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VAIL'S VICTORY.

New Brunswick Oarsman Wins a More Satisfactory Than Coal, But
Purse of \$300.

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(Baltimore American, Aug. 26.)

The much-talked-of single scull between Harry Vall, professional trainer of the Ariel Rowing Club, and James A. Ten Eyck, professional trainer of the Arundel Epat Club, was pulled off at Ferry Bar yesterday afternoon, Vall winning by at least two boat lengths. The two men entered their sculls shortly before 6 o'clock, and both looked to be in decidedly good condition. Vall, perhaps, looking a wee bit finer. The race, which was to have been started at 5.30, did not come off until after 6 o'clock, owing to the course, which was from an imaginary line between Klein's and Durm's to Meeter's pavilion and return, continually getting blocked.

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At the word both men started with
good, long and even strokes, Vall having a slight advantage, owing to his
being decidedly the quicker man of the
two. Vall kept in the lead over the
whole course, and, as he said after the
race in a short speech to the boys, he
seemed to take things comparatively
easy after the first 100 yards had been
covered. Vall also said he did not exhaust himself in the least, knowing
full well the perfect condition he was
in, and that he was much the stronger of the two. Both men finished good
and strong, but Vall, in order to prove
what great condition he was in, pwed over part of the course a second
time.

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Ten Eyck was heartily cheered by those present when, after the race was over, he waited for Vall to take a turn, took Harry by the hand and warmly congratulated him. It was done in a true sportsmanlike manner, and demonstrated to the onlookers that the race had not only been won on its merits, but that there were no hard feelings between the two professional trainers.

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When Vail arrived off his club the boys literally dragged him: from his scull, carrying him on their shoulders into the house, where he was perched upon an improvised platform and compelled to make a speech, after which he got his scull under cover and then proceeded to take a good swim. The race was over a two-mile course for a purse of \$300, winner to take all. The purse was made up of personal donations by the proprietors of the different resorts along the shore and others who are interested in the sport.

The best assortment of ladies' jackets, suits and skirts to be found in St. John is at Dykeman's

CITY CORNET BAND LEADER.

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(Halifax Chronicle, Tuesday.)

Harry Heenan, the solo cornet player of St. Patrick's band, left on the 8.40 train last night for Se. John, where he will take charge of the City Cornet band. Last evening Mr. Heenan was waited upon by Bandmaster Hopewell and members of St. Patrick's band, who presented him with a purse containing \$50 in gold. The recipient was taken entirely by surprise, but in a few well-chosen words thanked the donators for their handsome gift.

When Mr. Heenan reached North street station last night he was met by St. Patrick's band, and after farewell greetings had been interchanged, the band played "Will ye nae come back again" and "Auld Lang Syne."

BOUGHT A FARM.
(Fredericton Herald.)

James M. Scott, of Dumfries, has bought the A. R. Hay farm at Lower Woodstock, said to be one of the largest and best properties of the kind in Carleton county. The purchase price was \$5,500. Ex-Coun. W. W. Graham is to manage the farm for Mr. Scott.

The lat lady glazeed at her corpulent self and smiled. "Yes," she chuckled; "a derrick."

BLACK TAFFETA SILKS are still as popular as ever. They are shown in the best makes at Dykeman's at 50c., 75c., \$1 and \$1.10.

LIQUID FUEL

There's a Difficulty.

Liquid fuel, as petroleum used for the generation of steam, has come to be known, has passed the stage of experimentation, says a writer in the Bnoklyn Eagle. By practical operators, in some parts of the southwest and in California, no less than by the experts and the scientists, is is accepted as a fact, superior to coal for the same purpose. For stationary boilers there is no question as to the superiority, and as to locomotive or travelling boilers, practical experimentation over long distances and long periods of time, demonstrate that it is desirable and in certain essentials superior. An expert who has devoted time and energy to the matter, bringing trained and disciplined faculties to his observation, sums up the advantages of liquid over soild fuel, to wit: Concentrated form, economy of handling, increased evaporative efficiency, cleanliness, abatement of the smoke nuisances, reduction in the repair account, reduction in sundries account and efficiency in emergency.

These conclusions are drawn in a consideration of the value of liquid fuel in the operation of steam generation plants, which was the sole end of the consideration. What is true of it, however, is true as to the travelling boiler. It will be noticed that the conclusions named above are almost purely economic and such as should appeal with great force to he railroad operator. Out of the nine conclusions, seven of them show a saving in operation what must appeal to the general public are the two, "cleanliness" and the "abatement of smoke nuisances." These two ends accomplished, travelling on the railroad operator it should be apparent that the use of liquid fuel will lead to increased as a consequence. So to the railroad operator it should be apparent that the use of liquid fuel will lead to increased receipts, with larger dividends as a final consequence. Under such circumstances, in view of thet comparatively small cost of equipping a coal burning locomotive for the satisfactory end well nigh impossible. When it is said that, as a rule, it

LOVE IN THE MUSEUM

(Chicago News.)

"Will nothing move you?" pleaded the ardent wild man, who was as adept at lovemaking as he was at eating raw beef.

The fat lady glarged at her corpulent self and smiled. "Yes," she chuckled: "a derrick."

St. John. September 3, 1902.

CLOTHING

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Boys' Short Pants, \$25c. to \$1.60.

REMEMBER THE ADDRESS (cars pass the door).

J. N. HARVEY, Men's and Boys' Clethier,

IN VERMONT.

The High License Local Option Ticket Ran Well,

For the Governorship a Close Fight.

WHITE RIVER JUNCTION, Vt., Sept. 3.—The high license local option ticket headed by Hon. Percival W. Clement, gave the regular republican ticket on which General John G. Mc-Cullough was named for governor a close fight yesterday, the result being that the choice of governor and lieut. governor is thrown into the general assembly, which will meet on the first Wednesday in October. For lieut. governor, the contest was between Frank W. Agan, of Ludlow, running mate to Mr. Clement, and Zed. S. Stanton, of Roxbury, who was on the republican ticket.

The vote yesterday was phenomenally heavy for an off year, almost coming up to the figures of presidential years. Returns to complete the state are belated and it will be some hours before the pluralities do not count in Vermont, a majority being needed to elect. The closeness of the vote is shown by the figures of two hundred cities and towns out of 246 which are as follows:

McCullough, republican, 27,206.

McGettrick, dem., 6,451.
Clement, high license, 24,146.
Sherburne, protectionist, 2,074.
Two years ago Governor Stickney, on the republican ticket, had 40,795; Zenter, democrat, 15,031, and all others 1,339.
Judging from returns the republicans have had their usual success in nearly all of the fourteen counties of the state, although in isolated instances fusion tickets defeated the republican incover the representatives and 39 senators. Returns thus far give the republicans in lower branch 116 members, the democrats 29, high license 25 and labor 1. For the senate the republicans have 22, the democrats 4, and high license 4.

BUTTER RENOVATORS.

A New Association Formed in the United States.

CHICAGO, Sept. 3.—Representatives of forty butter renovating creameries have met here and organized the National Association of Process Butter Manufacturers. To keep in close touch with one another and the butter trade, also the desire to keep down the purchasing price, is the object of the association. H. W. Henshaw, of Chicago, was elected president of the association, with S. Goodhue, of Chicago, secretary, and L. B. Kilbourn, of Chicago, treasurer. A board of directors was also elected.

BOY WITH MATCHES

Causes Loss of House, Barns and

Money at Blissville.

(Special to the Star.)
FREEDERICTON JUNCTION, Sept.
3.— The house and barns of Alex.
Woodden of Blissville were totally destroyed by fire yest-ralay. The fire caught 4n the barns and spread to the dwelling. The fire originated by a young grandson playing with matches. The contents of the buildings were destroyed, also a sum of money.

NO CARS FOR COAL

CHICAGO, Sept. 3.—The inability to get cars enough to haul coal to Chicago, even when there is plenty of it ready for shipping has now added itself to the strike as a serious factor in the local coal situation. The scarcity of cars has caused a rise of \$3 a ton in coke, and is beginning to affect the supply of soft coal. The scarcity of cars is attributed to the increased demand for them for the transportation of grain.

