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J. N. HARVEY, Mon's and Boye' Clothler,

A SAILOR DROWNED.

Hopewell Cape.

(Special to the Star.)

MONOTON, April 17.—Frank R.
Martin, a sallor on the schooner Charles
J. Willard, at Hopewell Cape, was
drowned Tuesday night. While returning to the vessel about ten o'clock at
night with another sailor, named Suinight with another sailor, named Sul-livan, their boat capsized, throwing Martin into the water. The tide was running a rong and he drifted away in the dackness, and his cries were heard by failors on two other vessels, but before a boat could be got to him he sank. Martin was about 36 years old, unmarried, and belonged to Boston.

FREDERICTON.

Frank Shute Dying-Autopsy and Inquest-Supreme Court.

(Special to the Star.)

FREDERICTON, April 17.—Frank
Shute, of Fredericton, who went to
Havana six months ago, as teller in the
Royal Bank of Camada, has been critically ill for several days of appendicitis. A camegram late last night states
he cannot recover.
Several recruits for the fourth contingent were recruited here today.
An autopsy and inquest will be held
upon the body of an infant found at
two o'clock this morning in the privy
vault in the Lorne hote!
Mayes v. Connolly is being argued
before the supreme court today. Court
considers in Swim v. Swim. (Special to the Star.)

FOR SANTOS-DUMONT.

NEW YORK, April 17.—A syndicate tentatively supported by officials of the Brooklyn Rapid Transit Company, is preparing to offer Santos-Dumont an opportunity to disport himself in American attenuable. The syndicate will, it is stated, raise a fund of \$75,000 for the purpose of enabling M. Santos-Dumont to navigate a new dirigible balloon out to sea from Brighton Beach up the Narrows, around the Statue-of Liberty, up the East river, above the Brooklyn bridge and the new East River bridge and back again to Brighton Beach.

THE DEATH ROLL.

EPINAY, Dept. of the Seine, France, April 17.—Don Francisco Dassiss, the former King of Spain, died here last night. He was proclaimed King of Spain October 10, 1846, on his marriage to his cousin, Queen Isabella II of Spain. Queen Isabella and her husband were expelled from Spain as a result of the revolution of September 30, 1868. She formally abdicated the throne in Parls, June 25th, 1870 in favor of her son, the late King Alfonso XII., father of the present King of Spain, Alfonso XIII.

BRIEFS BY WIRE.

LONDON, April 17.—Emperor William's yacht Meteor III. in tow of the steamer Colia, passed Frawle Point at 8.40 o'clock this morning.

SPRINGFPIELD, III. April 17.—An important decision was handed down yesterday by the supreme court, in which the law of taxing foreign insurance companies doing business in Illinois two per cent, on gross premiums, is declared unconstitutional.

HOUSTON, Tex., April 17.—Reports received here tell of a "cavy rain and HOUSTON, Tex., April II.—Reports received here tell of a beavy rain and hall storm in North Texas and in the Indian territory yesterday, much damage being done to the crops and houses. W. A. Anderson tried to cross the Bosque river, near Waco, just after the heavy rise and was drowned.

SOCIAL ITEM.

"By the way, Billy, when does Easter come this year?"
"How should I know? I'm not in society."—Life,

PROF. KIMMEL

Hammer Threwing.

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TERRE HAUTE, Ind., April 17.—
Prof. J. P. Kimmel, physical instructor at the Indiana State Normal school, has been fatally injured by being accidentally struck on the head with the 16 pound hammer with which Captain Becher of the Track team was practising. The hammer struck Professor Kimmel behind the ear, causing a fracture of the skull and concussion of the brain.

The state intercollegiate field day meet is to be held in this city next month under the auspices of the Normal Athletic Association, and Professor Kimmel was making an especial effort to prepare a strong team to represent the school.

The Great English Choir Scored a Big Hit Wednesday Night.

Hit Wednesday Night.

(Halifax Herald, Wednesday.)

As many Halifax people as could be crowded into Orpheus hall were highly pleased last night in two particulars—they enjoyed a rare musical treat, and that sense which delights in seeing or hearing something notable was gratified. Fourteen boys and men, picked from the choir of Westminster Abbey. gave the first concert of a short Candian-American tour. They do not merely take a name from the famous church edifice, but are a part of the choir, enabled to take this trip mainly because the abbey is being prepared for the coronation ceremonies of King because the abbey is being prepared for the coronation ceremonies of King Edward. The eight adults who sang are lay vicars of the Abbey, and the boys, when they reach manhood, and if they stay in the choir, as they intend doing, will also take that order. There is something indescribably charming in the sweet superly singin. It key stay in the choir, as they intend doing, will also take that order.

There is something indescribably
charming in the sweet, tuneful singin,
and in the attractive appearance of
those boys, with their bright faces and
dressed in their rolling linen collars
and smart Eton jackets. They number
six and all sing soprano. Two of them
are particularly good—Master Percy
Philips and Master Craven. The former had two solos last night, in both of
which he was encored, while in the
choruses his voice and that of Master
Craven were specially telling. But
averyone of the boys is worthw of great
braise. They are selected from a number who are always kept in training
for the Abbey choir and who as fast
as their voices break are prepared for
graduation into the adult ranks of the
choir.

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There were a great many encores, the audience seeming as if it could bot get enough of the sweet music, rendered as it was with remarkable finish and precision and with very fine phrasing. One of the prime features of the programme was "The Bells of it. Michael's," with which the first part ended, a number which alone would have been a sufficient reward for the expenditure of an evening to hear it. Another memorable number was "King Henry's Song," the solo taken by Mr. Hilton, one of the bassos of the party, assisted by a concealed chorus, which came in pleasant surprise to an audience which had settled down mere ly to hear a good solo from an accom-

audience which had settled down mere ly to hear a good solo from an accomplished singer.

One other number that calls for special mention was not on the printed programme. It came as a response to an encore to the closing number—"Cruiksheen Lawn," worked up on the lines of "John Anderson, My Jo," and arranged by Sir Robert Stewart, who also had arranged "The Bells of St. Michael,"s."

ANOTHER BEHEMOTH FROM EGYPT.

EGYPT.

In the early part of last year H. J.
L. Beadnell, a member of the Geological Survey of Egypt, discovered, in the Bosque river, near Waco, just after the Bosque river, near Waco, just after the heavy rise and was drowned.

PROVINCIAL APPOINTMENTS.

Elijah B. Yerxa has been appointed deputy resistirar of deeds for York county; William A. Hayward issuer of marriage liceases for Carleton county; William Barnes, parish court commissioner in Uphanf. Kings county. Additional appointments are:—

City and County of Saint John—Frederick M. Cochran, John Collins, William O'Grady.
B. W. Smith, Frederick C. Beatty and C. B.
Allen, to be justices of the peace.

York—James Dinnip, Joseph L. Gould, Obs—
York—James Dinnip, Joseph L. a genus closely allied to, but rather more ancient, than the elephant. But in a more recent expedition Mr. Beadneil has added greatly to his former collection, and has discovered a yet stranger-looking creature, which he named arsi notherium. It was about the size of a rhinoceros, of which it appears to be an ancestor, but was a stranger-looking creature. Like that animal, it carried a large horn, but instead of this being only an agglomerated bundle of bristles, it was a huge bony protuberance from the skull, which towards the upper end divided into two tapering blunt-pointed horns, and immediately behind these two very small sharp horns, directed outwards, rise from the skull. The great nasal horn-core of this creature reminds us of a family of huge rhinoceros-like beasts, called dinocerata, which once haunted old marsh-lands west of the Rocky Mountains. It is one more of the marvels, extinct or living, in which Africa is so fertile and indicates, as the discoverer points out, that in remote geological ages themore central region of that continent must have formed one of the center's nurseries we might almost call them—in which the ancestors of the existing mammals were developed.

FRIENDLY CRITICISM.

Clara—Mr. Simpson paid you a great compliment last night.

Maude—Indeed! What did he say?

Clara—He said you seemed to be growing more beautiful every day.

Maude—That was nice.

Clara—Yer; and I reminded him of the old adage about practice—making perfect.—Chicago News.

ago News.

ATTENTIVE TO THE DITTIES.

(Cleveland Plain Dealer.)

"Yes, I'm one of the trustees of fee proposed gallery of art."

"What have you done no far?"

"So far? Why, we've caten three rangual dinners and are preparing for a fourth."

LUETGERT'S WIFE?

Frank R. Martin Meets Death at Fatally Injured By a Man Practising Believed She Is Alive Though He Is Dead.

