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AFTER TEDDY.

Clergyman Denounces Roosevelt's Sporting Pursuits.

Says the President's Mission on Earth Seems to be to Kill Something.

SARATOGA, N. Y., Sept. 10—Rev. E. T. Hiscox, pastor of the Regent Street Baptist church, took pocasion Sunday morning to condemn Pres. Roosevelt in language that could not be misunderstood. His sermon was on The Pleasures of Man, His Pursuits and His Desires.

"It seems," said Dr. Hiscox, "that this man who is occupying the office of chief executive of this great nation has an insatiable desire to kill something. If it is not a war with a hostile nation, it is some of the beasts of the field. No matter what it is, he seems to think that his mission on earth is to kill something.

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"He is teaching a lesson that to fight is manly. Take for instance, his address to the West Point cadets. It is well enough to be able to protect one's self, but knowing how to fight should not be the main thing taught in life.

"How different from our ancestors, who went into the woods to secure sustenance for their families! They brought down only enough game to satisfy the cravings of hunger, while Theodore Ropsevelt, the president of the greatest nation on earth, as soon as he hears his son has killed a few birds—and incidentally nearly killed a man—must make preparations to go also and slay.

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"And for what? Not to sustain life, not for the betterment of the people of which he is the chief executive, but solely for the one purpose of satisfying his desire to kill something.

It is not in keeping with the dignity of a president to be running all over the country shooting some living creature. Note the satisfaction with which he brought down the first boar, the intense gratification that it gave him to say that he had killed a boar.

"I have heard it said by people who have met him that it would not surprise them if we should wake up any morning and find ourselves at war with some nation whose actions were not in exact accordance with the Roosevelt ideas, and from his propensity to destroy life is not very hard to imagine that this his estimate of the man is a correct one.

The president of the United States, I think, should surround his office with all the dignity that he possibly can, and turn his energy into channels which will lead to the betterment of his fellow men."

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Rev. Dr. Hiscox is regarded as one of the bright ministers in northern New York, and is not a sensationalist in any sense. He has been a Hepublican for years and is respected and revered by chergy and laity alike. He is a classmate and personal friend of Edward M. Shepard, who was the Democratic candidate for mayor in New York.

A PRINCE IN TROUBLE.

The Name of Braganza in London Police Record.

Police Record.

LONDON, Sept. H.—The grand jury in the Old Bailey today returned a true bill against Prince Francis Joseph of Braganza, (a lieutenant in the Seventh Austrian Hussars and who was a member of the Austro-Huhgarian mission to the coronation of King Edward) charged with "misconduct under the criminal law amendment."

The hearing of the charges brought against Prince Francis Joseph of Braganza and other men took place in the Southwark police court early in July, and attracted much attention. Sir Edward Clark, the former solicitor general, defended the prince. The prosecutor altered the charge from "Felony" to "Misconduct under the criminal law amendment." Sir Edward intimated that the defence would be conspiracy to rob and blackmail. Strict secrecy was observed by the court officials regarding the exact nature of the cials regarding the exact nature of the charges.

COLOMBIAN REBELLION.

Government Gunboat Will Fit Out at San Francisco.

SAN FRANCISCO. Sept. 11.— The steamer Jecsie Banning, under charter to the Colombian government, as a gunboat, is to take on her armament in this port, and this vessel will sail south with a large cargo of arms and ammunition. Collector Stratton says that in the absence of any instructions to the contrary to the officials at Washington, the steamer will be allowed to land and to take on the munitions of war now lying at the wharf. The Colombian insurgents have not been recognized by this government.

WENT BACK TO DEATH.

NEW YORK, Sept. 11.—Mrs. Mary Fraser was found dead under a bed in her apartments, early this morning, an hour after a fire had been extinguished in the building. Soon after the fire started Mrs. Fraser was rescued from a fire escape in front of her window. It is supposed that she was returning to her rooms to secure her valuables and was suffocated by smoke. The money loss by fire was small.

TO ENTER A CONVENT.

QUEENSTOWN, Sept. 11.—The White Star line steamer Oceanic which salled from Queenstown today for New York, has among her passengers thirty Irlsh postulants who are to enter a convent at Galveston, Texas.

FREDERICTON.

Frouble Between Doctors Over Alleged Smallpox Cases (Special to the Star.)

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FREDERICTON, Sept. 11.—Several weeks ago two or three houses at Penniac, six miles from Fredericton, were quarantined on order of Dr. Fisher, secretary of the Provincial Board of Haith, being suspected of cases of smallpox. Dr. Harry McNaily, of this city, who was physician for one family quarantined, contended there was no smallpox and he secured another physician and together they went into the house and examined the patient. Fisher has now laid a complaint against McNaily for breaking quarantine and interfering with health officers in the discharge of their duties. McNaily will fight the case and has reasted counsel. The case will come becree police magistrate Marsh Friday morning.

ONTARIO CONSERVATIVES.

Whitney Says Ross Government Cannot Last Six Months.

(Special to the Star.)
TORONTO, Sept. 11.—The annual meeting of the Ontario Conservative Association was held here yesterday afternoon, about three hundred members being present. J. P. Whitney, provincial opposition leader, was present and delivered a speech in the course of which he declared the present Ontario government could not possibly remain in power six months longer. Leading supporters of the government in Toronto and elsewhere, he proceeded, were looking for the resignation of the government in a very short time. Should that not occur, however, he was certain the conservatives would carry a sufficient number of bye-elections to defeat the government.

The old officers were re-elected with J. J. Foy, K. C. M. P. P. nresident (Special to the Star.)

THE COAL STRIKE.

Operators Say That No Concessions Will Be Granted.

LAMAQUA, Pa., Sept. 11.—Officials of the Lehigh Coal and Navigation Co., the Philadelphia and Reading Coal and Iron Company, and the Pennsylvania Coal Company scout the idea of concessions being granted the striking miners. They say that if a settlement is made it must be on the basis of unconditional surrender on the part of the strikers. These officials all claim to be in close touch with President Baer and say they know what they are talking about, A committee of citizens representing the People's Alliance left here for Harrisburg today where they will hold a conference with Governor Stone.

MARCONI

Says He Can Send Wireless Messages Over the Atlantic.

ROME, Sept. 11.—Marconi, in an interview published here, declares he has completely solved the problem of sending wireless messages over a distance of more than 1,500 miles and that he is confident that communication between Europe and America will be established in the near future. He is to visit King Victor Emanuel at Racconigi, Pledmont, Sept. 14.

THE METHODISTS

Extend Pastoral Term and Will Have Temperance Organizer.

(Special to the Star.)

WINNIPEG, Sept. 11.—Two more important forward steps were taken by the Methodist general conference yesterday—a decision to appoint a field secretary for temperance and moral reform, and fixing, without restrictions, of the pastoral term at four years instead of three, with privilege of five under certain conditions. The decision to appoint a temperance organizer was almost unanimous.

THE TOBACCO WAR.

(Special to the Star.)

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WINDSOR, Sept. 11—The royal commission appointed to investigate the operation of the American Tobacco Co. in Canada, concluded its session here yesterday, adjourning to meet in London tomorrow. The results of the investigation thus far seem to substantiate the charges made by Canadlan dealers that the American Tobacco Co, requires its consignees to sign a contract promising to handle no other goods than its own.

THE WHEAT FIELDS

(Special to the Star.) WINNIPEG, Sept. 11.—Weather cool and windy, but not sufficiently so to interfere with harvesting operations or threshing. The farmers are jubilant over the outlook, and wheat is expected to move in good quantities by Saturday.

DEADLY CHOLERA.

CAIRO, Sept. 11.—The weekly cholera returns for Egypt show that there have been 1,380 fresh cases reported, making totals since July 15 of 20,328 cases and 16,209 deaths.

THE WEATHER.

WASHINGTON, D. C. Sept 11—Fore ast, eastern states and northern New York—Fair tonight, warmer in interry; Friday, fair, cooler in west portion, ariable winds.

GOT BY FRAUD.

