening.

A meeting of No. 1 and 2 Scots com-panies will be held this evening at 8 o'clock at St. Stephen's church school room.

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The regular meeting of the Trades and Labor Council will be held tonight. at 8 o'clock in Labor hall, Oddfellows' building.

The rehearsal of the Chapman festival chorus last night was one of the best of the series. The attendance was large and the work showed good progress.

PROVINCIAL.

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At Bellisle Creek, on Sept. 19th, Harry Osborne of Gagetown, and Miss Julia Wilson were united in marriage by Rev. B. Coleman.

A loaded team went through the draw span of the highway bridge at the mouth of the Oromocto yesterday. The driver was injured and one horse killed. For the last two years, Messrs. Hazen and Glasier have been trying to get the government to repair this bridge, but without success:

Col. E. J. Purdy of Westchester, N. S., died yesterday, aged 84 years. Only a few hours afterward Mrs. Purdy died, her death being due, it is supposed, to the shock. One som and three daughters survive.

GENERAL.

#### GENERAL

At Braemar, Aberdeenshire, yesterday, King Edward, attired in full Highland costume, watched the Highland games. The queen was also present. They received a great ovation. Three is a rumor in London that the Canadian government has abandoned the idea of a fast Atlantic passenger service and substituted a fast freight service.

service.
Sir Charles and Lady Tupper sailed from Liverpool for Montreal yesterday.
Emperor William, on a white Arab steed, led the wild cavalry charge which terminated the German manoeuvres yesterday. Several American officers rode with him.

MAP OF CANADA.

New and Complete One Just Being Issued,

(Ottawa Citizen.)

The latest and most complete map of the Dominion of Canada is now being distributed by the department of the interior. It is in eight sheets, each 25x26 inches, and makes, when mounted, a map of 91·2x5 feet. It is engraved on copper and printed on stone in eight colors. It is being distributed to the principal schopls and colleges in Canada, boards of trade, Y. M. C. A. s, provincial governments and elsewhere. Copies are also being sent to, such foreign governments as exchange with Canada.

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Canada.

Heretofore there has been no complete map of Canada in existence and Geographer James White and his staff have been engaged for nearly three years in the preparation of the new one, which has only teem out of the hands of the printers for a few days. The present is the only map covering the whole of Canada. The last complete map was that published in 1866 by the geological survey, an excellent map engraved on steel, but it only showed as far west as Manitoba and is long since out of date. The railways and canals department has published a number of maps at different dates, but they have not, as a rule, given the latest authentic information. The present map includes all the surveys to date made by the departments of the interior and railways and canals and the geological survey. Original plans have also been consulted and the explorations of Franklin and other Arctic explorers have been used, as have the coast surveys of the qdmiralty and marine and the survey of the harren lands in the north by J. W. Tyrell's party in 1900. All waterways, canals, railroads and roads are shown. The names are given according to the spellings approved by the geographic board, which has passed on nearly 500 names, the spelling of which was disputed. J. E. Chalifour and W. J. Graham have been opnstantly employed Canada. Heretofore there has been no computed. J. E. Chalifour and W. J. Gra-ham have been constantly employed in the preparation of different sections of the map.

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Mr. White's staff also has in preparation an economic atlas of the Dominion whoch will show in different sheets the endowners, mineral, forest, agricuiture, dairy wealth, the principal telegraph and cable lines, geological information, canals, telegraphs and telephone lines of Eastern Canada, and also temperature and other maps with diagrams showing the increase in population, exports, etc. This atlas will not be available for some time, as the work is slow.

#### WHY HE HADN'T.

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(Philadelphia Times.)

A Germantown man, with his wire, who has her own way about doing things, caches her now and then. "My dear," he said the other morning while he was dressing, "I think you were right when you told me last night that there were burglars in the house." "Why?" she asked nervously. "Because all the money that was in my ockets when I went to bed last night is cone."

gone."
"Well," she said, with an I-told-you-so air
"If you had been brave and got up and shot
the wretch you would have had your money
this morning."
"Possibly, my dear, possibly," he said,
gingerly; 'but I would have been a widower."

ower."

She laughed softly and then gave half of it back to him.

#### OPPOSITION CONVENTION.

A convention of all electors opposed to the present government will be held in the York Theatre next Tuesday evening for the purpose of nominating a full city ticket for the approaching election to the legislative assembly.