> CHICAGO, April 17.-An apparently emented woman, believed by many who have seen her to be the wife of A Luetgert, and supposed to have been murdered by her husband, is being cared for at the Alma Mott Home of Austin Avenue, says the Chronicle

> For the supposed murder of his wife Luetgert was sentenced to the peniten tiary to serve a life sentence and die in prison. The woman, who gives her name as Mary Robbins, answers all descriptions of Mrs. Luetgert. The mental condition of the woman is such that no comprehensive explanation can be made. When asked who she is, she becomes rambling in her talk and can answer no questions intelligently it. answer no questions intelligently, it is said. Ever since the trial there has been persistent rumors that the wife of the convicted sausage maker was in hiding. The evidence upon which he was sentenced was circumstantial.

TRAITOR LYNCH.

Proof That He Led a Boer Force and Looted Farms.

LONDON, April 17.—Although there is no indication that Colonel Arthur Lynch (who formerly fought on the Boer side in the South African war, and who was elected to represent Galway city in parliament in November last), has any intention of placing himself within reach of the British courts, the government is bringing witnesses from South Africa to testify in support of the charges of treason brought against Colonel Lynch. Lewis Handley, an American by birth, and a naturalized British subject, and a farmer in the vicinity of Glence, Natal, landed in England this morning. He says Col. Lynch was the leader of a Boer force, principally composed of Irishmen, which raided his farm in 1900, confiscated his stock and other movables and destroyed his crops. Lynch informed Handley that he was a British subject.

SMOKELESS ENGINES.

CHICAGO, April 17.—Officials of the Lake Shore have determined to do away with the smoke nuisance on the entire road by the use of a new smoke consuming device.

Tests have recently been made by the management of the New York Central which have been highly satisfactory, and it is said that with careful firing there is no escape of smoke from the engines. An official of the road says: "By the use of the consumers, the comfort of the travelling public will be greatly increased as it will be possible for passengers to open car windows without being deluged with cinders and smoke. We have found that soft coal can be used, as the attachment not only consumes the smoke, but shows a saving of at least a ton of coal on an saving of at least a ton of coal on an

SOUTH AFRICA.

OTTAWA, April 16.—The Cymric, sister saip of the Victorian, which carried a battalion of the Canadian Mounted Rifles to South Africa last January, has been chartered to carry a regiment of the fourth contingent to Cape Town. She will probably sail from Halifax early pext month. This evening Hon. Dr. Borden received a cablegram from the war office stating that the Cymric, of the British Atlantic Transportation line, now in Boston harbor, was available for transport service for the fourth contingent. The minister of militia at once telegraphed to the master of the Cymric asking when the vessel would be ready to go into commission, and received a reply to the effect that the Cymric would be ready to leave Halifax with troops early in May.

LONDON, April 16.—In a despatch to the war office dated today at Pretorla. Lord Kitchener reports the cap-

ture of 150 Boers in the Klerksdorp district since April 11. CAPE TOWN, April 16.—A meeting of citizens to establish a national me-morial in honor of the late Cecil Rhodes was held here today. A com-mittee was appointed.

MADE FEATHERS FLY.

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Chas. Hurst of Hartland, N. B., thinks he had enough bad luck last week to last him 20 years. One day his house went up in smoke and ashes, and on Friday while working about the ruins he noticed a small whirlwind coming tearing through the fields and his place was directly in its path. A flock of his famous light brahmas were in the yard and three, including the rooster, were caught in the vortex of the miniature cyclone and their end was pieces. The rooster was dashed against the chimney of the old house and fell with a badly fractured neck, and the life knocked out of him. His two consorts fared worse—they were tumbled about until neck, legs, wings and ribs were broken or badly bent, and they crawled away in sadness to die.—Hartland Advertiser.

AN IMPRACTICABLE FELLOW.

(Washington Star.)

(Washington Star.)

"He's a mighty hard man to get along with," said the practical politician sadly. "Mighty hard."

"He seems thoroughly honest."

"Of course, he is. That's what makes him so erratic and unsatisfactory. Every once in awhile he insists on doing something simply because he thinks it is right, without waiting to figure out what its effect on his political prospects is liable to be."

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cous to mention. We buyer the bargains we
come an save be cents on the dollar
by buying your spring stock at the MONTREAL SECOND HAND STORE, 15 MBH
street.

Y. M. C. A SPORTS.

Don't forget the Y. M. C. A. sports to be held in the Queen's Rink on Thursday, April 17th, First-class pro-gramme has been prepared. Carleton Cornet Band will be in attendance. Entries close on Monday, the 14th.

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premises. Tel. 713.

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HELP WANTED, MALE.

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VICTORIA, B. C., April 16.—Steamer doans, of the Canadian-Australian ine, which arrived today, brought yer 350 passengers, many of them be-

ST. JOHN STAR.

ST. JOHN, N. B., APRIL 17, 1902.

THE WINTER PORT

The Star today quotes the views o a steamship man with respect to the need of increased harbor facilities. any opinion as to who should do the he does say adds to the weight of evidence in favor of prompt action. This is a matter that should engage the continued and decided attention of the city council, the board of trade, and all citizens interested in growth of our trade, winter business will increase, growth the port can handle it. In Portland federal government. Years ago Sir William Van Horne told the people of Montreal he would greatly increase the population of that city if they would rovide facilities for handling freight which the C. P. R. would bring must look for the growth of the winter port business. There should be the company, the city and the federal gov-

Hon. Israel Tarte, minister of public orks, has occasional fits of candor. In this as in several other things, he outthe master of the administration R. elevator at St. John was for political effect. This will hardly startle the mised it, when the contract was given Their surmises have strengthened into belief during the years that have followed the construction of the elevator. The moral cer tainty came home when the building It is within the remembrance of the electorate that Mr. Blair, who now represents the city of St. John, in a speech here spoke prophetically of the time, then not far distant, when the I. C. R. would, through the extension to Montreal and this elevator and the construction of the wharves give the port of Portland, Maine, "a little healthy competition." If it had depended upon Mr. Blair and his monuments Portland would have continued however, given an impetus to that new industry of turning \$160,000 elevators into car heaters. But it is hardly likely that in this Portland will endeavor to ings cost money.

But though it may not be news, it is the lips of Mr. Tarte that the elevator was constructed for political effect. Those of the faithful who have been endeavoring to keep up hope and faith in the structure and its future may now give expression to their inward doubtings. The pace has been set by the master; the humblest heeler may now follow his lead. Mr. Blair may in his speeches declare his faith in carwarmers, but the word of a greater than he has gone forth.

SOUTH AFRICAN SCHOOLS.

In view of the fact that a number of Canadian teachers are on the eve following cable from Bloemfontein to a London paper is of special interest:-

The government is formulating an education scheme for Orange River Colony. It is the intention to develop Grey College, Bloemfontein, on the lines of an English Public School. The

Grey College, Blæmfontein, on the lines of an English Public School. The English Church School has aiready consented to become a "hostel," and a master has been approved by the bishop. The government is making a similar arrangement with regard to the Wesleyans, and it is expected that a Joint Presbyterian and Dutch Reformed "hostel" will be established. It is estimated that in future the upper and lower schools shall have 300 scholars. The twon council has granted a site, valued at £25,000, for a future possible University College for students of both sexes. Experts declare that the site, which includes an area for playing fields, is the finest obtainable. A Normal Training College will start work after Easter. Dutch girls, who are employed as temporary teachers in the concentration camps, are intensely desirous of becoming trained teachers. The industrial school is still used as a military hospital, but training is going on in the camps, and 200 boys are learning wood work in Irene Camp, in the Trainsvall.

Miss Wilson, sister of the secretary to the administration, is teaching knitting and the making of point and Flemish lace to the girls in Bloemfontein camp. Her labors have been so successful that teachers from other camps are coming to learn the work during the holidays.

The total number of children in the government schools of the Grange River Colony is now 13,469, as compared with a total of 8,000 in the government and private schools under the old regime.

The president of the National Manu-

or the establishment of correspondence courses of instruction as alternative plans to meet the prevailing oesire for larger facilities for instruction in practical business methods, more parti-cularly those estering into interna-

The epidemic of smallpox in Londo nas not yet been got under control. A been notified and removed by the am-bulances. At midnight on April 2nd seven p. m.) there were 1,543 cases remaining under treatment, viz:-229 at Long Reach Hospital; 1,103 at the Gore Farm Hospital, Darneth, Kent; Castalia, at Long Reach; and 17 at the

It is proposed to erect a national memorial to Cecil Rhodes at Stortford, Clarendon and Warwick, Lord Srath cona and several members of parlia committee.

MARGARET ANGLIN.

Tells of Her Experiences and Discusse the Morals of the Stage.