A GENERAL STRIKE.

BARCELONA, Sept. 3.-In

D. R. A. MATCHES

(Special to the Star.)
OTTAWA, Sept. 3.—Bright fine weather, good light and steady wind prevailed, favorable conditions today for the D. R. A. matches. The morning was taken up with the first stage of the governor general's match, which will be completed at noon.

TWO LADIES DROWNED.

(Special to the Star.)
WINNIPEG, Sept. 2.—Miss Evelyn
Boucher of Boücherville, on Rainy
River, and Miss Mitchell, of Rat Portage, were drowned in the Winnipeg
River yesterday afternoon by the
swamping of a canoe.

RODE TO DEATH.

KINGSTON, N. Y., Sept. 3.—While learning to ride a bicycle last night Roy Ramplyea lost control of his wheel and was thrown directly under a trolley car, receiving injuries from which he died in a few minutes.

ROOSEVELT!

Had Narrow Escape From Death This And Gave the Republican Nominee Morning.

> Electric Car Struck His Carriage---Horses and One Man Killed.

> Both Roosevelt and Secretary Cortelyou Were Injured-Motorman and Conductor Placed

> > Under Arrest.

PITTSFIELD, Mass., Sept. 3.—The drag containing President Roosevelt and party driving from Pittsfield to Lenox, according to a message received by telephone from the country club, was hit by an electric car near there. The horses attached to the carriage were killed and several of the party injured. The president escaped with a few bruises, his face being badly scratched. Secret Service Agent Craig is reportedakilled, and D. J. Pratt, the driver of the president's coach, had his skull fractured. The injured are being brought up this city in ambulances. A later report from the country club says that the motorman of the car is also dead.

dead.
PITTSFIELD, Mass., Sept. 3.—Later, reports state that Motorman Madden of the electric car was not killed. Secret Service Agent Craig was the only one to lose his life. Secretary Cortel-you was somewhat cut and bruised. Motorman Madden and the conductor were placed under arrest.

FEMALE ANARCHIST.

Her Dead Body Found in New York City.

NEW YORK, Sept. 3.—Anarchistic literature, including several autograph letters from Emma Goldman and Johann Most, together with a mysterious from chest, have been found in this sity beside the dead body of a women, about 40 years old, and known as Mrs. Freda Schroeder. The woman was well dressed and wore a quantity of jewellery. The chest resisted all attempts that were made to force it with the means at hand and experts will be emisloyed. The woman's body has not yet been identified.

MAGISTRATE AND CHIEF. omething More About Yesterday's Squabble in the Court.

The Telegraph this morning contain The Telegraph this morning contains a more or less incorrect rehash of the little difficulty between Chief Clark and Magistrate Ritchie which occurred in the police court yesterday. Judge Ritchie is said to have made the somewhat contradictory statements that "Those reporters are always patching up something," and that "the papers had it correct."

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up something," and that "the papers had it correct."

The latter remark would appear to indicate that the magistrate had read the published accounts of the occurrence, but this seems doubtful from the fact that he asked, "What did they head it with, 'Roasting Chief Clark' or did they say 'Magistrate Ritchie after Chief Clark's scalp?''

The account published in the Star was correct, with the single exception that a few leading remarks made by the magistrate and not regarded as particularly creditable to him in his position on the beach were omitted.

When the sheet which was the cause of the trouble was handed to the magistrate, he in the usual way read from it the names of the prisoners. These names had been entered on the police books by the officers making the arrests and from this book were copied on the sheet by Chief Clark.

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on the sheet by Chief Clark.

When a certain name was called, no response was made by any of the prisoners, and Mr. Henderson, clerk of the court, stated that the Christian name of the prisoner was wrong. Upon learning that a mistake had been made in the name of one of the men the magistrate remarked, referring to Chief Clark, "I guess he was out late last night. He is all mixed up this morning. His name should be on the docket."

This remark was heard by many who were in the court, and a leading lawyer who was present spoke very strongly of the matter afterwards, suggesting that it would be wise for the chief to make a note of his honor's words for future reference.

In connection with the complaint against the chief for not having the sheet ready at a certain hour yesterday morning it is pointed out that four prisoners brought in between ten and eleven o'clock yesterday morning, charged with being stowaways and not requiring time to apher up, had to remain in the cells until this morning heeause the magistrate was not in his place on the bench at any time during the afternoon.

The dispute appears to grow more and more interesting as it progresses.

WHAT THE HAIR TELLS.

CAPE STORM.

Thrilling Experience of a Steamer in the Gale.

Captain Had to Drive 250 Natives Below Under a Strong

Guard.

CAPE TOWN, Sept. 3.—The British steamer Scott, belonging to the Union Steamship Company, of Southampton, which left Port Elizabeth on Saturday and for whose safety great anxiety was felt, arrived here today. She reports having experienced a terrible passage, during which she was badly strained. Owing to the storm the 250 native deek passengers became panic stricken and had to be driven below and placed under a strong guard. The British steamer Barton, also belonging to the Union Steamship Company, which was blown ashore during the gale, was subsequently floated and has arrived at Port Natal.

MAYOR OF LOUISVILLE

Would Like to See All Disputes Settled With Fists.

NEW YORK, Sept. 3.—Charles T. Grainger, mayor of Louisville, who is visiting this city, has been asked if he will interfere in the McGovern-Corbett fight. He is quoted as having replied: "Why should I interfere? Boxing: contests are not against the law in Kentucky. We have had many such performances in Louisville, and the law never has been bryken. I do not believe that McGovern or Corbett intend to transgress the law, so why should I interfere? Personally, I am in favor pf boxing. I believe is is more beneficial to young men than harmful. I hope to see all difference of a personal nature settled in the future, if it comes to a question of fight, by nature's weapons, and not by guns."

A BIG STRIKE.

Seven Thousand Five Hundred Carpenters Went Out Today.

NEW YORK, Sept. 3.—Seventy-five hundred out of 12,000 carpenters quit work when the New York District Council of the United Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners struck for an advance of wages from \$4 to \$4.50 a day, Thirty-five hundred of the strikers won their demands almost immediately.

The Master Carpenters' Association has decided unanimously to refuse all

GERMAN AND POLE.

POSEN, Sept. 2.—The Emperor and Empress of Germany entered the provincial Polish capital at sunset today, the German faction cheering, ringing bells and waving flags and handker-chiefs to welcome them. The Polish majority of the people were silent and looked gloomily at the brilliant show from houses without decoration. Not one disorderly cry was heard.

THE HARVESTERS.

(Special to the Star.)

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WINNIPEG, Man., Sept. 3.—Drenching rains set in yesterday afternoon in the Winnipeg district and continued until evening. The rain was not general and harvesting operations continued without interruption. The weather today is reported clear throughout the prayince. Wheat cutting is making pregress in the territories. The great trouble has been shortage of men.

HEROES HONORED.

(Special to the Star.)

-KINGSTON, Ont., Sept. 3.—Col. Montizambert, D. O. C., yesterday afternoon presented Sergt. Major Gimblett
C Field Battery, and blind Trooper Malloy with distinguished service medals
for meritorious service in South Africa.
"A" and "B" Batteries were drawn ur
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IRON AT THE SOO.

(Special to the Star.)
SAULT STE. MARD, Ont., Sept. 2
The discovery of a rich find of ironore at a point four miles from Clergue. ore at a point four miles from Clergue; new seel plant is announced. The ore runs about 60 per cent, iron, and if it is as extensive as believed the future of the "Soo" as a great steel centre is regarded as assured.

SEVENTY DROWNED.

CAPETOWN, Sept. 2.—It is now es-timated that seventy persons were drowned during the storm which swept over Port Elizabeth yesterday, Among the wrecked vessels is the British ship Inchape Rock, which arrived at Algor Bay August 2 from Portland, Oregon Part of her crew were saved.

MONEY FOR MINERS.

CHICAGO, Sept. 3.—The money for the miners thrown into the large Am-erican flags in the labor parade Monday amounted to \$3,730.

THE WEATHER.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 3.—Forecast— Eastern states and northern New York—Showers tonight. Warmer in inter-or. Thursday, showers and cooler; tresh east to south winds.