QUEBEC, Sept. 11.—Thomas McDougall, general manager of the Quebec bank, was thrown from a caleche today. His head struck the curbstone, but he escaped with slight injuries.

### CANADIAN PACIFIC

# HOMESEEKERS'

TO THE CANADIAN NORTHWEST.

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### CHINA TREASURES

### C. F. BROWN. 501-505 Main Street.

HIS LAWYER'S FEES. (Pearson's Weekly.)
A London workman, having had a sum of money left him by the death of, his father, went to see his solicitor, who had the matter in hand for a

who had the matter in hand for a final settlement.

The bill of costs having been, presented to him, the man glanced over the figures and, thinking the charges were excessively heavy, turned to his legal adviser and exclaimed in aston-

"Ma father left his money to me,

# HOW HE WALKED

(Regiment.), A sergeant drill instructor was deavoring to make clear to the cruits he was drilling the meaning

the word "smartly."

He walked across the square in the manner the word indicates. "Now, men, tell me how I walk?"

One raw recruit almost paralyzed the se regant by blurting out;

"Bowlegged, sergeant."

PROFITABLE WALNUT TREES.

The English walnut is said to be the most profitable of all nut bearing trees. When in full vigor they will yield about 30 pounds of nuts to the tree. The nuts sell on an average of about fourpence per pound. If only twenty-seven trees are planted on an acre, the income would be about £135 per acre.—London

A PROFESSIONAL COURTESY.

"I see that Mr. Schwab needs a little iron for his blood." "I hope he can get it of the trust at a special rate."—Cleveland Plain Deal-

DIFFICULT TO MENTION

Explorer De Windt speaks disparag-ngly of Strednikolymsk. The wonder is that he can speak of t at all.—Cleveland Plain Dealer,

MONTREAL, Sept. 11.—Mrs. Kate Collins, housekeeper for Daniel Parent, a market gardener, attempted to commit suicide yesterday by taking carboile acid. Parent was separated from his wife for the last twenty years, and Mrs. Collins kept house for him. A reconciliation had been effected by Mr. and Mrs. Parent, and Mrs. Collins was told her services were no longer required. Prompt medical aid saved her life.

# JEWELRY, Etc.

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SEALED TENDERS, marked "Tender for Warehouse," will be received by the undersigned up to noon of Thursday, 18th inst., for the crection of a Brick Warehouse for Messrs. T. McAvity & Sons. The lowest worker not necessarily accepted. render not necessarily accepted.

Plans, etc., at the office of G. ERNEST FAIRWEATHER, 84 Germain street.

#### JOHN RUBINS

-- CUSTOM TAILOR--Nothes cleaned, repaired and pressed at short notice 53 Germain Street.

# **OPPOSITION** CONVENTION.

A meeting of the electors of the City of Saint John opposed to the pre-sent Local Government will be held at the York Theatre on

TUESDAY, THE 16TH. INSTANT, at 8 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of selecting candidates to contest the constituency at the next Provincial posed to the government are cordially invited to attend. General Election. All electors

J. D. HAZEN

THE HARD COAL FAMINE.

The question of what is to be done during the winter is becoming a very live one among householders. The dealers can promise nothing. There are absolutely no prospects for further shipments to this port and the present indications are that winter will be well advanced before any coal will reach St. John from American ports. There has been talk of a coal cargo from England, but nothing in that direction has as yet been done.

AN ODD CIRCUMSTANCE.

Night Falls but it Doesn't Break Day Breaks but it Doesn't Fall.

Day Breaks but it Doesn't Fall.

There is a house in St. John, No. 6 Germain street, to be exact, which has one striking peculiarity. The house is owned by Dr. Sheffield and a few weeks ago Mr. Knight, a well-known citizen of the west side, moved over to the city and occupied the lower flat. Since that time the upper portion of the house has been engaged by Dr. J. L. Day. Hence the neighbors are asking many questions. How can the shades of Knight fall when the brightness of day shires above them. Will the portion of the house separating Day and Knight be known as twilight or dawn? Will daytime be the same as Knight time? These and other questions are live ones at present, but the house is not worrying over the matter. It may be also worthy of note that the tenant of the lower flat is a druggist, while the one on the upper is a doctor.