Collier's Weekly has paid Miss Margaret Anglin the compliment of asking her to write an article on "The Stage as a Career for Women." The article appears in the last issue of Collier's. In the centre of the page is an excellent portrait of Miss Anglin. Across the top is a panel of portraits of Annie Russell, Mary Mannering, Margaret Dale, Maude Adams, Ida Conquest and Clara Bloodgood; and across the bottom those of Adele Ritchie, Ethel Barrymore, Virginia Harned and Julia Marlowe.

rymore. Virginia Harned and Julia Marlowe.

The Canadian actress makes no pretence to talk learnedly of the stage, but with simple directness tells very entertainingly her own experience. She went to New York in 1893 to study elocution in a dramatic school, and with no intention of going upon the stage, Indeed her first appearance at the Empire Theatre, (at a final performance of a school year) was marked by an error which caused her to cry long and bitterly, and almost discouraged her. But she was even then engaged by Frohman to play minor roles in "Shenandoah," and in these was successful. Then for a season, 1896-7, she could get very little to do, until James O'Neill engaged her and she was given opportunity to appear as Ophelia, Virginia, Julie, and Mercedes in Monte Christo. Next she was engaged by Daniel Frahman to play a soubrette part which she hated; but, she tells us, she "swallowed her tears and pride" (it was the part of Meg. in Lord Chumicy), and as a reward for conscientious work was given the role of Lady Ursula." This in turn led to her engagement to play Roxane with Mr. Mansfield. turn led to her engagement to play Roxane with Mr. Mansfield.

"I may say, therefore," observes Missinglin, "that that nasty little Meg Angin, "that that nasty little meg really led to my being 'discovered," Speaking out of her own experience, Miss Anglin commends good schools of acting to young women wishing to go on the stage. She thinks the stage

of acting to young women wishing to go on the stage. She thinks the stage as a career offers more and more opportunities for women, who can rise step by step there as in, any other employment. Her closing words, since they deal with a question much discussed, may be quoted in full:

"As regards the temptations of the stage, that are so frequently spoken of by moralists, I believe that question can be summed up in the simple statement that the stage offers no greater temptations to women than any other employment that takes them from the household circle. It is a question which every woman, whether she be on the stage or on Fifth avenue, answers for herself."

Throughout the brief article Missingle of the stage of the stage

Throughout the brief article Miss nglin gives, without intending it, glimpses of a charming personality, which surcess has not marred. Her defence of the morals of the stage is none the less forceful because of the quiet dignity of her closing sentence.

In writing indignantly of a recent show in Kensington, P. E. I., the correspondent of the Charlottetown Patriot says:—"Let this "showman" remember that the people of Kensington are accustomed to enjoy good entertainments, such as Price Webber has been giving there annually for the last twelve years; therefore they are well qualified to judge, and will not be imposed upon by any travelling fraud."

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MARTIN-KELSO—At 45 Sewell street, St.
John, N. B., by Rev. W. W. Rainnie, on
April 16th, 1902, Alexander L. Martin to
Billa May Kelso, both of St. John, N. B.
BISHOP-CAIN—At the Baptist parsonage,
Sussex, on April 15th, by Rov. W. Camp,
Whitefield Bishop to Miss Nettle Cain,
both of Bigin, Albert Co., N. B.
HANINGTON-SADLER—At St. Andrew's
church, on April 16th, by the Rev. L. 20.
Macniell, Bessie J., daughter of the late
William Sadior of Chatham, N. B., to
Charles Stanley Hanington, only son of A.
H. Hanington, Esq., of this city.

DEATHS.

TREDERICTON, N. B., April 16— The death occurred this evening of Wm. K. Allen, ex-M. P. P., after six months' painful filness, of cancer in the neck, though the immediate cause of death was heart failure. He had

of death was heart failure. He had been in a semi-conscious condition for the past twenty-four hours.

Mr. Allen was one of the best known and most highly respected residents of Fredericton, and represented York county in the house of assembly from 1891 to 1896. He was a life long conservative and rendered the party valiant service in the general election of 1991 as chairman of the campaign committee. The deceased was the eldest living son of the late Sir John Allen, chief justice of the province, and was born at Fredericton in March, 1851. For the past twenty years he has been bookkeeper for the Fredericton Boom Company. In October last he was found to be suffering from cancer, and in November went to Boston and took special treatment for eight weeks, getting, only temporary relief.

After his return home he underwent the X-ray treatment at the hands of Dr. Atherton of this wing. Mr. Allen leaves a widow, twa sons, John C., and Kenneth, by his first, and one daughter by his second wife. Three brothers survive, T. C. Allen, clerk of the pleas; Geo. W., M. P. P. for York, and E. H. of Moncton, claims agent of the I. C. R. The funeral will take place on Friday aftersson.

Telegrams received by lumbermen here today from the head waters of the St. John state that stream driving operations are practically suspended owing to lack of water. Similar conditions prevail on the Aroostook, according to the same advices.

The supreme court re-convened this morning, and was occupied all day hearing argument in the case of Swim v. Swim and Kelly. Barry, K. C., for plaintiff, moved to set aside verdict for defendants and to enter verdict for plaintiff, or, failing that, for a new trial; A. J. Gregory, contra.

The case of Mayes v. Connolly, the only other case standing for argument this term, will be taken up to-morrow morning.

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Hon. L. P. Farris and Ora P. King, M. P. P., leave tomorrow to purchase horses for the government, a grant for which was voted by the legislatures. They go first to Lewiston Corner to see Sanborn's. French coach hores, and thence to Montreal and Ontario. Seven stallions in all will be bought, two French coach, two Clydesdale, two thoroughbreds and one hackney. Messrs. Farris and King expect to be away three weeks. The horses will arrive here about the time they are turn, and will be sold to breeders in different parts of the province.

CAMPISELLTON, April 16.—The business portion of Metapedia, Quebec, was wiped out today by fire. The fire is said to have been caused by burning rubbish. The principal buildings destroyed no. The bottle and store life is said to have been caused by burning rubbish. The principal buildings destroyed are the hotel and store of J. E. Gillis, the hotel and store of J. E. Gillis, the hotel and store of E. Dairon, in which was the post office, and the Catholic church. About 300 feet of the I. C. R. snow shed was also destroyed.

It was with difficility that the fishing lodge of Lord Stratheona was saved. It is said that little or no insurance was carried and at this time of year the stocks in the stores would be heavy.

I. C. R. District Supt, J. E. Price and a crew of men went up on a special to render assistance this afternoon, and this evening food and other necessary supplies were forwarded from here.

HALIFAX RECRUITS.

HALIFAX, N. S., April 16.—Twentytwo men were sworn in by the recruiting officer here today for the South
African contingent and 43 others are
awaiting examination for enrolment.
The following names were announcde at the brigade office as having received commissions: Major Boulion
is made a captain, and C. F. Pooley
and S. F. Morrison as lieutenants.
Boulion has for fifteen years been in
the Halifax Garrison Artillery; Pooley
was out with the first contingent as
a private, and Morrison, who is a
New Brunswicker, now on the staff
of the Bank of Nova Scotia here, was
a trooper with Colonel Lessard in the
second contingent, having been mentioned in despatches. HALIFAX, N. S., April 16 .- Twenty-

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TORONTO, April 16.—Sixteen men who had passed the medical, riding and shooting tests were sworn in by Col, Otter for the 4th contingent today. Major Williams, R. C. D., Major Henderson, 48th Highlanders; Capt. Van Straubenzie, R. C. D., and Lieut. Kingsford, Q. O. R., left tonight for Halifax to help in the organization of the contingent.

At Kingston today seven recruits passed all examinations and were sworn in. At Port Hope six passed.

At Brantford twelve were accepted, and Hamilton four passed.

ath of W. K. Allen, cs.M. P. P. Novelty Dress

Blouse Fabrics.

Dress Goods Room, Ground Floor

Brinted de Laine, all-wool, 35c., 38c.,

Albatros Cloth, pink, fawn, cardinal, white, cream, electric, pearl, torquoise,

Taffeta Cloth, grey, rose, cardinal, fawn, electric, cream, new rose.

Silk and Wool Viole, Nile, biscuit, pink and grey, with write stripe and spot, \$1.00.
White and Cream Brilliantine, 75c. Cream Serges, 52c., 58c. and 75c.
White and Cream Broche and Spot Mohair, 70c., 98c.
Silk and Wool Gloria, white and oream, 75c.

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Silk and Wool Gloria, pearl, Nile, rose, biscuit, pink, ciel, electric black, 65c.

Atoatros Ciota, pink, fawn, cardinal, white, cream, electric, pearl, torquoise, 45c.

Taffeta Cloth, grey, rose, cardinal, fawn, electric, cream, new rose.

Two-Tone Brilliantine, ox-blood rose, 59c.

