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FATAL ACCIDENTS.

A Prain Wreck-Victims of Fire in Elevator and Factory.

LEIPSIC, Saxony, May 5.—Shortly after the express train left here this morning for Berlin, an axle of the tender broke, the train was derailed, and Herr Friedel, a memter of the Reichstag and two other persons were killed and six people were injured.

BUFFALO, May 5.—At three-thirty this morning the front wall of the burning Wells Elevator fell, burying two firemen, Lieut. John H. Hoelcle,

and Piperman John Kennet. The lat-ter's injuries are said to be fatal. Hoelcle was able to walk to the hos-

NEW YORK, May 5.—Fire was dis NEW YORK, May 5.—Fire was discovered today in a three story building at 304 Pearl street, occupied by the Eureka Bedding Company. Many employees of the company were in the building and there was a frantic rush for the stairs and fire escapes. A man and a women were killed and one woman was fatally burned. Many other persons were injured.

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Point of Death,

to the Throne Excites Grave Fears.

THE HAGUE, May 5.—It was announced from Castle Loo at midnight last night that Queen Wilhelmina had been prematurely confined at six o'clock Sunday evening. Prof. Rosenstein, Dr. Roessingh and the other doctors were in attendance. The queen suffered intense agony. At 11 o'clock Sunday evening the condition of her majesty was described as critical and small hope for her recovery was entertained.

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The HAGUE, May 5.—A message from Castle Loo, sent at 7 o'clock this morning, says Queen Wilhelmina is still alive. None of the doctors attending her majesty left the palace last night, and neither the queen's mother nor the prince consort went to bed.

Apart from the difficulties surrounding the question of the succession to the throne of Holland, the death of Queen Wilhelmina, if this should unhappily occur, would tend to convulse the continent politically. In Germany especially it is a matter of the deepest import. The German press claims that Prince Albrecht of Hohenzollern, the acting regent of Brunswick, is among the nearest in the Dutch succession, and in all the European capitals, nervous apprehension exists that the absence of a direct heir to the Dutch throne might precipitate a struggle for the possession of Holland, which in Berlin, is regarded as Germany's natural right.

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Withelmina Helena Pauline Maria, Queen of the Netherlands, was born Algust 31, 1880. She was the daughter of the late King William III., and of his second wife, Princess Emma, who was a daughter of Prince George Victor of Waldeck. Withelmina succeeded to the throne on the death of her father, Nov 23rd, 1990; came of age on Aug. 31st., 1898, and was inaugurated Sept. 6th of the same year. On Feb. 7th, 1901, she was married to Prince Henry of Mecklenburg-Schwerin.

The royal family of the Netherlands is known as the House of Orange, and is descended from the German Count Wolram, a noble of the eleventh century. The same house gave King William of Orange to England. From 1795 till 1815 Holland was a republic, but in that year the kingdom was restored. The House of Orange has given the following sovereigns to the Netherlands—1815, William II.: 1849, William, II.: 1849, William, II.: 1849, William into in default of male heirs, the female line, in the order of primogeniture; in default of male heirs, the female line ascends the throne. In default of male heirs, the successor to the throne is designated by the sovereign and a joint meeting of both houses of parliament (each containing twice the usual number of members), and this assembly alone if the case occurs after the sovereign's death.

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THE HAGUE May 5.—The more reassuring tone of this morning's official bulletin did little to allay the apprehensions of the public regarding the condition of the queen. The streets are dotted with despondent groups of people anxiously discussing the exceedingly scant information permitted to leak out. The offices of the official newspapers were besieged with inquiries and surrounded by people awaiting bulletins. Telegrams of inquiry arrived from all parts of the world. All the foreign diplomats either personally called for news or sent their secretaries to make inquiries about her majesty's health.

RACINE, Wis., May 5.—A mob of 50 Italians, crazy from liquor, has ruled the town of Corliss, seven miles west of here, terrorizing the people and driving all citizens from the streets. Two women were wounded slightly by revolver bullets, and two men were cut by knives in the hands of invaders.

Help was asked from this city, and Sheriff Baumann, with a posse of deputies, drove to Corliss, where order was restored after a short, but exciting encounter in the streets. Two Italians are under arrest and the others have fied to escape the wrath of those they attacked.

POLITICAL FREE FIGHT.

VIENNA, May 5.—The congress of the German people's party held here yesterday evening was broken up by the followers of Herr Schoenerer (Pan-German) who, immediately after Herr Wolff (the Pan-German leader) commenced the opening address bombarded the platform with lumps of sugar and paper balls. A free fight resulted between the different factions and the police with difficulty cleared the hall.

TWO GIRLS DROWNED.

PEMBROKE, May 5.—A row boat containing two girls, Minnie and Fannie Fitzgerald, daughters of Thomas Fitzgerald, aged 22 and 17 years respectively, drifted into Paquette rapids on the Ottawa river, near Westmeath, yesterday and capsized. Both girls were drowned. The bodies have not yet been recovered.

HOLLAND'S PERIL. THREE SUSPEND. HEATHEN CHINEE

Queen Wilhelmina Lies at the A Crash on Wall Street This A Hundred Thousand Witness Morning.

the Webb-Meyer Stocks

Last Week.

NEW YORK, May 5.—The developments of the latter half of last week in Wall Street, in connection with the stocks of the Dominion Securities Co., the Rutland Railroad Co. and the Hackensack Meadows Co., resulted today in the announcement in rapid succession of the suspension of three stock brokerage houses. The first to declare inability to meet obligations was Offenback and Moore. Henry Brothers and Lockwood, Hurd & Co. followed rapidity. Offenbach & Moyre were known principally as traders in what were known as "Webb-Meyer" securities and the announcement was made Saturday that they had experienced some difficulty in securing loans to enable them to carry stocks for the interests which they represented. On Saturday afternoon, however, a statement was made on behalf of the firm to the effect that temporary arrangements had been made and that it was hoped that funds might be obtained today to nev of on behalf of the firm to the effect that temporary arrangements had been made and that it was hoped that funds might be obtained today to pay off obligations and continue business. Today's suspension shows, however, that these hopes were not realized. The offices of Offenbach & Moore were not opened for business at all today.

Mr. Cordon, of Henry Brothers, whose suspension followed that of Offenbach & Moore, was a director of the Dominion Securities Co.

DEEDS OF BLOOD.

Shot His Wife and Himself-Italian Victim of Maffa.

SYRACUSE, N Y., May 5.—At 6.39 this morning Miles E. Browne shot his wife, Minnie Brown, and then shot himself. He died instantly. The woman is in a precarbous condition, Brown was 60 years old and a machinist. The couple had been estranged and lived apart.

NEW YORK, May 5.—Frank Diconsea, a political leader in the Williamsburg section of Brooklyn, has been shot and instantly killed by two unknown men. The police believe that he was a victim of the Mefia. The shooting occurred in Driggs avenue.

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Two shots were heard and two men were seen running from the body of the fallen Italian. The motive for the murder is as mysterious as the identity of the assassins. Doconza, who was 40 years old, and lived with his wife and three children at 540 Drigsz avenue, was a power in a political way. His aid was sought by different leaders on account of his influence with his fellow countrymen.

THE COURTS.

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In the case of Geo. McKean v. J. S. Merritt and G. Wetmore Merritt, a garnishee order was obtained requiring George Mitchell, a debtor of the defendants, to pay over the sum of \$134.60 to the plaintiff. A. I. Trueman, K. C., attorney for plaintiff.

In J. D. Williams v. Ada Myers, judgment was given for the plaintiff and assessment on note was made for \$35. Ar A. Wilson, K. C., for plaintiff. Also in Wilson v. Porter judgment was given for the plaintiff. Assessment on note for \$88.55 was made.

Supreme Court Chambers.