THE DEATH ROLL.

LONDON, Sept. 3.—Lord Connemara Robert Bourke), who was twice under ecretary for foreign affairs, is dead.

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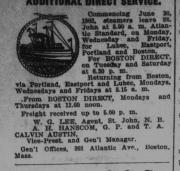
Two Gentlemen From New York are Inspecting Local Properties.

Col. W. H. Reynolds, of New York city and Thomas J. Finney, also of the same city, are in Moncton, looking over The Tide Water Cannel Coal Company's properties in this vicinity. These gentlemen are the principal promoters and principal owners of the property. During the past few days with "M. Lodge they have been making local inspections of the properties with a view to determining the best mode of operation. The company expects to establish immediately on the Albert country side of the Petitoodiae a distillation plant, for extracting the oil from the shales.

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Col. W. H. Reynolds was the first person who made Queen Victoria acquainted practically with the telephone. He controlled the European rights from Mr. Bell the inventor, and on going to England, made a contract with the postmaster general, so that the rights could be controlled by the imperial government in the British Isles. He was commanded by the Queen to come to Osborne House, and the government placed the telegraph lines at his service for the experimental illustration. Members of the royal family talked to Southampton, but Queen Victoria talked from a private room over a short service to the residence of Sir Thomas Biddulph, keeper of the privy purse. The instruments used by the late queen were never used for any other purpose and brought back to New York as a souvenir. They are today in the possession of Col. Reynolds' daughter.

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a. m. and 2.45 and 5.15 p. m.
**RATURDAY-Leave Millidgeville at 6.15
and 9.30 a. m. and 3, 6 and 7 p. m.
Returning at 5.30, 7, and 10.15 a. m., and
2.45, 5.45 and 7.45 p. m.
SUNDAY-Leaves Millidgeville at 9 and
10.30 a. m., and 2.30 and 6.15 p. m.
Returning at 9.45, 11.15 a. m. and 5 and 7
p. m.

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WANTED-A gilr for general housework pply to MRS. R. FINLEY, 78 Sewel

WANTED.—At once, young lady to demonstrate Cowan's Perfection Cocoa at the Exhibition. Apply H. N. COWAN, Roya

WANTED.—Gird wanted for general housevork. Apply at 177 Princess street. WANTED.—Girl wanted for general house work. Apply at 166½ Sydney street. WANTED-Nurse Girl, to stay home at night. Apply 16 Horsfield street.

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ST. JOHN, N. B., SEPTEMBER 3, 1902.

THE EXHIBITION.

This has been an ideal day for the exhibiton, and whether visitors are on such as to afford them great pleasure. The animated appearance of the streets is a cheering sight, and the stores are evidently doing a large business. The city welcomes the thousands pouring in from outside points, and wishes that one and all may enjoy their visit. Those who feared the early date of the fair this year would be against success are now convinced to the contrary. The citizens appear to be extending a liberal patronage, and it is certainly deserved. The association has done well, and produced a splendid exhibition with apparently the least possible degree of friction. The exhibitors have what they most -large crowds to see the display -and in all respects there is ground for satisfaction and congratulation.

THE GROWING WEST.

According to W. T. R. Preston, the Canadian commissioner of immigra-tion for Great Britain, but who is now in Canada with the visiting British editors, the influx of settlers into the northwest from the United States will be supplemented next year by a large mmigration from the old country. The following interview with Mr. Preston, which appears in the Winnipeg Telegram, tells the story:-

"I have just received a report from my headquarters," he said, "which shows that already this year 34,000 applications for information regarding western Canada have been received. This is an enormous number compared with other years."

"It would mean the emigration from the British Isles of 100,000 people?" suggested the reporter

"The season is not over yet and our fices are flooded with applications all le time. It should mean the emigra-

the time. It should mean the charges tion of a larger number."

"Could you give me an estimate?"

"That would be difficult. But the applications we have received would indicate an enormous increase to your population. The number of inquiries population. The number of inquiries does not by any means give an idea of the total number of people interested in those inquiries. If the favorable indications continue we may send out from 150,000 to 175,000 people to Can-

ada.

"Everything in Canada is favorable this year. More is known of the country and its possibilities. The magnificent crops of last year and the present season will all have their effect on the agricultural population and make them eager to take a share in the prosperity to which there appears no end.

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"The trip of the editors will have a tremendous effect," Mr. Preston continued. "They are strangers to the country no longer and no v they are simply speechless. Several of the number are agriculturalists. They understand the qualities of the grains, grasses, roots and everything connected with farming. They express amazement greater and greater as they proceed; in fact they can hardly find language to express themselves. They have yet to see the ranches of the territories and the mines of British Columbia and the effect of their descriptions of the whole country given broadcast throughout Great Britain can not be estimated.

"Of course those of us who have in the country given broadcast throughout Great Britain can not be estimated.

High prices still rule in the British spruce market. The Liverpool corresondent of the Timber Trades Journa of Aug. 23rd says:-"The spruce market is still in the same firm position are told, pretty well sold out, and what they possess they purpose holding until the autumn or winter shipments small sailers with spruce are lying in the river waiting to get into Garston, and one or two off Southport bound for Preston. Judging from advices w have from abnoad, and from the attitude here, the position of the spruce for the remainder of the season, if, indeed, an advance is not made. This will certainly be the case for cargoes bition of carrying deck loads comes in-

The Shah of Persia is not partial to the religion of the European, but he is not absolutely wedded to an Arab steed. A cable informs us that during steed. A cable informs us that during his recent visit to London the Shah hought six automobiles, each of twelve horse power, roofed, and convertible into a closed carriage. Each car has seat accommodation for eight persons. Two of the vehicles are to be sent to Persia immediately with chauffeurs who have been engaged to manage them. It is of course possible that the Shah, who is supposed to be something of a tyrant among his own people, has decided, after careful enquiry, that an automobile would be a good instrument with which to speedily rid himself of obnoxious subjects. It appears to be more fatal than most of the modern engines of destruction.

MONT PELEE AGAIN IN ACTION. By This Last Eruption 1,000 Were Killed at Martinique.

POINTE A'PITRE, Island of Guade-

loupe, French West Indies, Sept. 2 .-The French liner Canada arrived here this morning from the island of Martinique. Her officers confirm the reports brought to Castries by the British steamer Korona of the eruption ish steamer Korona of the eruption of Mont Pelee. The vessel's officers declare also that 1,000 were killed at Martinique and many severely wounded. The sea entered Fort de France for a distance of 40 feet. The French cruisers Suchet and Tage are bringing the inhabitants of the northern part of the island to Fort de France. The eruption of Aug 30 was exceedingly violent and far reaching. The Rev. Father Nary of Morne Rouge was frightfully burned and died of his wounds yesterday. The previous scenes of distress and panic are being repeated.

BASSE TERRE, Island of Guade-In the stand of definition of the stand of definition of the stand of Martinique that 1,060 persons were killed and 1,500 injured during the last eruptions of Mont

The governor of the island is arranging for the evacuation of the northern parishes and the removal of the wounded.

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D. R. A. MATCHES.

OTTAWA, Sept. 2.—Strong gusty winds made shooting difficult in the rifle matches today and the scoring fell very much below that of last year. The scores announced today included the following:

Extra series, 500 yards—Capt. Blair, 78th, won \$7 with the possible; Maj. J. T. Hartt of St. John, with a score of 23, won \$1.66 at 600 yards; \$4 each, Capt. Wetmore, 74th, and Sgt. Mumford, 63rd.

Coronation match, King's ranges—The Patterson cup medal and \$50 were won by Sgt. Collins, 39th. The other scores were: \$10, Sgt. White, 69th; \$8. Maj. Corolin, 63rd, \$6 each, Capt. Wetmore, 74th, and Sgt. Chandler, 74th; \$7 each, Capt. Blair, 78th, and Lieut. Sutherland, 78th; \$6 each, Maj. T. H. Hartt, 62nd, Sgt Longeuil, 63rd, G. R. Furze, 4th Art., Sgt. Stewart, 4th Art., Pte. McLean, 78th, and Capt. Dover, 78th; \$4 each, Pte. Barton, 74th, Capt. Blshop, 69th, Pte. Fultz 63rd, and Lieut. Shaffner, 69th.