- GET YOUR --

READY MIXED PAINTS. WINDOW GLASS and HARDWARE

AT C. F. BROWN'S, 501-5 Main Street.

BULL WHIPS A LION.

Desperate Battle in the Juarez Ring,

EL PASO, Tex., April 15.—From a standpoint of brutality Sunday's fight at the Juarez buil ring between a four-year-old South African lion and a Mex-

In parliament at Ottawa yesterday, Mr. Gibson, of Marysville, presented a petition for an extension of time to introduce a bill separating the Gibson Co.'s railway interests from the manufacturing business, and creating a new company to own and operate the Canada Eastern Railway.

To the Lungs.

Do you go to Chicago to reach Quebec? No. There's a better and more direct way. Then why try direct way. Then why try to reach your lungs by way of your stomach? Don't. Better go straight to the lungs at once. Just light the vaporizer and breathe-in the healing, soothing vapors of Cresolene. The medicine goes exactly to the right place. Your lungs quickly heal and your cough disappears. For whooping-cough it's simply perfect.

Vapo-Cresolene is sold by druggiets everywhere. The Vaporizer and Lamp, which should last a lifetime, and a bottle of tresolene complete, \$1.50; attres supplies of Cresolene 25 cents and 50 cents monilals free upon request. Vapo-Cresolene Congruential free upon request.

KRUGER'S TROUBLES

There is Dissension Among the Boer

(London Standard.)

There is Dissension Among the Boer Texas—King of Beasts Almost Killed.

El. PASO, Tex. April 16.—From a standpoint of brutality Sunday's fight at the Juares built risp between a four-year-old South African lion and a Mexican built was a success.

The buil proved the master, and in only one fistance did he get the worst. The lion was badly whipped, and will probably did from his injuries. He was gored time and time again by his ferrer and the stand tossed about on the horns of the enraged buil like a stuffed animal.

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At the end of the fight is right force the worst of the lion was bleeding profusely from the mouth and sides. The fight was finally stopped by the Mexican authorities, who commanded the owner of the lion to either terminate the fight or submit to arrest.

The fight was witnessed by a purely American crowd. Time and time again the crowd cheered lustily.

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The third round was decidedly in favor of the Hon. Springing on the built's back he drove his teeth in, remaining for that position for several moments, but reasonable the two bears was as surprised at the furiously. In the second mix-up the honors were about the second mix

HAD \$1760°; DIDN'T KNOW IT.

WINCHENDEN, Mass., April 16 .-WINCHENDEN, Mass, April 16.—
James Harriman, a hooper, employed
in a pail factory here is rejoicing in
the possesion of a comfortable bank account of which he had been in utter
ignorance. Mr. Harriman was notified
by the bank that \$1700 was being carried on its rolls in his name, and that
it exceeded the limit upon which interest could be paid. At the bank he
learned that the sum was the result of
a deposit made by his mother in his
name 32 years ago. Mr. Harriman
had never been informed of the account. count.

FOUND DEAD STANDING BRECT.

CHICAGO, April 16.—Standing erect and tightly wedged in a narrow space between the headboard of the bed and the wall, the bedy of Mrs. Catherine Dorr, 44 years of age, wife of John Dorr, a wealthy retired architect, was found Tuesday night in her home in this city. What caused her death and how she happened to expire in such a strange posture the police are unable to determine.

A NOVA SCOTIAN.

Ruptures Blood Vessel and Bleeds to Death.

While chatting with friends in the barroom of the Milwaukee house, Grand Falls, Montana. on April' 8th, George McPeppard ruptured a blood vessel, fell to the floor and bled to death in a few minutes. Mr. McPeppard was a native of Nova Scotia, where his relatives now reside, He was 42 years old and unmarried. He had been engaged in the stock business in Teton county for several years, living at Shelby and Pondera. He had dealt extensively in horses in recent, years and leaves considerable wealth.

Last summer Mr. McPeppard was injured in a fall from a hay wagon. An aneurism of the arch of the aorta resulted. Mr. McPeppard went to Great Falls for medical treatment and from Nov. 15 to Feb. 20 last was a patient at Columbus hospital. Subsequently he had been alternating between there and Pondera, attending to his business. He knew that death was a matter of but a short time and that it would come with any unusual exertion. The aneurism burst just after he coughed, and death ensued. Coroner Sweeney, who has been Mr. McPeppard's physician, decided that no inquest was necessary.

HOW TO LIVE A MANLY LIFE.

That Was the Topic on Which Rev. Minot J. Savage, D. D., Discoursed.

An audience of unusual size crowded Appleton chapel at Cambridge, Mass., to hear what Rev. Minot J. Savage, D. D., formerly of Cambridge, but now of New York, would say about The Manly Life. What he said was in part as follows:

"Thousands of men and women live their lives through and never half begin to realize the possibilities of manhood and womanhood. A man may he a splendid animal, and not be a man. He may live a happy life in his family, toving his wife and children, laboring for them and pouring out his affection upon them, and yet not be living the true, high, ideal, manly life at all.

"A man may make a great reputation in literature, and not be living the high, ideal manly life. A woman may win social triumphs and yet the true womanly life may be something unattained, undreamed of, perhaps, so far is it beyond and above her. A man may have the world at his feet as a conqueror, he may become the wealthlest of his age, having money from every quarterof the world put into his hands as a source of power and influence, and yet not climb up into the essential things that make him a man.

"If a man wishes to lead the manly life, he must consecrate himself to the pursuit of truth. The truth-seeker is the only God-seeker. Truth only is divine, however venerable opinion may be. Men and women have no right to think merely as they please in religious matters or in any other direction. People seem to fancy that if they take a liking to a certain form of bellef, or a certain organization, they have a right to adopt and make it their own. We have a right, people say, to our own opinion. You have no such right. No man has a right to anything in the way of opinion that is not the truth. One great obligation incumbent upon us here is that we do our best to find the truth and to be loyal to the truth, not to that which happens o please us. "If we can live the kind of life of which I have been speaking, then what? These common, human lives of ours are lifted up out of pettiness and inconsequence and are made to be full of meaning. I believe there is something wrong in a man who finds less of romance in the world to me then that there is now; there was not a tithe of the depth and sweetness in human life to me then than there is now. I believe th

CARPETS. CARPETS. CARPETS.

f Will you let us dust or renovate your carpets this year. We will satisfy you.
UNGAR LAUNDRY, DYING AND
CARPET CLEANING WORK, Telephm 58.

MARK TWAIN'S MOTOR

(New York Tribune.)
Captain Thomas Bixby, under whom
Samuel L. Clemens—Mark Twain—
served as pilot and engineer on the old
Mississippi river boat Swallow, has

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"The craft was a little, shaky affair, which piled between St. Louis and Catro, it had a stern wheel, a place for freight and passengers, a pilot house and a place on what may be called the pilot deck for the engine.

"That 'engine' went aboard when it was needed, and only then. It burned no wood or coal, but ate a powerful ight of grass. It was a large gray mule named Jerry, which worked a tree dmill that propelled the boat. Sam uel Clemens was chief engineer and a liot.

"He' tive and ingenious. By pulling a co, if he could raise a head of cabbage is 'would start and begin to make fare in the boat floated majestically down to rup the river, as the case might be. 'would start and begin to make farer in the boat floated majestically down to rup the river, as the case might be. 'would start and begin to much eff a barytone for the terms. His ing to be personal, I will say that Joyry I ever met. His intelligent animals the order of a for, hern than a whissite, being too much eff a barytone for the terms. When same wanted to whis the a stick."

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Mrs. Museins—"is Mrs. Wigw ag active in public life?"

Birs. Buggins—"Active! Why, that woman belongs to 18 different socie, ties for the suppression of things:—Phil. 2-deiphia Record.

ST. JOHN IN 1818.

ome of the Firms Who Advertised in the Star of That Year.

(Continued.)

Among the advertisements in the St.

John Star of Aug. 18th. 1818. were
those of Richard Sands & Co., dealers
in dry goeds, groceries, hardware and
glassware; William Fagan & Co., dry
goods, hardware, groceries and liquors;
Gilbert & Simends, who offered cargo
of sugar, molasses and rum; Stephen
Humbert, tobaccos and chocolate;
Thos. M. Smith, dry goods, boots and
shoes, groceries, provisions and liquors.

Robert Wallace and Alex. Calder announced that they would leave the province in September and asked a settlement of all accounts.

The new circulating library, Market Square, offered "a few dozen capital red and blue roan skins, on liberal credit," and books, stationery and music. Music was taught and planofortes tuned. "Antique oil for the hair, warranted genuine," was "only one shilling per bottle."

John M. Wilmot advertised an auction of merchandise of various kinds, including pork, lard, tea, dry goode and cordage.