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The matter of the Dominion Cotton Company v. The Colonial Printing and Bleaching Company, in which an order was returnable today, calling on defendants to shew cause why judgments obtained by the Maritime Wrapper Company should not be set aside on the ground that they were obtained by collusion, was postponed until May 15th. Weldon & McLean for the plaintiff, A. B. Colwell for the Maritime Wrapper Coo, C. N. Skinner, K. C., and S. A. M. Skinner for J. H. Parkhill, a creditor of the Maritime Wrapper Company, and J. C. Hartley, for the Colonial Printing and Bleaching Company,

Sam Moy's Funeral.

And the Question of Succession Sensational Outcome of Attack on Wee Lung Fong Buys a Wife for \$800, and Highbinders

Kidnap Her.

CHICAGO, May 5.—With almost pomp and magnificence Sam Moy, the late mayor of Chinatown, has been borne through the streets of Chicago and his body laid to rest in Rose hill competers:

late mayor of Chinatown, has been borne through the streets of Chicago and his body laid to rest in Rose hill cemetery.

One hundred thousand Chicagoans did honor to Sam's memory, either through friendship or curiosity, and probably no citizen of Chicago ever went to his grave with such a conglomeration of color settings, weird music, discordant noises, and fantastic funeral rites.

Deputations from New York, San Francisco, Portland, Oregon, Boston, and other Chinese headquarters in the United States vied with one another in doing honor to the dead chief. NEW YORK, May 5.—Wee Lung Fong, a bautiful Chinese girl, who was brought to New York three weeks ago to become the wife of Ling Foy, a wealthy Ninth street tea merchant, has been kidnapped by highbinders and intense excitement prevails in Chinatown. The wedding ceremony was to have been performed at the Joss House in Mott street at midnight tonight and extensive preparations had been made for the event. The merchant has not been toid of the disappearance of his fiancee and the news will be kept from him until the last moment in the hope that the girl may be found.

Ling Fong is said to be one of the wealthlest Chinamen in America. Near Hong Kong he had seen a beautiful girl whom he determined to purchase for a wife. An agent was sent to China where the girl was purchased from her father for \$800. She reached New York three weeks ago, in the care of the emissary, and was placed in the hands of a resident of Mott street, who was instructed to allow no person to see her. Shortly after the news of the approaching marriage was spread through Chinatown, Ling Foy was approached by a committee of the high-binders and asked to contribute \$1,000 for a general merry making among his people. The merchant flatly refused. The next night, the girl was carried away in a carriage and the woman in whose charge she was also disappeared.

OTTAWA.

Geo. Robertson Must Wait-Russell of I. C. R. Must Go.

(Special to the Star.)

OTTAWA, Ont., May 5.—George Robertson has to wait a little longer yet for his answer. The government met on Saturday, but the dock question was crowded out by pressure of other business.

The report grows stronger that Manager Russell will be requested to resign his position on the Intercolonial and that a new shuffle of officers will be

THREE MORE STATES

WASHINGTON, May 5.—The princip-WASHINGTON, May 5.—The principal feature of the programme in the house this week will be the bill to place three new stars in the American flag. The omnibus bill for the admission of Oklahoma, New Mexico and Arizona to Statehood will be called up on Tuesday. The friends of the bill do not desire protracted debate on it and will try to secure a vote on that day. There is considerable opposition to the bill on the republican side of the house on the ground that the territories are not yet fitted for statehood, but the friends of the bill entertain no doubt of its passage. The democrats in caucus agreed to give it their united support and at least sixty republican votes are counted on.

SAN DOMINGO CAPTURED.

MONTE CHRISTI, San Domingo MONTE CHRISTI, San Domingo, May 5.—Messengers under a flag of truce, who arrived yesterday at Puerto Plata (the principal port of Santo Domingo, confirmed the reports of the capitulation of the Dominican capital, which took place Friday. It was also confirmed that President Jiménez sought refuge in the French consulate at San Domingo.

The negotiations between the revol-

at San Domingo.

The negotiations between the revolutinosts and Gen. Deschamps, the governor of Puerto Plata for the surrender of that place have, it is further reported here, fallen through. The govenor refused to surrender without an order from the Dominican government.

DARING ESCAPE.

CHICAGO, May 5.—The two prisoners at Fort Sheridan escaped yesterday and have not been re-captured. In a new spot in the reservation they sprang on their guard, disarmed him, tied his hands, gagged him and at the point of his own gun marched him several miles up the lake shore, where they released him and fled. The two prisoners were A.F. Butterfield, under sentence of two years for desertion, and Robert Haydon, serving three years for the same offence.

WITH HIS BOOTS ON.

NEW YORK, May 5.—Captain Hiram Pugh, who has just died at Bridge-town, N. J., had not slept in a bed since he returned from the civit war. When he was taken ill some weeks ago his doctor ordered him to bed, but he re-sisted all efforts to make him obey the order and died "with his boots on."

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HEALTH RESORT BURNED.

BUDA PEST, Hungary, May 5.—Two hundred houses at Bartfelt, the famous health resort, have been destroyed by fire. Several persons were injured. Fartfelt has a population of about 5.500, and is a very ancient town, with a handsome city hall, which was built in the fifteenth century.

TO LET.

TO LET.—From the first day of May next at valuable store and promises No. 59 harlotte street, at present occupied by F. Dykoman & Oo. Apply to E. T. C. NOWLES, No. 8 Palmer Chambers, City. TO LET-Lower flat of seven rooms. All rell lighted. Closets and bath rooms. Hot and cold water. Pleasantly situated. Can be seen Thursdays and Fridays. MRS. PHOS. BRUNDAGE, 396 Princess street.

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WANTED A position by an experienced murse. Would care for an invalid. Address NURSE, Portland P. O., St. John.

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THE IRISHMAN'S DECREE THE IRISHMAN'S DECREE.

Liondon M. A. P. says that at a student trial in Oxford a few weeks ago an Irishman prominent at the Oxford Union sat as judge. A witness was being pestered by men in court, and appealed to the judge to enforce silence. "The witness must answer in perfect silence," was the stern ansuouncement from the bench.

MAN'S NARROW SQUEAK. A fittle girl asked her mother it there were any men in heaven, "Mamma," she said, "I never saw a picture of an angel with a beard or moustache; do men ever go to Heaven?"

"Oh, yes!" replied her mother. "Men go to Heaven, but it is always a close shave for a man to get in."

TORONTO, May 4.—Men are still out on strike except the wood-working ma-chimists, a hundred in number, who have gone back to work on a com-promise, the men getting an advance of 2 1-2 cents per hour.

PRESCOTT, Ont., May 4.—The body of a man identified as J. B. McDonnough, a Moutreal commercial traveller, missing since February 28th last, was found floating in the river here



Did you know you could give medicine to your child-ren while they were sound-ly sleeping? You certainly

ren while they were soundly sieeping? You certainly can. It is called Vapo-Cresolene. You put some Cresolene in the vaporizer, light the lamp, and place near the bed. The children quietly breathe-in the vapor. There is nothing equal to it for whooping cough, croup, colds, cough, sore throat, and all other troubles of the throat and chest. It is coondical, pleasant, safe.

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ST. JOHN STAR.

ST. JOHN, N. B., MAY 5, 1902.

PROMPT ACTION NEEDED.

There seems to be no good re why the common council and the board of trade should not take united and definite steps in regard to the proposed and badly needed harbor extensions. The Star has published and will continue to publish the statements and opinions of representative merch and steamship men. Sufficient has already appeared to prove that the support of the citizens will be gladly given o a movement for the betterm sary now is that someone should set the thing in motion. Not only St. John but in other cities of Canada is interest felt in this matter, and the effort of local officials and citizens will be supported by the merchants in these other cities. It may be that in the natural course

of events St. John's winter and summer port business will gradually increase, but it is undoubtedly true that this increase will be much greater if the citizens show that they desire to improve their port and are anxious to obtain the traffic. That the citizens do feel this way has been shown by the interviews published in the Star. accommodations are practically only half of what they should be. The The capped by reason of the delays in moving freight. Merchants are unable to obtain quick delivery of their consignments, and all agree that the new berths are not only advisable but bsolutely necessary, and unless s thing is done at once the opportunity for increasing next season's winter port business will have passed.