# DR. A. A. STOCKTON.

The last word received with regard to Dr. Stockton's condition was a let-ter received today, in which it was stated that the prospects continued

SPECIAL NOTICE

TO ADVERTISERS!

Copy for Saturday's Issues of the STAR must be sent in by Three-Thirty O'Clock Friday Afternoons, otherwise it is absolutely impossible to ensure a change for that issue, as the paper goes to press earlier on Saturdays than on other days of the week.

#### LOCAL NEWS.

The C. P. R., S.S. Tartar left Hong Kong on September 10th.

The steamer Oruro left Halifax fo St. John at five o'clock this morning. The attention of advertisers is direct ed to the notice at the top of this col-

Rev. Robert Pegrum of will preach in Exmouth church on Sunday morning.

School books, slates, pens, pencils, exercise books, etc., a full supply at A. McArthur's, 548 Main street.

The St. John Rifle Association will nold their final county pool match of the season tomorrow afternoon.

Steamer Albuera, Capt. Grady, of the Battle line, left Rio Janiero yesterday direct for New York with coffee.

The Venerable Archdeacon Fortin of Winnipeg, is expected to preach at the morning and evening services at Trinity church on Sunday. At St. James' church next Sunday

the preacher at the morning and even-ing services will be Rev. F. Robertson rector of Trinity church, St. Stephen

The members of Trinity Athletic Association will hold a tennis tournament on the Shamrock grounds tomorrow afternoon. Ladies of the congregation are invited to be present.

Sergeant Ross has reported the following men for driving vehicles for hire, without licences: John O'Leary, Thomas Clark, Harry Rolston, Robert H. Austin and Ross Melville.

A big lot of ladies' vests will be sold at only twenty-five cents each at F. R. Patterson's, corner Duke and Charlotte streets. Sale all day Saturday. See ad. on page 4 of this paper.

Commencing Monday, September 15th, suburban trains leaving St. John at 9.25 a. m., for Welsford and 11.10 a. m. train from Welsford will be cancelled, and the train from Boston due at St. John 11.30 may be flagged at Westfield Beach, Ononette, Grand Bay and Ketefie.

THE HIGGINS TRIAL

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There is a story about the town to the effect that a few days ago two experts on mental diseases from the United States were in St. John in connection with the murder trial and that they examined Higgins in Jail. They are said to have been registered at the Dufferin hotel and to have remained in the city for two or three days. The jail officials are unwilling to say anything about Higgins and Goodspeed other than that the boys are both well, are confined in cells some distance from each other and are not permitted to see visitors. D. Mullin told the Start today that he hopes to be ready to go on with the case on Tuesday without any further delay. He says that while it is possible that some expert evidence may be produced he has not yet ananounced his line of defence and that the statement that Higgins will be defended on the ground of insanity has been made without any authority from him. Mr. Mullin naturally declines to give any particulars concerning the case, saying that all will be made public at the proper time.

THE ARTILLERY CAMP.

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Practically all the work at Fort Dufferin is finished. It had been hoped that the artillery men would get through last night, but an accident occurred to the mechanism of one of the 12-pounders. Some of the Islanders also delayed matters by disabling the target with their shell and cutting the towing line, which was pretty sharp practice. All of the companies that has not previously done so got in their preliminary practice yesterday afternoon, and the competitive work; was finished today.

PROFIT IN SPRUCE TREES.

"Fifteen years ago," said a man from Brown's Flats, "I sold spruce logs at \$5 per thousand. People said that the lumber was about all gone. But I'm selling it yet. This year I got \$11 per thousand."

The man who has taken care of his lumber so that he can keep on cutting a little year by year without exhausting it is now able to reap the advantage of good prices.

#### PERSONAL.

W. W. Hubbard and F. Maclure Scianders will leave tomorrow night to take in the Halifax exhibition.

Hon. David McCurdy, the veteran statesman st Nova Scotia, has taken up his residence in Toronto, having leased a house at 143 Bloor street. Mr. McCurdy is in his ninetieth year.

Mr. Dakin of Nova Scotia, who is boarding at Mrs. Denning's on Orange street, leaves on Saturday to take a course of study in Mount Allison, preparatory to entering the Methodist Ministry.

Gen. Supt. Oborne returned this morning from a trip over the division.

TOMORROW'S YACHT RACE. There will be a yacht race at Millidgeville tomorrow, to decide second and third places for the Westfield prize. The yachts start from the club house at 2 p. m.

