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TUESDAY, 9 A. M.

ring of Medium Draughts (Class 8) Heavy Draught), Percherons (12), and Suffolk Punches (13).

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"Why not?" asked the surgrised artist.
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Mon's and Boys' Slothler,

THE MURDER.

Higgins and Goodspeed Remanded For Three More Days.

The Boys Show the Effect of Their Confinement in the Jail.

orning Higgins and Goodspeed were ourt room. Only a small crowd remained as the announcement made previously that the preliminary trial of the boys would not take place until Tuesday, had sent most of them away. The boys came up attended by Deputy Chief Jenkins and Detective Killen, Goodspeed could easily have been hidden under the arm of the deputy, and Higgins barely reached to the shoulder of the detective. In manner there was not much change from Tuesday morning, when they made their last public appearance. Goodspeed had lost some of his color, but none of his colorness. He quietly took his stand at one end of the table facing the magistrate, while Higgins stood a few feet away. He appeared to have changed more than his fellow-prisoner. His face was rather pale and he seemed to be excessively nervous. His eyes and face twitched involuntarily during the couple of minutes he stood in the room. But despite that, it would be hard to believe that he realizes the gravity of the charge made against him and the mass of evidence which has been collected. As he went down the stairs to the solitary confinement from which he had been momentarily taken, he smiled confidently and boylshly.

As they stood in the court room his honor informed them that as their three days' remand was up, they had fgain been taken before him, and would be remarked for three more days to suit the convenience of the counsel engaged in the case. That means the preliminary trial will not come up until Tuesday morning.

Mrs. Goodspeed was early at the police capurt this morning with a package of dainties for her boy, but had no chance for any conversation with him. She came up in the court room and was present when the boys were again remanded.

Neither Higgins nor Goodspeed was asked to plead or say anything for lously that the preliminary trial of the

or the crown was present at the time.

Yesterday afternoon Young Goodspeed pointed out to the officers the position in the creek where the revolver, with which the murder had been done was thrown. Shortly after Deputy Chief Jenkins by the aid of a telescope saw the weapon on the bottom and it was brought up. It is a 38 callbre, nickle plated, American buildog weapon, with five empty shells in the barrell. When it was discovered the revolver was considerably coated with rust and mud from its two weeks' immersion. At first the self-cocking apparatus would not act, but after a little working it was apparently as good as ever. It has been discovered that the weapon was bought from one of the Mill street stores.

PRESS COMMENTS

On the Murder of William Donerty and Its Lessons

> A DIME NOVEL FIEND. (Montreal Star.)

(Montreal Star.)

That is an awful story which comes from New Brunswick about the murter of Willie Doherty, aged seventeen, by his companion, Frank Higgins, aged sixteen. The boys are reported to have been members of a band of juvenile robbers, and the murderer posed as a mered him on the head with the butt of the revolver, because he suspected him of hiding some of the spoils. It is almost inconceivable that the devil himself could fistigate a sixteen-year-old boy to such a crime. But unfor-tunately his Satanic majesty has agen-cies for instructing crime the supertunately his Satanic majesty has agencies for instigating crime that are very much up-to-date. The boy is described as a dime novel fiend, and ,according to all the canons of the dime novels and the yellow journals, he is a hero, to be held up for the admiration of other vicious 'poung idiots. Weak-minded, we must hope he is, for the credit of humanity, and it is from the ranks of the weak-minded that the dime novel filends are recruited, and among whom the yellow journals get their greatest admirers.

(Montréal Gasette.)

The police of St. John, N. B., have

(Montréal Gasette.)

The police of St. John, N. B., have some ugly business to deal with. A little while ago, an old man named Oulton was found dead, under circumstances pointing to the possibility of nurder. Within a fortnight the body of a lad named William Doherty was discovered with the plain evidence of murder upon M. What one witness says indicates that the crime was committed by a boy and that it was the sequel to other crimes. St. John is neither very big nor very wicked, but it seems to have bred a bad gang which it will be well for it if it can root out.

(Miramichi Advance.)

nome when they liked; no employment of hands or mind was provided for them and no proper parental restraints were placed upon them. The result is crime of the most revolting character, which not only brings disgrace on the parents and children alike, but reflects upon the fair name of the province and its people.

How many hundreds of parents are there who will read the story of this tragedy and realise that they too have neglected and are neglecting their responsibilities to society, just as the Doherties, Higginess and Goodspeeds of St. John have done? How many boys are there in our Miramichi towns and other centres or population who are gallowed to "run wild" as these St. John boys were? Let us hope that those whose boys are seen idle, about the street corners day and night, or wandering at will when and where they please, will be led to reflect on their responsibility, and resolve to do their fresponsibility, and resolve to do their characterity as parents, lest the result may be sornow to themselves and the ruin of children once innocent, but made criminals by the culpable neglect of fathers and mothers.

THE COAL STRIKE.

All Quiet at Duryea, but Washery Was Not Started.

WILKESBARRE, Pa., Aug. 15 .- Duryea, the scene of yesterday's riot, in was as quiet as a country village towas as quiet as a country village today. No attempt was made to resume
operations at the Warnke Washery,
and in consequence no crowd collected
there. Sheriff Jacobs and a large number of deputies were on the ground all
night, but they were npt molested. The
sheriff told the owners of the washery
this morning that if they wished to
start their works he would see that
their employes got ample protection.
There were no employes to go to work.
Nearly all the men at work yesterday
were arrested and sent to jail by the
local authorities. The superintendent
of the washery declares that this was
an injustice to the employes, who, he
says, were not acting as coal and iron
police. When the constables reached
the washery to make arrests they arrested everybody in sight. Sheriff Jacobs feels confident that there will be
no more trouble at the washery, but,
should an outbreak occur, he says he
will have a force of deputies sufficient
to preserve the peace.

SHENANDOAH, Pa., Aug. 15.—August 15, the feast of Assumption, is a
church holiday in the coal regions. All
the Catholio churches hold exercises.
The mine workers generally and their
families either go visiting or hold large
plonics. Owing to the strike and consequent lack of money, the day was
not as well observed as in former
wasrs. The largest plenic grounds, in
this vicinity are now occupied by the
troops.

DEEDS OF BLOOD.

A Desperate Affray-Men and Bloodhounds After Murderers.

hounds After Murderers.

KNOXVILLE, Tenn., Aug. 15.—Authentic details have been received of a desperate affray in which three young men and a woman, all of them prominent in Scott County, Tenn., were involved and which is said to have resulted in the death of one and the possible death of another, and the flight of both the woman and the other man implicated. Jarrett Trammell was killed, but by whom is not definitely known. Mrs. Trammell and Whig Duncan, one of those involved, escaped over the border into Kentucky. The scene of the tragedy was at Winfield, a small town in Scott County, Tenn.

NAPOLEON, Ohio, Aug 15.—Henry and Eck Thompson, who shot Sheriff Barnhill, have been traced to a dense thicket a few miles from Miller City and are surrounded by armed men who are determined that they shall not escape. Marshall Hiser has called for men and bloodhounds. A \$500 reward is offered for the men dead or aliveand there is a standing reward of \$200 for horse stealing.

A PAYING BUSINESS.

Capacity of Steel Plant.

(Special to the Star.) (Special to the Star.)

HAMILTON, Ont., Aug. 15.—The Hamilton Steel and Iron Company has decided to double the capacity of its steel plant and may expend two hundred thousand dollars on the work. Senator A. T. Wood has been re-elected president and G. E. Doolittle, vice-president. The company has just paid its annual dividend of 8 per cent. and has transferred a substantial amount to the reserve fund.

THE WEATHER.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Aug. 15.—
Forecast—Western states and northern
New York—Partly cloudy tonight: local rains Saturday; light to fresh
winds, mostly east.
TORONTO, Aug. 15.—Maritime—Moderate winds, mostly south and west;
not much change in temperature. Saturday about the same.

PREMIER ROSS.

TORONTO, Ont., Aug. 14.—Hon. G. W. Ross will sail from Liverpool for Canada on Saturday. Local liberals are talking about getting up a reception on his return.

'EAR, 'EAR!

(kincardine Review.)