John Leavitt offered £5 reward for the discovery of the person who stole

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James Butter, at Mr. Foster lodging King street, offered "an elegant family gig, with folding top, springs and a complete set of double plated harness; and a second hand gig of the same description with new harness, brass mounted; also a suit of new sails and some salmon net twine.

Gale & Cook, "at their store on Water street, nearly opposite the store of Nehemiah Merrit," offered "a quantity of mould and dipt Candies of their own manufacture, equal in color and quality, of longer durability, and give as clear a light as any imported from Great Britain; also rush-lights,—one will burn from 10 to 12 or 14 hours; need no snuffing, and has no unpleasant smell while burning, or when extinguished; their use is much recommended by Gentlemen of the Faculty in case of sickness. Dip candles may be had of any size from 4 to 30 in the lb.; lanthorn ditto, from 10 to 24 do. Moulds 4 and 6 long and 6 and 8 short."

J. C. F. Bremner, post master, announced that "a mail will be made up at this office regularly to go by the Steam Boat to Fredericton."

This issue of the Star contained the following marriage notice:—"On Wednesday evening last, by the Rev. Mr. Willis, Mr. Henry Lord to Miss Margaret Spragg, both of this city."

DEATH OF MRS. JOHN D. ROB-ERTSON.

ERTSON.

The death took place yesterday, after a short illness, of Margaret Ann, wife of John D. Robertson, in the 77th year of her age, leaving a husband, four sons and four daughters to mourn. Mrs. Robertson was a sister of the late Robert and James Reed. Her sons are Andrew D. Robertson of Philadelphia; Robert R., also living in the United States; LeBaron B. of St. John, and Clarence H., in South America. The daughters are Mrs. James A. Robertson of Folcroft, Pa.; Mrs. Wm. Kerr, and Miss Florence M. Robertson, both of St. John, and Mrs. William Hayes of Ottawa. Mrs. Robertson's death will be deeply regretted in the home circle.

The funeral will take place from her late residence, 49 Garden street, on Saturday at 2.30 p. m.

MUSICAL FESTIVAL

The executive committee of the N. B. Musical Festival met at the president's house last night and elected Fred C. Macnelll as secretary in place of Miss Edith McCafferty, resigned. The practice night was changed from Thursday to Tuesday, after this week. Miss Smith was appointed planist. Thursday to Tuesday, after this week. Miss Smith was appointed planist. Mrs. J. M. Barnes having resigned. A list of honorary members was opened, and all persons interested in the chorus and its development are invited to become members and have the privilege also of attending rehearsals. Mr. Chapman is expected to he here the last week in April. All members are requested to be present tonight to take up the new music which has arrived.

READINGS FROM THE PRINCESS

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The last of the series of delightful entertainments given in the school room of Germain Street Baptist Church during the winter was held last night. The feature of the evening was the reading of selections from Tennyson's Princess by Miss Ina Brown, whose splendid elecution was received by the large audience with hearty applause. Musical additions to the programme were solos by Miss Bostwick and Mrs. Freeze. At the close a vote of thanks, moved by T.S. Simms and seconded by E. Dolg, was extended to the participants by Dr. G. U. Hay, the chairman.

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The following gentlemen have been asked by the executive of the Exhibition Association to act as a committee for the revision of this year's prize list and a number of leading stock men and others will be invited to advise with them at various times. Those asked to form the committee are: D. J. McLaughlan, S. S. Hall, Charles A. Everett, Dr. J. H. Frink, Dr. F. J. Johnston, R. R. Fatchell, H. B. Hall, W. McFate, Dr. Thos. Walker and L. B. Knight. They will meet in the Relief and Aid Society's rooms at three o'clock this afternoon to discuss: the prizes offered in the horse department, and tomorrow (Friday) morning at 10 o'clock, to take up the cattle, sheep and swine prizes.

BRAMPTON, Ont. April 16.— And.

BRAMPTON, Ont., April 16.— And-rew Carnegie recently offered \$10,000 for the erection of a free public library building here. The town council at a special meeting tonight accepted the offer.

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PORT ARTHUR, April 16.— Andrew
Carnesie has offered \$10,000 for a new
public library building here.

Bloyclists and all athletes depend on
BENTLEY'S Limment to keep thair
joints limber and muscles in trim.

SHIPPING NEWS.

Arrived.

Bark Ashlow, 635, Larkin, from Perth Amboy, J. S. Glibbon and Ge.
Coustwise-Schs, Citizen, 46, Woodworth, from Bear River; Fred and Norman, 31, Frask, frem Weymouth; Electric Light, 34, Dillon, from Digby; Friendship, 65, Wilbur, from Watersde: Havelock, 33, James, from Campobello; Glide, 86, Reld, from Harvey.

Cleared.

Sch. Francis Shubert, 183, Starkey, for City, Island f. o.; Steison, Cuther and Co.
Coastwise-Schs. Citizen, Woodworth, for Bear River; Theima, Apt, for Annaponlis.

SPORTING NEWS.

NEW YORK, April 17.—The Toronto La-crosse players followed their grand display gainst Kent by trouncing Essex, 14 goals to 1, says a London despatch to the Tribune, it is now recognized that it will take a good team to stop the Canadians.

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DENVER, Colo., April 17.—The police will permit young Corbett to appear in a sparring contest in this city May 23. "Reddy." Galligher will give a "smoker" at the Coliscum Hall on that date, and it's said Dave Sullivan will be Corbett's opponent.

COMMERCIAL

changes:
Total reserve, increased, £757,000; circulation, decreased, £207,000; buillion, increased, £449,000; other securities, decreased, £1,722,000; other deposits, decreased, £866,000; Public deposits, decreased, £163,000; notes reserve, increased, £684,000; government securities unchanged. The proportion of the Bank of England's reserve to liabilities is 0.24 per cent.

Broker, Palmer's	Building.			
	Ap	ril 16,	1902.	
Yester-	To-			
	day's.			
Names of Stock. Cl'g.		11 a.m.	Noon	
Amal Copper	64%	651/4	6456	
Am Sugar Refin133	13334		133	
A, T and Santa F 80%	80%	8114	811/6	
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	1091/4	108%	108%	
Brooklyn R T	651/2		671/4	
Canadian Pacific	1201/2	1211/4	121%	
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C, M and St Paul 170%	1711/4	****	170%	
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Colo Southern	29%		29%	
Consolidated Gas	2247/8		224	
D and Rio G, pfd	921/8	2000	001	
Erie 37%	371/4	38%	38 14 69 %	
Erie, 1st pfd	69%	691/2	144	
Illinois Central144%	124	122%	12314	
Louisville and N125%		133%		
Manhattan Ry	155	154	****	
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N Y, O and West 33 Norfolk and West 571/2	5734	5734		
Pennsylvania R R	150%	151	1511	
Reading		60%	619	
Reading Co., 1st pld	831/2	831/4	831	
Read Co, 2nd pfd	70	70	G6%	
Southern Pacific Co. 66%	67		66%	
Southern Rd 371/4	36%	36%	36%	
Texas and Pacific. 43%	43%	43%	43%	
Union Pacific 1021/4	102%	1021/4	1021	
Union Pacific, pfd	87%	871/2	414	
U S Steel, common	411/6	41%	941	
U S Steel, pfd 931/2	93%	941/2	346.76	
Wabash 24%	24%	25		
Wabash, pfd 44%	911/4		91%	
West Union Tele 911/2	21.72		31%	

WEATHER BULLETIN.

issued by Authority of the Department of Marine and Fisheries. R. F. Stupart, Director of Meter Service.

Telephone 1286. St. John Observatory, April 17, 1902. Weather Reports from Observations Take

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Montreal29.92	44	S.E.	12	Cloudy.	
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Eastport 30.02	38'	N.E.	6	Fair.	
Boston29,96	48	S.W.	6	Clear.	
New York29.94	44	N.W.	4	Clear.	
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Forenoon Bulletin From Toronto.

Forecasts—Light variable winds and mostly fair: Friday, easterly winds and mostsettled, with local showers.

Synopsis—There are no important disturbances shown on this morning's weather chart,
but the weather is becoming rathay unsettled
both in Western Canada and in the Atlantic
states. Winds are light northespaterly near,
the American coast.

Note.—Telegraph messages of enquiry regarding the weather, from ports where the
morning bulletin is not posted, addressed to
"Observatory, St. John," will be answered
without delay. Enquiry and answer coat but
one rate, which must be pard by enquirer.

BAINT JOHN OBSERVATORY.

D. L. HUTCHINSON, Director

FOREIGN NOTES OF INTEREST.

In the Suez Canal recently burning oil which leaked from the tank steamer Nerite covered the surface of the waterway for half a mile. As, a result ships were unable to pass for about two hours.