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The Davis cup was won by the 43rd Regiment, Ottawa, score 519. The Caron cup for tyros was also won by the 43rd's first team.

The first stage of the Governor General's match was shot this afternoon.

OTTAWA NEWS.

men are much offended that they were not admitted to the reserve on Parliament Hill yesterday, on the occasion of the review of the Albany Guards and the Hong Kong contingent by his excellency. The reception committee of the council held a meeting this afternoon and passed a resolution con-demning the authorities who were re-sponsible for keeping them out of the

SYDNEY, Cape Breton, Sept. 2—
Jas. Wilson, brakeman at the Intercolonial railway yard, was run over by a shunting engine tonight and killed. The engine passed over Wilson's arm and shoulder, almost severing them from his body. The deceased was a native of St. John, N. B., and was 25 years of age. He had been an employe of the steel company before going to work for the L. C. P. 2. of the steel company before got work for the I. C. R. a few m

PROVINCIAL W. C. T. U.

The provincial meeting of the W. C., U. will be held in the Baptist church, t. Martins, from the 16th inst. to the t. Martins, from the 16th inst. to the control of the co

NEW YORK, Sept. 2—At a meeting of the commercial Cable Compaeled here today, the usual quarterly diend of 1 % per cent. was declared payatcober 1. The transfer books will be closen a September 20th and re-opened on Octob

COMMERCIAL CABLE CO.

DEATHS.

CAREY.—In this city on the fst inst., John Carey, in the 80th year of his age, a nativ of Tipperary, Ireland.

Reception at York Theatre.

Last evening at the synagogue, Rev. Mr. Walenski performed the ceremony which united Miss Ida Myers, daughter of J. Myers, to L. S. Komiensky, a young business man of the city. The bride was attired in white satin trimmed with orange blossoms and applique. The bridesmaids were Miss Annie Spiller and Miss Annie Sitron, of Boston, and Miss Annie Komiensky, of St. John. They were dressed in white satin. The groom was supported by Benjamin Komiensky, his brother, and Lewis Spiller, of Boston, and Lewis Myers, brother of the bride.

The bride was given away by her father, Jacob Myers.

The visitors were: Mrs. Plensky and Mrs. Abrahams, of Portland, Me., Abraham Simonds and David Katherine and the groomsmen and bridesmaids, and Mrs. Abrahams, of Portland, Me., Abraham Simonds and David Katherine and the groomsmen and bridesmaids, and Mrs. Rejder is a sister of the bride. The young couple received many congratulatory telegrams from friends and relatives in the provinces.

The maids of honor were little Miss Mary Komiensky and Miss Goldie Williams. A reception was held in the assembly rooms of York Theatre. S. E. Morrill, on behalf of the guests, wished the couple all the happiness imaginable and Benjamin Komlensky replied on behalf of the bride and groom.

Mr. and Mrs. Komiensky will leave this morning on a wedding tour to the States. They will reside at 99 St. James street.

street.

The bride received a very large num-

ber of presents.

McLEOD WHARF ONCE MORE. There was a meeting at the City

Hall yesterday afternoon of the subcommittee of the board of works to whom was referred the completion of the arrangements with Michael Conthe arrangements with Michael Con-nolly of Montreal for the dredging in connection with the McLeod wharf improvements. There were present: Ald. Christie (chairman), and Alder-men Stackhouse, Maxwell and McMul-kin, with Director Cushing and City Engineer Peters

Ald. Christie (chairman), and Aldermen Stackhouse, Maxwell and McMulkin, with Director Cushing and City Engineer Peters.

A draft of the contract was submitted and discussed section by section. It calls upon Mr. Connolly to give the city the use of the dredge International, the tug Storm King, two scows with the crews required to work them, for 20 days or more at \$400 per day of 11 hours, Mr. Connolly to supply the fuel, etc. The city undertakes to provide the water required free of charge. Provision is made for the operation of the plant at eight as well as during the day. Where through an accident worked full pay will be allowed. The dredged material is to be dumped outside of the harbor limits. If the weather will not permit of the towage of the scows outside and the dredge is idle in consequence the city agrees to pay \$200 for every day thus missed. The city is given the right to operate the dredger in other parts of the harbor limits, if the weather will not permit of the towage of my accompance of the plant and the L. C.R. and will wist cities en onto the what of the contract was submitted and the L. C.R. and will will wist titles en onto attend the exhibition. They will make the trip by way of St. John and the L. C.R. and will will wist to L. R. and the L. C.R. and will will wist titles en onto and the L. C.R. and will will acche the trip by way of St. John. Mat the L. C.R. and will will tele and the L. C.R. and will will wist cities en onto in add the L. C. R. and will will tele and the L. C. R. and will will tele and the L. C. R. and will will tele and the L. C. R. and will will sellen. Of New Glasgow, are visiting friends in the city.

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ALCOHOL AND DRUG USERS.

Victims of the above habits will be in-Victims of the above habits will be interested in the discovery of a harmless antidote which quickly and permanently removes all desire for liquor and drugs. This medicine has been publicly endorsed before Congress of Bishops and at Father Matthew's Anniversaries, also by Clergymon from their pulpits and by temperance societies of all denominations. Interested persons can obtain full priculars from Mr. Dixon, 81 Willcox St., Tonto, Canada.

of the council held a meeting this afternoon and passed a resolution contestimated.

"Of course those of us who have known the country so long have told of the great opportunities it offered; but similar stories are told of others of the colonies and often proved to be exaggerations. The statements of the emigration agent in England are often discredited. We can now leave the descriptions to uninterested authorities who have no object in misleading the people, and we will see the result.

"The Canadian arch in London," Mr. Preston continued, "was one of the most attractive decorations ever seen in London or east of the Atlantic. It was artistic and unique and in every way magnificent, and was one of the great features of the London sights. Excursions were run from all parts of England to give the people an opportunity of seeing it by day and night, and thousands visited it daily.

"Everything has favored Canada of late, and the visit of the British party of editors will have permanent effect. These editors scattered throughout the British lisles will soon have actually seen Canada as it is and the results may now be looked for."

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Rothesay, St. John, N. B., and Charlottetown teams resulted in a victory for Rothesay, 14 to 23. Charlottetown men won all the singles and doubles. There was clever playing all through and much interest was taken.

A grand ball was given this evening at Government House in honor of the visitors.

COUNTY TEACHERS' INSTITUTE.

On Thursday and Friday of this week the St. John County eachers' Institute will meet in the High School building in this city. Dr. H. S. Bridges will preside. This meeting is a post-poned one. It should have been held last year, but the smallpox scare interfered. There will be a two days' heliday for the scholars and a highly interesting programme will be discussed.

Chronic constipation surely cured or noney back. LAXA-CARA TABLETS never fail. Small, chocolate coated, easy to take. Price, 35 cents. At drug-

Comber, Ont., Sept. 2.—George Longe of Staples committed suicide last night by putting a bullet through his head. No cause is known.

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Dress Goods Department.

GROUND FLOOR.

BLACK DRESS GOODS.

Poplins, Buffeline Cords, Melrose, Vicunas, Pebble Cheviots, Broadcloths Serges, Cheviots, Estamenes, Grenadines.

Waist and Gown Flannels.

Linen Room.

Miss Annie Harris left Fredericton Monday morning to visit friends at Fairville, St. John.

Mrs. P. J. Phelan and her children left Fredericton yesterday for Chicago to join her husband, who is occupying a good position in that city.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Egerton Everett, Mr. and Mrs. John S. Mott of Fredericton, and Mr. and Mrs. James Scott of Dumfries, left Fredericton today for Toronto to attend the exhibition. They will make the trip by way of St. John and the I. C. R. and will visit cities en route in addition to a trip to Montreal. Miss Ina McKay and Miss Nellie Allen, of New Glasgow, are visiting friends in the city.