In a very few weeks Sir Wilfred for England to attend the coronation. omething should be done before they eave, for after their return it may be too late to provide additional facilican be no reasonable doubt that the government will assist to some extent in providing these facilities if they can only be made to understand that the merchants and shippers of St. John ar in earnest in the matter. No half hearted methods ever result in success The harbor has not yet been dredged but promises have been given. work might have been done if the matter had been steadily and firmly impressed on the administration. A short time ago it became apparent that a new wharf at Digby would be a benefit to the port, and those interested in the shipping, backed by the citizens, made a united demand on the government that one of the dredges ould be sent there. The next thing the people of Digby knew was that the dradge was at work in their harbor St. John was neglected, but if the citizens here were as persistent in their demands as those of other place have been the promises made to Col. Tucker, M. P., wiuld long ago have been carried out.

TREE PLANTING.

steps were being taken to have trees planted along the Marsh Road. Several gentlemen interested themselves in the proposal and were no doubt surprised at the prompt response. A substantial fund will be raised, and the trees will be planted. The city council 1: 2 amount to \$98,619,600. The New will, of course, grant the small request that is made of them, and thus aid in hundred million dollar city." a work that should not have been left until this year. The more pride the citizens take in their city and its surposed to look with friendly eyes on such enough enthusiasm manifested in such matters. Every well directed plan for the improvement and beautifying of city and suburbs is in the interests of all the people. Whether it is in plantecting a monument, the work done is

CANADA IS INTERESTED

The statement which has been made that the great steamship combine is seeking to get control of the Eider-Dempster line, and that the immigrant traffic to Canada is thereby threatened lends a special interest to the detailed report given in today's Star of the debate in the British commons and the comments of the London press. The view expressed by the London. Times and Tolegraph will probably be accepted as a reasonable one, but if it should transpire that British interests are really threatened the imperial government will be quite able to deal with the matter, supported as they would be The statement which has been made the matter, supported as they would be by Canada. It will be noted that Lord by Canada. It will be noted that Lord Berestord suggested as an offset to the combine an imperial subsidy to a Can-adian service. So far as can be judged at present Canada is likely to be an ultimate gainer rather than otherwise

combine, colossal though it may be, is not justified by either present or prospective conditions. It is becoming too much the fashion to talk of American competition, as if it were a Heaven directed movement before which the rest of the world must go down. It is certainly a great factor in modern the companies of the conditions of the

ommerce, but it is not omnipotent.
The lines controlled by the syndicate are the White Star, Dominion Line Leyland Line, Atlantic Transport, American, Red Star, Hamburg-Ameri-American and North German Lloyd. The Elder-Dempster. Cunard, Allan, ed the trust.

Labouchere laments the dulness of English captains of industry, but a London cable to the New York Sun says that British capitalists have form ed a company to utilize Edison's patent fr extracting iron ore from deposits in Norway, and that their operations will render England practically independent of American iron supplies. This pany's capital is £2,000,000.

way, New York, was sold last week for \$1,100,000. It is said to bring a rental of \$110,000 a year. Some uni proved water front property on the north shore of Long Island that sold ten years ago for \$1,700 an acre chang-Steamship men have stated that the ed hands last week at \$9,000 an acre They talk in large figures around New

> A Montreal despatch states that the Grand Trunk railway is prepared to spend a large amount of money in pro viding an elevator and other facilities at Montreal, and that the general man ager is very favorably disposed toward port. If so, this is a reversal of the pollcy of former Manager Reeve.

The Tenement District Shade Tree committee of the Tree Planting Association of New York had an arbor day last week and planted trees in front of the places where children are gath ered together. Each tree is protected by an iron guard with this sign:-"This Tree is a Gift to All Children. Be its

Under the heading "Watch Us Next Year," Friday's Ottawa Citizen says:-"The total amount of Dominion appropriations for the current year is \$55,472,668. The sum voted last session for the fiscal years 1901-2 was \$59,324,740; supplementary estimates brought down some weeks ago, \$1,355,683; further supplementaries tabled last night \$4,150,945.

from Cripple Creek, Colorado, Twen ty-five girls employed in a dance hall have formed a union, struck for a higher percentage of the "drink money," and called upon other unions to

Collier's Weekly has a page of photos Among them is the Boer general, De Aguinaldo does not appear.

Fearing that vandals would destroy the flowers that have been planted to make a block beautiful in Brooklyn, a league of boys has been organized for its protection, to guard against theft and destruction

The appropriations for carrying on York Sun aptly refers to it as

IN OTTAWA SOCIETY.

Says last Thursday's Ottawa Jourat a ladies' luncheon today. Those present were, Mrs. Heyd, Mrs. Ralph Smith, Mrs. Ells, Mrs. Tolmie, Mrs. Everard Fletcher, Miss Margaret Bell and her guest, Miss Wade, Miss F. Fielding and Miss Rankin.

"One of the most successful dances of the season was given last night by Mrs. Sifton at her handsome residence in Metcalfe street. The whole house was thrown open to the guests, dancing went on in the ball room all eveing, while the handsome drawing rooms were used for sitting out and were beautifully decorated with flowers. Miss Sifton received, wearing a gown of white brocade, and was assisted by Miss Hazel Wright of Toronto. Supper was served upstairs in the billiard room, the decorations being white and plink carnations. Those present were principally the younger members of society, only a few married people being invited. Among those present were Major and Mrs. Maude and Capt. Bell. A.D.C., Mrs. Mulock, Senator and Miss Melvin Jones, Miss Mary Scott, Miss Cartwright, Miss Fielding, Miss Rankin, Miss Borden, Miss Ethel Davies, Miss Montizambert, Mrs. Faleconbridge, Miss Montizambert, Mrs. Faleconbridge, Miss Montizambert, Mrs. Faleconbridge, Miss Mitchle, Miss Kingsford and Miss White.

MONTREAL, May 4.—Two unknown men called at the house of Albino Marchione an Italian ice cream vender on Cadleux street tonight. A dispute followed, culminating in a fight, turing which Marchione was stabbed over the heart, dying half an hour later. The two men escaped.

PREDERICTON, N. B., May 4.—
Louise, widow of the late Judge Andrew Rainsford Wetmore, passed away Saturday evening after a very brief illness with pneumonia. She was about town pn Thursday and was taken ill on Friday. Since the death of her hustand several years ago, the deceased lady had chiefly resided with her children here, and at the time of here children here, and at the time of he leath was at the home of her daugh ter, Mrs. T. Carlton Allen. Three son John W. claims agent of the C. P. R. chief engineer of the New Brunswic board of works; George, resident en gineer of the C. P. R. at North Bay Ont.; Mrs. T. C. Allen of Fredericton Mrs. Dr. Holden of St. John, Mrs. F. D. Widder of Amherst, and Mrs Judge Fitzgerald of Port Arthur. The funeral will take place on Tuesday.

The death occurred on Saturds The death occurred on Saturday evening after a short illness with pleurisy and pneumonia of Miss Sophia. Perley, daughter of the late George A. Perley. She resided with her sister, Charlotte, at the homestead on George street. Another, sister, Louise, who makes her home at Boston, is expected frere tomorrow to attend the funeral, which will take place Tuesday morning.

Mrs. Odbur Murgan, an aged lady

Mrs. Odbur Murgan, an aged lady residing on Queen street, passed away this afternoon from the effects of grippe. She was 77 years of age and leaves a sorrowing husband.