Protestants are generally well respected in Turkey and are allowed to preach, teach and worship in their own way, athough son etimes when troubles have occurred they have been attacked by ignorant ruffans who mistook them for Armenians.

Another meritorious so-called modern invention—the water tight buikhead—is now attributed to Chinese experience. In a paper presented to the institute of Marine Engineers the use of the buikhead principle on Chinese innks from time immemorful was pointed out.

A LIGHT HEART.

(Richard La Gallienne in Success.)

A light heart under failure is one of the conditions of success which may be written down as an essential. No doe should need to be warned against the deleterious effects of the blues. Nothing deadens the heart of enterprise or unstrings the newses of action like a fit of the blues. In one of those-beautiful prayers which Robert Louis Sievenson write for us, in this Samsonn boughold, he prayed for 'courage and galety' and a quiet mind. A man who backs up his brains with these three girts has all the odds in his lave or. It is next to impossible that he should fail in which the indertakes to accomplish. Calety is the essayed of power. What is thereony failures, when you know you are bound to get there?

Red Rose tea suits the taste of more

Red Rose tea suits the taste of more people in these provinces than any other tea on the market.

SUPT. STETSON OF MAINE

Declares Children Are Sent to School Too Young and Crowded Too Much With Work.

Much With Work.

State School Supt. W. W. Stetson, who has frequently lectured in Bangor delivered an address in the Universalist church in Biddeford on Sunday evening which is attracting much attention from the newspapers owing to the fact that he took occasion to condemn the present school system which crowds numberless subjects for study upon the pupils. He said in part:—
"It is part of the duty, the business of parents and the public generally telearn demnitely the physical surroundings of the children of the public schools. We are liable to say harsh things about the impudence of our boys. It is a wonder to me that they are," Mr. Stetson criticised the disregard paid to the surroundings of school children and declared that the men and women who live in the cities are responsible for the conditions that prevail in the courty.

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"We have no moral right to isolate ourselves," said he, "to shut ourselves up and to say we are better than thou. Take out of the cities the men who were born and reared on the farms and you take out of the cities a very large proportion of the professional men and business of these cities. We owe these country people something and it is a debt we should be glad to pay. You have crowded the public schools with courses of studies until the list is so long that a child cannot master it properly. You cannot blame the teachers for this. The blame belongs to those who want to make the vain boast that their schools are in advance of those of their neighboring cities. One of these days we will stop and recover our sanity and when we do we will throw out from the schools a long list of studies with which our schools are now overloaded. Some will say that this is making progress backwards, but it is not so."

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not so."

Mr. Stetson then touched upon the subject of the age at which children should be sent to school. He said that children should be kept in the open air, be permitted to play in the dirt and run about in the sunshine and through the grass until they are seven or eight or nine years old. This will give the children a chance to grow and to become strong so that when they do enter school they will be in a condition physically and mentally to attack and master their studies and to get the benefits from their studies that they do not get now."

"Now they go to school at a too early age and are given studies that are far beyond their capacity," said Sppt. Stetson, "and as a result they are called stupid, listless and dull. We cannot raise the school age at once, but it can be done by degrees and we can gradually go from five to six, then to seven and then to eight or nine years. We can do this in a way to enable a child to read understandingly, to learn geography properly and mathematics. The school officials cannot do it by themselves, but the clergymen, the business men, the teachers and the alone, the children cannot do it by themselves, but the clergymen, the business men, the teachers and the parents and the children must stand together and work it out together. It appalls me when I realize the amount of money and time that is put into educational work in this state and you stand by and allow these abuses to go

cm.

"One of the most important things in the world is the training of the child for the future. What was good enough to years ago is not good enough to years ago is not good enough today. The training of the boys and girls for the large and responsible stations they are to occupy must not be confined to the school room, but it must find place in the church and in the home. Education is not limited to the school-room. It is found in the highway, in the home and church. We want these lives so trained that not only reading, writing, geography and mathematics are te be mastered, but so the children can see and understand the beauty that is all about us, so that they may look at the canvasses of the masters, like that of the Angelus, and read from them the messages that artists have to give, that work is the light of the world.

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We want less of the mechanical rou "We want less of the mechanical routine, less of studied preparation for brilliant examination day exhibitions and more thorough sunderstanding work. We want to learn more about Christ and less about the heathen gods. Give to your child a chance to go to school, to learn geography, to become acquainted with some of the masters and the time will come when Maine will go back to her place at the head, stand where she should stand, where her motto says she must stand."

SUCCESSFUL ENTERTAINMENT.

The West End city hall was crowded to the doors last night, when a most enjoyable entertainment was given by the West End Dramatic Club, pupils of Miss M. Florence Rogers. The members of the club presented four sketches, and the interpretation of the parts was very creditable.

Those who took part were L. Love, J. O'Reilly, G. Andrews, F. Mosher, Miss B. Maxwell, Miss, B. Moran, Miss B. Shamper, P. Parks, A. Rankine, P. Rankine, Miss F. Clark, J. W. Carleton, F. Morrison, Miss W. Retaillck, Miss B. McSorley, Miss B. Clark, Geo. Andrews, R. Brittain, Miss M. Roxborough and Miss L. O'Reilly.

During the evening Walter Nixon rendered a whistling solo, Miss Maxwell gave a recitation and A. Rankine sang a solo, The entertainment was a grand success.

grand success. POINTS ABOUT PEOPLE. The German Emperor owns about 359 carriages for the use of himself and his court.

his court.

General Walter Kitchener, brother of
Lord Kitchener, is going to India to
take over the command of a first class

take over the command of a first class district.
The gold medal offered by the Paris Council for the most numerous and best behaved family of children has been won by a couple named Gallez, parents of thirteen youngsters.
James Doll, the oldest English actor, is 98 years of age. He never appeared in London, but spent his life in Devonshire and at Exeter acted Launcelot Gobbo to Edmund Kean's Shylock.

MORNING'S NEWS.

LOCAL WILL The Chosen Friends will meet in Foster's Hall, Charlotte street, this ev

rester's Hall, Charlotte street, this evening.

Miss Ina Brown will read an appropriate selection at the Sunday afternoon service in the Opera House.

The last mail boat of the winter service, the Ionian, which is due at Hallfax the latter part of this week, has in all 1,013 passengers.

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All officers of the Boys' Brigade are requested to attend a meeting tonight at 8 o'clock in St. Stephen's church school room to make further arrangements about the summer camp.

Edward Yardy, hrother of Mrs. Calvin Powers, of this city, and probably the oldest printer in the Maritime Provinces, is seriously ill at the home of his daughter, Mrs. W. H. Everett, of Woodstock.

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Miss Helen Melick, of 31 Carleton street, entertained a party of friends last evening. About 30 guests were present and the time was most pleasantly spent in music, dancing and progressive whist.

At the Carpenters' and Joiners meeting last evening three new members were taken in. The report of the Trade and Labor Council and other communications were read and general business was transacted. The meeting adjourned until next Wednesday night, when a special attendance is requested, as important matters will come before the gathering.

Tuesday afternoom fire completely destroyed James Marley's wooden house at Milford and partly damaged a near by house owned by John Murphy. Both buildings were occupied by their owners and were insured, the former in the Central and the latter in the North British and Mercantile. Marley's house was totally destroyed, while the damage to Murphy's house has been appraised at seventy-five dellars.

PROVINCIAL.

Fourteen farmers from the vicinity of Andover have moved into Aroostook,

Dr. L. R. Murray, of Sussex, will go with the fourth contingent as a sur-

geon.

Major W. C. Good, of Woodstock, who went out to South Africa with the second contingent, has been offered and accepted a captaincy in the fourth con-

accepted a captaincy in the fourth con-tingent.

The steamer Malin Head has been swarded £2,400 for standing by the Neckar, while she was being towed in-to Halifax by the Karlshue.

Henry Davidson, of Tracadie, sent-enced to life imprisonment in Dor-chester penitentiary four years ago for having shot a man named Bowman, has been liberated, as the surgeon de-clared that further confinement would prove fatal. prove fatal.
At North Salem six miles from Shub

At North Saiem six miles from Shub-enacadie, on Tuesday night, a boiler of the Robert Gass steam mill explod-ed. Fireman Boutilier was thrown many feet, terribly scalded and had his shoulder dislocated.

It is stated that the Canadian Paci-fic railway has given out contracts to the extent of \$5,000,000 for more loco-motives and rolling stock. Miss Nora O'Brien is engaged to play with Harkins next summer.

MEETINGS, ETC.

A concert will be held at the Mail street Boys' Mission tonight.
Court Yukon, C. O. F., with hold its regular monthly meeting in Orange Hall, Germain street, this evening.
The full rehearsal of oxohestra, and choir for the St. George'm Society anniversary service, will be held in Trinity church this evening at 8 o'clock, sharp. It is hoped every member will attend.