A man who corners corn may appropriately be called a corner. It may therefore be said that the corner who corners corn or any other commodity ought not to be cornered lest he should be cornered by other corners of corn.

HORRIBLE DEATH.

Two Wealthy Americans Crushed and Killed in France,

While Running. an Automobile at too High a Rate of Speed.

PARIS, Aug. 14 .- The fatal accider self was driving his automobile at a high rate of speed when one of the pneumatic tires burst. The machine werved, collided with a tree with a terrible crash and was overturned. Mr. and Mrs. Fair were killed outright and their chauffeur was badly

injured.

The Fairs have been living lately in Paris at the Hotel Ritz and kept their apartments there while they were stay-

ing at Trouvrille.

Mrs. Wm. K. Vanderbilt, jr., who was Mr. Fair's sister, returned from Trouvrille Sunday on the North German Lloyd steamship Kron Prinz Wilhelm. EVREUX, France, Aug. 14.—The accident occurred at half-past two c'clock this afterpoon and almost in front of the Chateau Buisson Du Mai. The Fairs intended to dine and spend the night in Paris and return to Trouvrille for lunch tomorrow.

The wife of the gate keeper of the Chateau was the only witness of the disaster. She says she noticed a big red automobile coming along the road at a tremendous pace. Suddenly something happened and the heavy machine sild sideways from the right to the left side of the road for about 50 yards. It then dashed up an embankment, turned a complete somersault and crashed into a big elm tree in front of the gate of the Chateau. The automobile was completely wrecked. When the automobile turned over the wife of the Eate keeper says she saw Mr. and Mrs. Fair thrown high in the air and fail with a heavy thud to the ground. The chauffeur who was sitting behind the Fairs was precipitated into a ditch. He staggered to his feet, calling for help. The gate keeper's wife rushed to his assistance and aided him in extricating Mr, and Mrs. Fair, who were buried beneath the wrecked machine, and in the last throes of death. Both had sustained ghastly injuries and were almost unrecognizable. Mr. Fair's head had been crushed in, while his wife's skull was split. The chauffeur was terribly affected at the calamity and seemed bereft of his senses. He threw himself into a ditch on the opposite side of the rone and rolled about, crying: "My poor master."

M. Borson, owner of the Chateau Buisson Du Mai, was summoned, and after advising the local authorities of the accident he ordered the bodies of Mr. and Mrs. Fair to be carried to the gate keeper's lodge. Here they now lie on mattresses and flowers have been strewn over them. In the poon are three wax tapers burning dimiy.

The local police authorities hold in their possession and have seale

A WEALTHY CUBAN

Shoots an American and His Wife at Tampa.

TAMPA, Florida, Aug. 14.—Charles J.
Allen and his wife were fatally shot at
their home today by Manuel Chevez,
to of the wealthlest and most prominent
members of the cuban colony here. Allen died this afternoon and Mrs. Allen's
death is only a question of time.

Many conflicting accounts of the
tragedy are current, but the one generally believed is that Allen returned
home unexpectedly and found Chavez
in his home and that he assaulted
Chavez, who, it is said, drew a pistol
and began to fire. One bullet struck
Allen in the left side, another in the
mouth and a third in the abdomen,
after passing through the body of Mrs.
Allen,who had rushed between the men
in a effort to separate them. The
shooting of Mrs. Allen is believed to
have been unintentional. Immediately
after the shooting Chavez rushed from
the house and drove off is his bugsy,
He subsequently surrendered to the
sheriff.

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 15.-The su SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 15.—The supreme lodge of Knights of Pythias were again in session today, as was the supreme temple of the Rathbone Sisters. At both places matters of much interest to the order were discussed. The competitive drills between crack companies of the uniform rank which daily attract many spectators were resumed at the Presidio. The judges will render their decision tonight. The Knights of Khorassan held a ceremonial session and participated in an excursion. Tonight there will be a concert and entertainment for the knights at the Chinese Theatre, and an exhibition drill will be followed by a spectacular exhibition by Modec Indians.

GOES TO SANDHURST.

(Special, to the Star.)

QUEBEC, Aug. 15.—Lieutenant Colonel Kittson, British milliary attache at Washington, who is at the citadel as guest of Lord Minto, has received by cable the appointment of commandant at Sandhurst, which is one of the most important positions in the British army.



When your hat is a little shabby or flabby—out of shape, you know— or somewhat out of date—"Hats off, please!"—and new ones on—or have the old one fixed up a bit. Where bet

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A HARD HEADED FARMER. The Way He Held Up a Prince With a Pitchfork.

When Edward VII. of England was an undergraduate at Oxford University, he had an adventure which led a newspaper of that time to describe the prince as a prisoner. It said that "not very far from Oxford, at a place called Steeple Barton, there was a farmer named Hedges, a man of much independence of character, commonly known as "Lord Chief Justice Hedges." "On one occasion the prince and his friends were out with the South Oxfordshire hounds, but, meeting with indifferent sport, they resolved on riding home across country. This they did, galloping over the lands of Farmer Hedges and presently riding into his farmyard. There they were confronted by the farmer himself, armed with a lork. He closed the gates and informed the party blumity that they had been trespassing on his ground and trampling on his young wheat and that he would not allow one of them to leave his farmyard until he had paid a fine of a sovereign for the damage done. "They whispered that the prince When Edward VII, of England was

a fine of a sovereign for the damagdone.

"They whispered that the prince
himself was of the party. 'Prince or
no prince,' he replied shortly, Til have
my money.' There was little glory to
be had by fighting a resolute farmer
armed with a fork. They therefore
made up their minds to pay, prince
and all. When he had the money in
his pocket and not till then, 'Lord Chief
Justice Hedges' opened the gates and
let them go."—Philadelphia Times.

HER ENGAGEMENTS.

"Your daughter has had a great many admirers."

"On, yes! She puts nearly all her window curtains on the rods with her old engagement rings."



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One of the Mail Steamers, VICTORIA and DAVID WESTON, will leave St. John, North End, for Fredricton and intermediate landings every morning (Sunday excepted) at 8 o'clock, and will leave Fredericton every morning (Sunday excepted) at 8.30 o'clock. Freight received daily up to 6 p. m.

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WANTED.—A chambermaid. Apply at e LANSDOWNE HOUSE, 40 South Side MANTED—A girl for general house work pply to MRS. W. F. ROBERTS, corner lain street and Douglas avenue.

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Save money in the purchase of a SEWING MACHINE.

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

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

MARRIAGES

WATTERS-McLEOD.—At the residence of the bride's parents, Rockland Road, on August 14th, by Rev. Alex. White, Rocked Stanley Watters to Edith Gerde McLeod. both of, St. John.

STER MACDONALD.—Ferrons, N. S. August 12, by Rey. A. M. Thompson, the Rey. A. H. Thompson, the Rey. A. H. Thompson, the N. B., to Ethabeth M MacDonald, of Hopewell, N. S.

year of his age, George Coster son of David J. and Lillian h

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ST. JOHN, N. B., AUGUST 15, 1902.

. EXIT RUSSELL.

E. G. Russell, manager of the I. C. E. G. Russell, manager of the I. C. R., has had to go. We are told that Mr. Russell tendered his resignation. Technically this is no donbt correct, but Mr. Russell would probably not have found life a burden and thrown up the job if had been a little more clearly in the region of his conscience. elastic in the region of his conscience ors for I C. R. work have had a knife in Mr. Russell, figuratively speaking for a long time. He made the unpard onable mistake of scrutinizing their bills too closely. Therefore they de-clared, and made no secret of their determination, that Mr. Russell must go He has gone. Apparently there is to but the cost of the I. C. R. will not b lessened. Mr. Blair's friends the con tractors must be looked after.