DOROHISTER, N. B., May 4.—Death is resping an unprecedented harvest in Dorchester. Martin Powers of the I. C. R. service, has been doubly fillicted in the death of another son within a fortnight. Frederick was doubly filicted in the death of another son within a fortnight. Frederick was the third son. He had just completed his final examinations in telegraphy and gave promise of great usefulness. Mrs. Powers, the mother of these boys, is in a state of prostration over the sudden decease of her two promising sons. The funeral of the young man takes place on Monday afternoon, Services will be held at Memramcook, where interment takes place. interment takes place

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CHICAGO, May 4.— Potter Palmer, for nearly half a century one of Chicago's most prominent business men, died tonight at his residence on Lake Shore drive. The exact cause of Mr. Palmer's death has not yet been determined. He had been suffering for several weeks with a nervous disorder, but as he was able to be about the house, his condition was not thought to be serious. When he retired last night he was feeling, if anything, better than for several days. During the night, however, he seemed to lose all his energy and this morning was unable to leave his room. He gradually grew weaker during the day and at 5.40 o'clock this evening he suffered a sudden collapse, from which he expired. The physicians who were attending Mr. Palmer are at a loss as to the ultimate cause of his death as, apparently he had no organic troubles. Mrs. Palmer and their two sons, Honore and Potter, ir., were with Mr. Palmer when he died. No arrangements have yet been made for the funeral, but in all probability he will be buried in Chicago.

ST. JOHN EXHIBITION.

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The executive committee of the Exhibition Association at its meeting on Friday evening appointed a sub-committee to see what arrangements could be made in regard to having a series of races at Moosepath during the exhibition week. This committee will confer with the lessee of the track and report back in a few days.

It is also suggested that if the people who own horses in the city of St. John will co-operate that arrangements should be made for:—

1. A parade of carriage horses and equipages on some afternoon, and trophies to be given the best matched team and single horses.

2. That a parade of all express and delivery teams, both double and single hitches, be held an another day, and prizes given to the best turn outs.

3. That a parade of all dray and cart corses be held and cash prizes given for the best animal.

The horses in this parade would not be subject to the general rules of the exhibition, but would simply be required to appear on the grounds during the parade for which they enter.

year; first, because the dates will be sufficiently early to get out of door blooms, before the frost strikes, and second, because classes for amateur florists have been arranged. W. Altee Burpee & Co. of Philadelphia offer prizes for the best display of sweet peas grown from their seeds, and these, with the other prizes, should attract a large display of popular blooms.

The prize list as revised by the various committees was taken up and with a few amendments agreed to. The suggestions made by the poultry committee were adopted, and orders given to provide coops for the whole poultry building if it can be done at reasonable cost.

Intending exhibitors who want choice of space should make early applications, as allotments are being made and all the best locations will be early secured.

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At the morning service the rite of baptism was administered to one candidate, while at the communion service which followed the evening service, the right hand of fellowship was extended to two new members.

LONDON, May 4.—Admired Prince Henry of Prussia, who, with the most powerful squadron ever commanded by a German admired, is on a training cruise of five weeks duration around the British islands, is now in Irish waters. In company or the Duke of Connaught he will visit the Cork exhibi-

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Manchester Robertson a Allison

I'm sick of the roar of cities,
And of faces cold and strange!
I know where there's warmth of w
And my yearning fancies range
Back to the dear old homestead
With an aching sense of pain,
But there'll be joy in the coming
When I go home again.

When I go home; There's music
That may never die away,
And it seems that the hands of angels
On a mystic harp at play
Have touched with a yearning sadness
On a beautiful, broken strain,
To which in my fond heart wording—
When I go home again.

Outside of my darkening window
Is the great world's crash and din,
And slowly the autumn shadows
Come drifting, drifting in,
Sobbing, the night wind murmurs
To the splash of the autumn rain;
And I dream of the glorious greeting
When I go home again.
—Eugene Field.

SIXTY-FIVE CENTS A WEEK.

itor's Bill of Fare.

CLAIRMONT, N. H., April 30.—A mewspaper publisher who lives on sixty-five cents a week in order to be a living example of 'temperance in all things'—the doctrine he preaches in his paper and in public places—is Samuel Henry Story, owner of the 'Narrative.' He is regarded here as a very intelligent although eccentric man, and is respected by the townspeople. Mr. Story's menu is:—Thirty-six graham biscuits, twenty-five cents; one pound of pork, twelve cents; or pound of pork, twelve cents; one pound of pork, twelve cents; one quarter-pound of princes which leafs a month, twenty

cheese, ten cents; one quarter-pound of ginger, which lasts a month; twenty cents' worth of chocolate a month; kerosene oil, one gallon lasts three He does not drink tea, coffee or milk

months.

He does not drink tea, coffee or milk, but occasionally makes some chocolate or ginger tea. For luxuries he frequently buys apples and lemons. His variety of diet is between the pork and scraps, using them alternately.

Politics was not meddled with by Mr. Story until sixteen years ago, when he began to support the prohibition party and to protest against the 'unlimited coimage of drunkards.'

He sells his paper himself, and some of his best patrons are found in saloons, many of whose customers are regular purchasers of his paper. He tells his purchasers the contents of his paper before they buy, and exemplifies in words the good work he is trying to accomplish, and his principal ambition is to see the liquor traffic stopped.

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The committee hope to see a fine display of plants and cut blooms this year; first, because the dates will be sufficiently early to get out of door Brooklyn, at the Pouch Mainsoin last. Thursday evening. He commented on the flourishing condition of the Presbyterian churches in Brooklyn and said the cause was probably that the pastors clamor to have their salaries reduced. "It believe in the Presbyterian church," he continued. "It is the broadest of all denominations. At times it has been considered prejudiced, but today it is the most liberal of all. I am going to see if I can't put a slab on Adam's grave and keep him down; yes, and keep him from walking in his sleep. If it is necessary to resuscitate somebody, why not let it be his better half, Eve? God is going to lead the Presbyterian church into new things. Calvin was all right for his time and any things that are good will be kept alive. Those things which have passed usefulness will be shaken off the tree of Christianity. The Episcopal church will not be the church. The Presbyterian church is going to be the church in New York. All that is needed to bring this about is a few first class funerals."—(Laughter.)

KINGSTON, Ont., May 4.—Pare, the bank burgiar, sentenced to the penitentiary for the Napanee bank robbery, died in the prison hospital today from gangrene. His sentence expired on Tuesday next.

LODGIS—Suddenly, at Fairville, St. John Co., N. B., May 4th, Mrs. Richard Lodge, in the 65th year of her age, leaving a husband, three sons and five daughters to mourn their sad bereavement. (Eastport, Me., papers please copy.)
Notice of tuneral hereafter.
QUIGLEY—At her residence, 31 Brooks street, May 5rd, Leah Ann, relict of the late John Quigley, aged 72 years, leaving three daughters to mourn their sad bereavement.
Remains will be conveyed by C. P. R. train Monday to Sussex, where interment will take place.

FREE DENTISTRY FOR THE POOF

(Gloucester Advertiser.)

at Boston on Saturday, Dr. Samuel A. Hopkins, professor of theory and practice of dentistry at Tufts dental school. uggested a new field affording oppor-

suggested a new field affording opportunity for practical charity, in the care of the teeth of the poor.

Dr. Hopkins demonstrated his opinion. He said, that there was not, so far as he knew, any place where a person unable to pay a fee could have the pain of a tooth relieved or any deceased condition of a tooth properly treated. He went on to show that many diseases are due to poor digestion, caused by not having good teeth to properly masticate the food; that over \$5 per cent. of the poorer classes have decayed teeth. He urged that the members of Associated Charities suggest to the people they visited to send their children to Harvard school in North Grove street and the Tufts College school on Huntington avenue.