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A splendid programme of vocal and instrumental solos and readings by the best talent procurable in the city has been prepared for the entertainment to be given in Zion church this evening. The proceeds, which will be received by voluntary contributions, will go toward the trust fund.

DOOLEY ON DECADENCE.

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"Why is England losin' her supremacy, Hinnissy? Because Englishmen get down to their jobs at litvin o'clock figurin' a goluf scoor on their cuffs an' lave at a quarter to twelve on a bloycle, . . . Ye can't keep yer eye on the ball an' on, th' money at th' same time. Ye've got to be wan thing or another in this worruld. I never knew a good card player or a great sportsman that cud do much of anything else. . . Did ye ever hear iv a good care payer or a great sports man that cud do much of anything else. . . . Did ye ever hear iv Grant wearin' any medals if ra hundherd yard dash? Did annywan iver tell ye iv th' number iv base hits made be Abraham Lincoln? Is there anny record iv George Washin'ton doin' a turn on a thrapeze or Thomas Jeffer son gettin' th' money if'r throwin' th' hammer? In me younger days, 'twas not considered rayspictable if'r to be an athlete. An athlete was always a man that was not sthrong enough if'r wurruk. Fractions druv him fr'an school an' th' vagrancy laws druv him to baseball."

FISHING THROUGH STREET GRATINGS.

GRATINOS.

In Winchester, England, it is quite a common thing to see men fishing throug the street gratings. Under the High street there flow several streams which ultimately discharge into the River Itchen, a noted trout stream. These streams receive the storm and surface water from the street by means of the ordinary street grating. The line is dropped through and fastened to the end of a stick small enough to go through the grate. When the fish is hooked, the line and stick are dropped through the grating, and the fisherman rushes to the point where the stream emerges from under the street and is there able to recover his line and land his fish.

They are talking of running the Rev.

They are talking of running the Rev. Charles M. Sheldon for mayor of Tepeka, Kan. Mr. Sheldon is the author of the book called "In His Steps," and about two years ago edited the Topeka Capital for a week to show how he believed Christ would run a paper.

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Stmr. MAGGIE MILLER will leave Mil-

JOHN McGOLDRICK, Agent.

KENNEBECCASIS CHALET. The annual meeting of the Kenneeccasis Chalet Company, Ltd., was held at the "chalet." Riverside, Kings

Co., N. B., on Tuesday lest. Co., N. B., on Tuesday lest.

The report of the house committee for the paist season showed, a substantial balance on the right side of the ledger as the result of the summer's work, and the expenditure on capital account has materially increased the facilities of the company to cater to the wants of those desiring an outing within easy reach of the city.

The following were elected directors for the ensuing year: H. H. Pickett, F. A. Dykeman, Geo. A. Henderson, Geo. E. Williams, J. N. Wetmore, J. E. Angevine, S. Dunn Scott, F. L. Harrison, I., H. Northrup and H. D. Pickett.

The first meeting of the new directors will be held in the Y. M. C. A. par-

lors, Charlotte street, on Friday evening at 8 o'clock.

GOING TO WEST AFRACA The school room of St. Luke's church was well filled last evening, when the congregation met to say good by to hiss Alice Sprague, who on Monday will leave for New York, from which place she will sail for Yorunba, West Africa, where she will tabor as a medical missionary.

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Rev. R. P. McKim, the rector of the church, presided, and after a selection by the choir, delivered a short address. Miss Sprague replying, referred to her work in the church in the past, told of her call to the mission field and of the period of preparation for that, work which she spent in the Moody school at Northfield, Mass., and in a hospital at Brooklyn.

MURRAY STREET BAPTIST MIS-SION CONCERT.

SION CONCERT.

Following is the programme for the Murray street Baptist Mission concert this evening: Solo, Mr. Fisher; reading, Miss Law; solo, Miss Rowley; swinging clubs, Misses Hazelhurst and Moore; reading, Miss Coles; instrumental duet, Mesers, Daley and Bond; recitation, Aggle Hamilton; solo, Miss Mabel Andrewe; reading, Miss Moore; duet, Lillie Gallop and Vina Ketth; recitation; Maude Montryre; duet, Einel and Pearl Ferris; recitation, Bella Wilson; quartette, Discontented Seeds; reading, Misse Lillian McCormack; solo, Miud McIntyre; recitation, Frank Dáley; solo, Lillie Gallop; dialogue, Eight Gossips.

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LOCAL NEWS.

The Royal Scarlet Chapter will me

About 900 car loads of hay were shipped from McAdam Junction to St.
John for South Africa since last fall.

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Two new members were added to the coll of Chambers Lodge, A. O. U. W. on Monday evening.

An alarm from Box 42 at three o'clock today for a blaze in a house at the foot of Duke street. The damage was slight,

The property of the Tobique Gypsum Co., in the Parish of Gordon, Victoria county, will be sold at auction at Andover on May 1st.

The sale which was to have been held in the Congregational church tomorrow night has been postponed until next Tuesday evening. J. & R. Young, of Tracadie and Shippegan, have assigned to the sheriff of Gloucester county. Their creditors

Gloucester county. Their creditors The death occurred at his home at Bolestown on Tuesday of Henry McCluskey. The deceased was 60 years of age and leaves a wife, three sons and two daughters.

The Miramichi drives are comin along slowly. Game Warden John Robinson, jr., returned returned from a cruise to the head waters and reports all drives in and moving.—Advocate.

A little son of Christy Kane, Sydney street, was yesterday afternoon injured by a sloven on Charlotte street, one of his hands being badly cut, Dr. D. E. Berryman put a number of stitches in the wound.

A young man who came here as an immigrant on the steamer Numidian, was yesterday examined by Dr. Heiser and ordered to be taken to the General Public Hospital. He is suffering from glandular trouble.

Says the Moncton Transcript:—"A. C. M. Lawson, principal of the school at Salisbury, will, it is understood, resign at the end of the term to accept the principalship of the school at Chipman, Queens county."

Rev. William Aitken, who, owing to ill health, has resigned the pastorate of St. James Presbyterian church, New-castle, has been granted a retiring al-lowance of \$200 per year. He has been pastor of the church for 22 years.

A concert will be held next Tuesday evening, 22nd inst., in the vestry of the Carleton Baptist church, in ald of the building fund. Miss S. Alison Knight will sing, and an excellent programme consisting of readings and vocal and plano selections will be given

Last evening a number of ladies and

Here Tonight.

The entire number of ladies engaged by the imperial government to teach in South Africa, will be here today and will stop at the Royal. They will sail tomorrow night or Saturday morning on the Lake Ontario. The following is the list: Miss Mabel V. Elliot, Newcastle, N. B.; Miss Sophy M. Pickle, Kingston, N. B.; Miss Gophy M. Pickle, Kingston, N. B.; Miss Winifred Johnston, Fredericton, N. B.; Miss Agnés L. Carr, St. John, N. B.; Miss Maud L. Bremner, Charlottetown, P. E. I.; Miss Garac Dutcher, Charlottetown, P. E. I.; Miss Garac Dutcher, Charlottetown, P. E. I.; Miss Eddith A. Murray, Winnipee; Miss Susan Younghusband, Portage la Prairie, Man.; Miss Sylvia B. Lee, Cookshire, Que.; Miss Sella Done Crandall, Walton, N. S.; Miss Ellan Done Crandall, Walton, N. S.; Miss Ellan M. Mackenzie, Stellarton, N. S.; Miss Ellen M. Mackenzie, Stellarton, N. S.

WINTER PORT.

T. M. Nairn Speaks From the Steamer Point of View,

And Points Out the Necessity For More Wharf and Ware-

house Room

T. M. Nairn, superintendent for the Donaldson line of steamers, who has been in the city during the past season, when seen by the Star today in con-

when seen by the Star today in con-nection with the proposed harbor ex-tension, said:

"I have read with much interest Mr. Oborne's statements in regard to the necessity for additional berths on the West Side and think he is pretty nearly correct and speaks very much to the point.

when have had considerably more inward cargo from Glasgow this year than ever before, and it has given us quite a lot of trouble in getting it discharged. In fact upon the discharging of the last three or four of our boats the warehouses were completely blocked with freight long before the work had been finished. Then we have only the one berth for discharging and loading, and in consequence of this a great deal of delay is caused by the vessels having to wait while the railroad company clears a passage through the shed before any of the outward cargo can be received into it.

"Often our ships have been lying completely idle for two or three days at a stretch before the warehouses were cleared—before we could begin to take the homeward cargo. In fact on one occasion had No. 3 berth not been given to us for loading, one of our ships would have had to remain idle for a whole week before No. 4 could be made ready.