THE FAST LINE.

ness has made an odd mistake in conposed fast line. It says:-

In view of the probability of a sub-sidized fast line the merchants of St. John have expressed the desire that Halifax should be made the passenger port, and St. John the freight port. This is exactly the attitude to be lookport, and St. John the freight port. This is exactly the attitude to be looked for from any wide-awake port situated as St. John is. If good things are going it wants them or some of them. Whoever is forgotten in this inter-imperial bounty it does not mean to be. When the paternal bird arrives at the nest with a rich store of worms, that birdling would be a fool that did not open its mouth wide and squeak and wriggle to be uppermost, seeing that as a rule the one which does most of this sort of thing gets most worm. Let all cities emulate St. John and make the most of themselves. But what does this proposal of St. John mean to Canada? Would it not mean a formal renunciation of the St. Lawrence as the natural highway of North America. The St. Lawrence is to Canada as the throat is to the body. But for it Canada, as a country, would never have had an individual existence. Without it Canada would soon cease to exist as a country. Commercially speaking, the St. Lawrence is Canada, and Canada can no more afford to renounce it than a man could afford to renounce it than a man could afford to renounce it than a man could afford to renounce it the witness will be relieved to learn.

The Witness will be relieved to learn the winter terminus of the fast freight birdlings may have the worm. Unless they can melt the ice in their great river they could not have the service in winter, in any case. Let us, therefore, continue to dwell together unity.

Of the lumber market the Liverpo correspondent of the Timber Trades

Journal of Aug. 2 says:—

"The course of our business moves on steadily, in a caim and placid way. Most whitewoods are coming forward without any rush, and, consequently a large portion is sent away from the ship's side direct into consumption. All indications point to a healthy tone for the remainder of the season. Unless the unforseen happens, we think the spruce market has seen its worst for this season; the pressure to sell steamers "to arrive" has been relaxed, and the attitude of the shipper is now one of complacency."

Touching the question of compulsors attendance at school, it may be observ ed that several years ago an influential delegation from St. John laid the matter before the provincial government, but the government has failed to do anything. When Mr. Tweedle returns enewed, so that when the legislature neets again a compulsory law applying at least to St. John may be adopted. The chief superintendent of edu-

lation for years. The citizens should respond promptly to the appeal of the Exhibition Asociation in the matter of providing putation of the city is at stake in this matter. It will not do to induce people to come here and spend their money unless we are prepared to look

after them properly. since May 1st were 986,828 pkgs., compared with 712,148 for the like period in 1901 and 1,036,778 in the like period of 1:00. The butter shipments for the like period were:—This year, 216,603 pkgs; 1901, 154,906; 1900, 133,959 pkgs.

SONS OF ENGLAND.

WINNIPEG, Aug. 14.—The Sons of England supreme lodge, in convention here, has rejected the proposal to admit other than descendants of Englishmen to the order. The supreme lodge also rejected proposals to debar non-beneficiary members from sitting at the supreme lodge and from election as supreme officers, to create the office of 2nd vice-president and to elect a financial secretary by the supreme lodge. It was decided that delegates be elected in December instead of in June.

FAST ATLANDIC SERVICE. ne of the Topics Discussed by the Cabinet Yesterday.

One of the Topics Discussed by the Cabinet Yesserday.

OTTAWA, Aug. 14.—At the cabinet meeting today Sir Richard Cartwright presided. The others present were Scott, Pitspatrick, Sutherland and Sitton. R is understood the meeting was called for the purpose of considering the rant Atlantic service tenders.

Hon. Mr. Scott said nothing had been decided regarding the service, but stated that among other things the cabinet had discussed the subject. He said they discussed the subject. He said they dimensed the subject He said they dimensed the subject. He said they dimensed the subject He said they dimensed the subject. He said they dimensed the subject He said they dimensed the subject. He said they discussed the subject He said they discussed was an eighteen knot service. MONTREAD of the form the subject was a sagnist type, ney, Cape Breton, and that Sir Win Mulock had been course as gainst type, ney. Cape Breton, and that Sir Win Mulock had been course as gainst type, ney. Cape Breton, and that Sir Win Mulock had been course as gainst type, and so was in the larger class of which the service will be the subject of the country that the transmitter of the service will be service to discussed was an eighteen knot service could be carried out with the service will be service to discussed was an eighteen knot service will be service to discussed was an eighteen knot service will be service to discussed was an eighteen knot service will be service to discussed was an eighteen knot service will be serviced will be service will be service will be serviced by the service wi

NEWFOUNDLAND.

ST. JOHNS, N. F., Aug. 14.—Public feeling over the Reid arbitration difficulty is growing more intense. In an interview today a prominent member of the colonial government said:

"The solvent existence of the colony depends upon the outcome of this arbitration. The government is prepared to exhaust every legitimate expediency to insure the absolute impartiality of the arbitration tribunal. Remembering that when the conservative government passed the Reid contract in 1898, Mr. Morine, the then minister of finance, was at the same time, and without the knowledge of the colony, solicitor for Mr. Reid, the present government feels that the emergency of today is a case for eternal vigilance. When the governor of the colony learned the above related fact concerning Mr. Morine, he dismissed the minister of finance from office."

The colonial government has protes The colonial government has protested against the appointment by Supreme Court Justice Emerson and Sir Sandford Fleming of Ottawa, owing to his reputed connection with Canadian railroad interests.

Mr. Reid, who is a railroad contracto, has a claim against Newfoundland for \$2,000,000. The supreme court did not appoint a third arbitrator today.

WATER SPORTS AT THE PARK.

The sports at the park tomorrow by the Sports at the park tomorrow by the Neptune Rowing Club should be very attractive. There is a good list of entries, and these contests will be spirited. The Artillery band has been engag. I during the aftrnoon.

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The entries are:
Double roulls—Ross and McCavour,
Forin and Fowler, Sturdes and Brennan, Robinson and Baillic.
Canoe deubles—Frith and Robinson,
Macrae and Day, Holden and Tufts,
Sturdee and Adams, McAvity and
Schofield.

Schofield.

Single scuil—J. Ross, H. Breman, Schofield, McAvity.

Tilting in canoes—Sutherland and Vroom, Hannington and Frith, Tufts and Holden, Day and Macrae, Driscoll and Payne.

Hurry scurry race—Day, Schofield, Blizzard, McAvity, Sturdee.

Crab race—Frith, Fowler, McAvity, Schofield, Sturdee.

Swimming race—Blizzard, E. H. McAlpine, Holden, McAvity, Day.

There will be a game of water polo and tug of war. Canoes will be at the lake today for contestants, who wish to practice.

GRAND LODGE I. O. O. F. OFFI-CHARLOTTETOWN, P. E. I., Aug 14.—The Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F., has

S. A. Chesley, Lunenburg (N. S.),

warden. J. C. P. Frazee, Halifax, grand sec J. H. Balcolm, Halifax, grand treas

urer.

J. A. McKean, Westville (N. 8.);
grand representative.

C. A. Murray, Monoton, grand representative.
Rev. Geo. Foster, Springhill (N. 8.),
chaplain.

WANT CANADIAN BUTTER.

J. A. Ruddick, chief of the dominion lairy department, has received an application from a firm in Vancouversking him to furnish butter for shipment to Australia. He will try to secure what is required. Australia is hort of butter this year.

I. C. R. CHANGES. .

Dr. Morris and Dr. Eilis Take Opposite Views.

(Fredericton Gleaner.)

There is some interest attached to what is termed the Penniac smallpox cases. Some days ago Dr. H. H. McNally, who had been attending a patient or two at Penniac and treating the patients for chickenpox, was somewhat surprised to find that his patients were quarantined for smallpox. The dector protested that they were not the victims of smallpox but of chickenpox. The secretary of the provincial board of health, Dr. Fisher, of Marysville, called in two experts, Dr. Morris of St. John and Dr. Lunam of Campbellton, both of whom had been through smallpox epidemics; they pronounced the patients to be suffering from smallpox. Dr. McNally adhered to the belief that his patients were the victims of chickenpox. At a meeting of the city board of health on Tuesday afternoon the statement was made that Dr. McNally had broken the quarantine and that he himself should be quarantined so as to prevent spread of the disease. The board decided that inasmuch as it had been four days or apsince the doctor saw or visited his patients that they would not take any action in the matter. In the meantime Dr. McNally has had Dr. Burnett of Sussex and Dr. Eilis of St. John visit his patients and both have said and haye signed a document to the effect that in their opinion Dr. McNally's patients are the victims of an aggravated form of chickeapox. The public, of course, will be interested in knowing whether or not the disease is chickenpox or smallpox, but the fact that Dr. McNally is charged with breaking a quarantine established by the provincial goard of health is also a matter which is creating some little interest.