The Late President of the Louisiana Lottery,

Left a Large Fortune and His Wife Cheated the Other

CHICAGO, Sept. 11.—A special to the grand jury has returned an indictment against Mrs. Rose Blanche Dauphin, widow of Maximilian Dauphin, formerly president of the Louisiana State lottery. Mrs. Dauphin is said to be ill in or near New Orleans. Mr. Dauphin, who was president of the Louisiana Lottery Co., died in 1891. His estate was inventoried at \$100,000, his widow and a friend being executors. There were other heirs, including Dauphin's mother. The estate was settled up, the heirs were paid their share and the widow and legatees came into possession of the rest of the property. Eleven years after the settlement, among the effects of Judge Porche, who had been Mrs. Dauphin's lawyer in the probate case, an old, badly worn paper was found, giving a list of a large number of bonds which apparently formed part of the Dauphin estate, but which had not figured in the inventory. Mrs. Dauphin was called on to explain. She failed to appear before a Louisiana court, but piece by piece the trouble buried for 11 years was brought to light. Dauphin had kept his money and securities in a box in his room and was a much-wealther man than many supposed. From the box his widow, it is charged, had removed and secreted \$214,000 in securities and \$40,000 in cash. In order to cover up her work she is alleged to have sold the bonds, invested and re-invested the money in new securities so that there is no trace to be found of it. She kept no bank account and frequently had \$100,000 on her person in \$1,000 bills. Judge Lazarus, counsel for the heirs, succeeded in tracing every bond through more than 12 years. The judge awarded judgment against Mrs. Dauphin for \$388,066.

CAMP SUSSEX.

Yesterday's Events and Lord Dundonald's Remarks.

SUSSEX, Sept. 10.—Camp Sussex opened today with a drowning rain, but in spite of the weather officers and non-commissioned officers turned out for drill and inspection under command of Lord Dundonald.

Lord Dundonaid.

The 12th and 13th Brigades formed in column of sections and the brigades were separately addressed by his lord-ship, after which the officers were given a lecture on the different kinds of arms and field fortifications by Capt. Symonds. The non-coms. were lectured on the same subject by Capt. Uniacke, R. C. R.

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Practical lessons were given in trenching in the aftermon. Lectures were given by Major Hewett on skirmishing and by Col. McLeam.
The orders for tomorrow were read to the 12th Brigade by Col. J. R. Armstrong, brigade major.

Medical inspection is being rapidly carried on by Surgeon Lt.-Col. Bridges.
Permanent police have been appointed to patrol the village and prevent any loafing or disorderly conduct on the part of the soldlers.

Lord Dundonald in his remarks intimated that next year the whole militia force would be called out. He regretted the scareity of drill books, but was satisfied that the officers and noncoms. of the division would assist in making this camp a camp of instruction, and that the experience here would be of benefit to the entire militia represented.

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A deluge of rain prevented the day's programme from being carried out in

COKE \$12 PER TON.

Small Foundries in Chicago Th ened With Ruin.

CHICAGO, Sept. II.—The price of coke in Chicago has jumped up this week to the unprecedented figure of \$12 and \$13 a ton. One consequence of the advance is that small foundries are threatened with ruin, or at least, with being forced to close down until prices shall drop.

Even at this advanced price, however, all orders cannot be supplied. This is due to the same cause that explains, in part the car famine that has existed for some time. Dealers say the railroads are diverting cars which otherwise would be used for coal, to the meat, produce and grain traffic, which is exceedingly heavy and which pays better than hauling fuel.

BATTLESHIP AGROUND.

NEW YORK, Sept. II.— The United States battleship Iowa, flagship of Rear Admiral Summer, commanding the South Atlantic station, has run aground near Cape Nossa Senhora des Lesterro on the Island of Milp, cables the Herald correspondent at Rio Janeiro. The Brazilian minister of marine has ordered a warship to 20 to the aid of the Iowa.

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DETECTIVE RING'S FUNERAL.

The body of the late John Ring was brought to the city from Moncton on, the Quebec express at one o'clock today. It was accompanied by Mr.s Ring and family and John Sutton, jr., of Moncton.

The funeral, which took place from the depot shortly after the arrival of the train was year, lorgely extended.

the depot shortly after the arrival of the train was very largely attended. Among the mourners were many of the police department officilas, employes of the I. C. R. and others with whom Mr. Ring had been connected. The pall-bearers were chosen from among the members of Branch 134, C. M. B. A., and were Count DeBury, Ald, McGoldrick, Hon. R. J. Ritchle, Thomas Kickham, M. D. Sweeney and John Sutton, The body was conveyed to the Cathedral, where the burial service was conducted by Rev. Father Cormier. Interment was in the New Catholic cemetery.

BURIALS TODAY.

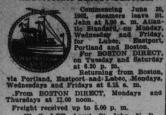
The funeral of the late Lewis O. Applieby took place at two o'clock this afternoon from his father's residence, St. John street, Carleton. Services were conducted at the house by by Rev. F. G. Scoyll and the body was interred at Fernhill.

Bernard E. Gallagher has made a number of excellent photographs of the men and guns at Fort Dufferin. The pictures were taken on Tuesday and in spite, of the fog which prevailed on that day have turned out well. The pictures are chiefly of St. John men in groups on the ground about the guns and are valuable as souvenirs of thecamp.

AMSTERDAM, Sept. 11.— The Boer generals, Botha, DeWet and Delarey, accompanied by Messrs. Wolmarans, Wessels and Reitz, arrived here today from the Hague and were given a hearty welcome. Replying to an address, General Delarey said he and his colleagues did not come here in the character of political personages, but sollely to obtain assistance for destitute Boer families.

WINDSOR, Ont., Sept. 10.—In the todacco enquiry being held here, Lewis Wiggle of Leamington, tobacco buyer, said up to the time the trust made its influence felt in the western peninsula tobacco was worth from 21-2 to 4 cents a pound. Since then, on account of the operations of the trust and inform ation disseminated by it. as to curing etc., the quality and price greatly improved.

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ST. JOHN STAR.

ST. JOHN, N. B., SEPT. 11, 1902.

THEY HAVE NERVE. Had the demands of the Boer gener

ls been published in advance of their isit to London it is evident that they would have had a much less enthusiastic reception. For brazen effrontery these demands have never been equalied. The Boers began the war by invading British territory, and only ceased fighting when it was obvious to ever their dull minds that the longer they fought the worse it would be for them selves. After being granted terms of peace which by their leniency astonished the world and caused some crit; icism on the part of the colonies which had shared in the war, the three fighting generals now present to Hon. Mr. Chamberlain a set of demands which, if granted, would be a gross insult to every loyalist, and would sow the seeds of endless dissension in South Africa. One does not desire to judge too harshly the motives of men who fought with unquestionable courage, but it would be absurd to suppose that the British government would consider for a moment some of the demands which have been made. The Boer generals practically ask that the Boers be placed in as good a position in all respects as before the war, with the difference that they accept British sovereignty. It is obvious that if the government agreed to these terms it would have to do more for those who remained loyal and fought for the flag. The latter, however, have not sent any delegation to London, and are not parading their woes and losses with half as much dourish of trumpets as the men who began the war and caused all the trouble. The Star has several times observed that in the glorification of Botha, Dewet and Delarey, some con sideration might be reserved for those against whom these men fought, and view. It is not at all surprising that

simply mean another war a few years It is stated in a despatch that the Boer generals are likely to spend some onths in the United States. This is unfortunate. They will be received and lionized by enemies of England and perhaps get the idea that behind the cheap talk of certain people of the Web Davis type there is a hope of substantial support. It would be much better for them to confine themselves to the empire of which their country is now a part; and to modify their view; to a point where their fellow subjects

wo years rather than give these gen

A GOOD RIDDANGE

would be able to regard them with somt

degree of sympathy.

It is reported that the Doukhobors are now anxious to leave Canada. No obstacle should be put in their way, for this is a free country. In fact every facility should be provided them if they want to go. The government that helped them in might help them out. While the Doukhobors are about as good as any of that peculiar class of people that have flocked here during the last few years, their withdrawal would not be without a brighter side. Everything possible has been done for these folk to make them comfortable and in time fit to assume the rights and privileges of citizenship. But they, it appears have not shown a commendable desired to meet these advances half way. together too much money has been spent in bringing an undesirable clas of people to the dominion, but it appears to have been necessary to find jobs for certain supporters as immigration agents. Hence these people. There is no great hurry about filling the vacant lands of the dominion.

population is foolish to say the least of There are classes of immigrants whom it would be wise to encourage but the wholesale introduction of Galicians, Doukhobors and the like is far from necessary. In time the natura tide of immigration must flow to the Northwest, and then Canada can pick and choose those who will help make her one of the foremost countries in the bring no particular strength to the dominion. They never were much good at home and the elements em to make them much better here. Yet they are encouraged to come and take up lands that would provide sustenance for men of our own race, men who would assist in binding the ties of empire more closely. These peoples have not that stuff in them. It would be well then if many others would, like the Doukhobors, get the moving fever, and better still if they would act on

constant and frenzied seeking after

THE CHINESE QUESTION.