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New York, either through dealers in food stuffs or by private individuals and large quantities have been received in anticipation of the coming demand for it. The wine, too, is chiefly made in New York, under the inspection of persons appointed by the Jewish congregations. It must be the pure juice of the grape unmixed with any of the adulterations used in the making of other wines.

The first two evenings of the passover are the most interesting ones. On these evenings all Jewish families are supposed to gather round the table in their own home and listen to the story of the exodus of the Jews from Egypt read by the mother from the tables of the law. On these evenings, too, the door of the house is unlatched and any person whoseever may enter and partake of the hospitality of the family, without being required to even knock on the door or give any information about himself.

THIS EVENING'S SPORTS.

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The officials for the Y. M. C. A. sports at Queen's rink will be: Judges, Lt. Col. Jones, A. O. Skinner, A. J. Tufts; referee, Fred Coombs; clerk of course, Frank White; assistant, W. Vincent; starter, R. Watson; timer, H. Robinson; announcer, C. E. Macmichael.

The indications are for a successful evening. The events are well filled and in a number of them the rivalry is very keen. Considerable interest has been aroused in the high jump, in which the different competitors have been jumping within an inch or so of each other in the trials.

The death is announced, at Mill-stream, Kings county, of Miss Jane A. Weyman, daughter of the late Rev. E. Weyman, and sister of C. W. Weyman of Millstream and Robert Weyman of St. Andrew street, St. John.

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mens of architecture to be found any-where in America.

It was designed by Bruce Price, of New York, who is considered to be one of the very best hotel constructors in the world, and its interior as well as exterior appearance, which is a marvel of beauty, bears evidence of his clever-

It is claimed by the management to be the most handsomely furnished and modernly equipped hotel in that city, and that high standard of excellence, which the Canadian Pacific insist upon in all details, is a guarantee of the service and cuisine.

The Place Viger is today the most refined, select and exclusive quarters in Montreal, a fact attested to by its clientile, who consist of many leaders in society and official life.

Reginald Graves, travelling representative for the Place Viger, is now in St. John.

A MERITORIOUS ENTERPRISE.

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Our city will soon add a very attractive store to its already long list of modern business places. This will he the store of Messrs. Roche & Davidson, at 23 Charlotte street (the store now occupied by C. B. Robertson), where they will have a complete stock of cameras, photo supplies, fancy goods, stationery, musical instruments, and sheet music. Owing to the alterations necessary to make this a most up-to-date photo supply house—dark room for customers' use, ets.—their opening will be delayed until the latter part of May. In the meantime they are located in temporary quarters at corner of Germain and Frincess streets, where they carry as large a stock of cameras and photo supplies as their cramped quarters will permit. Their opening will be a decided novelty to our citizens as Mr. Roche, who has spent his former years in New York, has prepared an interesting programme. An orchestra of ten stringed instruments will give free concerts for the two opening nights. They have engaged a courteous crew of clerks, who will show their customers every possible attention. Their motio is "Once our customer, always our friend."

crease in inward cargo has caused the trouble.

"The only way I can see to remedy this in order that the different steamers running to St. John may have quick despatch is the furnishing of separate berths for unloading and loading. Of course a ship with a small inward cargo does not require this, but the railroad company cannot begin to handle with sufficient ease the heavy inward cargoes brought by our boats, in time to get the berth ready for loading outwards.

"For the work that has been done this winter there certainly has not been sufficient accommodation in the port to give quick despatch. Of course this is the first year that we have been bringing such heavy cargoes, but the business will naturally increase. We handled through St. John this winter large quantities of freight, which would otherwise have gone via American ports such as Portland, Boston, or even New York.

"If the business should still further lincrease, our line will give as many boats as the railroad company can handle.

"I think that the business at St. John is naturally bound to increase, and if the port wants to compete favorably with or excel other ports, more accommodation is certainly required."

FEAST OF THE PASSOVER.

SENNACHERIE'S IN-New York, an often stringed instruments will give free concerts for the two opening sights. They have engaged a courteous crew of clerks, who will show their gives free concerts for the two opening sights. They have engaged a courteous crew of clerks, who will show their gives free concerts for the two opening sights. They have engaged a courteous crew of clerks, who will show their gives free concerts for the two opening sights. They have engaged a courteous crew of clerks, who will show their gives free concerts for the two opening sights. They have engaged a courteous cere of clerks, who will show their customers every possible attention. Their motto is "Once our customer, always our friend."

NO USE CRYING.

As the result of an accident this morning, one portion of St. James street flowed with mi

noon the funeral of the late John Gibbs took place from his late residence, 79 Sydney street to St. James' church, where service was conducted by the Rev. A. D. Dewdney. The body was interred in the Methodist burying ground.

The St. John Foundry Company have elected the following officers: J. E. Wilson, president: Richard Ratchford, secretary-treasurer; Charles Cobham will act as manager.

PERSONAL.

Master Geo. Starkey is quite iil at his home, 8 Paradise Row.

Avard Anderson, formerly of the city police force, but now of Bridgetown, N. S., is in the city for a few days.

THE FISH MARKET.

The fish market is rather dull. Gaspereaux have taken another drop in price and are now selling at thirty cents a dozen. The catch of these fish, especially in the weirs, has not been very heavy, and unless conditions improve the season will be a poor one. The quotations are halibut, twelve to fifteen cents a pound; cod and haddock, four cents a pound; shad, thirty to thirty-five cents each; salmon, forty to fifty cents a pound; lobsters, twelve to twenty-five cents each.

A SAD STORY.

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A peculiarly pathetic story comes from one of the northern settlements of the Liewre valley, Quebec. Several miles back of Notre Dame de Laus, in a small cabin, with no neighbors nearer than seven miles, lived Mrs. Binette, a widow, with three children, all girls, the eldest aged one years, and the youngest hardly more than a baby. Last week the mother and eldest girl were out in the barnyard milking, when, without the slightest warning, the mother fell to the ground dead. The child, after many attempts to get her mother, who she thought had fainted, to sit up, ran home for her sister's aid. The two children then drew their mother's body to the house on a hand-sleigh and remained alone with it all night. In the morning a relative, who happened to visit the befreaved home, rendered them assistance.



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POLICE COURT A Pair of Pants-A Boy and a Ladder

A Pair of Pants—A Boy and a Ladder.
Barney Kelly was arrested yesterday
by Sergt. Caples on the charge of stealing a pair of pants from James A. Robinson's tailor shop on Union street.
This morning the charge was read to
the prisoner, and he was remanded until tomorrow. The pants were recovered from the parties to whom they
had been sold.
A young lad by the name of John
Wilson was taken in charge last night
for stealing a ladder and attempting
to enter the Opera House through one
of the windows. Wilson lives on Main
street, but told the police that his
name was White and that his home
is on the Strait Shore Road. He was
remanded.

remanded.

James Almon was found last night lying on Ann street in a condition described by the officer as "spacheless." He pleaded guilty to the charge of being drunk and was fined four dollars. He only had three with him, but as this was not bargain day in the police court, that amount was not accepted. Thomas Kelly and Thomas Howard were drunk together on Princess street,

were drunk together on Princess street, and admitted that they were rightly charged. Four dollars or ten each. BIG BARGAINS IN WALL PAPER.

D. McArthur's great wall paper sale continues at 84 King street. The stock we offer is large, varied and carefully selected. Some imes represent from 1,000 to 2,000 rolls of a pattern. These goods are fresh and new, imported for the purpose of giving our customers the benefit of our close buying.

ENLISTMENT.

Applications for enlistment on the fourth contingent are being received by Lt.-Col. H. H. McLean at a fairly good rate. On the first day there was the usual rush and twenty-four men were accepted and sworn in Yesterday and today the numbers applying were not so large, but the enrollment so far has been very satisfactory. Up to last night thirty-three men had been accepted.

night thirty-three men had been accepted.

Fred T. Chesley has been appointed acting sergeant, and D. J. McKinney and C. W. Abell are named as acting sergeants and drill instructors. The men who live out of St. John are quartered at Elliott's Hotel. Alt are drilled daily at the drill shed from 10 to 12 and from 2 to 4.

On Monday evening a detachment of recruits will be sent forward to Hallfax, where provisions have been made for drill previous to embarkation.

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Joseph Henry Carson, 98 Portland
street, St. John, N. B.
Joseph Wellington Pike, 213 Queen
street, St. John, N. B.
A number of other men, sufficient to
bring the enrollment up to forty have
passed the medical examination, but
have not yet been sworn in. Today
Col. McLean wired to the militia department at Ottawa for instructions
as to whether he should continue enlisting all suitable men who offered, or
stop when forty were received.

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