Dr. Hapkins idea was to arouse public interest in the dental work among the poor, and when these dispensaries named became overcrowded, the establishing of charitable public dispensaries would be made possible and necessary.

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Dr. Hopkins was ably seconded by Dr. Evan P. Wentworth, a professor in dentistry at the Harvard school. He gave statistics showing the result of his investigations of children in the truant schools and only one in 3s scholars had teeth filled at all, and the mouths he saw were in a terrible condition.

dition. This idea of dental charity shows This idea of dental charity shows sound common sense and points out where much good can be done. How the smaller cities and towns can provide free dental treatment where no dispensaries exist, is a question which will take time to satisfactorily settle. However, let it be hoped that not very far in the future it will not be a difficult thing for those who can ill afford to pay, to have their teeth properly treated without expense.

AN AIRSHIP'S SUCCESSFUL TRIP.

PARIS, May 4.—In spite of threat-ning weather, Senor Augusto Severo, the Brazilian aeronaut, made a suc-sessful first trial with his airship, La

Paix, today.

The balloon, held by a rope, ascended forty metres. The motors were then started. The balloon obeyed the impulse of its propellers, steering easily and maintaining perfect equili-

and descending.

The two petroleum motors of La Paix are of twenty-four and sixteen horse power, respectively.

Both have four cylinders and are cooled with water. There are electric batteries for ignition purposes. The airship carries two engineers, whose sole duty is to attend to the motors.

A third car is built into the balloon, giving it the appearance of a big cigar with a thin wedge cut put of it. The frame filts into the wedge-shaped opening.

ing.

The airship is driven by three screws, two attached to the central axis of the balloon and the third to the axis of the car.

ALEXANDRA TEMPLE OFFICERS.

The following have been installed by Deputy Grand Worthy Templar Geo. Blewett as officers of Alexandra Temple of Honor for the ensuing year: J. V. Kierstead, W. C. T.; John B. Wallace, W. V. T.; R. J. Burke, W. R.; A. Price, W. A. R.; Frank J. Geodwin, W. F. R.; Geo. Blewett, W. T.; F. J. Gallop, W. U.; Wm. Cunningham, D. U.; Chas. Gallop, W. G.; Geo. Black, W. C.; John Hughes, P. W. C. T.

REMEMBERED THE POHA.

A teacher was telling the story of the Greek god, Hermes. "This god had two names," she said. "He was sometimes called Mercuby."
In reviewing the lesson the next day, she asked who remembered Hermes's other name. There was a profound silence for a moment, then a clear little voice rang out, "Quicksilver!"

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SHIPPING DEAL

A Brief Authoritative State ment Promised Soon.

Further Talk in Commons-A. J. Balfour Says Government Inter-

Forster said he could not answer that question.

Replying to a question as to whether the admiralty was in doubt as to its legal rights, Mr. Arnoid-Forster replied, "No." If a contract were broken, the admiralty would know what to do. The question was whether a contract has been broken or not.

In reply to another question A. J. Balfour, the government leader, said the suggestion that the government should take the power to prevent a British subject from selling his property to a foreigner, if the property was in the form of a steamship, involved a serious question, and such a change of practice would require the gravest consideration.

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In reply to another question A. J. Balfour said the government would be bound to make such arrangements in regard to the navy as might be deemed necessary on account of changes in ownership of ships. But in regard to the effect of the combination on British marine affairs, no announcement of policy could be made except after prolonged and anxious consideration of a complicated problem.

Mr. Balfour said this combination, it should be remembered, was not a gavernment combination. It was simply a trade combination by foreign capitalists; those who took the view that the government ought to take steps to deal with it were admitting that the old idoctrine of individual enterprise had broken down and that the regime of restricted competition should be substituted. Of the two aspects of the subject one did not seem difficult and they were bound to deal with it. But as to the trading question, which, perhaps, was more important, they would show themselves to be charlatans if they came down with a ready-made scheme prepared at a moment's notice. The Right Hon. James Bryce, liberal member for the south division of Aberdeen, said no one could blame the government for speaking with the greatest caution. The house would be ready if legislation were necessary to put aside other business in order to deal with matters of such vast commercial importance.

William Alian, advanced radical

Allan, advanced radical member for Gateshead, expressed the opinion that there was no ground for

Marm.

Charles McArthur, liberal unionist member for Liverpool, differed with member for Liverpool, differed with Mr. Allan. He expatiated on the gravity of the situation. He said he saw the time coming when Great Britain would have to reconsider her national policy. Ship owners outside the combination must rouse themselves and the government should strengthen the hands of the independent lines.

Lord Charles Beresford said he feared the American trust would use the combination to pour American produce into this country to the disadvantage of English producers. He suggested that Great Britain should subsidize steamships to be built for a Canadian route.

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Both Sir James Woodhouse, who moved the adjournment of the house in order to discuss the shipping combination, and Mr. Bowles, who seconded the motion, referred at length to the fact that the American members of the combination control the railways feeding the ports of the Eastern coast of the United States, thus enabling them to crush competition.

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The Standard adheres to the view that the combination may cover an attack on British naval supremacy, in view of the policy of the United States to load hay for 50 the United

The Telegraph says that the panic which has been manufactured is purely artificial, but it will not have been created in vain if it opens the eyes of British investors to the truth that England cannot maintain her supremacy and industry unless she is prepared, not only with shrieks of terror when her interests are menaced, but with the capital requisite to meet the evergrowing comptition.

The Morning Leader says: "We are beyond the phase of single trusts. A federation of trusts faces us. What can be done in American steel could be done in wheat. Mr. Morgan and his ships might succeed where Joseph Leiter failed."

The Times, which, with the Tele-

Rev. Christopher Burnett formally opened his pastorate at Leinster street Baptist church yesterday, preaching to large congregations morning and evening. The new pastor is a young man who has already firmly established himself in the affection and esteem of his congregation. He is a hard worker and a fluent, forceful speaker, eloquent at times and always carness; impressive and convincing. He delivers his sermons without the slightest assistance from manuscript or motes, has an attractive delivery and a wealth of appropriate gesture. Judging by the impression made yesterday, Rev. Mr. Burnett will leave his mark not only upon his congregation but upon the denomination in this city.

At the morning service he preached an earnestiy practical address upon the duties of a church circumstanced as Leinster street is. His text was Neshemiah iv. and 6: "So built we the wall; and all the wall was joined together unto the half thereof; for the people had a mind to work." In the course of his sermon he referred to the rumors he had heard regarding the possible disbanding of the congregation and pointed out the significance of his text to their case. If they wished to revive the fortunes of their church they must have falth, must stand together and must work. Bach member was directly and personality responsible for the prosecution of the work, but for its successful carrying out all differences must be laid by and unity must be their watchword.

Rev. Mr. Burnett's evening sermon was an earnest extollation of the power of or its acceptance. In introduction he announced that he would continue to deliver addresses of this nature every Sunday evening, while the morning services would be given up to the discussion of general and timely subjects. His text last night was Romans I and 16.

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For whooping cough and croup, Vapo-Cres

FIRE AT MILLTOWN

ST. STEPHEN, N. B., May 4.— A serious fire occurred at Militown, N. B., at two o'clock this morning. B. H. Kerr, merchant, was awakened by neighbors who had discovered that his barn was on fire. The fire quickly consumed the barn, a wagon house and some sheds, and with them two horses, sleds, wagons harness a cupritive of some sacus, and with them two horses, sieds, wagons, harness, a quantity of hay, flour, sugar, beans and other merchandise. Two loads of hay, some flour and sugar had only been placed in the warehouse on Saturday. Mr. Kerr's loss is fully \$2,000, and he is only insured for \$1,000.

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ESCAPED FROM DORCHESTER.