The question of Chinese immigration is a very live one in the western provinces and particularly in British Columbia. The orientals have come into that province in large numbers and they work at a wage which forbids competition by white men. As a result the opinion of the western members is strongly in favor of some sort of re-striction. Sir Wilfrid Laurier promised that the views of the liberals of the west would prevail in this matter, but Sir Wilfrid has been too busy junketting to do the things he has promised Most people are getting into a condition of semi-satisfaction if he does no worse than that, but he has a tendency to do those things which he has promised not to do, that is most uncomfortable. At any rate the liberals of the west are not pleased over the way the Chinese in migration matter has been left. Mr. R. L. Borden is now in British Columbia and at a meetisg in Victoria the other evening touched on this subject. He said the views of the western people should prevail in this matter, and as far as he was able, he would give effect to the wishes of on this question.

KEEP HIM AT IT.

There is a man down in Philadelphia who claims he saved King Edward's life by use of the "absent" treatment. His reason for this contention appears to be based on the facts that His Majesty undoubtedly was sick, and just as certainly he recovered. In the inter val the man from the city of brotherly love was using the absent treatmen If in the course of nature it come about that the King passes away from this earthly sphere, the gentleman from Philadelphia should be summarily hanged. He gave, so he says, his solemn assurance to the Queen that His Majesty would recover from his late illness. People will be more willing to believe his present assertion if keeps the ruler of the empire alive for

STREET SIGNS.

The streets of St. John have not ye peen provided with proper corner signs The person who does not know the exlater developments amply sustain this act location of a street has still to mak enquiry of some one who does. This Mr. Chamberlain expressed surprise at matter was discussed in the Star som the number and character of the Boen months ago, and it was then expected mands. It would be better to take that something would be done. The exthe field again and fight for another pense involved would be a mere trifle compared with the benefit to be derived The city council should take the mat tlemen all they ask; for to do so would ter up. The present is not a busy sea son with those who put up signs, and the city fathers might be able to astonish themselves by getting some work done at bargain brices. The thing is worth trying.

> We have once more been entertained by the spectacle of an official inspection of the N. B. Southern railway. Nothing at all of advantage to patrons of the road has resulted from previous tours of this kind, but Russell Sage is still rated a millionaire, and perhaps something will result from the latest visit of his representatives. A citizen remarked yesterday that a passenger on the line need have no fear at allif he walked carefully.

PUNCH'S LATEST.

TORONTO, Sept. 10—The Telegram's London cable says: Punch today has a well executed cartoon entitled, "Our Mutual Friend," which represents Miss Canada in Indian costume greeting her guardian, Sir Wilfrid Laurier, on his return from visiting England and France, and saying: "So you've seen two grand mothers; how do you like them?" Laurier—"Well, my dear, they are both so charming I'm surprised they don't know one another better."

LONDON, Sept. 10.—Among the passengers sailing for Montreal in the Tunisian tomorrow are Sir Frederick Borden and Sir James Grant and families. Hon. Mr. Flelding will not return until October.

CRAWFORD.—At 182 Walnut Avenue, Roxbury, Mass., on Sept. 7, to Mr. and Mrs. Allan Gray Crawford, a son. (Montreal Star and Witness please copy. McMULLEN.—At St. John, N. B., on Monday morning, Sept. 8th, to Mr. and Mrs. W. E. McMullen, a daughter.

MARRIAGES

JORDAN-ROBERTS.—On Sept. 10the, at the residence of the bride's mother, 144 Doug-las avenue, by the Rev. R. P. McKim, Lillian E. Roberts to Gilbert C. Jordan. DONE-SANDWICH. — In Boston, Sept. 3 by Rev. Charles L. Page, Walter H. Boon and Miss Catherine Sandwich, formerly of St. Mary's

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Capacity Now Being Prepared.

(Moneton Times.)

The New Brunswick Petroleum Company. Ltd., whose work in the development of the oil fields of this province has aroused so much interest, is preparing to operate on a large scale in the immediate future. M. Lodge, the energetic secretary, informs the Times that fourteen wells have already been put down, of which nine are producers. Of these wells ten are in Westmorland county, at S., Joseph's, in the vicinity of the well known R. C. College of that name, and four are in Albert county, near Hillsboro, the distance between the two lucations being about seven miles across the country in a north-westerly direction. The majority of these wells have only been sunk to the first oil sands, a distance of 400 to 450 feet, but two were sunk to the second and third sands, about 1,450 feet down. Only two of the wells have been torpedoed so far, but the balance will be shot just as soon as the company is in a position to take care of the product. Two of the wells on the Westmorland county side of the river have been pumped, giving a yield of four to five barrels a day, and pumps will also be applied to the wells on the Albert county side, where the prospects are even better than in Westmorland, to see what they will do without being shot. The pumps are already on the ground waiting for the pipe. The indications are such on the Albert county side of the river Mr. Lodge believes that after being shot the wells there will yield 50 to 100 barrels a day. The company is preparing to erect a refinery, the exact location of which has not been decided upon, and Louis there will yield 50 to 100 barrels a day. The company is preparing to erect a refinery, the exact location of which has not been decided upon, and Louis J. Hirt, of Boston, a well known expert in the business, is preparing the plans for the same. The refinery will have a capacity of 400 barrels a day. According to present plans, the company will only go as far astaking off the lighter oils, naptha and benzine, and making burning and lubricating oils.

The residium, the refining of which would be a very expensive operation, beyond the means of the company at the present time, will be otherwise disposed of until the company sees its way clear to go into this branch of the business.

OTTAWA NEWS.

OTTAWA, Sept. 10 .- The electric wiring in the Ottawa buildings has been strongly condemned by Mr. Wright of Toronto, a fire insurance

Barbers' Protective Union will petition the city quuncil to appoint an inspector of barbers' shops at the cap-

ottawa extended a very cordial welcome to Premier Barton and party. The distinguished visitors were conducted to city hall, where a large audience gathered to welcome them. Mayor Cook presided, having Messrs. Barton and Scott on his right and Forrest and Mulock on his left. The civic address, couched in most friendly terms, drew from Mr. Barton aspeech in which he alluded to the struggle for Australian federation. He announced that after eleven months fight, the Australian tariff was passed yesterday. He again alluded to the importance of establishing an "all red line" of communication from Australia, by way of Canada to the heart of the Empire-London. Mr. Forrest alluded to the South African war, and cubgized the C. P. R. The party aves for the coast on Friday.

The militia department is constantly receiving letters from relatives of Canadian members of the South African constabulary inquiring for allotments of pay which should have reached them acoprding to arrangements made by members of the opnstabulary, upon leaving for Cape Town. As the force is neither Canadian nor imperial, the department has nothing to do with transmitting such allotments. The constabulary is a South African colonial force, and anxious enquirers are Ottawa extended a very cordial wel-

department has nothing to do with transmitting such allotments. The constabulary is a South African colonial force, and anxious enquirers are sp informed in every case by the departmental letter. In one instance, however, an enquiry made of the military department had a practical result. A lady in Western Ontario wrote for the allotment which her son had made to her out of his pay. The department wrote to the South African authorities about it and yesterday a reply came from Lord Militer, high commissioner, stating that the constable had been located at d communicated with and had promised henceforth to allow his reconstance. forth to allow his mother \$12 per month. He had evidently neglected to keep his popmise. Allotments are paid to Canadian beneficiaries direct by the South African administration.

MONCTON.

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MONCTON, M. B., Sept. 10.— The hospital board has decided to proceed this season with the erection of a new building according to plans prepared by Architect Brodie of St. John. Theo. B. LeBlanc has the contract for the outside work.

Staff Sergt. Gough of the South Africa constabulary, who reached Quebec last week.