#### OIL FIELD BURNING.

A despatch this afternoon says that the oil field at Beaumont, Texas, is on fire and there is grave danger of great loss if not total destruction of the field.

#### FAMOUS SPEAKERS

Meetings This Winter.

H. E. K. Whitney, who for the past few years has conducted the boys' mission on Mill street, returned to the city yesterday from his home in New Hampshire, where he has been spending the summer months.

Mr. Whitney brings back with him many new ideas for mission work among boys and is confident that during the coming season this line of work will evoke more interest from the public than even before. He believes that recent events have deeply stirred the people of St. John, but regrets that it was necessary for anything to happen before the citizens were aroused.

As Mr. Whitney has only been in the city for one day he has not yet had time to make any definite arrangements, but hopes in the near future to announce his plans. The work of the boys' mission in Carpenter's Hall will be resumed. The boys are all anxious to have this institution reopened and have not lost any interest in it. There will be some changes and improvements along this line, but during the coming winter Mr. Whitney intends to devote more time and attention to the Sunday afternoon services than has been the case in the past. For this purpose he has arranged a programme which will give the people of St. John an opportunity to hear some of the ablest and best known speakers in America.

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While in the United States Mr. Whitney had some idea of bringing the famous Sam Small down here, but the latter's recent conduct has changed the aspect of affairs and Small was not asked to come.

The Sunday afternoon meetings will probably commence in October, when three prominent evangelists, among whom will probably be H. L. Gale, but who have not been finally decided upon, will be heard. In November Charles M. Sheldon, author of In His Steps, will address a number of meetings. Following Mr. Sheldon Rev. Dr. Len A. Broughton of Atlanta, Georgia, one of the most prominent speakers at the recent convention in Northfield, will appear. Arrangements have been made with Hon. John G. Wooley, the most noted temperance lecturer in America, to address meetings here in January, and it is probable that Mr. Wooley will speak in other New Brunswick towns as well. Sam Jones, the only and original, will be here in February for three or four days, and during March and April he will be followed by other well known speakers, with whom definite arrangements have not yet been made. In May the Rev. A. C. Dickson, pastor of the Ruggles street Baptist church in Boston, will address a number of meetings.

Mr. Whitney is also trying to bring several well known singers to St. John, among them being D. M. Babcock, the Boston barltone.

It is probable that the Opera House will be engaged for these Sunday afternoon services.

# LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE.

A SARCASTIC CITIZEN

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To the Editor of the Star:

Sir,—In view of some of the extremely modest requests of the C. P. R. it occurs to me to ask, is that corporation getting all that it deserves at the hands of our city fathers?

Have the members of our civic government ever enquired of the C. P. R. officials as to whether the City Hall would be of any use to them, and if not, why not?

It is true that this building is about all that is not given away, but as it is not encumbered the C. P. R. might accept it, more especially if the city would first overhaul it, and put it in first class condition.

Now, please do not misunderstand me, for being a taxpayer I realize that I have no rights, and therefore would not dream of asking that anything be done, but would most humbly try to suggest that should the building in question be given to the C. P. R. (with perhaps a cash bonus to make it more acceptable) that the transfer read "building and contents," and that the said transfer take effect when the full board is in session.

Yours very truly,

board is in session.
Yours very truly,
EQUITY.
St. John, N. B., Sept. 11, 1902. A SAD CASE.

Yesterday afternoon Officer Lee found an old woman by the name of Mrs. Mc-Ginty lying in a destitute condition in a house on Harrigan's alley, off Brus-sels street. Mrs. McGinty's sole sup-

in jail.

Dr. Baxter, who was called in, found her severely ill and made arrangements for her comfort. This morning Secretary Wetmore of the S. P. C. A. visited the house, and today Mrs. McGinty will probably be removed to the alms house.

This morning Mr. Wetmore also visited an old man living almost opposite Mrs. McGinty's house on Brussels street, who is also in a destitute condition. He has been several times in the General Publis Hospital and now wants to go to the Home for Incurables. It is probable that he, too, will be sent to the alms house this afternoon.

MAY STIMULATE TRADE.