DORCHESTER, N. B., May 4.—
William Gould of Memramcook, a convict in the penitentiary, doing a second term of eight years for theft from T. B. Calhoun's store, escaped from the prison this evening at five o'clock. He was in charge of guard James Lane and was with other prisoners doing the barn work. He bolted and was successful in reaching the woods. A general alarm was sounded and the entire staff are in different parts of the country. Citizens generally are concerned, as is usual when a desperado is at large. Up to a late hour he was still uncaptured.

Bicyclists and all athletes depend on

SOUTH AFRICA.

OTTAWA TROOPER'S EXPERI-

(Philadelphia Press.)

(Philadelphia Press.)
Among the wills probated yesterday
by Register Singer was that of Mrs.
Ellen Sergeant, who died recently at
her home, 401 South Forty-first street,
leaving an estate valued at \$30,000.
Among the effects was a bracelet containing a lock of hair of George Washington. This she bequeaths to the
Society of George Washington, headquarters at Valley Forge. The lock of
hair was given to Mrs. Sergeant's
grandmother by Gen. Washington for
an act of kindness done for him while
at Valley Forge. It is said there may
be a romance in the little lock of hair.

CARNEGIE TO GIVE \$1,000,000.

WILL VISIT THE POPE.

To make a good and inexpensive bath sponge tear into bits sponges of poor-er quality and sew into a bag of cheese cloth, fatening a tape at one corner to hang up by.

BASE BALL Jope's Good Work

PITTSBURG, May 2.—W. N. Frew, president of the board of trustees of the Carnegie Library, said tonight that he saw Andrew Carnegie just before he departed for Scotland, and Mr. Carnegie told him that he had just decided to spend \$1,000,000 for twenty libraries in smaller towns. Mr. Carnegie seemed to be very happy over his decision. Mr. Frew said he did not tell the names of the lucky towns.

WILL VISIT THE POPE.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier, who will be accompanied by Lady Laurier when he leaves Canada to attend the coronation, will spend about three months in Europe. At the close of the coronation cremonles, and the various colonial conferences, banquets, and visits in that country, Sir Wilfrid will visit France, Switzerland, and Italy. When in the latter country a stay will be made at Rome, and a visit paid to the Pope at the Vatican.

SPORTING NEWS.

Dixon was not in condition and the cold wind bothered his throwing arm. Jope, who followed is a New England league youngster of last year's crop. In the sixth, he made a running catch of a foul fly off Sharrott that was one of the features of the game.—Wor-cester Spy.

cester Spy.

National League.
(Saturday's Games...)

At Pittsburg.-Pittsburg, 9; St. Louis, 5, At Chicago.-Chicago, 6; Cincinnati, 1, At Brooklyn-Brooklyn and Boston, rain At New York.-New York and Philadelph rain.

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SHIPPING NEWS.

-Sch. Freddie G. Titus for

British Ports.
SUNDERLAND, May 1-Sld. str Carl

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Pardon G Themson, from St. John St. Vork.

CITY ISLAND, May 3—Passed south, schs. Civilian, for Tugket; Cora May, from St. John; E. C. Gates, from do; Prudent, from do; Emma Mitchell, from Shules; Sadle Prescott, from Point Wolfe.

SALEM, Mass, May 3—Ard, sch Mary E, from Windsor for Hartford.

BOSTON, May 3—Ard, schs Bostonian, Boston, May 3—Ard, schs Bostonian, Gatalone, from Louisburg; scha Passed, From John; Swallow, from do; Adelaide from St. John; Swallow, from do; Adelaide, from Windsor; Utility, from Applie River.

from London; Catalone, from Louisburg; scha Flash, from St John; Swallow, from do; Adelaide, from Windsor; Utility, from Apple River, Michigan, for Liverpool; Norwegtan, for Glaagow; Halffax, for Halfax; Michigan, for Glaagow; Halffax, for Halfax; Michigan, for Glaagow; Halffax, for Halfax; Michigan, from St. John, NB; Halfax; from St. John, NB; Hoston, from St. John, NB; Hoston, from St. John, NB; Hoston, from Chemetaport; Gold Finder, from Geab Grace Derling, from Flysolands, NS; Hattle C, from Bear River, NS; Ocra B, from Clementaport; Gold Finder, from Catalone, from St. Bessie Willis, from Catalone, from Gose River, NB; Hattle, NS; Bessie A, from Moose River, NB; Hattle, NS; Harry Morris, from Quaco, NB; Avis, from Moose River, NB; Gold; Finder, NB; Hattle, NB; Harry Morris, from Quaco, NB; Avis, from Moose River, NB; Hattle, NB; Harry Morris, from Quaco, NB; Avis, from Moose River, NB; Gold; From Parrsboro, NB; cora M; Michigan, Halfar, Markett, Markett,

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Sid, schs Pearl, for Boston; Abbie Verna,
for Salein for orders.

CITY ISLAND, May 4—Bound south, sch
Frances Salvbert, from St John.

RESEDY ISLAND, May 4—Passed down,
str Gena, from Philadelphia for West Bay.

COMMERCIAL.

DAILY QUOTATIONS.
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Wabash, pfd 43½ 43% West Union Tele . . 91% CRASH ON WALL STREET.

and Company was announced on the stock exhange today.

STOCK MARKET.

NEW YORK, May 5.—Vall Street — The stock market opened weak under the inducence of the financial troubles growing out of last week's collapse in some of the special tides and the prospects of a coal miners; strike. The low priced coalers fell between 1 and 5 points, and Delaware and Hudson lost 21-2. L. N. fell 13-4, but recovered to above Saturday's close and declines reached about a point or over in Brookiny Transit, Souther Railway, People's Gas, Missouri Pacific and Archinectuber Stocks showed slight annual composition of peace or war will be taken by ballot.

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The Pretoria correspondent of the preconcileables may hold out, however generous the terms offered.

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MORNING'S NEWS.

LOCAL

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carriy as inspector of plumbing was accepted and Charles E. Reynolds was appointed.

Rev. David Long baptized nineseen persons at the Old Fort on Sunday morning. Five of them were males and fourteen females. The ceremony was witnessed by a very large number. A special children's service was held yesterday morning at Brussels street Baptist church, in which the Sunday school scholars, from the youngest up, took a prominent part. Rev. Mr. Waring, the pastor, delivered an address suitable to the occasion.

The new Hogan boat, Monadneck, arrived here Saturday from the Tyne to take in a cargo of hay for South Africa. Jefferson Hogan and Charles Hogan of New York, who are interested in the ship, were here Saturday and looked her over.

Borings are being made at the McLeed wharf and Diver Lahey is looking after the bottom so that the civic officials may be able to report to the board of works the best course to be pursued in connection with the improvements at this recently acquired property.

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The flour and shingle mill of the Van Buren Lumber Company, at Edmundston, was burned on Saturday. Loss is over \$15,000, partially insured.

David Grant, barrister of Vancouver, and formerly of Moncton, N. B., with the appointed to the new judgeship in the Atlin district of British Columbia. At a meeting of the Halifax Presbytery on Thursday, an application was acepted from Rev. D. Coburn, M. A., minister of the Congregational church to be received as a minister of the Presbyterian church. Mr. Coburn is a graduate of the U. N. B. and Princeton Theological Seminary, New Jersey, and is highly recommended. Mr. Coburn is a son of the late William Coburn, of Keswick Ridge, York county.

GENERAL.

A general strike among the miner of the Hazelton, Pa., district is antici

of the Hazelton, Pa., district is anticipated.

It is now stated that over one thousand lives were lost in the recent earthquake in Guatemala.

Maine is a prohibition state, but two deputies were mobbed on Saturday night while attempting to make a seizure of liquor.

An Ottawa despatch to the Telegraph says a strong effort will be made to

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Two persons were killed and 45 injured, two probably fatally, in a head-on collision between an immigrant train and a fast freight on the Baltimore and Ohlo railroad yesterday.