Staff Sergt. Gough of the South Africa constabulary, who reached Quebec last week, is in town today, en route to his home in Summerside, P. E. I. He is a brother of Rev. J. G. Gough of Sussex and Fred Gough of New-castle. Sergt. Gough joined the constabulary at Vancouver and has the distinction of being in the last fight of the Boer war. He also wears the humane society's medal for swimming ashore with a life line at the time of the wreck of the steamer Alpha on the voyage from Vancouver to Yokohama, Nov. 15th, 1990, when 36 lives were lost and 65 saved. He is home on furlough and expects to return to South Africa pretty soon.

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CHANGE IN BUSINESS TRAINING. Methods of the Special Schools Fa Better Than They Were—Their Progress.

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(New York Sun.)

Among the noticeable recent changes in the purposes and scope of the business schools is the increasing tendency toward a more liberal education coupled with business training. Formerly, when a boy or girl was sent to such an institution, it was not deemed sufficient to have the elements of penmanship and bookkeeping instilled in the mind of the pupil; one of the first requirements was a fine Spencerian hand and a thorough knowledge of both single entry and double entry bookkeeping.

Nowadays, it is necessary for the business institutions to inslude in its curriculum advanced arithmetic, commercial law, stenography and type-writing. Probably the advent of the typewriting machine and its almost universal use has done more than anything else to bring about this changed condition. Business is so complicated today, compared with what it formerly was, and has so increased in volume, that it is now necessary to have more than one man "on the books," and the employer is no longer able to supervise the work personally. That is left to his cashier, and it has devolved upon the latter to teach every newcomer in the office the particular method of bookkeeping in vogue there.

It is far easier to do this if the stranger has no methods or so-called "systems" to unlearn; no time is lost in teaching him to forget, and under the practical guidance of the cashier it does not take much time before a man is fairly competent, provided, of "course, he has the requisite intelligence."

The typewriting machine has done away with the long handwritten briefs so much in evidence in court a few years ago; and poor indeed is the man and small his business who today canand afford a better means of communication than the handwriting of some amanuensis.

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Twenty years ago a high school education was deemed all sufficient for one who was to embark in a mercantile pursuit. But ever increasing competition is has created a corresponding demand for more highly educated employees; and y so the schools which make a specialty of teaching the rudiments of a business or mercantile career have been forced to add those branches which formerly were included only in the courses of collegiate institutions.

The method of soliciting patronage for these schools has changed correspondingly. It was not so long ago that a personal house-to-house canvas would be made to get a pupil. Such an act would now be deemed unprofessional and it is through the daily newspapers and the magazines that these business schools now make known their presence and their functions, to say nothing of their provess.

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church, Mariboro, Mass., will entertain Sir Wilfrid Laurier, premier of Can-ada, who will visit Mariboro in October. He will remain several days as a guest of Fr. Caisse.

The two men were classmates in college in Camada. The premier will go about the middle of October, although the date of his arrival in Mariboro has not been definitely decided.

It was the intention of Premier Laurier to visit Mariboro in May, while on his way to attend the coronation, but it was found necessary to change these plans.

THE GIRL AND HER PLAY.

Once upon a time there were a young lady and a young gentleman playing a two handed game of euchre.
"I offer you a solitaire diamond," said the young man as he played the

said the young man as he played the acc of that suit.

"The best I can do is to give you my heart," the young woman answered as she played.

"Then your whole hand goes with it," he said.

ne said.

"Yes, Charles, dear," she replied.

Moral.—There is such a thing s
playing into the other player's hand.

New York Herald.

THE WORK OF ENVY. The leading lady was in tears, and he morning paper lay crumpled at her

asked.
"This horrid critic," she sobbed.
"Let me see. Where? What has he said?"
"There," she replied, pointing to the dreadful paragraph. "It says my acting was excellent, but that my gown didn't seem to fit me at all. I just konw that was written by some spiteful woman."—Chicago Record-Herald.

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TRAVELLERS' GUIDE.

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Carleton ferry boat makes twenty minute trips from 6 a. m. until 10 p. m., and half bour trips from 10 p. m. until 11.30 p. m. RIVER SERVICE.

Steamers Leaving Indiantown.
Steamer Clifton leaves for Hampton at 3 p. m. every Monday, Wednesday and Saturday. Leaves Hampton at 6.30 a. m..
Steamer Hampstead runs daily to Wickham.

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 uoon for Springfield, Head of Belleise Bay, on Tues-days and Thursdays, and at 2 p. m. on Sat-urdays.

urdays.

Steamers of the Star line leave at 2.09 a. m. daily for Fredericton. Returning leave Fredericton at 8.30 a. m. Steamer May Queen leaves for Saimon River and way points at 8 a. m. on Wednesdays and Saturdays. Returning, leaves Saimon River at 6 a. m. on Mondays and Thursdays. Steamer Star leaves at 19 a. m. on Todays, Thursdays and Saturdays for Washadays, Thursdays and Saturdays for Washademoak and Coles' Island. Returning leaves days and Fridays.

The ferryboat E. Ross runs from Indian-town to Milford, making twenty minute trips from 6. a. m. until 10.30 p. m.

The stmr. Majestic will leave Indiantown at 5.30 p. m. daily for Gagetown and way points. Returning will leave Gagetown at 4.00 a. m.

From Halifax, Sydney, etc.

C. OF E. GENERAL SYNOD.

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MONTREAL, Sept. 10.—The General Synod of the Church of England in Canada, after debating the subject for four sessions, finally were unable to agree on any definite decision regarding the marriage of divorced persons. At present the point is in doubt and some clergymen will marry a divorced person during the lifetime of the late partner. The house of bishops sent down a message absolutely barring all divorced people from re-marrying during the lifetime of their late partner. In the house the laity voted in favor of allowing the marriage of the innocent party, but the clergy overwhelmingly sided with the bishops. As a majority vote of both orders in the lower house is required, the question fell to the ground.

"CEASE FIRE!"

The Men in Camp Dufferin Did Not Enjoy the Rain.

Something About How the Time Is Spent and Who the Soldiers Are.

"They must have cost An awful price, But, oh! they make you ...

Nice, Those buttons on your uniforms."

Nice,
Those buttons on your uniforms."

It would take a great deal more than even expensive uniform buttons to make the three hundred odd men at Camp Dufferin look nice, and more than many uniforms to make them feel in any way comfortable.

Those who have seen the "soldiers of the king" parading about the streets to the strains of a brass band, looking silck and jaunty feeling that they were the whole show, and proud to be considered the mobile defenders of the country should have taken a trip to the west side yesterday. That was the time to see the other side of solder life and the side which is not always turned to the front. But, as is only natural, the public care more for the giltter and display made by the milittamen than for an insight into their discomforts, and as a consequence no one braved the storm for the purpose of seeing the soldiers at home.

When a fellow is in camp and it is raining the time passes very slowly. There is nothing to do. He can't sleep all the time.—There aren't any books to read nor chairs to sit on. He can smoke,—but who wants to smoke all day? He can play cards—for there is always a pack of cards in the camp—but it is tiresome work trying to keep the cards clean when there is no table. And some of the other fellows in the tent always want to do something else. They never all feel like sleeping or smoking or playing cards at the one time and it is tiresome too, to have to to lie on the ground undercanvas all day with nothing to propo one's back against. To be sure, the tent pole is usually firm, but hew many fellows can get up against a three inch stick?—and won't their feet be in some other fellow's noad? It's a miserable job loafing during swhole day of ram.

"Ain't that a shame, a measty shame, to keep your honey out in the rain? I stand here freezin', wet to de skin."

The tents are supposed to be water-proof, and, as a matter of fact, they

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The tents are supposed to be water-proof, and, as a matter of fact, they are practically so. But then the water runs in under the edges and it is not nice to sit in mud all day.

Whether it is better to get soaking wet while digging a trench around the tent and then lie in damp clothes on dry ground, or to start with dry clothes and let them gradually get wet on wet ground, is a question which has never and let them gradually get wet on wet ground, is a question which has never

most voluable and engaging growlers under the sun. But dinner finally comes, and it may be only half cooked. It usually is. Do the men eat it? Yes, but with every mouthful they pour forth cursory remarks concerning the service in general and the blasted son of a gun of a cook in particular.