Harry C. MacIntyre, of the Bank of Nova Scotia staff left today on a holiday trip to his home in Charlottetown. Mrs. T. B. Lavers returned to the city Monday evening from the seaside and will accompany Mr. Lavers on a tour through Canadian and American cities, Miss Minnie Irvine has returned to Halifax after a visit to her home here. Miss Lottle Irvine went back with her for a visit to friends.

James Pender, manager of the Pender Nail Works, left yesterday for Mon-

Manager Manning, of the Bank of Manager Manning, of the Bank of Nova Scotia, arrived in Fredericton on Monday with his bride, nee Miss Mc-Leod, of Toronto. They are being heartly welcomed and congratulated. They have taken up their residence at the house on George street, recently occupied by Prof. Davidson.

WEDDED IN HALIFAX.

HALIFAX, Sept. 2.—The Coburg road Presbyterian church was the scene of a very pretty wedding today, the principals in which were Andrew W. Robb, formerly of St. John, secretary of the Y, M. C. A. at Charlottetown, and Miss Helen T. Dennis, daughter of William Dennis of the Herald. Bruce Robb of St. John, brother of the groom, acted as best man, and Miss Clara Dennis, the bride's sister, was brides-Dennis, the bride's sister, was brides-maid, while little Miss Sarah Dennis acted as flower girl. After the cere-mony Mr. and Mrs. Robb left for Charlottetown, followed by the good wishes of their friends. The great es-teem in which the bride is held here was illustrated by the large number of wedding presents received while the was illustrated by the large number of wedding presents received, while the groom seems to be just as popular in Charlottetown. The brides' former employes of the Herald and Mail presented her with a silver five o'clock tea set of beautiful design, and the Coburg road Presbyterian church presented her with a mahogany writing desk and an address.

WALLACE BROAD'S SUCCESS.

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

R. L. Borden, the opposition leader with a party of political associates leaves Montreal today on a tour to British Columbia.

If it is Red Rose tea it is good tea

TRAVELLERS' GUIDE.

New Brunswick Southern Ratings
For St. Stephen from St. John
East (Ferry) 7.39 a.m.
For St. Stephen from St. John
West 7.50 a.m.

For St. Stephen, from St. John
West

ARRIVALS.

By Intercolonial Italiway
From Hallfax and Sydney (Saturday
only).

Hallfax:
Suburban Hampton
Sussex.
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Moncton Mixed).
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Fredericton Express
Boston Express
Boston Express
Boston and Fredericton Express.
Boston and Fredericton Express.
Boston Suburban arrivals.

N. B. Southern Railway.

STEAMERS.
Steamers of the Eastern S. S. Co.
Line, Monday, Wednesday and
Friday
Steamers of the Dominion Atlantic
Railway, daily
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Steamer for Grand Manan, Tuesc. 200 am.
Carleton ferry boat makes twenty minute
trips from 6 a. m. until 10 p. m., and half
hour trips from 10 p. m. until 1130 p. m.
RIVER SERVICE.
Steamers Leaving Indiantown.
Steamer Clifton leaves for Hampton at 2 p.
m. every Monday, Wednesday and Saturday.
Leaves Hampton at 5.30 a. m.
Steamer Hampated runs daily to Wickham,
leaving Indiantown at 4 p. m. and Wickham
on return at 6 a. m.
Steamer Springfield leaves at 12 neon for
Springfield, Head of Belleisie Bay, on Tuesdays and thursdays, and at 2 p. m. on Saturdays.
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MISCELLANEOUS.

Save money in the purchase of a SEWING MACHINE.

Call at W. H. Bell's, 28 Dock Stre est makes to select from.

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HOUSE FOR SALE.—House 165 road, 2 flats, 5 rooms on each flat. on the premises.

Give your exhibition friends a cup of elicious Red Rose tea.

GREAT PROGRESS

In Technical Education in the

All the Best-Trained American En-

There is no department of education in the United States which has made greater progress within the last twen-ty-five years than that which is ex-clusively or partly technical. It is very largely to the growth of schools of this character and their improved facilities and methods of instruction that is due the mayvelleus industrial progress of the marvelkus industrial progress of the country within the last few years In fact, it is only within comparatively a few years that the country has be-gun to reap the benefit of the instruc-tion of this technical nature which has

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As a matter of fact, the technical school, as such, is almest entirely a growth of the last fifty years. Even schools of engineering are a growth, not only in this country, but abroad; that is wholly within the present century. Troy, N. Y., has the honor of having had the first school of civil engineering in the world.

Prior to 1825, when this Troy school was established, the orly school of engineering in the United States was the Military Academy at West Point, which was founded in 1882. Naturally the only form of engineering treught in the Military Academy was military engineering, and during the quarter of a century prior to the establishment of the school at Troy the vast majority of men in this country who became practitioners in civil engineering and reached any eminence in their profession were graduates of West Point. In fact, up to as late as the year 1895 a surprisingly large proportion of the civil engineers of the United States were drawn from the ranks of West Point graduates.

In this respect the United States was in how any singular. The first technical school in the world, the Ecole Polytechnique of Paris, was founded only twelve years prior to the opening of the West Point Military Academy. In that school as at West Point, the education in engineering was confined solely to the instruction of students for the strillery and engineering corps of the French Army.

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For thirty years after the opening of the Troy school in 1825, down to the clare of the Civil War, there were only four schools of engineering found in the United States, and of these only two were confined to engineering proper. And in all of these four schools there was comparatively little technical instruction, most of the so-called engineering course consisting of mathematics and elementary sciences.

In 1862 an act of Congress was passed giving to each state a certain proportion of public lands for the benefit of "instruction in the arts and sciences relative to agriculture and mechanical For thirty years after the opening of

ed giving to each state a certain proportion of public lands for the benefit of "instruction in the arts and sciences relative to agriculture and mechanical arts." It was this act which gave the first impetus to the opening of engineering schools, and the development of that branch of scientific education in the United States may be said to have begun with the writing of that important law upon the statute books. Up to 1901 this act resulted in the establishment of no less than sixty-four technical colleges in this country—at least one in each state and territory. Of these sixty-four no less than fifty give instruction in one or more branches of engineering. These colleges now have somewhere in the neighborhood of 1,800 students.

The engineering schools of the United States are now offering unequalled advantages for the acquisition of the fundamentals of an engineering education, and the students in them are working hard to keep abreast, if not well in advance, of other countries in grounding themselves in the principles of scientific engineering.

There has been a very great change of sentiment within the last twenty-five years among practising engineers regarding these technical schools. Not longer ago than the early 70s professional engineers doubted very much the value of the technical training of young engineers and distrusted the engineering graduates. Now, however, there has come a complete revolution of feelings in this respect. General managers and chief engineers at this day prefer technical graduates as their subordinates, since they have been trained in riethods of working and have in every instance a good general knowledge of the fundamental principles underlying all engineering practice. The national societies of engineers now give credit for training of engineers now give credit for training of engineering schools in estimating a candidate's fitness for admission to membership in their societies, and there are now the most cordial relations between the professional engineers in active practice a

resional engineers in active practice and the schools devoted to that science. The technical school in this country met with no welcome from the older colleges and universities. In the beginning these institutions which were dening these institutions, which were devoted to non-technical subjects, were not willing to admit that the study of ovoted to non-technical subjects, were not willing to admit that the study of engineering was on the same high plane as the study of literature, history and philosophy. A change of heart has occurred among the learned gentlemen at the head of these institutions, as well as among the professional engineers. Now, allgare ready to admit that engineering students secure greater adwangement during their college career than any other undergraduates.

One of the highest testimonials ever paid to American progress in technical education came, somewhat reluctantly perhaps, from Dr. Voeberg-Rekow, a German expert, who came over here for the Philadelphia Exposition of a short time ago and recently published in Germany an article summarizing his observations upon American industrial and educational progress. Upon the matter of education he said:

"German industrial advancement is due principally to the thoroughness of our technical education. It is strengthened by the continual introduction of machinery and machine-made tools for

GREAT PROGRESS
In Technical Education in the United States in 25 Years.

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(New Yerk Sun.)

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Order—General Notes

of Interest.