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The directors of the exhibition will meet this afternoon. No exact statement of the financial result of the big show will be made there, as the returns have not yet been completed. It will be some weeks before the statement will be made. At this afternoon's meeting the directors will receive the report of those in charge of the Jamaica exhibit, as to how the different articles in it sold and the resulting possibilities in trade between Jamaica and this province. A copy of this report will be forwarded to those who contributed articles for the exhibit, and it is hoped that by reason of the showing made here a stimulus will be given to the trade between the island and New Brunswick.

#### POLICE COURT.

Will Address the Sunday Afternoon Meetings This Winter.

Alfred Clark Committed For Trial—Another Case of Theft. Another Case of Theft.

The charge against Arthur or Patrick Clark for sealing a suit of clothes, razor, etc., from George Devine, was taken up this morning. Devine described his clothes. They were blue serge. Where the vest joins at the bottom there was a rip. The legs of the pants had been too long and were cut and restitched. There had been a little hole in one leg, but his mother had sewed it up for him. The clothes produced in court answered this description. Evidence was also given by the clerk in the second-hand store to whom Clark had sold the articles and the prisoner was committed for trial. He did not deny the theft, but said he had been drunk and could not remember it. On Wednesday it was raining. Clark did not work on Wednesday, and on that day the clothes were stolen. Another suit had disappeared on August 30th, another day on which Clark did not work. This suit was found in a woodshed a few days ago. This information was volunteered by the keeper of the boarding house.

Williard S. Jarvill, the manager of the Ottawa hotel on King square, is in trouble. Yesterday he and Patrick Martin, a longshoreman, did the town up together. Late in the afternoon they mered the Ottawa and Martin sought repose on a lounge in the sittings room. When he awoke he found 37 had been taken from him. He hurried to the central police station and charged Carvill with having stolen the money. Later on Carvil was arrested on St. John street by Detective Killen. Carvill had five dollars on his person when arrested. This morning he was remanded until Monday.

A ypung fellow named Thomas J. Connell, who escaped from the reformatory on August 16th, was arrested yesterday by Sergt. Hastings and sent back to finish out his term.

Three drunks, Tommy Cuffack, Willam Gloson and George Durant, were fined four dollars or ten days each.

Two ypung boys named Harold Roberts and Garfield Lemon were taken in charge last evening by Officer Greer for discharging finearms in Marble Cove. The boys had a little 22 calibre rife and were out in a boat shooting at snip

The new smoke consuming attachment has now been in operation on the main boiler in the Portland rolling mills for about three weeks and has during this time given complete satisfaction. No difficulty is found in handling the under feed, and it has been fully proven that by supplying the coal from below and thus keeping the red fire next to the steam surface, a saving in fuel is made. These appliances cannot of course be fitted to all furnaces, for otherwise the rolling mills management would do so and thus do away with the heavy clouds of smoke which now come from the chimneys. But the consumers are adaptable to most steam boilers and there are several establishments in the city which might with benefit to both themselves and the public, inspect the working of the one in the rolling mills.

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MUCH GRAIN COMING.

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(Rortland Press.)

Reports have been received in steamship circles from Chicago to the effect that great quantities of grain hitherto shipped to the American seacoast for shipment to the other side, will be diverted to the Canadian ports. These reports also have it that the grain being sent from New York will be sent to this city instead. The Grand Trunk has already contracted with Chicago shippers for 1,000,000 bushels of wheat to be sent to this city immediately.

BIG GAME HUNTERS,

Robert Murray of Boston arrived in Fredericton Wednesday and left upon the C. E. R. yesterday for the big game region at the head of Cain's river Lorenzo Savage accompanied him as

guide.

Geo. Bechtel and Jas. O. Linerse o
New York and A. Frigensham of New
ark, are on their way to the Miramich
hunting grounds, with Arthur Pringle
as guide.

#### THAT MILITARY MYSTERY

The general commanding at Halifathas caused to be transmitted to Otta wa a copy of a message received by him, dated Sept. Sth, stating that the fifth regiment of garrison artillery sails for Halifax on the Aurania from Liverpool, 20th, to replace the 3rd regiment of Canadian infantry. Curiously enough the Canadian authorities are yet without official advice upon the matter.

WOMAN'S ART ASSOCIATION.

The annual meeting of the Woman's Art Association will be held in the studio, Palmer's Chambers, Princess street, on Saturday afternoon, the 13th inst., at 3.30 o'clock.

The coming ceramic exhibition will be the subject of discussion, together with other business, so a full attendance of members is requested.