Then there is some small amount of sleeping to be done at night. The blankets—two per man—are wet. The greatcoats are wet. The ground is wet blankets. But, hang it all, they must sleep somehow, and without fear of rheumatism, feet are turned to the tent pole, heads are made comfortable on damp coats, and lying spoon-fashion the men pass into that state from which no soldier is ever arxious to return. In camp at Fort Dufferin there are men from Quebec—members of the yegular corps—who know their business and often use language, which, to the optisider might seem rather peculiar. Some of them have been to South Africa. These call the bread "roott"-others that have not been there cail to "punit", but they all unite in calling it down. The Quebec men, too, are the British army, and it is well to model the Canadian militia after the pattern of such a grand organization. The Quebec men are the cleanest looking in the lot—during a rain-storm,—for they nearly always have some old clothes to wear while their uniforms are kept clean. They are a condescending class too, these permanent fellows, and will talk by the hour about their own corps. It is true that they have something worth talking about.

There are men from the Island in camp too. These men felt their happy homes amid the oats and potatoes and pretty girls, and came to St. John partly for the trip, but mostly because they wanted to run up against Baxter's company, the one witch has given them so much trouble in the efficiency com-

petitions. They have been called splendid looking men so often that they are beginning to think that the description suits them. It does not please the St. John men to hear this. They say, "Well, s'pose they are splendid looking, we're splendider. We beat them in the efficiency." But the Islanders are clannish. They stick to one another and are determined to make a good showing in the shooting. The St. John men say, "We took the efficiency," and the Islanders answer "Yes, and you took the guns." This is in reference to the fact that a number of the guns now in use at Fort Dufferin were first sent to the Island, but a few days later were brought to St. John. By this removal the Island men had no chance to practice with them, and the insinuation is that St. John men needed all the practice they could get. It is well to explain some things. The Islanders are splendid looking men.

There are several companies from St. John in camp at Fort Dufferin too, and these men were wondering yesterday why they left their homes, sweet homes, in town to enjoy a day of misery under canvas. Dundonald knows, but he won't tell,—he's no blab. The St. John men have, in their abandon, one consolation. They can run home for a decent bite to eat. The others can't. It is unpleasant not to be able to do so. But they will have only two days more and it is not probable that these two days will be wet. It wouldn't be nice. The men don't like rain.

FREDERICTON AFFAIRS.

FREDERICTON, Sept. 11.—The following named attorneys have given notice to the judges of the suprem court and to the Barristers' Society of their intention to present themselves for admission to the bar as barristersat-law at the next Michaelmas term of the court: J. J. Fraser Winslow, Fred-

at-law at the next Michaelmas term of the court: J. J. Fraser Winslow, Fredericton; J. H. A. L. Fairweather, Rotheszy; J. Oscar Baldwin, St. George; Burton L. Gerow, St. John; Francis Kerr, St. John; T. C. L. Ketchun, Woodstock; Harrold H. Parlee, Sussex: Edmund S. Ritchie, St. John; James C. Sherren, Dorchester; James R. H. Simms, St. John; Fred R. Taylor, St. John.

The undersigned students-at-law have given notice of their intention to take the prescribed examination for admission as attorneys: Archibald C. Calder, St. Andrews; J. W. DeB. Farris, White's Cove; Homer D. Forbes, St. John; Richard B. Hanson, Fredericton; Frederick B. Hill, St. Stephen; Peter J. Hughes, Fredericton; George A. Hutchinson, Fredericton; Cyrus T. Inches, St. John; Kenneth J. Macrae, St. John; Fred H. Morrison, St. Stephen; Samuel A. Morrell, St. Andrews; Alphonse Turgeon, Bathurst.

Those who have notified the Barristers' Society of their intention to apply for almission as students-at-law are the following named: T. J. Allen, Woodstock, office of Charles Comben; Lewis H. Baddwin, St. John; John Barriet, Jr., Harthand, office of John L. Fawcett; Harry Burns, Albert, office of W. A. Trueman; Butjs F. Colwell, St. John; Miss Ela M. Darling, Nauwigewauk, office of Bustin & Porter; Horace, S. John; Miss Ela M. Darling, Nauwigewauk, office of Bustin & Porter; Horace, S. John; Miss Ela M. Darling, Nauwigewauk, office of Bustin & Porter; Horace, S. John; Mathew G. Duffy, Newcastle; Miss Mabelle P. French, St. John; Miss Ela M. Darling, Nauwigewauk, office of Bustin & Porter; Horace, S. John; Mathew G. Duffy, Newcastle; Miss Mabelle P. French, St. John; Miss Ela M. Darling, Nauwigewauk, office of Bustin & Porter; Horace, S. Gore, St. Andrews; Marion L. Hayward, Grand Falls; Miss Mina Kelly, St. John; A. Raymond Landry, Dorchester; Henry Lunney, St. John; Jos. L. Milmore, Woodstock; Henry O. McCinerney, St. John; A. E. G. McKenzie, Campbellton, office of Murray & McLatchy; Albert J. McKnight, Sackville. Thomas Parker; Edwin B. Ross, Newcastl

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SPORTING NEWS.

At Boston-First gar

James eDick) Tibbets of the Roses left for his home in Fredericton on last evening's train. Dick will be greatly missed by many friends, who will hope to see him wearing a St. John uniform next season. The genial James during the past season played fast ball. THE TURF.

Fastest Heats Ever Made on Half Mile Track. Track.

DETHLEHEM, Pa., Sept. 10.—Thirty thousand people saw Prince Alert defeat Anaconda at the State Fair today in the two fastest consecutive heats ever paced on a half mile track. The second half of the first heat was covered in 1.01. Favorites won the class races.

Special race, purse \$3,060:
Prince Alert (Demarest). 1 1
Auaconda (John Dickerson) 2 2
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SYRMCUSE, N. Y., Sept. 10.—The announcement that Dan Patch would go foy the purse of the property of the property of the property of the State Patch of the State P

room Louleburg.

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SALEM, Mass, Sept 10—Ard, schs E Allen, from Providence for Calais; Alice C Boardman, from Fail River for do.

Sid, schs Leonard B, for Sackville, NB, Alma, for New York: C B Wood, for do; Sid, schs Leonard B, for Sackville, NB, Alma, for New York: C B Wood, for do; EASTPORT, Me, Sept 10—Ard, bark Solectio, from Norfolk for Calais; sch Judge Low, from New York.

COMMERCIAL.

NEW YORK, Sept. 11.—Wall Street—Yeslerday's late liquidation in stocks was not
resumed this morning, prices on the street
showing a generally higher leve with ne
improvement running to over a point in
Reading, Baltimore and Ohlo, Missouri Patific and Deriver and Rio Grande. Amalgamated was a trifle easier and a few other
tess important stocks also made declines.
Some very large blocks of the coalers and
Pacifics were bought and business all round
was well up to recent average.

BANK OF ENGLAND. changes: al reserve, increased £334,000; cir

COTTON.

NEW YORK, Sept. 11.—Cotton—Futures opened easy. Sept., 8.45; Oct., 8.30; Nov., 8.26; Dec., 8.24; Jan., 8.26; Feb., 8.13; March, 8.15; April, 8.17; May, 8.17.

DAILY QUOTATIONS.

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LABOR TROUBLES.

Another Teamsters' Strike Threatened in Chicago.

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CHICAGO, Sept. 11.—Packing house teamsters renewed their fight against the stock yards concerns last night at a meeting of the union. It is the avowed intention to order a strike by the six hundred drivers employed by Swift & Co., and a struggle which may reach the dimensions of a strike of three months ago is said to be one of the probabilities of the near future. The trouble is the wesult of the alleged refusal of Swift & Co. to live up to the agreement reached last May, and establishing a minimum wage of 18 cents an hour.

OLD MAN'S SUICIDE

MARBLEHEAD, Mass., Sept. 11.— During the night the police found the body of Josiah Bradlee, a wealthy summer resident of Peaches Point, East Marblehead, about 250 yards fipm his home. Mr. Bradlee had committed suicide by firing a revolver bullet through his mouth. He had been in ill health and the recent death of a relative had apparently affected his mind. Mr. Bradlee was 72 years of age.

"Hardly. Your sister is a quiet, gentle girl."
"Well, that's all you know about it. She just puts it on. Why, I heard-that big man that's been calling here tell his chum last night that she threw him over. I don't know what it was, but if she threw him over anything she's a bird."—Chicago Post.

JUST A WAY HE HAD.

(Town Topics.)

He—I always thought that Bragge belonged to the yacht club until I met him there last night.

She—And doesn't he?