The St. John exhibition made a phemomenal record in the matter of attendance on Monday and yesterday,
So far, St. John people have turned out
in unprecedented numbers, and with
the influx of hordes by excursion trains
from all parts of the maritime provinces for the balance of the week, all
indications point to that measure of
patronage which the mexits of the exhibition honestly demands.

The AMUSEMENTS.

The two shows in the Amusement
Hall did an excellent business yester
day despite the outside attraction, the
ball game. In the afternoon the Lukin
Brothers, four in number, made their
first appearance and created an excellent impression. Their act is one of
the most sensational outdoor features
ever seen in this city. On elevated
horizontal bars some 20 feet from the
platform, two of the brothers having
heads down, the other two in turs
spring from the net spread a few feet
above the stage, and clasping the outstratched hands of one of the suspend
ed men, is whished disout in a manner
that makes one dizzy. The concluding
act is very thrilling. One of the brothers, the lighter of the four, after z
few preliminary turns, is swung full
length between the suprights, and att
the completion of the full turn is fairly hurled at the man on the other bar,
who nearly catches him, and after
swinging far back deposits him by z
a series of graceful moves easily in the
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THE FIRDWOFKKS LAST NIGHT.

The figst exhibition of ficeworks was given last night. The rog of the early part of the evening rather marred the complete success of the above, but nevertheless sufficient to show that the claim of Messra. Hand's representatives, Richard Bewden and S. McDowell, concerning their exhibition was warranted. In variety and quality the present display is the best that has been seen in the city. The programme consisted of flights of rockets, tourbillions, cannon shells and set pleces.

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The game between the Roses and tleris on the grounds yesterday aftermoon was called in the seventh anning. The score stood Roses 5. Alerts 3, and the hits 7 and 8. The batteries were Howe and Walsh, Phelan and McLean. Considering the nature of the grounds the game was an exceedingly good one. D. McCarthy umpired.

FREDERICTION, Sept. 2.—H. H. Pitts has sold the Fredericton Reporter (newspaper) and printing business to W. M. Clarke, who has been foreman of the mechanical department for several years past. Mr. Pitts has been appointed manager and inspector of the People's Gas Supply Co., with headquarters at Ottawa, and will make his home at the federal capital.

SPORTING NEWS.

DAILY QUOTATIONS.

Yesterday's American League Games.
At Chicago—
At Chicago—
Chicago
Chicago

SHIPPING NEWS.

LATE SHIP NEWS.

Demestic Porte HALETAX, Sept. 2.—Ard, sir Nethergate, rom Newport News, Va. Clearer, str Florence, for St Jehn. AYR, Sept. 1.— Ard, ship Hawre, from ewenstle, N B.

N. B. YOKOLAMA, Sept. 2.— Str Empress of stpan arrived here from Vancouver at 8.30 y sterday morning.

CAPE TOWN, Aug. 2.—Ard. str cWinifiedan, from Halifax.

HARTPIART, Sept. J.—Ard. str Habil, from Halifax to Queenstan (in tow).

MANCHESTER, Aug. 31.—Ard, str Lafarl. thue, from Parrsborg N. S.

SOUTHAMPTON. Sept. 2.—And str Philadelphia, from New York.

Soreign Posts.

CITY ISLANP, Sept. 2.—Bound south, sch Viseyard, fram Two Risers, N. S.

BOOTHBAY HARBOR, Me., Sept. 2.—B.

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Salied, tug Springhill, towing barges No. 2 and 5, for Portland.

CADIZ, Aug 28—Sid, bark Mary Classen, for Gaspe, PQ.

STONINGTON, Cean. Sept. 2.—Ard, sch. Andrew Peters, from Calais.

VINEYALD HAVEN, Sept. 2.—Ard, sch. Abbie and Eva Hooper, from St. John for Philadelphia; Geneview, from St. John for Boston, S. Gr. Newark.

NEW YORK. Sept. 2.—Ard, sch. Sch. KEW YORK. Sept. 2.—Ard, sch. Hortensia, from Spencer's Island, NS, for New York: Lenn Maud, from St. John for Boston; Valetta, Frandora and Paney, from Vork: Lenn Maud, from St. John for Boston; Valetta, Frandora and Paney, from Lavotento, John Mary, Stlant, from Lavotento, John Mary, Stlant, from Lavotento, John Mary, Stlant, from Lavotento, from Calais for do.

BORDEAUX, Aug 29—Ard, str Briardene, from Halifax.

COMMERCIAL.

BTOCK MARKET.

DRK, Sept. 3.— Wall Street—The the market well in hand at the dilfted prices of various leaders by above yesterday's close. Prices were a good fraction higher, parennsylvania, Southern Pacific and Reading opened with a resumption by a enormous dealings, the first a representing 20,000 shares at lown to 75, compared with yester-figure of 75%. Southern Pacific i wide, 6,00 shares being bought to 80%, a gain over night of oint. Trading was very active widely distributed.

EXPLIENT.

NEW YORK, Sept. 3.—Cotton: Futures opened firm. September, 8.52; October, 8.51; November, 8.36 bid; December, 8.42; January, 8.41; February, 8.32; March, 8.33; May, 8.36.

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Miss W. L. Fowler and Miss W. W. Up-ham left hast evening for New York, after spending a phrasant vacation at Miss Up-

the writer, has spent 11 years in UncleSam's territory, most of the time in active
newspaper week.
Albert **E. Sears of the Bank of Montrerdi
staff at Sydnry, Cape Breton, who had been
spending fits holidays at home in St. John,
bet for Sydney on Saturday night. He spent
Sunday with 'friends in Halifax en route.

James H. Spencer of the past office department, 'Oshwa, is in St. John 'n a visit.'
Beatwick.

His Lordstap Bishop Kingdon, Yen, Archdeacon Kveires, Rev. Canon Richardson,
Judge Barnington, Dean Partridge, G. O.
Dickson City, and W. M. Jarvis left last
evening for Montreal to

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A young seeman matriculated this year at Lordon University with first class bonors, who was originally a pupil in an East London clementary school. She passed thence with a schelarabil to a higher grade school, and after taking the Cambridge junior and senior local examinations she distinguished herself as stated above.

Miss Charlotte E. Ainsile has been appointed head of the George Watson Ladies! College, Edinburgh, and is the first woman to obtain such an appointment. Miss Ainsile ro-evieved har early education at the George Watson College and her degree from St. Andrew's, where she took honors in several control of the control of t

MARRIAGES.

SPIERS-ROGERSON—At the home of the bride's parents, No. 1 Carleton street, Sept. 2nd, by the Rev. J. A. Morison, F. H. D., Robert M. Spiers, of Worcester, Mass., to Mary, eidest daughter of Mr. John Roger-son of this city.

Stop Buying Millinery Velveteen for Skirt Binding.

When you buy 3/8 of a yard of velveteen to cut into strips for skirt binding, 10 times out of 11 a velveteen is sold you that was never intended for skirt-edge wear. It was woven for trimming hats, etc. S. H. & M. Redfern—a bias corded velvet — is If you do not find the letters

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Edge Skirt Bindings they are not the best.

MORNING'S NEWS.

is set down for September 16.
Bicyclists and all athletes depend on BEENTLEY'S Liniment to keep their joints limber and muscles in trim.
W. C. R. Allan and Isainh W. Holder are the candidates for alderman-atlarge in the election to be held next Tuesday.
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Tuesday,
Robert M. Spiers, of Worcester,
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Rogerson, of the customs, were united
in marriage at the home of the bride,
Carleton street, yesterday, by Rev. Dr
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Lieut. Governor Snowball and party witnessed the baseball game at the exhibition grounds yesterday afternoon.

Some one broke into the drill shed of No. 2 Co., 3rd Regt. C. A., Carleton, on Monday night or yesterday morning, and made away with a couple of pairs of uniform trousers.

The Bijou Theatre is still drawing crowded houses and all the favorites are winning renewed applause. Tonight a complete change of programme will be given, when some new and startling acts are promised.

Str. Manchester Trader will, it is expected, sall from here Saturday for Manchester via Charpttetown. She will take in here 700. standards of deals, 600 tons of pulp, 1,500 boxes of cheese and some general goods. At Charlottetown she will receive cattle, sheep and cheese.

town she will receive the cheese.