During the past two weeks 7,392 immigrants have arrived by steamer in Canada. An Ottawa despatch says that about six thousand of these were for the North-West.

During the week ending last night, 25,126 immigrants arrived in New York from Europe. In our months the number arriving was 178,504. Over twelve thousand were landed at Ellis Island on Saturday and Sunday. This rush beats all previous records.

There will be a practice of the Festival Chorus at the York Theatre this evening at 8 o'clock.

There will be a meeting this evening at 8 o'clock of the non-commissioned officers' mess of 62nd Regiment, St. John Fusiliers.

The monthly meeting of the board of trade will be held in the board rooms. 85 Prince William street, at 8 o'clock

A concert for which a good pro-gramme has been prepared will be given in St. Malachi's hall on the 12th

The annual meeting of the St. John district will be held at Exmouth street Methodist church on Wednesday and Thursday, June 11th and 12th.

Last evening at Portland Methodist church the pastor, Rev. Dr. Steel, called the week Mrs. Wilson, of Paradise Row, and daughter of the late James Row, and daughter of the late James L. Harris, had presented the trustees with a handsome pulpit Bible. At yesterday morning's service Mr. Steel evening service received fourteen into the church—ten on confession of conversion and four by letter. At the sacramental service last evening the import of communicants was exceptionally large. CRASH ON WALL STREET.

NEW YORK, May 5.—The suspension of Offenbach and Moore was announced at the opening of business today on the stock exchange. Henry Bros., 71 Broadway, members of the stock exchange, announced their suspension today. Mr. Gordon of that firm is a director of the Dominion Securities Company. The suspension of Lockwood Hurd and Company was announced on the stock exchange today.

STOCK MARKET.

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YESTERDAY'S MASS MEETING.

The last of the series of afternoon ass meetings held in the Opera House ing the very fine weather which proved o attractive to pleasure seekers. The musical programme included solos by Cameron Bogart, James Bond and Miss Shute, selection by the Exmouth street male quartette, a whistling solo by Walter Nixon, and a violin solo by Morton L. Harrison. The whistling solo was enthusiastically applauded.

Mr. Whitney said that although he did not consider any explanation recessary, he would say that these meetings were conducted for the purpose of bringing in those who would otherwise spend the afternoon on the streets, Many persons could not be induced to attend a religious service, but would be attracted by the concert, which was put on before the address. For this reason the best local talent had been secured and next winter imported talent would appear. It is impossible to do good to persons who are not at the meeting, but having once drawn them by the music they will remain for the address.

At the end of the programme and bemusical programme included solos by

address.

At the end of the programme and before the address was delivered, a very large number of the audience left the building.

The address was delivered by Mr. Whitney and was followed by a solo from Harry Upton.

A FERRY MISHAP

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The ferry steamer Western Extension is laid up for repairs. On the 9.20 trip Saturday evening it was found that the hinges of the rudder were broken. After a very long time the tug Fluehing was got and placed on the route, but in the meantime a large number of West Side people had started by the bridge route and walked all the way home. There is much complaint over the failure of the authorities to arrange for a prompt and satisfactory service.

PERSONALS. J. R. Armstrong, K. C., and C. J. Coster, K. C., left Saturday afternoon for Ottawa. C. E. Laechler, the manager of the International division of the Eastern steamship line, who came here Friday night, left for Boston Saturday.

W.m. Blair of the Donaldson line left for Montreal Saturday afternoon. Mr. Blair has hosts of friends here who will be delighted to meet him again.

A. E. McIntyre of the Telegraph editorial staff returned on Saturday from Ottawa, where he has been attending the session of parliament in the interests of his paper.

Mrs. A. R. Palmer returned by C. P. R. Friday from Montreal and Ottawa, where she had been spending the winter.

RECENT DEATHS. Mrs. Richard Lodge, of Fairville, died very suddenly of heart disease last evening. Mrs. Lodge was a native of Gagetown, Queens county, and a sister of Ald, McMulkin. She left a husband, three sons and five daughters. Mrs. John McAlary, of Kingston, Kings county, is dead, aged 66 years, leaving one son and three daughters. Mrs. Solomon Woodworth, of Hopewell Hill, Albert county, is dead, aged 79 years, leaving one son and three daughters.

daughters.

HAME/TON, Ont., May 4.— L. M.
Gordon, a socialist labor party orator,
who held a meeting on the public
a streets, was fined \$30 and costs, or 21
days in jail, for obstructing the street.
Gordon refused to pay the fine as a
matter of principle and went to jail.

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TURKISH BATHS

expected removel from the city in July. He has discharged the duties of this office for four years and a half. On motion the resignation was laid on the table and Revs. C. T. Phillips, Dr. Fotheringham and G. N. Stevenson were appointed as a committee to nominate his successor.

nate his successor.

Rev. H. F. Waring read a paper on the Fatherhood of God, and most of the members took part in the discussion which followed.

PATTERSON'S Cor. Charlotte and Duke Sts.

CORSETS HAVE NO BRASS EYE-LETS.

a pair is our

City workmen this morning com-menced re-covering North Rodney wharf with hardwood planking. The oboir of the Leinster Street Bap-ist church will give a concert tomor-row evening in the schoolroom.

The mission band of the Coburg street church will give a social and lit-erary entertainment Friday night.

Gibbon & Co. announce the lowest Spring Prices on Hard Coal for cash orders and immediate delivery.

The drawing for the trotter Baby Boy will be held in the York Theatre on Thursday evening next at eight o'clock.

Mrs. George Pike will receive on Wednesday and Thursday of next week, the 14th and 15th insts., at 23 Exmouth street.

No. 3 Company, 3rd Regiment Canadian Artiflery wil meet at the dril shed, Fort Howe, tomorrw (Tuesday) evening for the issue of clothing.

Fredericton men will have three naphtha launches on the river this summer. The owners are Wm. Walker, W. T. Chestnut and R. F. Randolph.

Potatoes for shipment to Boston sold at \$1.40 per bbl. at Keswick, York Co., on Friday. At Fredericton market on Saturday the price was \$1.60 by the single barrel.

The Young Women's Guild of Trin-ity church will hold a Gibson sale and tea in the schoolroom on the 20th inst. from 4 till 7 p. m. Gibson pictures, cushions &c. will be offered for sale.

The series of musical and literary en-tertainments which have been held in the Germain Street Baptist church dur-ing the past winter, will be brought to a close by a congregational social on Thursday evening.

Mrs. Wilson, daughter of the late James L. Harris has presented the trustees of the Portland Methodist church with a pulpit Bible which was used at yesterday's service for the

An alarm was rung in from box 16 between eleven and twelve, o'clock this forencon for a fire in the Little Girls' Home on Brussels street. The damage was slight. The building is owned by the Turnbull estate.

The body of the late Leah Ann Quigley, widow of John Quigley, was taken by the C. P. R. to Sussex at noon today. Service was held at her home on Brook street at eleven o'clock by the Rev. Mr. Foster.

The water in the river at Fredericton came up just one foot in the twenty-four hours ended at noon Saturday and was still rising at the rate of half an inch an hour. Logs were running freely and bear the marks of operators on the head waters.

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. THE FRUIT TRADE.

About this season every year E. A. Goodwin makes a trip to Montreal for the purpose of securing a stock of the best summer keeping fruit brought to Canada. Mr. Goodwin went up on this annual trip last week and returned on Saturday. While in Montreal he attended the auction of the cargo broughe by the steamer Jacona and purchased between six and eight carloads of Sorrento oranges, comprising in all over by the steumer Jacona and purchased between six and eight carloads of Sorrento oranges, comprising in all over twenty-two hundred cases. This fruit was all packed in Italy by Jos. Maresca, and F. S. Ciampa & Son, two growers and packers whose names are known among all fruit dealers as being thoroughly reliable, and their goods may be depended upon as being of the finest quality. These oranges are all summer keeping fruit and Mr. Goodwin has dound that this class is best suited to the trade here. In making his purchases he took particular care to buy the best goods on the ship, the largest cases and the biggest counts. The lemons on the Jacona were said to be of poor quality. Mr. Goodwin did not inspect them personally, but took the report of his broker. As the lemons on the Fremena, which arrived in Montreal a short time ago were a good class of fruit, Mr. Goodwin expected to purchase an equally good quality from the Jacona, but upon receiving the report from his broker, decided not to buy. He has found that lemons can be bought better in the Boston and New York markets than in Mostreal.