He—Well, I inferred from his manner that the yacht club belonged to him.

HALIFAX, Sept. 10.—A despatch from New Glasgow states that the directors of the Nova Scotia Steel and Coal Co. today declared a dividend at the rate of five per cent. per annum on the common stock, viz., 21-2 per cent. for the half year.

MORNING'S NEWS.

LOCAL

There is full weight in every package of Red Rose tea.

Capt. Swatridge has gone to New York to assume command of the Battle liner Cheronea. Pilot Daley will come down in her from New York.

Travellers should note the change of time in the departure of the Star Line steamers from Fredericton. They now leave the capital at eight o'clock a. m. Driver Wm. Anderson of the I. C. R. was married last evening to Miss Belle McJunkin of Paradise row. The happy couple left on the Quebee express last evening on a bridal trip, accompanied by good wishes and handfuls of rice from crowds of attending friends.

St. John Encampment, Knights Templar, met last night and conferred the order of the Red Cross upon eight candidates. At the close of the impressive ceremony a banquet was held, during which a series of good speeches were made by a number of Knights and a programme given that made the time pass pleasantly till a late hour.

A correspondent in this morning's Telegraph charges that those who had charge of the Labor Day prizes "scattered them broadcast among themselves Monday afternoon." He wants to know under what rules of sport the balance of the prizes are to be distributed.

The work of laying the underground telephone cable is proceeding rapidly

tributed.

The work of laying the underground telephone cable is proceeding rapidly at the rate of almost 1,000 feet daily. This part of the work in connection with the new system will be completed next week. The stringing of the aerial cables and wires will occupy about three weeks more. It will probably be two or three months yet before the new central is in thorough working order.

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der.

During the exhibition a clergyman visiting the main building was attracted by H. T. McGowan's automatic fog bell as a possible method of summoning worshippers to church. He wished further information and left his name with Mr. McGowan, who has unfortunately got it mixed with those of other clerical visitors and desires the Sun to state that if the visitor in question will send his name and address he will send him circulars and particulars regarding his invention.

PROVINCIAL

Nelson B. Kenny, former clerk at the Grand Hotel, Yarmouth, has been ap-pointed manager to succeed the late F. C. Wilson. Walter MacKenzie, who was injured

Walter MacKenzle, who was injured last week in the Dominion pulp mill at Chatham, died in the Hotel Dieu hospital yesterday. He leaves a wife and large family of young children.

Max Bigney, aged 18, of Amherst, accidentally shot himself while duck shooting on the marsh yesterday morning. He was dragging the gun behind him, when the trigger caught in a stick and discharged the contents into his skull. He will probably die.

Rhodes, Curry & Co., of Amherst, have been awarded the contract for building the new I. C. R. Round House at St. John. The contract price is \$60,000.

at St. John. The contract price is \$60,600.

E. B. Nichols, proprietor of the
Queen Hotel, Yarmouth, died yesterday morning, after a lingering illness.
He was \$5 years old and leaves a widow, one son and one daughter. He is
the third hotel man in Yarmouth to
pass away within ten days. He took
charge of the Queen a little over 13
years ago.

The marriage of Miss Jessie L. A.
Forbes, and Dr. H. A. Jones will take
place on Wednesday, October 1st, at
St. Andrew's manse, Sydney.
The marriage of Miss L. Blanche
Brown, of Moncton, N. B., and Frank
Compton, of Sydney, takes plage at the
home of Miss Brown's parents, Moncton, on the 24th inst. at 8 o'clock p. m.

GENNERAL

GENERAL.

A cable says that 5,000 people lost heir lives in a recent overflow of the

A Cable says that any flow of the West-River in China.
Rev. J. M. Mellish, who was spiritual adviser of John C. Best, declares that if Best had had an education he would have been a mental giant. To the very last moment the condemned man asserted his innocence of the crime for which he was executed.
A Winnipeg despatch says that 10,000 inmigrants arrived during August, 2,520 from the United States. It is estimated that the population of Manitoba and the Northwest has increased by over 66,000 since January 1st.

THE LATE DETECTIVE RING.

Mr. Ring has figured in all the celebrated cases in our province in the last quarter of the century, with few exceptions. He was one of the most keen and astute detectives that this province ever knew, with a kindly smile and giad hand for all. Strange but true, of all the criminals that he has run down and sent to prison, mone seemed to hold him any spite. After a man served his term and returned to St. John he would do anything to help him and would try and secure employment. The deceased as a detective never drew a revolver on a man, but has on one occasion walked up to a man on King Square, after the said man had fired a shot at a woman, and frequently stated he would kill Ring if he ever attempted to arrest him, grabbed his hand, struck him knocking him down, took the revolver and locked him up and sent him away for a long term. Numerous cases in which Detective Ring took a prominent part could be enumerated. He was a true friend and not a bitter enemy, as he could not entertain anything that was not manly.

PERSONAL. Mrs. Howard P. Wetmore of Truro is vis-ting Mrs. George Anderson, 167 King street

iting Mrs. George Anderson, 167 King street east.

Clarence D. Freeman of the Bank of Nova Scotia writes 'from Young's hotel, Boston, that he intended leaving that place yesterday for Kingston, Jamaica, West indies.

Miss Ella Smith, daughter of J. Willard Smith, has returned to Montreal to resume Mrs. A. E. Prince and Miss Leek left by Tuesday night's train for Montreal on a short visit.

Dr. F. H. Dickie with his mother left for Boston yesterday morning after an enjoyable visit at Mrs. Dickie's sister, Mrs. B. J. Holt, Crown street.

Thomas Gorman and daughter, Josephine, left by the Prince Rupert yesterday morning for Halifax, where Miss Gorman will resume her studies at the Sacred Heart Academy.

Red Rose tea is sold in six grades at 25, 30, 35, 40, 50 and 60c. per pound.

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DUTIES OF A WORKHOUSE PORTER.

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(London Daily Mail.)

The porter of the Mere (Wiltsbire) workshouse recently wrote to the guardians for an increase of salary, which then stood at £14 per annum: "I am gare porter, store-keeper, caterer, brass polisher, assistant aurse, mortuary attendant, and the salary of the salary to £16.

MADELEINE'S FORST MARRIED COUPLE

(London Daily Mail.) At the Madeleine today M. and Mme. Nicolas celebrated their diamond wedding. The
husband, who has charge of the lamps at
the Hotel de Ville, is SS years of age, and
his venerable spouse is SI. Four generations of descendants—in all nearly a hundred—clustered vouad them today to celebrate the sixtleth anniversary of their marriage. They were the first couple to be marriage at the Madeleine after the definite consecration of the historic church in 13t2. Notwithstanding their advanced age both the
old people are active and cheery.

SMYNRA FIG IN CALIFORNIA.

(San Francisco Chronicle.)

Smyrna fig raising has at last beer successfully established in California on a large-scale on the Stanford ranch at Vina, by the employment of the blastophaga as an agent for the fertilizations of the fruit. The fruit is reported to be of an excellent quality, and the industry of fig raising and curing is now to, be prosecuted on an extensive scale. This means a valuable addition to the state's industries and the production of an article of commerce for which there exists a market the world over. Up to date this market has been almost wholly supplied by Asia Minor.

OVERFLOW OF POPULOAION.

(Topka Capital.)

How many are there in a sextet? We thought six, but every day some new girl is mentioned in the papers who was one of the originals in the "Florodora" sextet. Fully three hundred have been rounded up so far.

HIS OWN SCENERY

"I never saw any one so base as that English tragedian who just came over. I asked into a superior of the same of

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

DUFFERIN, Sept. 11.—W. R. Moore. Baithmore: Jas. R. McKee, Charlottetown: C.

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Baston: J. H. Hunley, New Onk, J. H.

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SEALED TENDERS, marked "Tender for Warehouse," will be received by the undersigned ap to noon of Thursday, 18th inst., for the erection of a Brick Warehouse for Messrs. T. McAvity & Sons. The lowest tender not necessarily accepted. Plans, etc., at the office of G. ERNEST FAIRWEATHER, 84 Germain street.

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MISS TARBOX COMING.

Be Soprano Soloist in Germain Street Baptist Church.

Street Baptist Church.