T. H. Estabrooks has retained Attorney General Pugsley, and will apply for a writ of injunction to prevent J. J. McGaffigan from using on his tea a name which Mr. Estabrooks holds by copyright. The name is Red Rose, and Mr. McGaffigan's tea Tea Rose.

PROVINCIAL. There are upwards of twenty cases of smallpox in one district of Kent coun-

ty.

Burglars got \$20 from the store of
Turner Bros., Sackville, Monday night.

The Woodstock exhibition will be held
on September 24, 25, and 26.

LEGS CAN'T STAND IT.

The leg has its own woes, to which it falls helr from the legacies of exercise. Grooms and cavalry officers are inclined to have bowlegs and to "toe in," parrot fashion, as is admired in Japan and in Indian land. Priests, magistrates and all who wear skirts drag their legs in walking instead of raising them, as do soldiers and correct pedestrians. Dancers of ballet who have worked hard at pointing raising them, as do soldiers and correct pedestrians. Dancers of ballet who have worked hard at pointing have an internal deviation of their bones from rectitude known as "onlon." Scrukwomen who pass much of their lives on their knees have a swelling of the knee joints. "Dentists' leg' is a result of everstrain, fatigue and prolonged muscular contraction. Another instance of muscular trademarks is found among file cutters. They overexert the right hand in their work with the hammer. The hand and wrist finally weaken and shrivel. The pressure of the chisel against their thumb stunts the growth of that member and bends it beckward.

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The cool impudence of Chinese thieves is proverbial. A writer gives a case in point. The courthouse at Signapore boasted a very valuable clock suspended from the wall directly opposite the bench. One day during the session of the supreme court a particularly meek looking Chinaman entered, carrying a ladder. Removing his hat and bowing to the bench with utmost gravity, he proceeded to remove the clock with humost gravity, he proceeded to remove the clock with businesslike expedition. Tucking the clock under one arm and the ladder under the other, he passed out unchallenged, every one present regarding him as a coolie sent to remove the clock for the purpose of cleaning it. Several days passed, and, the clock not being returned, the magistrate reported the delay to the public works department. The P. W. D. knew nothing whatever about it, and neither clock nor coolie was ever heard of again.

PARENTAL FORESIGHT.

"Yes. I'm encouraging my daughter to keep company with that Arctic ex-

"He'll be able to stand it in the par-lor without out fire next winter."-Cleveland Plain Dealer.

IMPRUDENT MAN.

Young Lady (who has just had ber picture taken)—"I hope that the pictures wih be handsome."
Photographer—"Yes, indeed, you will not recognize yourself."—Chicago News.

OURSELVES AND OTHERS.

The world seems to be divided into two classes; those who board, and envy those who keep house, and those who keep house and envy the boarders.— Atchinson Globe.

PIS SHORT NAME.

"Now that we're engaged," she said "of course I can't call you Mr. Parkinson; and even Schartlan seems too long and format! Haven't you any short pet name?" Haven't you any short pet name?" the college used to—cr—call me 'Pieface."—"hidadelphia Fress.

THE WAY A WOMAN BEGINS. "Have you finished that new novel yet?"
he asked.
"Oh, dear, no. I've hardly begun," she
nswered. "In fact, I've only read the last
chapter."—Chicago Post.

AN APPETIZER. Gentleman (at restaurant)—I say, waiter, your customers are a fearfully noisy lot!
"Yes, sir, and yet they are so particular, you would scarcely believe. Why, that same turbot you are eating just now no fewer than six of them refused before you came in."

CARRIE NATION IN BANGOR. One of the most unique characters in the present day history is Mrs. Carrie Nation, the famous "Kansas Smasher," who gave her native city such a "cleaning" a short time ago. Mrs. Nation will make her first appearance in Bangor in City Ha I Priday appearance on the will be compared to the co

THE WINNIPEG BOOM.

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DESTRUCTION BY LIGHTNING

NEWPORT, Me., Sept. 2.—Extensive damage resulted from a heavy electrical storm passing over Newport, Dexter and Cambridge at 9 o'clock Monday night. A dozen buildings were id the small amount of town fire-fighting apparatus at hand was powerless to render material assistance. The loss is estimated above \$10,000, with only a partial insurance. The losses

are:
At Dexter, William Arno, farm buildings, three horses and eight head of cattle, \$2,000, no insurance.
At Cambridge, E. D. Hargills, farm buildings, \$1,000, no insurance: Ozear Gray, farm buildings, \$6 tons of hay and some stock, \$3,000; insurance \$1,200; Charles Thompson, farm buildings, \$1,500, insurance \$1,100.

FOUND DROWNED.

The body of Robert Pyke, of Kentville, was found floating in the Annapolis river at Annapolis yesterday, morning. He was more than 60 years of age. He had arrived there to take in the Labor Day celebration and is supposed to have walked down on theraliway bridge and fallen over into the water.

DISCOUNTING IT.

He-liere's a story of a surgeon who am-putated his own thumb. Wonderful, isn't it?

it?
She-Oh. I don't know.
He-Just think of his nervo and the awfulpain he must have suffered.
She-But no doubt he put himself under
the influence of ether first.--PhiladelphiaFress.

EDITORIAL ROOM WIT.

The reporter had just come in from a murder care. It was a rainy day, and he had to cross a ploused field on foot.

"I see," observed the chalf editor, looking with much displeasure at his large modely boots, "you have brought the scene of murder with you."

"Yes," answered the reporter apologetically: "I've not to have some ground for my story, you know,"—London Enguess.

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FORD, Eccentic Dutch Comedian, in his

hows, at 2.30, 7.30 and 9 p. m. mission 15 ets. Heserved seats, 20 ets. nething going on all the time.

SEVENTY YEARS OLD.

John Sutton, mechanical accountant of the I. C. R., Moncton, says the Transcript, celebrated his 70th birthday on Wednesday, Aug. 27th. Mr. Sutton was born at Nelson, Northumberland Co., in 1832, and came to Moncton in 1872, and was for a few years I. C. R. store-keeper, and was then advanced to the position of mechanical accountant. The many bouquets that covered his desk Wednesday morning evince the esteem in which he is held by his many friends who wish him many happy returns of the day.

SOME EXTRA VALUES in la dies' cloths, 54 inches wide, for skirts and suits, 75c. per yard, all colorings are on sale now at

TRAINS LATE TODAY,

The C. P. R. express from Montreal is over five hours late today, having been received late on the Atlantic division. The delay is due to having to wait for connection with the Pacific express at Montreal Junction. The Boston express was also two hours ate.

PATTERSON'S or. Charlotte & Buke Sts.

Shaker Night Dresses

SPECIAL NOTICE TO ADVERTISERS

Copy for Saturday's Issues of the STAR must be sent in by Three-Thirty O'Clock Friday Afternoone 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.

EXHIBITION LODGING

BUREAU, Oorner of King Street and Market Square (next Western Union Telegraph Office). When Telephon-ing ask central for the lodging

Charles Fawcett of Sackville is in the city today.

The attention of advertisers is directed to the notice at the top of this column.

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

The laborers employed by Messrs. Mooney on the new building at Cliff street struck today for \$1.50 per day. The Star Mission Band of Exmouth Methodist church will hold an enter-tainment with lime light views in their schoolroom tonight, Sept. 3.

The public works department has awarded the contract for the Lepreaux station bridge to Albert E. Syme, of Alma, Albert county.

The Provincial Normal School open ed yesterday morning with 200 in at tendance, a smaller number than last year, but about the average.

A. L. Spencer, at \$1 Germain street, is selling violins, banjos, guitars, mandolins, accordeons and all the smaller instruments at very low prices. Call in

Kingston, Kings Co., which is to have the Macdonald school, is likely soon to have a creamery and to make tele-phone connection with the outside

THE LAKE SUPERIOR.

THE BIG SHOW.

Another Record Breaking Day Expected.

All the Attractions Are in Full Swing - Big Display of Fireworks Tonight.

0000000000000000000000000 5.50 p. m. Evening programme of band concert begins.