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The Canadian Manufacturers' Association finished its business at Halifax yesterday. There was considerable discussion of the fast Atlantic steamship

yesterday. There was considerable discussion of the fast Atlantic steamship service, and a resolution, urging that such a service, second to none, should be provided, was adopted.

Another resolution asked that steps be taken to establish a direct steamship service between Australia and eastern Canadian ports. Several matters relating to the tariff were referred to the tariff committee. A resolution was adopted, urging that commercial representatives sent by the government to foreign countries should be men whose training and experience fits them for such important work. Another resolution pledged the association to aid in promoting direct imports of sugar and other products from the West Indies, and called upon the government to appoint a commission to investigate and report upon this matter.

Hon. Mr. Tarte Speaks.

At the banquet of the Canadian Manu-

At the banquet of the Canadian Manufacturers' Association last night, Hon.
Mr. Tarte said he favored a protectionist tariff in Canada and a fast Atlantic steamship service to Halifax in winter and Quebec in summer, with St. John as the winter freight port.

CZAR'S PEOPLE ILLITERATE.

ST. PETURRBURG, Aug. 13.—Recent official reports afford striking evidence of the deplorable lack of elementary education which does so much to retard Russia's progress. The number of new elementary schools required is 40,600. The number of children between the ages of 7 and 14 deprived of all instruction is estimated at 17,720,000. Of these 12,500,000 are in European Russia.

THE LAKE GEORGE MINES.

(Fredericton Gleaner.)
Two American gentlemen, who are practical miners, arrived at Prince William Station Tuesday and drove to Lake George. Their intention was to visit and inspect the Lake George and timony mines with a view of their baing again operated.

The anual picnic of St. Peter's and Holy Trinity parishes on St. Peter's grounds, and that of the Church of the Assumption, Carleton, at the Bay Shore yesterday, were both largely attended and year, successful

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SUCCESS OF OIL FUEL. ship Maripesa Saves a Day or

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SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Aug. 12. SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Aug. 12.— The Oceanic Steamship Company's oil burning liner, the Mariposa, arrived yesterday from Tahiti, a day before she was supected, and the record of her voyage shows the wisdom of sub-stituting the liquid fuel for coal as food for her furnaces. She reached port with her paint work fresh and bright and her decks as clean as those of any yacht. Officers and crew were jubilant over the success of the new fuel.

Trip and Co

tuel.

Lieut. W. P. Wenchell, U. S. N., chief engineer of the cruiser Boston, who was detailed by the navy department to accompany the Mariposa on her first voyage on an oil burner, expressed himself as delighted with the

CARLETON'S WATER WOES. There is another break in the cement main on Tower street, Carleton. This is the second in a fortnight. There is no gate where that main connects with the one on Lancaster street and, in consequence, the water has to be shut off a very large part of Carleton to enable the repairs to be made. There is an iron pipe running parallel with the damaged main which is more than capable of doing its work. This main is not connected with any other and no water has flowed though it since it was put there about ten years ago. All that is needed to complete the satisfaction of the residents of that locality is to send the Mill street flying machine over to them on a short visit.

GARTERS AND STOCKINGS.

NEW YORK, Aug. 14.-When the hip La Touraine arrived here last Saturday, three large trunks belonging to a passenger giving the name of S. Babiere of Sacramento, California, were seized by a customs inspector. When the trunks were opened, the inspector found concealed in the linings of old clothing a quantity of silk garters and stockings, lace shawls, ladies' slippers and underwear; cosmetics, cologne, powder puffs, hair tonics and kid gipves. In a beit worn by the man, the authorities found several pieces of valuable fewelry, consisting of diamond rings, cameo brooches, gold watches and pearl pendants. The total value of the articles seized it is believed, will amount ap \$20,000. last Saturday, three large trunks be-

THE CORONATION CHOIR.

The Coronation Choir, comp the leading adult and boy sit the choir which sang at the tion of King Edward at Wes Abbey on the 9th inst., saile day for this country, where it sing one hundred concerts, the continent from Halifax toria, B. C. The great choir heard in St. John, afternoon as heard in St. John, afternoon and evening of Sept. 5th, in the new amusement hall of the Exhibition building.
Beside the leading members of the
Westminster Abbey choir, which was
heard here last spring, this organization contains several new boy singers, one of the finest tenors in London, together with two leading bassos
of the Abbey choir, who have never
before visited this country.

MRS. MARSTEN ARRESTED.

WOODSTOCK, N. B., Aug. 14.-The verdict in the Marsten poisoning case was that the late George M. Marsten came to his death through strychnine poisoning administered by an inmate or inmates of his household.

or inmates of his household.

Acting under instructions from Attorney General Pugsiey, J. R. Murphy, on information being laid against Mrs. Marsten, caused her arrest on a warrant issued by Jarvis S. Law, J. P., of Canterbury. She was arrested by Constable Allen Don of Meductic and admitted to half the state of Meductic on Monday, the Ith Inst.

COLONIAL CONTRRENCE.

LONDON, Aug. 14.—The conference of colonial premiers which Colonial Secretary Chamberlain, with adjourned Aug. 11, reached no agreement as to

retary Chamberisin, with adjourned Aug. 11, reached no agreement as to Canada's contribution to the imperial navy. As special arrangement is contemplated in the case of Canada Australia's share was fixed at \$1,000,000 annually and New Zealand's at

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STEAMERS.
Steamers of the Eastern S. S. Co.
Line, Monday, Wednesday and

Steamers Leaving Indiantown.

Steamer Clifton leaves for Hampton at 3 p. m. every Monday, Wednesday and Saturday.

Leaves Hampton at 5.39 a. m.

Steamer Hampstead runs daily to Wickham, leaving Indiantown at 4 p. m. and Wickham on return at 6 a. m.

Steamer Springfield leaves at 12 noon for Springfield, Head of Belleisle Bay, on Tuesdays and Thursdays, and at 2 p. m. on Saturdays.

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Steamers of the Star line leave at 9.00 a. m.
daily for Fredericton. Returning leave Fredericton 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 Coies' Island. Returning leaves
Coles' Island at 6 a. m. on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays.

The ferryboat E. Ross runs from Indiantown to Miltord, making twenty minute trips
from 6. a. m. until 10.30 p. m.

The stimr. Majestic will leave Indiantown
at 5.30 p. m. daily for Gagetiwn and way
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ST. JOHN MAILS.

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

Mails now close at Post O'fice as follows:
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5.30 a.m.

KINGSTON, Ont., Aug. 14.—Rev. J. Wuirftead, a well known Presby-terian minister, died here today, aged

36, QUEBEC, Aug. 14.—Lt. Col. Kitson, British military attache at Washington, who is at the cita set, the guest of Lord Minto, has received a cable of his appointment as commandant at Sandhurst, which is one ps the most important positions in the British army.

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HIS GREATEST MISTAKE.

CHARLES READE AT WORK.

AWAY WITH SUPERSTITION.

(Springfield Republican.)
What may be called the crowning mercy of the coronation is the heavy blow that event has dealt to the mysterious gypsy, who, according to the story, predicted that Edward would be king, but would not be crowned. Every time a superstition is smisshed the world gets somewhat nearer emancipation from the thraidom of the dark ages.

ACCIDENT TO AN AUTHOR

"She bent her glance upon him,"
The author wrote, and then,
"Alas!" he said, "she cannot look
Straight in his eyes again!"
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MIRACLES

Marvellous Cures Related at Old Orchard Meeting.

How Christian Alliance Folk Overcome Satan-\$45,355

in Collections.

OLD ORCHARD, Aug. 9.-There are two days of Dr. Simpson's Christian Alliance camp meetings, annually held here, that can always be depended on to draw the crowds. One is the Divine ealing day, and the other day of the annual collection for foreign missions.

The former attraction was on this afternoon. Tomorrow the feat of raising thousands for the spread of the gospel in heathen lands will be in order. The attendance at the Divine healing testimony meeting, this afternoon, was not as large as usual. The number of men present was especially small.

In some respects the meeting was not as striking as have been the sessions devoted to the subject of healing in previous years, yet there were a number of remarkable testimonies.

Jesse A. Keen, of Portland, testified that he had been cured, through faith and prayer, of erysipelas of the eyes, when blindness had been predicted as sure to befall him. The Lord had also cured him of attacks of heart trouble, liver disorder, spinal trouble and rheumatism.

Mrs. Spence, of Portland, declared annual collection for foreign missions.

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Mrs. Spence, of Portland, declared that she had been healed by faith of many diseases. When asked by the leader to mention the diseases, she said they were too many to enumerate.

"Give us four or five," suggested Dr. Wilson, and she mentioned dyspepsia, rheumatism, neuralgia and heart trouble.

"The Lord must have given me a new stomach," she declared. "I am perfect-

ly well now."
Mrs. M. J. Townsend, of Portland, 83 Mrs. M. J. Townsend, of Portland, 33 years of age, occupied a seat near the stand. She was there to give testimony of having experienced divine surgery, but her voice being weak, her daughter related the story. Mrs. Townsend fell and her hip was fractured. The doctors told her she would never recover. She declined to allow them to treat her, but looked to the Great Physician, through faith in whom the injury was healed and now she is able to walk quite easily. She has once called a physician to diagnose the case of her grandson, who it was feared might be suffering from a contagious disease, but the fear was removed and he was restored to health without the aid of the doctor.

Miss Florence Atwater of Malden,

but the fear was removed and he was restored to health without the aid of the doctor.

Miss Florence Atwater of Malden, Mass., whose face is familiar at Old Orchard camp meetings, gave this remarkable testimony:

"Eleven years ago the Lord Jesus became my resident physician. Since then I have never been attended by any other physician and have taken not a drop of medicine, not even water medicinally administered. A few weeks ago when I was riding my bleyele Satan had a team coming around the corner to make trouble for me. In some way the horse or wagon collided with my wheel and I was thrown. They told me some of my ribs were broken and that the ligaments of one knee were torn. I refused to accept medical treatment. I heard a voice within me saying 'Kneel.' I knelt on the well knee, and when I got up the other knee was well. My ribs pained me some, but I kept praying and the soreness left age." During the progress of the meeting Miss Atwater came up to the reporters and said she had forgotten an important matter in giving her testimony. "In the collision," saids he, "the pedal-in of my bleyele was badiy bent. I toc. he wheel to a repair shop and was t d that I would probably have to order a pin, as at was almost impossible to be not the pin without breaking it. A new pin would cost 75 cents, and as I wanted to contribute every cent possible to be pared the expense of a new pedal-pin. So I prayed that the Lord would permit the bleyele repairer to strail then the old pin without breaking it. When I went back to the shop the pairer told me he had done a luck job, had straightened the pin without breaking it. A feat that couldn't be performed more than once in a hum and times. I told him it wasn't as much his skill as my prayer and faith the light of the progress of the pin without breaking it. A feat that couldn't be performed more than once in a hum and times. I told him it wasn't as much his skill as my prayer and faith the light of the progress of the pin without breaking it. A feat that couldn't be performed m

luck. job, had straightened the pin without breaking it, a feat that couldn't be performed more than once in a hum red times. I told him it wasn't as much his skill as my prayer and faith that had accomplished the task. I believe in taking God for everything."

M. D. H. Travor, of Saratoga Spri. 28, said that the Lord had removed three cancers from her body. Five years ago the serious nature of her sickness was made known to her. Her hus and told her he didn't believe she could endure an operation, and that she had better enjoy as best she could whetever time was spared her. She decided that she wanted to come to Old Orchard. She came that summer, accepted the Lord as her healer, was anointed and was absolutely healed. There has been no recurrence of the cancers, and her health is excellent.

"What a testimony of God's power and willingness to heal the body," Dr. Wilson remarked. "I want to tell you that I know of this woman's case, and I believe every word she says. Don't you?"

"We do," many shouted.

"Then sing something," the leader suggested, and the congregation joined the platform singers in an Alliance hymn.

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the platform singers in an Alliance hymn.

An elderly woman from Everett, Mass., said she fell and her knee cap was dislocated. She refused medical aid. For a few days she limped about, then fell again and struck the injured knee in such a manner as to restore the dislocated bone. "I guess the Lord had prepared the place for that second fall," she remarked.

In answer to a question, "What shall we do for our children when they are slift." Mrs. Budgell of Chicago, said God had healed her two little sons of serious lilness. One, six years of age, had acute pneumonia. She was in doubt whether to call a physician, but the hoy insisted that he had faith that God would cure him, and they rested the case on the firm faith of the little sufferer, with the result that he recovered.

Many others testified regarding cur rough divine aid. Dr. Wilson, t

tion, three; insanity, one.

An anointing service followed the testimony meeting. It was held in the Tabernacle and was p vate.

OLD ORCHARD, Aug. 10.—Dr. Simpson's missionary collection took place today. The first card handed up contained a pledge for \$15, for the one year's support of an orphan in India, of whom the Alliance is supporting about 1,200. Within five minutes 20 pledges, aggregating \$1,811, had been announced. After ten of twelve pledges had been read Miss Agnew would take her oue and start a hymn, to give the collectors and tally-keepers a chance to catch up.

This method was kept up about an hour. Then an adjournment was taken for dianer. Dr. Simpson announced that the contributions up to the time of adjournment amounted to \$35,591. He said there would doubtless be more in the afternoon. At the afternoon service several foreign missionaries delivered addresses.

At four o'clock Dr. Simpson again took charge, with Dr. Wilson's aid. The latter made an appeal for more pledges for the support 240 of these orphans a year, though he had not the money in sight when he made the pledges. Te had not the slightest doubt that the Lord' would show him the way to redeem his pledge. He expected before long, to take 200 more.

The total contribution had been swelled to \$45,355 when the meeting closed with song and prayer. The largest pledge was for \$5,000; the smallest gift announced was five cents. One person each pledged these amounts: \$3,000, \$2,500, \$1,800, \$1,400, \$1200, \$1100, \$900, \$900, \$450 and \$375. Four persons pledged \$1,500 each; six, \$400 each; inneteen, \$300 each; six, \$400 each; nineteen, \$300 each; six, \$400 e

For a particularly choice quality of tea try a 50 or 60c, package of Red Rose.

RULED CORSETS OUT.

Girls in Roumanian Schools Are For-bidden to Wear Them.

SPORTING NEWS.

Dan Patch Did a Mile in 2.00%, Equalling His Record—Best Sport of the Year.

NEW YORK, Aug. 14.—Seven thousand spectators today saw a splendid series of contests at Brighton Beach, in which the best trotting and pacing records for the season in faces were 1 trots. It is season in faces were 1 the season back of the season in faces were 1 the Monk, trotting 2.07, and Dan Patch, pacing 2.03%. The fastest time of the season made against the watch by Dan Patch, 2.00%, was duplicated.

It was the gala day for the Grand Circuit meeting, and but for a rather stiff breeze the pacing record might have gone.

A Veteran Yankee Driver Fined \$100.

WORCESTER, Mass., Aug. 15.—This was favorited day at the races of the Worcester Driving Park Company, and three of the good things picked to win were right.

The sensation of the day was sprung in the 2.15 pace, in which Charles Doblo, drived first time in his 32 years of driving that Doble was punished for any wreng-doing, and he declares he was innocent.

ST JOHN, Aug 14-Ard, str Penobscot,

British Ports British Ports.

MANCHESTER, Aug 13—Ard, str Peerless, from St John, NB.
GLASGOW, Aug 14—Ard, str Atbura, from Rimouski.
LONDON, Aug 14—Ard, str Caledonian, from Boston.
LIVERPOOL, Aug 14—Ard, str Saxonia,

MERSEY, Aug 13—Ard, bark Eda, from

CASTELLAMARE, Aug 10-Ard, bark New York from Bangor via Messina.

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Domestic Ports.

HALIFAX, NS, Aug 14—Ard, US S Essex, from Portland; schs Bahama, from Antigua; Opbella, from New York.
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Sld, US battleship Indiana, for Newport; British cruisers Arladne and Inderfatigubale, for St Johns, NF; str Livonian, for Philadelphia.

from Pictou, NS, NB. GARSTON, Aug 14-Ard, bark Gler, from

York from Bangor via Messina.

Foreign Ports.

PORTLAND, Me, Aug 14—Ard, sch Laura
C Hall, from River Hebert, NS.
Sid, sch C M Bird, for Windsor, NS.
NEW YORK, Aug 14—Ard, bark Stewiacke, from Ship Harbor, NS.
CITY ISLAND, Aug 14—Bound south, schs
Ernest T Lee, from Calais, Me; H B Homan,
from Hillsbore, NB.
PHILADELPHIA Aug 14—Ard, sch Rose

Ernest T Lee, from Caiais, age; 1: D towns. from Hillsboro, NB.
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S o'clock.

A meeting of the joint committee on Labor Day parade will be held tonight in Labor Hall, Oddfellows' building.

On Sept. 1st, J. S. Ford will take charge of the organ of the Mission church of S. John Baptist, Paradise row. The church is to be compartulated on securing Mr. Ford's valuable services.

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Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Pyne wish to thank their friends for their great kindness during their recent bereavement, particularly the members of the Log Cabin. Club and the gentlemen from the city who worked so hard in the search for the body.

On Wednesday evening the congregation of the Waterloo street Baptist church decided to send word to their pastor, Rev. C. T. Phillips, who is at Grand Lake, to take a fortnight's rest. A raspberry and ice cream social given under the auspices of the Carmarthen street Methodist church Ladies' Aid Spolety at the residence of E. M. Robertson last evening, was a great success.

Miss Edith Gerda McLeod and Edward Stanley Watters were united in marirage by Rev. Alex. White last evening at the residence of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bethel McLeod, Rockland Road. The bridesmaid was Miss Louise Watters, and the groomsman James M. Mowry.

Tug Lillie left last night for Bar Harbor, where she will become a tender to the yacht Cleona, which is owned by George Builock of New York. The yacht will visit several places along the coast and then come to St. John. The Lillie's contract is for ten days' work.

After the annual inspection of the

W YORK, Aug. 15, (Wall street.)—The market opened active and firm where hearing and union Pacific the deuous features. There were simulationally and the street of the str

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After the annual inspection of the Fusiliers yesterday, Colonel Gordon and Colonel Wadmore spoke very highly of the manner in which the men acquitted themselves in all the different movements. These two officers were entertained at dinner at the Union Club last evening.

The clerks in the employ of T. Mc-Avity & Sons made a call Wednesday night upon Charles Coster, who has been with that firm for 25 years, at his home in Carleton. They presented Mr. Coster with a handsome Morris chair. There was a round of speeches and a very pleasant evening was spent by all.

The congregation of the Church of the Assumption, Carleton, held a very enjoyable picnic at the Bay Shore yesterday. There were the usual sports and a good set of refreshment tables. The evening passed pleasantly with music and dancing and one more was added to the score of Rev. Father O'Donovan's successes.

KRUGER'S ADVICE UNHEEDED.

KRUGER'S ADVICE UNHEEDED. Boer Generals Will Visit England and Meet the King.

LONDON, Aug. 13.—The arrival next Saturday from South Africa, whence they sailed July 30, of Generals Botha, De Wet and Delarey, promises to be the occasion of another struggle between Boer and Briton. The colonial office has made special arrangements for the reception of the visiting Boers at Southampton. The naval review will be in progress when the Boers arrive, and after their reception by distinguished colonial office authorities, Lord Kitchener and other prominent persons, they will be conducted on board the steamer chartered for the use of the colonial premiers to witness the naval review. It is expected that Colonial Sec. Chamberlain will be on board the steamer. The Boer leaders will spend Saturday night on board this vessel and Sunday they will be received by King Edward on board the royal yacht and in the presence of a number of distinguished personages. The arrival in England of the Boer generals will doubtless be the prelude to another round of lionizing like that experienced by the late Gen. Lucas Meyer should the generals decide to stay in England; but, according to The Hague corerspondent of the Transvaal and his party are equally anxious to prevent Generals Botha, De Wet and Delarey from landing in England. Members of the Kruger party have sent urgent letters and telegrams to Madeira in an effort to dissuade the generals from accepting British pospitality. It is proposed to send a Dutch vessel to intercept them, according to the correspondent, and, in any case, Messrs. Wolmerans, Fisher and Wessels will go to Southampton with that intention. LONDON, Aug. 13.—The arrival next "The mistake of my life." said the reminiscent man, "was when I was selling patent medicines in Russia. One day the trended a review of a crack regard, and suddenly core; the was worth. In a trice I had my sample case open and was trying to sell the commissary a carload of my anti-grip pellets when he rudely informed me that the troops were only halling with delight the arrival of General Akachoochebedooski."—Judge. A friend once called on Charles Reade and found him sitting at his deak placidly smilling, while with great precision and deal liberation he inscribed his thoughts on a sheet of foolsesp in a large schools of the state of the

A TRYING ORDEAL.

able Girl in Tunis.

The marriageable girl in Tunis has a

The marriageable girl in Tunis has a trying ordeal to go through after her betrothal to theman not of her choice, but whose choice she is. She has to be fattened to the required size before the ceremony can take place.

As soon as the betrothal takes place she is taken to a room and there cooped up till the fattening process is concluded. Silver shackles are fastened round her waist and ankles, and the task of her parents and future husband is to increase her bulk till her wrists and ankles fill up the shackles. If the husband is a widower or has "discharged" his first wife, the girl has the shackles of the first spouse placed on her, and she must fill them out.

out.

It takes a long time to do this as a rule, and sometimes it cannot be accomplished in spite of all efforts. It is then open to the future husband to cry off the bargain or waive the condition. In the case of a bachelor he takes care to see that the bracelets and anklets are not too large—that is, if he is fond of the girl—but if he is being forced into the marriage by his parents, he is a great stickler for custom. Stout sirls are the more quickly snapped up in Tunis.—Pictorial Magazine.

A GENTLE HINT.

Lenders—Do you ever think of that "ten spot" you horrowed of me?

Berroughs—Don't worry. I still have it in mind.

Lenders—Don't you think it about time you relieved your mind?—Exchange.

"The paper was here to stay," writes a Georgia editor, "but it accidentally made money enough to leave."—Atlantic Constitu-

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MR. TARTE'S PROMISES

(Hamilton Spectator.) If the dominion government expends

one-tenth of the money promised by Mr. Tarte during his present voyage, the country will be bankrupt. THE SOLACE SEEKER. July is hot. I shall not scold

Nor say it is unjust,
But hall the heat that's not controlled

NO DANGER.

Say, Mandy, hadn't you better take in them towels you hev out than hangn't th' clothesline Some tramp'll come tlong an' steal them.
Shucks. Who ever heard o' a tramp tealin' towels?—Baltimore News.

PITHY POINTS.

If ignorance is bilss most of the world is delsiously happy.

Naturally the amy side of life is often discussed in the sewing circle.—
Baltimore News.

NOT SO VERY HIGH.

"I have been told," said the new pat-lent, "that you are the highest au-thority on appendicitis."
"Oh! I don't know." replied the em-inent surgeon. "I only charge \$1,000 per operation."

HONESTY.

If honesty is the best policy in business, it is also the best policy when one has done wrong and is confronted with the question whether he shall confess everything frankly or make excuses. A transparent excuse is worse than none at all.



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THE WAY OF THE FRONTIER.

The way of civilization in a new land passes comprehension. Its motto seems to be "Ruin first; there is time afterwards to save." Civilization is a good deal like a wild, full blooded boy—it must first sow wild oats, waste its patrimony, disgrace its antecedents; then it is ready to begin the serious work of life. That has been the history of of life. That has been the history of the range country—switt ruin for thirty or forty years, with a resulting wreck that it will require a century of hard work, perseverance and self control to save.—Ray Stannard Baker in Cen-

GENERAL INFORMATION.

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Can a saw buck?—St. Joseph News.
Certainly. Ever hear a ginger snap?

Topeka Capital.
Yep. Ever see a bed spring?—Kansas City Journal.
Of course. Can a rall fence?—New York World.
To be sure. And wouldn't a railroad tie? How would a crash suit?—Baltimore American.
First rate, But isn't the weather vane?—Philadelphia Telegraph.
Rather, Was it a banana peel that made the night fall?—Chicago Record-Herald.

And how does Long Island Sound?—Springfield Union.
As 4f the sea-side.—Worcester Spy.

Recently a girl in a public school was asked by her teacher to explain the difference between the words balance and remainder Her answer was: "You can say 'a man lor his balance and fell,' but you cannot say 'his remainder and fell.'"

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

LOCAL NEWS.

The yacht Scienda, with a St. John party on board is at Portland, Me., for a few days.

The funeral of George C., the little son of D. J. Brown took place this afternoon from the parents' residence 119 Leinster street.

Edmund Duffy and Lawrence Mc-Aleer have been reported for playing ball on Erin street last Sunday and incidentally breaking windows.

Great mark down sale of all summer goods at F. R. Patterson's all day Sat-urday. See ad, on page 4 of this paper tonight. Store open till 11 o'clock.

Dr. Roy McGrath, who recently graduated at McGill, was in Moncton on Wednesday and left last night for Fredericton, where he will locate.

The editors of the Fredericton Her-ald and Gleaner are engaged in a per-sonal quarrel, in which each fiercely denounces the other. To accept either of them at the other's estimate would be to make a risky bargain.

The City Cornet Band excursion to Watters' Landing on Saturday afternoon promises to be another success. The steamers Majestic and Victoria will leave at 2 and 4 p. m. Refreshments, games and dancing are on the programme

THE NEGRO PROBLEM.

Dr. A. B. Walker's Book to be Issued in a Few Months.

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Dr. A. B. Walker's book on the Negro Problem and How to Solve it, is now in the publisher's hands, and will probably be issued in the course of a couple of months. On this work Dr. Walker has been engaged for the last twenty-five years, in his spare moments, and it is practically the result of his life's work and investigation in this subject.

On its publication it is Dr. Walker's intention to remove to London, England, where he will practice his profesion and at the same time interest those in authority in his scheme of African colonization.

THE COURTS.

Argument in the case of Roberts v. Steamer Pawnee was heard in admiralty case this morning. H. H. McLean, K. C., for the plaintiff. C. J. Coster, K. C., for the defendant. Court considers.

ers.

In the case of Thomas J. Murray v. Robert v. deBury and Madame deBury, security for costs was ordered by Judge McLeod. Hanlington & Hanlington for the plaintiff; C. J. Coster for Madame deBury and J. H. A. L. Fairweather for R. V. deBury.

In probate court letters of guardianship of the person and estate of Helen Beck, an infant, were granted to Anna M. Beck, the mother. The estate consists of \$201.66. T. P. Pegan, proctor.

SALVATION ARMY.

Major Turner, P. O. of Montreal, will conduct a very special revival service at the Charlotte street barracks tonight. He will be assisted by Brigader Sharp, Staff Capitaln Howell, Adjutant and Mrs. Kendall, Adjutant and Mrs. Turpin, head quarters staff officers and the Evangelic Quartette, who are doing a series of special revival services at the Charlotte street barracks. All the city corps will unite. Major Turner is a fluent, fearless and forcible exponent of righteousness and a real treat is in store for all attending tonight.

THE HUSSARS CAMP.

The 8th Hussars have bee commencing September 16. Three hundred and fifty men will be affected by the order. The regiment will be inspected by Lieut.-Col. Lessard, C. B.

THE LAKE SUPERIOR.

One of the pumps used by the operators who are endeavoring to take off the Lake Superior has been broken and it was found necessary to send to Boston for a couple more. These are expected here any time and those at work are confident that next week the steamer will be removed from her present position. As soon as she is taken off the vessel will be taken to Boston.

DIED A PAUPER.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 15.—Carl Freiderick Williband Peter Mosbrugger of Baden died last Monday at the county alms house. He was to have been burled in the potter's field, but a telegram from a cousin to the Rev. Mr. Vogel of the Swiss church here, provided for his suitable burlal. Mogbrugger ten years ago was one of the world's most famous tenors. At Berlin, at St. Petersburg, at Paris and at Moscow, he made his mark. For the time he was a favorite of the crowned heads.

THE DEATH ROLL.

ITHACA, N. Y., Aug. 15.—Roy H. Smith, the founder and principal owner of the Ithaca gun works, died at his home here today of cancer of the stomach. He was 56 years old and had been ill nearly a year.

POLICE COURT.

/agrants Will Get Six Months-Magistrate Ritchie's Plain Talk.

The police court was again filled this morning with spectators anxious to see and hear the prisoners. Higgins and Goodspeed. But the preliminary trial of these boys was not taken up, and will not be until Tuesday of next week. On the regular docket were two pris-

John Mitchell pleaded guilty of being drunk on Brussels street. He was remanded until further information could be obtained concerning his habits. The magistrate expresses his intention of cing all men who are idle, and vagrant in jail for six months. This statute has not been enforced for som

rant in jail for six houting, this six tute has not been enforced for some time past on account of the croyded state of the jail, but now the new wing is ready for occupancy and those incurring the six months' penalty are liable to find rooms in this building. There are already two prisoners remanded awaiting this sentence. Peter Britt was arrested on Pond street for wandering around and not being able to give a satisfactory account of himself. The magistrate in this case emphasized the right of the police to demand the reason for any person being on the street after nine o'clock at night, and on their inability to give a satisfactory account of their presence there to bring them to the police court. Such a course, if carried out in its entirety, the magistrate said, might prevent such crimes as had been committed of late. Mr. Britt was remanded.

DEATH OF T. J. LEGERE.

One of the oldest residents of Legere's Corner, near Moncton, Thaddle J. Legere, died at that place yesterday morning, aged 83 years. He was the father of Henry T. Legere, with whom he lived. He leaves beside his son, a widow and four daughters; Sister Mary Justine, St. Vincent's Convent, St. John; Mrs. W. M. Laird and Miss Josephine, Boston, and Agnes at home.

LITTLE GIRLS' HOME

We acknowledge with many thanks the following donations received by secretary of L. G. H:—J. Clarke and Arthur Schofield, \$1 each; L. L., \$2; Mrs. Perryman, \$5; Mrs. G. L. Barbour, \$2; Mrs. Perryman, \$5; Mrs. G. L. Barbour, \$2; Mrs. Puddington, \$1; proceeds of sale held by Miss Alice Isaacs and Miss May Pettingell, \$1.78. M. A. Hutchings, 236 King street.

PERSONAL

Mrs. R. T. Clinch has arrived from England and is staying with her sister, Miss Barlow, at 16 Wellington Row.

The Misses Lillian and Mary Nicholson of Fredericton are visiting friends in St. John.

His Lordship Bishop Casey is here today, the guest of Rev. Father Carney, and will return to St. John tomornow morning.—Fredericton Herald, Wednesday.

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C. J. Brandenburg and wife of Arling-ton Heights are visiting Mrs. C. H. Jackson, Hospital street.

RELIGIOUS ORDERS.

French Sisters Prefer United States -Pope Suggests Canada.

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ROME, Aug. 15.—Members of the religious orders expelled from France, especially sisters, are applying to the Vatican authorities for permission to settle in the United States. Several of them have come to Rome personally to urge their requests. A reply has ben sent to them pointing out that there are no vacancies in the United States and the difficulty arising from the fact that the expelled sisters do not speak English. Canada has been suggested as a better field, as sisters are comparatively scarce there, and because French is spoken in a large area of the dominion. The applicants, however, did not take kindly to the suggestion and persist in their requests to go to the United States.

AGAINST SYMPATHETIC STRIKES

CHICAGO, Aug. 15 .- Teamsters and CHICAGO, Aug. 15.—Teamsters and their employers, in separate meetings last night, decided to abolish the sympathetic strike from the teaming industry. The employers at a down town hotel combined to fight the sympathetic strike and the teamsters, at their headquarters, agreed that in the future such action could not be taken unless sanctioned by a two-thirds vote of the joint executive committee of all the locals. The disastrous results of the recent strike by the freight handlers and packing house teamsters brought both parties to a realization of the evils of the sympathetic strike.