St. John musical circles will receive an important addition for the coming fall and winter. Miss Ida King Tarbox, of Portland, Me, who has many times charmed St. John audiences with her singing, will spend the fall and winter here, and perhaps a longer time. She has accepted a position as soprano soloist in Germain Street Baptist church choir. That church is certainly to be congratulated upon the acquisition of so gifted a singer, whose voice and manner are so full of charm. While and manner are so full of charm. While in St. John Miss Tarbox will give lessons in vocal culture to a limited number of pupils. She will arrive the first week in October.

LOST—On Saturday afternoon, in exhibition building or on grounds, small gold locket containing a photo-Finder will please leave at this office

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

Corn! Squash! LOCAL NEWS.

S. S. Empress of Japan arrived at Hong Kong September 9.

The attention of advertisers is directed to the notice at the top of this col-

Juste Poirier, merchant of Caraquet, has assigned to the sheriff of Gloucest-

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

Harry Garrison has been reported by Sergt. Ca.npbell for dragging a heavy iron rail along Water street this morn-

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

Hon, A. G. Blair, Senator Thompson, W. T. Whitehead, M. P. P., and Dr. Atherton sail from Liverpool today on the Tunisian for home.

Ladies' tallor-made Costumes, Dress Skirts, etc., are advertised by Morrell and Sutherland on page 4 of this issue at attractive prices for Friday and Sat-

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

Mrs. Eldon Mulin and her three boys and Miss Briggs will sail on the S. S. Tunisian with Mr. and Mrs. Acheson for South Africa via England.—Trans-

There will be a rehearsal of the Chapman chorus this evening at 8 sharp. All members of the chorus purposing to take part in the festival are expected to be present.

J. N. W. Winslow, A. B. Connell, Donald Munroe, G. W. Vanwart, of Woodstock, and E. B. Winslow, of Fredericton are seeking incorporation as The Winslow Real Estate Co., Ltd., of Woodstock, with capital of \$50,000.

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

PROBATE COURT.

In probate court this morning accounts in the estate of the late Hartland B. Crosby were passed. W. W. Allen, K. C., appeared for the trustees; J. M. Taylor and J. E. Irvine and J. King Kelley for the next of kin.

The last will and testament of James Stark were admitted to probate and letters testamentary were granted to Ella Stark, the widow. The estate is valued at \$300 personalty. Bustin and Porter, proctors.

THE DOG IS MISSING.

The young fellow Daley who was so severely bitten by W. H. Gordon's dog a few days ago was able to limp up to the police court this morning. His leg is still very painful and is in a bad condition, although no serious results are anticipated. It was reported to the court that the owner of the dog had gone to Halifax and that the dog itself could not be found. The matter was oostponed.

BOSTWICK'S MILL-DAM.

The dam at Bostwick's mill, Saln ver, was considerably damaged by esterday's storm, which caused a ood in the stream. The mill was just bout starting after extensive repairs to the dam, caused by last spring's reshet, when yesterday's rush of ater carried away considerable of the sw work, rendering further extensive epsirs necessary.

TORONTO, Sept. 10.—Mayor How and has announced his intentions of unning for the mayoralty.

POLICE COURT.

Stealing a Variety of

During the months that Peg-leg Nickerson has been confined to jail he has made frequent requests to the magistrate to be allowed out. In accordance with the custom of discharging prisoners every now and then, Nickerson was let out with a batch of others on Tuesday. He wanted to go to Mispec. Pegleg was broke. He is often that way. Oftener than the Telegraph's plate glass window, and being short of cash, he begged. This was not going to Mispec—but then no one expected him there. There was no anxious family awaiting him. Last night he was arrested and expressed sorrow for his conduct. He said "I guess it will be eight months this time." He guessed exactly right. It was six months for begging and two for being drunk. Hard labor was added to the sentence. And the jail people say that Nickerson is a good workman.

William Swanton left his work last evening, took a car on Mill street, got a transfer and waited for a Paradise car. It is unwise to wait. Swanton was arrested for being drunk and refusing to move on. He left a deposit and this morning appeared in court to plead mot guilty. He and the police had different ideas as to the drunkenness and Swanton was let go. He thanked the court.

Patrick Clark, from Portland, sat on the bench with a foriorn look and a prospect of six months in front of him. He is a stranger in a strange land, three hundred miles from home and only one mother. Clark got drunk yesterday and went into the vestibule of Thomas F. White's house on the corner of Queen and Wentworth streets. After coming out of there he tried to get in again. Being unsuccessful he endeavored with the assistance of a brick to force a passage. The brick went through the door and window. Then Clark was arrested. Just about this time something happened in the police station. George Devine, of Hammond River had come to town yesterday and got a room at a house on Haymarket Square. His valise was left in the house and Devine went out. When he returned a suit of clothes, a razor and brush and account books were missing. De

INCOME TAX EXEMPTION.

ome Taxpayers Have a Wrong Ide About the Proposed Law.

and the train from Boston due at St. John 11.39 may be flagged at Westfield Beach, Ononette, Grand Bay and Ketepec.

THE TORCH.

The Latest Dally Paper and Some of its Beams.

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A copy of The Torch, published in St. John, "to throw light on dark subjects," which claims to be the smallest daily paper in the world, has reached the Star office. It has something to say concerning Sunday and its observance in this city, and pays its respects to the police force, the constables and various other people. The first issue commends no one. The editor is out for trouble, the flail is in hand and he will thoroughly cleanse the threshing floor, if one man can do it. The Torch will be read with interest by all and with amusement by those who form the small and select party which the first issue has not severely criticized. The new paper is strong on the Sunday observance question and rises to make these remarks:

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2. Sunday poker playing in club rooms, hotels, etc.

2. Sunday evening loitering places of questionable young men and women.

3. Sunday liquor selling in different places.

4. Sunday bathing, minus bathing suits, comes of \$400 and \$500, raising the poll taily paper in the world, has reached the Star office. It has something to tay concerning Sunday and its observance to the pollec force, the constables and the motion was carried unanimous to the colling. The feditor is out to be pollec force, the constables and the motion was carried unanimous commenda no one. The editor is out to be pollec force, the constables and the motion was carried unanimous commenda no one. The editor is out to be pollec force, the extra did not raise the abops in connection with it.

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John even at \$10 and \$11 per ton. At that price it is practically impossible to lay in a very large supply, and unless conditions change soon everybody will be out hunting for drift wood this fall. A year ago anthracite rold that fall. A year ago anthracite sold her for about \$5.75 per ton, but the strik has added a five dollar bill to the cor of each twenty hundred weight so fa as the consumer is concerned. Of sol of each twenty hundred weight so fa as the consumer is concerned. Of so coal there is plenty on the market ar so far there has been no sympathet advance in its price. But that ma come. Still there is a possibility the it may not and if the strike is declare off and the present stringency in it market relaxed, it may practically become an assurance. Very few people have laid in any supply of hard couthis season, on account of the cost, and the hope that a few weeks would see a change. But the only change has been a further advance, until now the price has reached a record limit.

A GOOD OPPORTUNITY.

Advices from the west say that plum Advices from the west say that plums will be done in about ten days. The Nova Scotia crop has not come up to expectation either. J. F. Estabrook & Son will, tomorrow, receive a consignment of plums, pears, grapes and Crawford peaches from Winona. This is one of the last opportunities for householders to obtain plums, and the consigned ffuit is of the very highest order. The firm also receives every day large consignments of New Brunswick apples.

STILL IN JAIL.

Mrs. George Marsten, charged with poisoning her husband at Meductic, is still in jail at Fredericton, although Chief Justice Tuck last week made an order to release her on ball. Evidently, says the Herald, the necessary sureties have not yet been found.

THE GOLDEN NORTH.

Peg-Leg Gets Eight-Charged With Charles W. Henderson Who Has Just Returned Talks of the Klondyke.

the Klondyke.

Charles W. Henderson, son of Thos. Henderson, 29 Queen Square, returned on Tuesday evening from the Klondike, where he has spent the last four and a haif years.

In March, 1898, Mr. Henderson went to the Klondike with a party composed of his brother, M. G. B. Henderson, Harry Francis, Frank Barton and a Mr. Wright of St. John, and Harry Hall of Rothesay. On reaching Dawson City, the party separated and the two Henderson boys took up a claim on what its known as Dominion Creek, about thrity miles from Dawson, Harry Francis secured a claim a short distance away, and has been, and still is doing well on it. Hall and Wright returned from the north some time ago.