The Four Lukens before the Grand Stand, amid brilliant electric lights, followed by darkness, and the second drand Fireworks Programme. Special precautions have been taken to prevent the fog interfering with this display.

8.30 p. m. Vaudeville performance, evening programme.

Note that the Moving Pictures entertuinment, the finest of its kind ever seen here, will be continued from 10 a. m. till 10 p. m.

0.0000000000000000000000000 The bright morning and the large attendance on a comparatively dull day yesterday has given the association the hope that today may be another record breaker. The races at Moosepath this afternoon may take some spectators away from the main show. The horses that have been brought together for the events of today and tomorrow arecertainly the finest field off animals that have come to St. John in years. But despite that the attractions at the big show tiself are sufficient to draw a record breaking crowd. Excursions are due from Fredericton, Presque isle and Vanceboro, and the people who will come by these trains will help swell the attendance to huge proportions.

This morning judging was continued in the different horse classes, and the cattle classes were practically finished. Durling the morning J. S. Sanborn's French coach horses were paraded on the track.

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This afternoon and evening there will be band concerts, out door performances and the amusement hall specialties, while tonight the bombardment of Taku fort will be put on. The fireworks people are hoping that the fine weather continues throughout the day, and if it does they promise to put on a show that will make the people open their eyes.

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The superintendent of the agricultural department, S. L. Peters, is one of the familiar figures about the exhibition. For years he has been one of the very best workers in connection with the big show, and his interest in it is shown by the amount of time and labor he gave towards making his department a success. In his section of the exhibition one is always struck with the neatness of the display and the taste shown in its arrangement.

Mr. Peters, too, contributes largely of the products of his fields and has always been a good prize winner. This year he shows vegetables, fruit and butter and has a small exhibit in the stockyard. At Queenstown he has an prehard of five hundred trees, and on the subject of packing apples he is an authority. He works on the sound principle that it is better for the buyer and seller if the fruit is found to get better the farther down you go in the bottom of the barrel. The fruit trade and the country need more men like S. L. Peters.

A GOOD SHOW.

Some more additions have been made to the number in the cattle sheds. Sev-eral of the prize cows have given birth to calves during the last twenty-four hours.

hours.
The cattle exhibit is certainly a feature of the show. One gentleman, who was connected with the Pan-American, told the superintendent of the live stock department that the show here equalled that of Buffalo in quality.

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Hon. A. B. McChellan and Mrs. McChellan of Riverside, Albert Co., visited the exhibition this morning.

F. W. Hudson, dominion live stock cominisationer, was at the exhibition building this morning. He said that the cattle exhibit was a good one, far better than he expected it would be the beef cattle were especially fine. The pig exhibit was small and there are a few good ones, but only a few. The dairy cattle are good and the sheep are in a nice, useful condition.

J. P. Hood of the Charlottetown Guardian paid a vigit to the pressroom this morning.

Gertrude Harrison, daughter of Dr. Richard Harrison of 12 Brusseis street, The bride was becomingly gowned in grey silk voile with large white hat and feather boa, and carried a bouquet of bride was peconingly gowned in grey silk voile with large white hat and feather boa, and carried a bouquet of bridal roses. She was attended by her sister, Miss Mildred Harrison, who was streets, died suddenly in his house yesterday afternoon. He had been in poor health for a considerable time and had not called in any medical assistance. Although feeling poorly he was not confined to bed, but was attending to his ordinary duties until after four o'clock yesterday afternoon. Then he went upstairs in the house where he lived and lay down for a few minutes' rest. About an hour afterwards one of the inmates of the house, on going over to speak to him, discovered that Mr. McConnell. was dead. Coroner Berryman was at once summoned, and after examinings the body decided that an inquest was not necessary.

The funeral will be held tomorrow.

This afternoon the butter making competition will commence in the Agricultural Hall, under the supervision of Messrs. Tiley and Daigle. The competitors are Clarence N. Goodspeed, P. E. I.; Havelock Cheese and Butter Co.; C. F. Alward, Edward Wheaton, Petitcodiac; W. W. Eveleigh, Sussex; Harry Hughes, Petitcodiac; S. L. Peters, and E. J. Peters, Queenstown; Clifforn N. Wilson, St. Andrews.

Ripered crear will be supplied by the department and the churns are now in place. The competitors will line up for the start at half-past two and at the word will get to work. There will be some swift churning then body decided that an inquest was not necessary.

The funeral will be held tomorrow, ABBEY CHOIR ARRIVES TOMOR-ROW.

The Coronation Choir sings in the Academy of Music, Halifax. tonight and will arrive in St. John on the Rup-ers, and E. J. Peters, Queenstown; Clifforn N. Wilson, St. Andrews.

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The Coronation Choir sings in the Academy of Music, Halifax. tonight and will arrive in St. John on the Rup-ers tomorrow afternoon. Their only appearance in this city will be in the Amusement Hall on exhibition grounds, Friday afternoon at four o'clock, and in the evening at nine. Tickets for both concerts are on sale at Gray's book store, King street, and in the main exhibition building, near entrance. The members of the choir will probably attended to the competition of the exhibition tomorrow evening in a body.

TO-MORROW (4th inst.) THE LAST AND GREATEST DAY OF

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Zeta M., 2.394, S. A. Fowler, St. John.
Lebena, 2.314, J. M. Johnston, Catals.
Tom Phair, J. M. Johnson, Calais.
Lady Trumps, 2.284, D. W. McKay, St.
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tephen. Tutritz, 2,251/2, E. H. Barter, St. Stephen. Bffle, C. H. Stone, Boston. Sunset, C. H. Stone, Boston. Nena Wilkes, 2,28, Fred Warren, Spring-

Sousa, P. W. Wilbur, Moneton. Maggie S., Edgar Holmes, Eastport.

Free-for-all, Purse \$500. Morley King, 2.1614, F. C. Briggs, Bos-Bell P., 2.19%, J. H. Macnamara, Rock-Joe Hall, 2.2014. Chas. Dugan, Woodstock, Itima, 2.10, J. M. Johnson, Calais. Walter K., 2.144, F. Duncanson, St. John. Rock Farm Grace, 2.20, Fred Warren, Springhill. Springhill,
Park Campbello, 2.20%, Fred Warren,
Springhill,
Kate Willard, 2.25, E. LeRei Willis, Sydney,
George, 2.27, C. H. Keith, Berry's Mills,
Sunol Prince, 2.21%, S. A. Fowler, St.
John.

Cates open at 12.30. First Race called at 2.30.

Tickets can be purchased at the Secretary's Office, Exhibition Building, at the Ticket Office, Union Station, and at the Park Gates.

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C. H. Acheson, of the Moncton High School, has been informed by the secretary of state at Ottawa that the Dominion government has engaged for him and his family saloon passage on the Alian steamer Tunisian. sasing from Quebec on Saturday, Sept. 27. He sails for South Africa via Quebec and Liverpool. Westmorland Lodge K. of P. gave Mr. Acheson a farewell supper last night at the hotel Minto.

S. Z. Dickson, country market, is sup-plying the meat and vegetables for the artillery camp at Fort Dufferin.

The Teronto Globe's special from London says: "Nothwiths ing the large quantity of iron and which was recently shipped from Britain and the continent to the States and Canada the deman continues. The latest inquiry is tonnage to convey 10,000 tons of r from Rotterdam to St. John, N. B.

WHERE TO BUY CLOTHES

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Visitors to the exhibition who wish to purchase men's or boys' clothing or furnishings will find at J. N. Harveys, Union street, not only the goods they want, but at the lowest prices. In a year and a half Mr. Harvey has built up a splendid business, He has had long experience, knows the value of good advertising, and where to buy to the best advantage. The values he gives talk in his favor, and purchasers return and advise others to come. His stock is up to date, for it is all new. His store, Opera House Block, Union street, is a great centre of attraction this week.

RECENT DEATHS.

Mrs. Michael Dee, of Chatham, died last week, aged 70 years,
William O'Hara, of St. Martins, died on Monday, aged 33 years.
William H. Armstrong, son of the late Rev. G. M. Armstrong, of this city, died in Victoria, B. C., of consumption on Sunday last.