BRITISH POSTAL SERVICE.

LONDON, Aug. 15.—The annual report of the postmaster general shows that the large total of \$3,375,000 was found in letters undelivered during the past year. The undelivered letters totalled no less than ten millions, while the delivered missives amounted to 2,451,500,000, an average of 58,9 for each person in the United Kingdom. The pastmaster general also reports that fresh experiments with motor cars showed that they cannot be relied upon to carry heavy loads of mail matter with the same regularity as wagons drawn by horses.

UNSATISFACTORY.

"You should be a little more explicit in your statements," said the editor to he new reporter as he glanced over each of copy. "Here you say that he Hon. J. Edward Cashly, who has een under the care of three physicians during the past ten days, is now ut of danger." "Well, isn't that plain enough?" questioned the new pencil pusher. "Certainly not," replied the autocrat of the sanctum. "How is the uninitiated reader to know whether the Hon. Edward is on the high road to readovery or dead and out of reach of the here physicians?"—Chicago News.

After solemnly promising to abstain from commenting on the Deaf and Dumb enquiry, or taking an advantage of the knowledge gained by having members of its staff present at the inquiry, the Telegraph this morning made a most violent attack on the Messrs. Woodbridge and Powers, and concluded as follows:

"It would not take long for the public to decide from the evidence in our possession, taken under oath at this investigation, that the officials in question would be more at home in Dorchester penitentiary than in a school for the education of helpless deaf children."

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Other newspapers are not permitted to attend the hearings, or see the "evidence taken under oath" which the Telegraph says it has in its possession. Other papers and the public at large have no information on the subject of the enquiry. The course pursued by the Telegraph is the most extraordinary ever adopted by any paper in Canada. The Star declared some time ago that Commissioner Barry should either muzzle the Telegraph or give other papers permission to attend the enquiry. It appears to be necessary to repeat the statement.

THE ARTILLERY TARGETS

Which Are to Be Used in the Coming

Competition.

The targets to be used at the artillery competition to be held here about the first of September are now practically completed and await the official visit of the inspector. There are office of them now on the Queen's wharf. The base of most of them consists of a solid wooden platform, with raised sides and sloping ends, about thirteen feet long by six and a half feet wide. Uprights, with a cross bar, about six feet high will hold the target proper which is made of canvas. Two or three of the bases consist simply of a plank centerplece with outriggers fastened from either side by iron rods. The uprights on these are practically the same as the others. Arrangements are made so that these targets may be towed through the water. The entire work on them was done here in town by Haley Bros.

WEDDING BELLS.

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A very pretty marriage took place at Campbellton on Tuesday night, at the home of the bride's sister when Rettle Holmes, formerly of Moncton, but now of Philadelphia, was married to Miss Florence M. Blair.

The marriage of David A. Taylor of Campobello, N. B., and Miss Elizabeth A. Harris of Bangor, occurred Tuesday evening at 69 Maple street, Bangor, the ceremony being performed by Rev.

evening at 69 Maple street, Bangor, the ceremony being performed by Rev. Elmer F. Pember of the Universalist church in the presence of relatives and intimate friends of the young people. George Rogers of Grand Lake and Miss Mary M. Sprague were united in marriage at the Free Baptist parsonage, Fredericton, Tuesday evening by Rev. F. Clarke Hartley.

Geo. W. Griffith of Andover and Miss Florence G. McMulley, daughter, of

Gep. W. Griffith of Andover and Miss Florence G. McMullen, daughter of John McMullen of Magaguadavic, were married at All Saints church in the latter place, by Rev. Mr. Montgomery, rector of Springhill.

A CASE OF DESTITUTION.

Last evening the attention of Officer Hamm was drawn to a pitiful case of destitution in the family of John Tait, on the Westmorland road. The father is unable to work, through iil health, and the mother is in the hospital with typhoid fever. When the officer entered the house last night, he found the four small children almost starving. Their needs were temporarily supplied, but something should be done to give permanent help. Last evening the attention of Officer

A NEW USE. The penny-in-the-slot gum machines have been used in many ways, but an old gentieman in the north end the other day beat the record for using one of them as a letter box. He first endeavored to get the epistle through the aperture where the cents of the unwary go, and this being found impossible, he finally put the letter safely into the box by way of the opening through which the sum occasionally comes. It was found there when the machine was emptied.

HE WON'T DO IT AGAIN Yesterday an energetic vendor of the Star approached two ladies, saying, "Star! All about the revolver being found." "Oh, it's found, is it? Well, that's all right," said one lady and

moved on.

A decided look of defeat spread over
the face of the boy, and as he returned to a couple of his pals he was heard
to remark, "Well, I'll be darned if i
tell anyone else that it's found."

SOLD HIS WIFE FOR \$150.

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HOMESTEAD, Pa., Aug. 14.—The story of the sale of a wife was brought out in a hearing before Burgess J. Clyde Miller yesterday. Mrs. Mary Rhoda, a handsome young woman, was sold by her husband, Andy Rhoda, to Steve Kowash for \$150. Kowash boarded with the Rhodas and last week the sale was made. Rhoda took the money and left, but yesterday returned for his trunk. When he appeared at the house Kowash told him that he rued his bargain and wanted his money back. Rhoda refused to return it and a fight followed. The men were arrested, but the burgess could see no way to settle the matter. The woman says she is satisfied with either of the men.

STEEL SYNDICATES PROFITS.

(Brooklyn Eagle.)

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Members of the underwriting sydicate of the United States Steel Corporation are reported to have received a third dividend of 5 per cent. on the amount of their underwriting, which was \$200,000,000. This represents a total profit on the underwriting of 15 per cent., or \$30,000,000. The syndicate was called upon to pay in only \$25,000,000, which was returned some time ago, so that the profit figures 120 per cent. of the actual investment, or a total yield to date of 220 per cent.

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HE NEVER SPOKE AGAIN.

riloquist, now famous, but at the tim walk between the cities where he was to appear. On one of these tours he came to Philadelphia on foot, and on the road he picked up a miserable little dog "because it looked so much like he felt." The story will explain what became of the dog, says the Philadelphia Times.

The first house he came to was a saloon, and, of course, he wanted a drink. He had no money, but went in anyhow to see what he could do. The proprietor, a German, said:

"Well, what will you have?"

He said, "Ill take a little whisky," and then, turning to the dog, he asked:

"What will you have?"

"I'll take a ham sandwioh."

The German was so surprised he almost fainted. He loked at the dog a moment and then asked:

"What did you say?"

"I said a ham sandwich."

Hans thought it wonderful that a dog should be able to talk, and asked who had drained him, how long it had taken, etc., and wound up with:

"How much you take for him?"

"Oh," said Mr. Ventriloquist, "I wouldn't sell him at any price, but I am a little hard up now, and if you will lend me \$50 I'll leave him with you till I bring the money.

"All right," said Hans. "I just want him for a little while, so I can show him to some smart people I know around here."

So everything was settled, the money paid, etc., and as the ventriloquist walk between the cities where he was to appear. On one of these tours he

went out he turned and waved his land to the dog and said:
"Well, good by, Jack. I'll come lack soon."

soon." "You mean son-of-a-gun, to sell me for \$10 after all I've done for you! So help me Moses, I'll never speak an ther word as long as I live!" And he didn't.

DONKEYS IN MEXICO.

There are two classes of donleys in Mexico—one with four feet and the other with two. Each is a kind of competitor of the other. Sometimes they are partners, They are both bearers of burdens and the subjects of brutality. Everywhere you see the donkey loaded down with sacks of ore, baskets of dirt, cans of milk, sacks of water, and you find his driver very often loaded in the same way. These combinations sometimes go two by two, and sometimes there will be a band of ten to fifty thus loaded, coming down the mountains with ore, charcoal or wood, corn or whatever may be needed in the villages or cities. It is indeed a mediaeval life in middle and southern Mexico.

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