OREGON CITY, Ore., Sept. 12.— Fierce fires are raging in the vicinity of Springwater. Houses and barns and stock are being burned and the whole country is devastated. Many cattle were caught in the timber and burned to death. There are heavy fires four miles east of Molalla.

ABOUT WOMEN.

Mrs. Willoughby Cummings was recently the recipient of a leather travelling case, fitted with silver-topped tollet requisites, from the members of the editorial and business staffs of the Toronto Globe on the occasion of her leaving the staff to assume the responsible duties of corresponding secretary of the Nation Council of Women of Canada.

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(Vancouver World.)

F. Cowperthwaite has decided to resign his position as city superintendent of schools.

Som dissatisfaction has for some time existed between the board and Mr. Cowperthwaite with regard to the supintendency.

It was deided that Mr. Cowperthwaite take the position of principal of the Dawson school. Till October 1 Mr. Cowperthwaite will continue to act nominally as superintendent, giving the board all assistance. Citizens will be glad that this resignation of the city superintendency does not mean the severance of all relations with the scholastic board, for Mr. Cowperthwaite is one of the best men that has ever been connected with the educational department.

[Mr. Cowperthwaite, is a native of Kent, graduated from the University some twenty years ago, and after teaching for a time in the province, went to British Columbia, rising to the superintendency of the Vancouver schools.]

MISS ROGERS' SUCCESS.

(Moncton Transcript, Wednesday.)
An excellent entertainment was given in the Free Baptist church last evening. Miss M. Florence Rogers, the reader, fully sustained the high reputation she established for herself in Moncton last year. In her first selection "The Only Way," a lengthy and difficult extract from the "Tale of Two Cities," Miss Rogers showed herself an artist possessed of a remarkable insight into human nature and a thorough appreciation of the character she portrays. She had the fixed attention of her audience throughout the selection. Her humerous sketches were cleverly rendered and perhaps even more enthusiastically received than the first. (Moneton Transcript, Wednesday.)

QUEBEC IS AWAKE.

At a special meeting of the Quebec board of trade yesterday afternoon gesolutions were unanimously adopted urging the immediate beginning of the proposed harbor improvements in anticipation of this port becoming the summer terminus of the proposed fast Atlantic lime steamers.

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THE EXHIBITION OF 1883 Recalled by Recent Boasts That That of 1902 Excelled All Predecessors.

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(Fredericton Herald.)

St. John is at present jubilant over the success of its exhibition and the trend of the mewspaper comment seems to be that it was the most successful ever held in this province. It did indeed remarkably well if it beat the Dominian and Centennial exhibition of 1883 of which John H. Reid of this city was one of the commissioners under which board of management the show was held. The Centennial lasted four days for which 87.356 adult's tickets. was held. The Centennial lasted four days for which 67.356 adult's tickets, 1,631 children's and 1,148 season tickets were sold. The grant from the dominion and provinical governments and the city of \$1. John totalled \$23,800 and the receipts from the exhibition proper were \$18,757.5. The result showed a balance of \$3,243.40 on the right side. While the grants were large yet the expenditures on buildings, etc., of a permanent nature, about equalled that amount.

For the centennial each exhibitor paid \$1.00, which was an entry fee for whatever he exhibited and at the same time admitted himself and attendants. For the shows of recent years each exhibitor's and attendants' tickets cost \$1.00 and an entrance fee of \$1.00 or less was charge for each exhibit.

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(Fredericton Gleaner, Thursday.)

Mrs. James Manchester came up on the steamer Victoria yesterday, accompanied by her daughter, Mrs. Tillotson. Last evening they entertained a number of their Fredericton friends on board the steamer, the evening being spent with music and social chat, and at 10 o'clock a light and delightful supper was served. Among the ladies and gentlemen present were Dr. and Mrs. Steeves, Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Tibbits, Mrs. and Miss Tibbits, Mrs. and Miss Tabor, Mrs. Geo. Bliss, Mrs. W. W. Long, Mrs. W. T. Whitchead, Mrs. Dickson, Misses Sherman, Miss Grace Winslow, and Miss Sadler.

DE WET JR.

BERLIN, Sept. 12.—A nephew of General De Wet, the Boer commander, arrived here recently to be treated by Professor Bergmann for a gun shot wound. It was erroneously printed here that Gen De Wet himself had a bullet removed from his body.