Mr. Henderson is making a very short visit to his home, and will leave on return for the north in about two weeks in order to get back before navigation closes. In speaking to the Star concerning his new home, he stated that since he and his brother have taken up the claim on Dominion Creek they have been under very heavy expenses. Supplies were dear and equipment was costly, and they had to pay very high wages to the men employed by them. In spite of this and of the many drawbacks in the wprk, they have done well and are making a good living, much better than if they had not gone away. Mr. Henderson does not claim to be making a fortune by any means, but is perfectly satisfied with the country and with the prospects.

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He likes the Klondike very much; the climate is fine, the air bracing and the cold not at all troublesome. He says that since going out there he never saw such a dirty day as was yesterday in St. John. He thinks there is plenty of gold in the Klondike, and, in spite of adverse reports, the country is still good. There are lots of popportunities for men who are willing to work hard and who do not expect to become millionaires in ten minutes. work hard and who do not expect to become millionaires in ten minutes. Supplies and wages are not nearly so high now as when he first went out, nor travelling by any means so difficult. He was only nineteen days on the way from Dominion Creek to St. John. Mr. Henderson says that Charles Wilson, of this city, is working on a claim for himself and his brother. M. G. B. Henderson will come home on a visit as spon as he can manage to get away, probably next spring.

I. C. R. EXTENSIONS.

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On Saturday the work of levelling, grading and ballasting for the extension to the I. C. R. yards on the marsh was completed and on Monday morning the men started laying the last sections of the tracks. The whole force will be kept on and the work pushed through as rapidly as possible. When the job is completed there will be additional yard room for two thousand cars, or between thirteen and fourteen miles of track will have been laid. Up to the present almost two thirds of

miles of track will have been laid. Up to the present almost two thirds of this has been finished and there remain yet to be put down about five miles. When the rails are laid there will remain nothing more but the ballisting to be done, and this work will occupy but a short time.

The contract for the new roundhouse to be built in the yard has been given to Rhodes, Curry & Co., of Amherst, and it is expected that they will begin work on it almost immediately. The roundhouse will afford accommodation for eighteen engines and will have machine shops in connection with it.

which Mr. and Mrs. Olive have been members, entertained them at a picnic. On Tuesday evening Carleton friends presented Mrs. Olive with a valuable ring.

W. A. Graham, city editor of the Hartford Courant; G. L. Dickinson, advertising manager of the gray, or the serious production of the serious manager of the serious productions. a vertising manager of the same pap-and A. Dumont, of the Etna Insuran Company's head office, were in the ci-yesterday on their return from a to of Nova Scotia. They go up river t day and take steamer hence for Bost

C. P. R. SUBURBAN.
Commencing on Monday, Sept. 15th,
the C. P. R. will cancel' the 3.10 p. m.
and the 6.30 p. m. trips of thesuburban
from Fairville to West St. John. Also
the 2.30 p. m. and the 6.50 p. m. from
West St. John to Fairville. The 8.20 a.m.
train from Fairville to West St. John
and the 5.55 p. m. from West St. John
will continue until further notice. These
are in addition to the cancelling of the
morning trip of the suburban to Welsford.

ford.

The bay shore service during the time it has been in operation has been eminently satisfactory from the company's standpoint. At first it appeared that the patronage of this service would not warrant it being continued for another year, but after the train became known the number of passengers increased and the service has paid. The suburban business to Welsford has been greater during the month of August than in any other month of the year.

TOO LATE FOR CLASSIFICATION.

WANTED.—Men to go to Newcastle brand Lake. Apply to GIBBON & CO mythe street.

FRIDAY and SATURDAY SPECIALS.

NEW COSTUMES, \$7.50. DRESS SKIRTS, \$1.98 and 2.75. FLANNELETTE WAISTS, 60c., 75c. BLACK SATEEN WAISTS, \$1. 75c. CORSETS for 39c. 25c. UNDERVESTS, 2 for 25c. SALE OF SILKS, 49c. and 68c. Yd. Come Early for the Best Bargains.

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CONGREGATIONAL UNION. Fifty-fifth Annual Session Convene Here This Morning.

At ten o'clock this mouning the fifty-fifth annual meeting of the Congregational Union opened in the Congregational church. The chair was taken by Rev. S. Sykes, the vice-chairman. Rev. R. Pegrum was elected recording secretary.

Statistical secretary—Rev. G. M. Whyte.

Capt. Hilton asked that his name be not put up for balloting.

His request was granted, and the recommendations of the business committee were adopted.

Balloting will take place this aftermoon for the offices of chairman and vice-chairman.

ice-chairman. The union then adjourned until half

ARBITRATION PROCEEDINGS.

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This morning arbitration proceedings were going on before Judge McLeod in the matter of the expropriation by the city of three and a half acres of land along both sides of the Little River, Parish of Simonds, the property of William Knox, for water supply purposes. Mr. Knox claims \$3,500, two thousand as the value of the land and one thousand five hundred as damages. The witnesses examined were Andrew Gilson, Edward Skillington, Mr. Higgins and William Knox. In their opinion the water privilege was worth \$100 per year and the land worth \$3,000. C. N. Skinner, K. C., for the city and J. D. Hazen, K. C., for Mr. Knox.

FRESH FISH.

All fish are scarce just now, and have been for the past five weeks; cod and haddock particularly so. To make matters worse dog fish are prevalent in the bay. It is hoped that matters will improve in a few weeks. The quotations in the local market are: Hallbut, fifteen cents a pound; cod and haddock, five cents a pound; fresh herring, eighteen cents a dozen, and pickerel six cents a pound.

WEDDING BELLS

SYLVESTER-WATSON Miss Hattie Watson, second daughter of C. R. Watson, of Woodstock, was married yesterday afternoon at her father's residence to J. Albert Sylvester of Boston. After the ceremony the happy couple left for their future home in Boston.

WILKINSON-COOKE. WILKINSON-COOKE.

A. E. Wilkinson, of the I. C. R. general freight agent's office, and Miss Annie Cooke, second daughter of T. V. Cooke, former I. C. R. storekeeper, were married last evening at the home of the bride's parents, in Moncton. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. E. B. Hooper. Mr. and Mrs. Wilkinson left on a bridal trip to Montreal, Toronto, Albany, New York and Boston.

HIGGINS-GALLAGHER

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An interesting event in the parish of Simonds on Tuesday was the marriage of Miss Isabella E. Higgins, daughter of Thomas Higgins, Little River, to J. W. Gallagher, I. C. R. station master at Coldbrook. The ceremony took place in St. Joachim's Church, Silver Falls. Rev. A. J. O'Neill officiating, in the presence of relatives and friends of the bride and groom. The bride, wearing a dress of blue Venetian cloth will white silk waist, blue hat to match and white feather ruff, looked very at tractive. She carried a bourget of white roses and mailenhair fem. The bridesmaid was her sister, Miss Feeth Utterland. bridesmaid was her sister, Miss Bertl Higgins, and she wore a blue dre with black picture hat. Joseph O'Ne was best man. After the ceremon Mr. and Mrs. Gallagher came to too and took the train for a tour to Mor real and Quebec. The bride, who w the recipient of many elegant presen as for several years school teacher at the River, and is a very popular a decay esteemed young lady. highly esteemed young lad; groom's gift to the bride was ha: 1 some rosewood plano, and to the bridesmaid an opal ring. Among r merous and costly gifts received we an alligator purse containing \$500 in .old from John Lee and his brother, to eles of the bride.

HARRY McCLASKEY IN NEW TORK

Harry McClaskey will probabl this week in Madison Square Garden. New York, with the celebrated "Duss" Band. The phenomenal young tenor has a splendid season before him, beginning with a tour through the provinces with Jessie Maclachlan. These popular singers will be in St. John Oct. 13th and 14th.

PROVINCIAL APPOINTMENTS

C. J. Coster has been appointed a King's Counsel by the provincial government.

John McDonald, F. J. Johnston, Wil-liam J. Johnston and Geo. C. Laurence, of St. John, have been appointed jus-

tics of the peace.

H. A. McPhee has been appointed a justice of the peace in Kings Co.

Patrick Hebert has been appointed deputy registrar of deeds for the county of Westmorland.

LONDON, Ont., Sept. 10.—Rev. W. J. Clarke, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, has declined the call to the pastorate of St. Andrews church, Vancouver.