LOCAL NEWS. HARBOR WORKS.

A Concise Review of the Situation By T. H. Estabrooks.

Prompt Action Needed - A Plan Suggested That Deserves Prompt Consideration.

commodation at the west side for import and export business, T. H. Estabrooks said to the Star today:—

"That business during the present year has been hampered, delayed and made more expensive to both railways and steamship companies on acoun of the insufficient wharf accommoda ion; that the exports would have teen much larger had there been more wharf and warehouse facilities; and hat business during the coming season

wharf and warehouse facilities; and that business during the coming season has no possible chance to expand unless more wharves are provided between now and next December, are, I think facts proven beyond doubt. The questions, 'How are additional wharves and warehouses to be provided?' 'Who is to build and pay for them?' are not casy ones to answer, because there are three parties interested, neither of which appears willing to undertake the work alone and at once.

"The parties I refer to are the Federal Government, the Canadian Pacific Railway and the City of St. John." I put the Federal Government first because this is a national question, the building up of a Canadian route for Canadian products, and I am of the opinion that it would be in the best interests of the country for the Government to take over and equip the most important harbors, making them free of all charges except what would be sufficient to pay the costs of management and maintenance; practically completing the great system of canals and railways in which such a large portion of the capital of the Dominion is invested, both in the way of subsidies and actual ownership; making these ports the best and cheapest on the Atlantic reaboard, thereby attracting the Poest class of steamers, and through these advantages handle not only the whole exports of Canada but a very large portion from the western United States. But I think the question is such a large one that it cannot be decided immediately, and I doubt very much if the government will loan or give any money towards building wharves and warehouses until some plan of putting the harbor in commission or making it a national free port is carried into effect. So if we depend on the Government, I am afraid there will not be any wharves built this season.

"I have put the C. P. R. next because this is the terminus of their great lime

city in Canada has spent its own money so freely in such an undertaking."

Can you suggest any way in which even a sir 'e berth migat oe provided in time fo next winter's business?

'Yes. I hink the three parties interested night work together. The Governmer' might fairly be asked and would probably undertake to do the dredging required for a wharf to the north of the present West Side wharves at the sufficient of the present West Side wharves at the sufficient of harbor work that these dredges are expected to do. The C. P. R. would probably be willing to ballast the wharf as they are making heavy excavations at the Bay Shore, and would, no doubt, give free carriage for any timber that could be procured along their line. The city could build the wharf, and if practical, a double floor warehouse. If the approach is too short so that a double floor could not be used then make a warehouse very wide giving much more room than the other warehouses afford for the handling of the sexport and import eargees at the one time; the phject being to make this berth so that a steamer could be unloaded and loaded more quickly than at any of the other wharves, and thus be willing to pay a rate of wharfage that would be sufficient to meet the interest and provide for a sinking fund for the amount expended by the city. Or perhaps better yet, I should think the C. P. R. should be willing to pay a rate of wharfage that would be carried to effect the idea of making this one of the national harbors of Canada.

One thing is imperative, and that is, if anything is to be done at all towards providing wharves for next winter's business, it must be done immediately."

William Clark, proprietor of the Cafe Royal died suddenly about half past two o'clock this afternoon, at his home, a two o'clock this afternoon, at his home, a two o'clock this afternoon, at his home, a gueen street, of heart disease. He and thus of other work of the two o'clock this afternoon, at his home, a gueen street, of heart disease. He and the suddent suddent suddent

nged Their Boarding House-

Michael Hillan and Tom. McAnuity left their home in the old schooner at Wiggins wharf on Saturday and started out to see the town. Michael's ideas were somewhat larger than Tom's, and his capacity considerably greater, for he came across the ferry and did not succumb to the inevitable results of intemperance until almost two hours after his chum was locked up. Hillan was arrested on Union street and McAnuity on Union street, West End. They both pleaded guilty to drunkenness and were sent in for two months each.

ness and were sent in for two months each.

John Morrison, arrested yesterday, also pleaded guilty to drunkenness and was fined eight or thirty days.

Last night an odd looking character, who gave his name as Joseph Pyne, was found by Sergt. Campbell asleep in the ice house on Water street, opposite the Custom House. He had on three pairs of pamis, two vests, and three coats. He wore but one hat, but had two others with him. In his pockets were vegetables and other edibles, besides a miscellaneous collection; also a tin in which he did his cooking, but the strangest find were two bank books of the Bank of Commerce showing deposits aggregating \$990. He had \$2.26 in cash.

This morning in the police court

posits aggregating \$390. He had \$2.26 in cash.

Tying explained that he had come from the west and was in search of a homestead. He walked from Fredericton and intended going to Nova Scotia this morning, but, on account of being locked up, missed the boat. He carried plans of the crown lands and was anxious to invest. The magistrate remanded the man to jail until further enquiries can be made.

Charles Coleman, arrested on a warrant charging him with using abusive and insulting language to W. J. Savage pleaded guilty, but said that he did not know what he was doing at the time and had no wish to offend. Mr. Savage did not wish to prosecute and the matter was amicably settled.

CIVIC COMMUNICATIONS.

A Number of Applicants for Position of Harbor Inspector.

At the meeting of the comon council this afternoon the following communications were received. Joseph O'Brien, jr., son of the late harbor inspector; Frederick W. James, Bart Rogers, LeB. Robertson, Robert H Fleming and George H. Green made application for the position of harbor in spector.

plication for the position of harbor inspector.

J. D. Hazen stated in a communication that he was prepared at any time to convey to the city on behalf of the estate of F. B. Hazen, that portion of Murray street (so called) running from Main street to Straight Shore, free of charge.

Mrs. A. S. Boyer called attention to the daily violation of city bye-laws by F. B. Williams Co., encumbering the street and sidewalk in front of 94 and 96 Princess street with boxes.

D. J. Gallagher sent in his resignation as machinist in the ferry department. Wesley Williams, Wentworth Lewis and E. Sutherland applied for the position.

Officer Gosline asked for a grant of \$4.50 to replace a pair of pants destroyed while in the discharge of his duty.

M. Nellson, of the St. John railway weeks.

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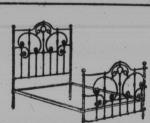
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THIS EVENING.

Drill of No. 2 Co., R. C. A.
The Little Magnets Co. at the Opera House.
Meeting of St. John Teamsters" Union in
Oddfellows' hall.
Monthly meeting tonight at S o'clock of
No. 2 salvage corps, north end.
Non-com. officers' mess, 62nd Fusiliers,
meet in Palmer's chambers at S.
Executive of H. M. S. Polymorphians, at S.

A MEMORIAL TABLET.

On next Sunday evening the Young Men's Association of Trinity church will hold their annual anniversary service in the church. At this service a tablet erected by the association to the memory of the late Rev. William Eatough, who died while curate of Trinity church, will be unveiled. The tablet will be placed just holds. tablet will be placed just behind the font in the baptistry.

HARD ON DR. SEWARD WEBB.

Dominion Securities Company stock, which sold at 118 1-4 on the New York stock market on Friday morning could not get a higher bld than 80 at the close. This is the company of which Dr. Seward Webb is president. A storm centered around all the properties in which he is interested.

CIVIC PAY ROLL. City Chamberlain Sandall teday paid out \$6,797.44 as follows: