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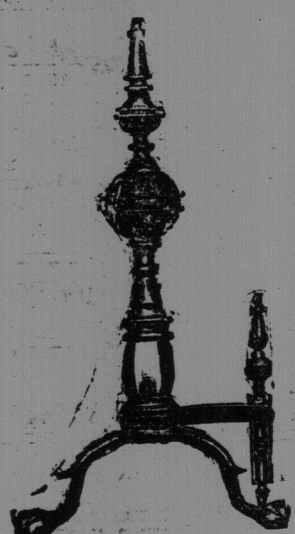
ST. JOHN, N. B., SATURDAY, AUGUST 11, 1906.

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## EXHIBITION DECORATIONS ARE WELL UNDER WAY.

Painting is Nearly Done, the Pike About Finished, Interior Decorations Placed—Kennels Being Built—T. S. Simms Will Have a Good Exhibit.

The work of getting the exhibition building in shape for the opening of the fair, which is to be held in this city from Sept. 1st to Sept. 8th, is rapidly progressing, and already much of the decorating and painting is completed. The pike is now nearly finished, and Mr. Spencer, who is in Boston looking up attractions for this row, wires that he is meeting with excellent success. The space for the women's department is an especially busy place, and already it has been divided into the different rooms, and the fancy front which is being erected is nearly completed.

The painting of the buildings is now practically finished. The main buildings have been painted and the men are now at the high decorations in the houses, while another crew are touching up the window sashes and doors. It is claimed by those who have seen the buildings since they have been painted that they never looked nearly so well before as they do at the present time.

The fancy arches and flagpoles for the avenue forming the entrance to the main building have all been placed and look very gay in their new paint. Already all the high decorations in the building have been completed. The idea of having these decorations put up so early is so that it will not affect the space holders.

T. S. Simms and Company have applied for space in machinery hall, and will put in a brush making plant. Mr. Milligan is also in correspondence with the Hoveen Works, and expects to have the four men who may expect pretty stiff sentences if convicted.

Eleven and three-quarter cents was paid for cheese at the Board yesterday. The rates are the highest this season.

**R. W. STEVENS' DEATH.**  
The funeral was held this morning at 9 o'clock at the R. W. Stevens of Milltown, who died in the Provincial Hospital on Thursday morning. The internment took place in the Methodist cemetery. The service was conducted by Rev. Jas. Crisp, of Zion church.

The late Mr. Stevens came here about two weeks ago from Milltown, to be treated for cholera jaundice. The disease gradually grew worse and finally caused his death. Mr. Stevens was a native of London, Eng. He came to St. John some years ago and followed his profession in this city as a piano tuner. He was married after coming to this country and leaves a widow and one boy of some 14 or 15 years. Eight years ago Mr. and Mrs. Stevens united with the Carleton street Methodist church during the pastorate of Rev. Jas. Crisp there. Two years ago they removed to Milltown, where they have since lived. Meanwhile Mr. Crisp left the city and heard no more from the former member of his congregation until a few days ago, when he received a letter from his (Mr. Crisp's) brother in Milltown, stating that Mr. Stevens was very low in the hospital in this city, and asking him to call on him. Mr. Crisp did so, and found the man in a most serious condition.

## MORE EVIDENCE IN THE SECOND CASE.

Witnesses Tell of Interference With the Police  
And Praise Officer Marshall for the Way He Aided—Hearing is Further Adjourned.

The case against Secord, charged with being drunk, furiously driving and resisting the police, was taken up this morning in the police court. Daniel Mullin, K. C., appeared for the defence. Harry Kelly was called and said when the team was on Waterloo street and Secord was placed on it, he said that the policeman was choking him and beating him on the knuckles. Kelly said to Marshall to let Secord go home, and the policeman threatened to hit him with the baton. He did not interfere.

Edward Murphy testified that on Wednesday evening he saw Secord and two others stop at Flood's bar on the Marsh road. The policeman put Secord in the wagon and started him towards home. Secord, however, came back, and the policeman pulled him off the wagon. The men were under the influence of liquor and the horse was quite warm. The policeman ordered Secord home several times. Ed. Johnson called out some dirty remarks to the policeman.

To Mr. Mullin, the policeman then asked Littlejohn to come out and repeat that language. It was after that the policeman caught hold of Secord and hauled him off the cart and the horse ran away. Witness did not see any resistance on the part of the prisoner.

James Kilpatrick testified that he saw a crowd and heard a man screaming "let me go and I'll go home." Witness told the crowd to keep back and not interfere. The police called on witness for help, and he, with Frank Freeze, aided in making the arrest. It was a damn shame to arrest Secord, and was pushed away. A man did something to the officer, who said, "Kelly, I'll have you up for that." Witness recognized Kelly as the man. Thomas Beamish was there and said, "Kelly, I'll have you up for that." The policeman did not abuse the man at all.

David Verner saw three men on a road cart coming in the road. The horse was on the run. They stopped the cart. Mr. McLaughlin had hold of the horse by the head. The crowd called on defendant not to go, and a young man named Kelly took an active part in trying to get the prisoner away. The officer called on witness for assistance, and he told prisoner to go along quietly. Kelly caught hold of the policeman's hands and told witness to go away, that he was not wanted about there. Some person said to let the horse run away, and that caused Mr. McLaughlin to catch the horse by the head. The crowd seemed to be the cause of the disturbance, and the policeman had to put up with a lot. The prisoner was quite civil, but Kelly had more to say than the others. Beamish said Judge Ritchie put one on the bum and Marshall would be the next.

The case was adjourned until Tuesday next at 2 p. m. The court asked to explain their remarks and actions when the arrest was made.

## NOT AS FOND OF THE WATER AS THEY USED TO BE.

A PLEASANT DINNER ON H. M. S. DOMINION.  
Capt. Kingsmill Hands Out Taffy to Halifax Guests

The ship sails today for Charlottetown and thence to Bay Chaleur to visit Governor Snowball.

HALIFAX, N. S., Aug. 10.—Captain Kingsmill, of H. M. S. Dominion, gave a very pleasant dinner party on the battleship tonight. About forty guests were invited. Mrs. Kingsmill assisted her husband in the reception of the guests, who included Bishop and Mrs. Worrell, Deputy Mayor Johnson, Col. and Mrs. Drury, Lieut.-Colonel Irving, Lieut.-Col. Carleton-Jones, Lieut. Col. Benson, Mr. Justice and Mrs. Graham and Mrs. Buchan, of Montreal.

After the usual toast to the King, Capt. Kingsmill made a very happy speech in which he expressed his appreciation to the citizens of Halifax for their kindness in making a presentation to his ship. The gallant captain spoke in enthusiastic terms of the superior advantages of Halifax harbor and said that all naval officers anticipated with pleasure a visit to this hospitable city. Wherever you find a British ship, he said, you will find an officer with pleasant reminiscences of the happy days spent in Halifax.

The ship's band then played "The Maple Leaf" and Deputy Mayor Johnson made a brief but felicitous speech, in which he conveyed to Capt. Kingsmill and his officers the pleasure with the visit of the Dominion had given to the citizens of Halifax.

The Dominion sailed at five o'clock on Saturday morning for Charlottetown, where she will remain two days. She will then proceed to Bay Chaleur, where she will be her only call in New Brunswick waters. Lieutenant Governor Snowball will probably meet the ship at that port. The Dominion will then proceed to Quebec and will remain in that port for two weeks. She will next visit St. John's, Nfld., and will sail direct for Gibraltar from that port.

There seems to be only one inducement for the proprietor at Blue Rock to continue doing business there, and that is that this year a considerable number of good-looking young ladies are becoming interested in the sport. If these continue to follow up the exercise there is a prospect that they will soon leave the men in the background. Many of them are already good swimmers, and if they are not good divers it is not through fear or through any lack of desire to participate in those more daring feats. It is probable that in the course of a few years the ladies will be doing the high dives, while the men will be lined up on the rocks watching the performance.

The bathing house recently opened on the beach near Seaside Park is doing only a limited amount of business.

**THE LAYING OF THE CORNER STONE**  
Arrangements About Completed for Ceremony in Connection With New I. C. R. Shops at Moncton.

(Special to the Star.)  
MONCTON, Aug. 10.—The arrangements connected with the laying of the corner stone of the first of the new I. C. R. shops at Moncton, N. B., are rapidly nearing completion. Mayor Stevens has arranged with the local militia companies to participate in a big procession which starts from the City Hall, and in which the Moncton Fire Department, uniformed, will also participate. The procession will be headed by the Citizens Band, and in carriages will be Hon. Mr. Emerson, Mayor Stevens, Premier Tweedie, Deputy Minister Butler, the county and city councils, the school trustees and city officials. The Senators from the district have also been invited by the Mayor. Mayor Stevens issued today a proclamation requesting the citizens to close their places of business from three until six o'clock on Monday afternoon. Tenders will be called immediately by the I. C. R. for three buildings additional to the freight car repair shop and planning mill for the new I. C. R. works. The new shops for which tenders will be called, will be the passenger car repair shop, passenger car paint shop, and store house and office building. The passenger car repair shop will be 100 ft. x 361 ft. 8 in., and a one story building. The passenger car paint shop will also be a one story building, 100 ft. x 361 ft. 8 in. The store house and office for the Stores' Department and mechanical work will be a building with two stories and a basement.

Through an error in the report received from the education office it was announced that the Parker silver medal was won by George Kierstead. The medal was really won by William E. McIntyre, his marks being 225, and Kierstead's marks 215.

**TOO LATE FOR CLASSIFICATION.**  
WANTED.—Experienced girls to sew by machine and hand on men's pants. Also girls to learn. Work given out to sew home. L. COHEN, 14 Canterbury street. 11-3-6  
WANTED.—Boy wanted as guide who can read and write. Apply to 28 Coburg street. 11-3-6







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ST. JOHN STAR, SATURDAY, AUGUST 11, 1906

## CLASSIFIED ADS.

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OPEN EVENINGS.

### GOLD BULLETS WERE USED BY INDIANS.

Mounds and Bullets Have Been  
Found in Indian Relics  
to the North.

Party Going to Investigate—Will Also  
Look for the Famous Wild  
Vancouver Island.

VICTORIA, B. C., Aug. 10.—The discovery some four months ago in Indian graves to the north of the Nanaimo lakes, of bullet mounds, and a number of bullets, made out of almost pure gold, has brought to public attention a legend of the Nanaimo natives to the effect that in the years ago, the men were in the habit of utilizing the precious metal, drawn from afar in the Vancouver Island source, as their missiles of death in warfare and in the hunt. Chief Louis Good, of the Nanaimo tribe, has had this legend handed down to him with much circumstantiality, and in the light of the casual discoveries referred to is inclined to give it more credence than ever he has before. He has formed a small party and has now left from Nanaimo with the object of verifying the native information as to the source of gold. Tradition in the Nanaimo tribe, has it that somewhere about the centre of the island there is a small waterfall over which comes fragments of gold, from which "The Indians of a century ago were in the habit of drawing their ammunition supplies. While on this expedition, Chief Louis Good and his associates, all of them being natives, will also seek more definite information regarding the Vancouver Island wild man, who has been seen at intervals during the past nine years, and was last reported from the shore of Horn Lake in the Alberni district, by two prospectors toward the end of June. The wild man, as on previous occasions, when fallen in with by the white prospectors, was clothed in sunshine and a smile. He ran as soon as the prospectors came within his view. His shelter was found, and also many traces of where he had been gathering roots for sustenance among the weeds stinging the little lake.

### ELEPHANTS, ESCAPING, CREATED A PANIC. The Animals Had a Real Good Time Pulling up Trees and Eating Fruit.

PARIS, August 11.—A panic was caused at Neuilly by the escape of three elephants from a place of confinement at the entrance to Paris. In the Avenue de Neuilly one of the beasts prepared to meet in battle an advance electric tramway-car, the continual hooting of the driver's horn being evidently taken as a challenge. The conductor, however, wisely determined to retire, and ran his car backwards to the river. The elephants then uprooted a couple of trees, and playfully threw them across the roadway. Then discovering a large assortment of melons in front of a grocer's, the animal was quickly despatched by the owner and his assistant, they proceeded to devour twenty or thirty of the melons with the greatest gusto.

### MRS. HUNTER'S STORY SAYS SHE AND HER HUSBAND AGREE PERFECTLY—BOTH QUITE WELL AGAIN.

Mrs. I. Hunter, of 111 Reginald Road, Kingston, Ont., has written for publication a statement of her case as follows:  
"I have suffered with kidney and liver trouble and chronic constipation for some time. I was subject to dizziness, bilious headache, nervousness, and a tired, weary feeling nearly all the time.  
"I tried almost every remedy, was treated by doctors and druggists with little or no benefit.  
"Finally, a friend advised me to try Dr. Leonard's Anti-Pill, and the results have been truly wonderful.  
"My husband has used Anti-Pill for rheumatism and was benefited greatly. We agree that Anti-Pill is a most wonderful medicine and heartily recommend it."  
This is a very strong recommendation. Anti-Pill is undoubtedly the greatest of family remedies. All druggists, or the Wilson-Pyle Co., Limited, Niagara Falls, Ont.

### GENERAL MERCIER HAS FLED TO ENGLAND.

As a Result of the Dreyfus Case He Was  
Compelled to Exile Himself  
From France.

PARIS, Aug. 11.—Once more the greatest drama of modern times has supplied a change of scene. General Mercier, who was among those who hounded Dreyfus to Devil's Isle, has left France for England. The French newspapers state that he has fled from Paris to escape the odium that is now cast on him; that his position in the senate is impossible to maintain, and that, while owing to the amnesty he cannot be made to suffer for his action in the Dreyfus case, his career in French public life is at an end. Mercier, a man of high standing, was a member of the senate, and the full story of the tragic circumstances under which the treason was discovered, with all the dates, and the most minute details, should at once be made public.

### AMERICANS SPEND LOTS ON ADVERTISING.

Liverpool Merchant Expresses Surprise at  
Some of the Methods Adopted.

LONDON, Aug. 11.—Some interesting sidelights on American business methods are given in an interview in the "Drapers' Record," with Mr. Owen, the well known Liverpool draper.

### COUPLE IN SWITZERLAND MARRIED IN ENGLAND.

GENEVA, August 11.—Inquiries by the Zurich police have brought to light an extraordinary story of alleged bigamy in London. A man, who was a couple who at the time were on the Continent.

There was a lively row at the foot of St. David street last evening about seven o'clock. Three young men, engaged in a three-handed mill. A large crowd quickly assembled to watch the fracas. Some one sent a hurry call to the central police station and Officers Scott and Lee promptly responded.

A large sum of money is said to be waiting for the descendants of certain Gormans or Nells who at one time resided in St. John. A prominent Nova Scotia lawyer has written to A. Warren, a German street, asking for information regarding these families. It appears that a Mrs. John Gorman, who was formerly Miss Katherine Nell, resided in St. John at the time of her marriage, and about thirty years ago left for the United States accompanied by her daughter. If descendants of either of these families can be found they are said to be entitled to a fortune. If any light can be thrown on the subject Mr. Warren will be glad to receive the information.

### SITUATIONS VACANT—FEMALE

WANTED.—Girl to go to Oronetto, near Westfield. Small family and light work. Pay \$15 per month. MISS HANSON, Woman's Exchange, 110 Charlotte street.  
WANTED.—At once a general girl. Good wages, laundry sent out. Apply 21 Dorchester street.  
WANTED.—Girl for general housework. References required. Apply to MRS. W. E. VROOM, 115 Pitt street.  
WANTED.—At Wentworth Hall, 45 Elliott Row, a chamber maid and kitchen girl.  
WANTED.—Girl for general housework. References required. Apply MRS. E. G. SCOVILL, 64 Union street.  
WANTED.—Dining room girl. Good wages. Apply OTTAWA HOTEL.  
WANTED.—At once an experienced waitress at WHITE'S, King St.  
WANTED.—At once a girl or middle aged woman for general housework in a family of three. Apply MR. H. S. CRUICKSHANK, 159 Union St.  
WANTED.—Assistant cook and house kitchen girl at Clifton House, 1-5-11.  
WANTED.—General girl in small family. Apply MRS. WHITTAKER, Carvell Hall, 71 Water street.  
WANTED.—Experienced house maid. Apply to MRS. A. C. SMITH, 90 Wentworth street.  
WANTED.—A plain cook. Apply personally or by letter to MRS. CAVERTHILL JONES, Rotherham, N. B. 24-7-11.

### MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS

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WANTED.—Carpenters. Apply to R. H. HARRIS, 72 St. James St., or Telephone 712.  
WANTED.—Small Flat, centrally located, moderate rent. Address T. B. HILL, 115-117.  
WANTED.—Moderate in private family. Apply 5 Dorchester street, 7-8-6.  
WANTED.—By Oct. 1st, room and board in respectable boarding house, by business woman. Must be centrally located with modern conveniences. References given. Address Communications to E. T. Grant, 115-117.  
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### SAID CHLOROFORM PRODUCED DELUSION.

Peculiar Defence Entered in a Divorce  
Suit in France.

PARIS, Aug. 11.—A doctor's wife has been petitioning for a divorce in various grounds. The evidence on her side included the statement of a servant girl that she saw the doctor kissing his mistress. The doctor was called in to attend to the maid during an illness. A surgical operation was deemed necessary, and the girl was put under chloroform. On awakening after the operation the first thing she saw was the doctor kissing his mistress. The court was convinced by the two learned professors, and rejected the servant girl's evidence. Unfortunately for the doctor, other grounds for a divorce brought forward by the wife were proved to be not hallucinatory, but substantial, and she has won her suit.

### HOLDS THE RECORD FOR THE LONGEST NAME.

PARIS, August 11.—A subject of King George of Greece held the record in names, says the Paris Figaro. He has been settled in Milwaukee, Wisconsin, for several years, and answers to the Christian name of "Jack," but his surname is Papatheodorakimountourtopoulos.

CHARLOTTE, N. C., Aug. 10.—George Hall was tonight convicted of conspiracy in connection with the lynching at Salisbury of the three negro murderers of the Yfeer family, and was sentenced to fifteen years in the state prison.

### SITUATIONS VACANT—MALE

WANTED.—Experienced Hardware Clerk for retail trade. State age, experience and give references. Address "C. H." Box 115, City.  
WANTED.—A Boy wanted to drive a team. Apply at YORK BAKERY, 220 Brussels street.  
WANTED.—Boy for mercantile office. Apply in own handwriting, stating grade of school last attended. Address "Junior," Box 115, City.  
WANTED.—City collector, references required. Apply at 35 Dock street.  
WANTED.—Boy to learn trunk business. Apply Peters' Trunk Factory, 125 Princess street.  
WANTED.—Grocery Clerk with some experience. Apply CHARLES A. CLARK, 40 Charlotte St.  
WANTED.—At once monoline operators, male or female, at eight cents per thousand cms. Permanent situation in most progressive town in Canada. GAZETTE GILBERT BAY CO.  
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FOR WORK OF ANY KIND or a spare try Grant's Employment Agency, 60 St. James street, West Side. Phone 764. E. J. GRANT.

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FOR SALE.—Freehold property 246 King street, W. E. E. lately occupied by Mrs. James E. Hamm. For terms apply to MR. JAMES F. BROWN, 195 Guilford street.  
FOR SALE.—Irish terrier puppies, Celtic Badger stock. Apply 227 Brussels street.  
FOR SALE.—Walnut Bedroom Set, marble top, price low. Apply Theo. F. Fisher, 58 Portland street.  
FOR SALE.—A desk and bookcase combined. Apply to 35 Dock street.  
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FOR SALE.—Duval's Umbrella shop Self-Opening Umbrella, \$1.00 up. Or, dine, 60c up.

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Perfected Socks, shaped square, Light, Dark, Umbrella, repairing and repairing. 17 Waterloo Street.

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Splendid Programme Has Been Arranged for the Farewell Day—Experiment Considered a Success

The supervised playgrounds will be closed next Friday for the season. An orchestra has been engaged for closing day, and the parents of the children have been invited to attend and see for themselves the work that has been done.

At a meeting of the playground committee which was held yesterday afternoon voices of thanks were passed to the school board for the use of the playground and the school building, the Brussels street church for the use of their grounds, and to all others who had assisted the committee.

The members of the committee are very well satisfied with the results of the experiment. Everything has passed off without a hitch and the work has been most successful in every respect.

The good conduct of the children attending the playgrounds was commended. As evidence of this it was remarked that not even a pane of glass had been broken during the summer.

The children have enjoyed the use of the grounds immensely and express their sorrow that the grounds are to be closed so soon.

MINISTERS ON VISIT TO SYDNEY

SYDNEY, N. S. Aug. 10.—Hon. H. R. Emmerson, minister of railways, with Deputy Minister Butler and other I. C. R. officials, arrived here early this afternoon and returned west at 9 o'clock tonight after making a tour of inspection of the I. C. R. works here.

Hon. W. M. Templeman, minister of inland revenue, who arrived here last night, visited the steel works and collected today and leaves for Charlottetown tomorrow.

LADY EILEEN HAS BRUSH WITH GOVT STEAMER

(Special to the Sun.) CAMPBELLTON, N. B., Aug. 10.—The steamer Lady Eileen arrived at night at midnight last night with a large passenger list and a good freight cargo, having made the run from Gaspe in 14 1/2 hours. Amongst her passengers were E. T. Calhoun of Calhoun, N. B., who was on his way to Montreal on her trip to Gaspe last Saturday. Mr. Calhoun was accompanied by Dr. Garof of Montreal, and his many friends will be glad to hear of his early recovery.

Quite a bit of excitement was caused amongst the passengers of the Lady Eileen by a brush she had with the D. G. S. Montcalm, and in which she showed the government steamer a clean pair of heels.

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directions of a Decreeal Order of the  
Supreme Court in Equity, at the suit  
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the Cushing Sulphite Fibre Company,  
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and premises in the said decree men-  
tioned.

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ST. JOHN, N. B., AUGUST 11, 1906.

SAND POINT WORK.

There are pessimists in every com-  
munity—in a sense the black sheep of  
the flock—and St. John is no exception.  
This is plainly seen in the spoken and  
printed comments on the progress of  
work on the west side and there is no  
more cause for a gloomy view of con-  
ditions than there is for a cheerful one.  
It is true that many changes have  
been made in the plans since work on  
the new wharf was begun, true that  
difficulties have been encountered, and  
that a great deal of work is still neces-  
sary before the first berth is completed.  
But on the other hand much has  
already been accomplished, and consid-  
ering the progress made, there is no  
reason to believe that the city will not  
be satisfied when the next winter port  
season opens. Mr. Mayes, who has the  
contract for dredging, first agreed to  
do a specified amount of work in a  
given time. Instead of going about it  
in a deliberate manner, allowing him-  
self the full time limit of his contract,  
he procured a powerful dredge immedi-  
ately and has since been constantly at  
work, so that already there has been  
removed from the slip a large propor-  
tion of the mud. New contracts or  
rather extensions of the original, have  
been added, but if the dredge continues  
in the same manner as it has done to  
date, even these unexpected additions to  
the job will be finished in good time.  
Mr. Clark, who is building the wharf,  
is away ahead of his contract. He too  
began work whenever the papers were  
signed and has had a strong force of  
men steadily employed since that time.  
It is true that complications have  
arisen which have prevented the joint  
construction from being carried on as  
rapidly as was done by the individual  
contractors but for this no one can  
properly be blamed, and it is hardly  
fair to assert, because a delay in plac-  
ing the crib has been met, that every  
effort will not be put forth to rush the  
work, and that the contractors will  
dawdle along without caring much  
whether the berth is completed in time  
or not. In view of the progress made to  
date, there is every reason to believe  
that before the winter port season is  
far advanced, the first berth will be in  
readiness. If it is not, the new C. P. R.  
steamers will not come to St. John. The  
contractors realize this, and they may  
at least be credited with sufficient pub-  
lic spirit to do all in their power to  
avoid such an unfortunate condition.  
It is better and just as easy to say  
that the work will be finished in time  
than that it will not be done, when  
there is no very definite ground for  
reaching a decision either way.

THE BRITISH PREFERENCE.  
The statement of Canada's trade  
published elsewhere in this paper, is  
one which is in nearly every way sat-  
isfactory. On only one point can re-  
sult be expressed, and that is that all  
the enormous import traffic from  
Great Britain does not find its way  
through Canadian ports. The remark-  
able increase in British trade during  
the past few years shows the wisdom  
of the preference, and what is now  
needed is to make this preference ap-  
ply only to goods landed at  
Canadian ports from British dis-  
tricts. Commerce would not be dis-  
turbed by such a change if ample nat-  
ure was given, and the benefits which  
would result from this policy cannot  
be overestimated. The advisability of  
such an amendment to the tariff was  
persistently pointed out to the tariff  
commissioners when they visited the  
maritime provinces, and while it, can  
scarcely be hoped that the desirable  
change will be made at the coming ses-  
sion of parliament, yet it may reason-  
ably be expected that this phase of  
the question will be carefully consid-  
ered with a view to action in the fu-  
ture. The trade returns now published  
do not state what portion of British  
imports were received in Canada di-  
rect, and these figures will be awaited  
with interest.

ONLY THREE WEEKS MORE.  
Again the Star wishes to remind all  
persons, interested or otherwise, that  
the exhibition will open three weeks  
from today. The time it will be neces-  
sary in getting short, but there is still  
enough of it left for St. John people  
to spend in telling their friends in  
other parts about the fair. The exhibi-  
tion will be the most successful ever  
held here. The opinion has spread to  
every corner of a Decreeal Order of the  
Supreme Court in Equity, at the suit  
of the Eastern Trust Company against  
the Cushing Sulphite Fibre Company,  
Limited, the lands, pulp mill, plant  
and premises in the said decree men-  
tioned.

Rev. Dr. Spalding, of Boston, will  
preach in the Ludlow street Baptist  
church at both services next Sunday.

'CROSS LOTS.

Straight it ran through buttercups  
Blue-eyed grass and timothy,  
Clover, where this wild bee sipped,  
And the tall weed waving free;  
Just a little trodden lane,  
Narrow as a mower's swath,  
Oh, to set my feet again  
In that little brown footpath—  
Cross lots!

By a little well it led,  
Deep and dark, with mossy brink;  
Half a mile my feet have sped  
Just to get one cooling drink!  
Daisies nodded, bright and wet  
From the dipper's sprinkling bath,  
Oh, once more my feet to set  
In the little brown footpath—  
Cross lots!

Strawberries grew wild and sweet;  
You could smell them in the grass!  
Of each barefoot lad and lass,  
Oh, to hear the whistling scotch!  
Sweetest note that music hath!  
Some glad morning, say and blithe,  
I will find that brown footpath—  
Cross lots!

—Anna Burnham Bryant in the Con-  
gregationalist.

HEB WAS ALWAYS A JUDGE.

A Southern lawyer tells of a judge  
of a county court who had many duties  
besides his legal ones to perform,  
but who never for an instant forgot  
that he "embodied the law" under all  
circumstances.  
On one occasion this judge was acting  
as an auctioneer to dispose of the  
stock of a retailer who had died a  
short time before.  
While the auction was in progress a  
certain bidder was the cause of a dis-  
turbance that finally so exasperated  
the auctioneer that he suddenly as-  
sumed his character of judge and  
fined the offender the sum of \$35 for  
contempt of court.  
Of course an application for the re-  
mission of the fine was immediately  
filed by an attorney, on the ground  
that there was no contempt of  
court. The attorney maintained that  
the judge when acting as auctioneer  
was not a court, and was not, there-  
fore, liable to contempt. The judge,  
who heard this application with in-  
creasing wrath, assumed every bit of  
dignity he possessed and glaring fer-  
cely at the attorney said:  
"I am, sir, the judge, from the sit-  
ting of the sun to the setting of the  
same! And as much, sir, let me tell  
you, I am I, of his 'grand tour' he worked  
an object of contempt!"—Chicago In-  
ter-Ocean.

PREDICTS PRECOCIOUS CHILDREN.

Speaker Cannon, on his seventeenth  
birthday, referred in a jocular way to  
the precocity of the twenty century  
child.  
"Why, before long," he said, "we  
shall hear of the baby that has just  
been weaned turning to its nurse and  
saying—  
"I have had every reason to be sat-  
isfied with your past services, and  
shall not fail to recommend you  
among my acquaintances. Pray ac-  
cept this dollar for yourself!"—Chi-  
cago Inter-Ocean.

A CHEERFUL GIVER.

Bob's father had given him a ten-  
cent piece and a quarter of a dollar,  
telling him he might put one or the  
other on the contribution plate.  
"Which did you give, Bobby?" his  
father asked when the boy came home  
from church.  
"Well, father, I thought at first I  
ought to put in the quarter," said  
Bobby, "but then just in time I re-  
membered The Lord loveth a cheer-  
ful giver, and I knew I could give the  
ten-cent piece a great deal more  
cheerfully, so I put that in."

SIMILAR KIND.

"Now, boys," said the schoolmaster  
during an examination in geography,  
"what is the axis of the earth?"  
Johnny raised his hand promptly.  
"Well, Johnny, how would you de-  
scribe it?"  
"The axis of the earth," said Johnny,  
proudly, "is an imaginary line which  
passes from one Pole to the other, and  
on which the earth revolves."  
"Very good," exclaimed the teacher.  
"Now, could you hang clothes on that  
line, Johnny?"  
"Yes, sir," was the reply.  
"Indeed," said the examiner, a little  
disconcerted, "and what sort of  
clothes?"  
"Imaginary clothes, sir."

JUDICIAL SEVERITY.

The reader expects to find old friends  
in every compilation of humor such as  
"Humor of Boys and Blunders," now  
published by Small, Maynard & Co.,  
Marshall Brown being editor. But even  
the best memory will probably find some  
unfamiliar bits. As a case, here is  
a paragraph from the chapter on  
"Anti-Climax":  
"One of the best judicial utterances  
is that ascribed to a rural justice of  
the peace:  
"Prisoner, a bountiful Providence  
has endowed you with health and  
strength, instead of which you go about  
the country stealing hens."

A REASON FOR HUSTLING.

Awake my soul and with the sun  
Start out to make a little noon.  
Or else when holidays are here  
I shall be broke—or very near.

SATURDAY SERMONETTE.

DREAMS.

How they torture us after we have  
eaten, not wisely, but too well. How  
they tantalize us! When we lie down  
and sleep we are as poor as Lazarus;  
in our dreams we are as rich as Rocke-  
feller or any other rich fellow.  
We lie down with a beating heart,  
for we have lost our friend; we dream  
it was all a mistake; we did not lose  
our friend, he is with us yet; and then  
the agony of awakening, to find that  
our dream of not losing him was not  
true. How quiet it is. It is like the  
silence of the grave; we are suffocating,  
we cannot breathe. Oh, why did  
we dream of the heaven of his pres-  
ence, to wake and find ourselves alone!

Our health has been failing, for  
weeks we have been growing weaker,  
even though we have been fighting  
against it with all our might. The  
cough is no better, the pain in side  
and chest is wearing the life out of  
us. We have fallen into a troubled  
sleep, and we feel their arms about us  
and we feel the place of the old friends at  
home. Health only a dream that was  
sagony.

We have been away from home for  
months, new scenes, new acquaintances,  
have kept us from homesickness.  
Home is a week or two away from us  
for it took us that long to reach our  
new home. The rivers we crossed,  
the mountain ranges we climbed, the  
coast-like prairies we sped over, are  
all barriers to keep us from home.

One day and night it came upon us  
like a flood, the longing for home,  
what was this new country to us;  
these strangers who were there to  
take the place of the old friends at  
home? If we could only fly over these  
barriers or beat them down; for the  
terrible home hunger is on us.

And then tired out we slept and  
dreamed. Home is over the hill yonder,  
there at the end of the road, waiting  
for us. No waiting, they cannot  
wait, they are running to meet  
us and we feel their arms about us  
and their kisses upon our lips. And  
then we awake, we only dreamed we  
were home.

I have a friend who dreamed as "you  
and I," of his "grand tour" he worked  
to make his dream come true but failed.

And now he dreams of seeing the  
peace and above all the mountains,  
and it seems to him he cannot die until  
he has bowed his head in their pres-  
ence and worshipped the "god of the  
hills."

THADDEUS.

LADY PERFORMERS  
OBJECT TO NEW BILL.

They Assert That the So-Called Dangerous  
Performances are Safe Enough.

LONDON, August 11.—A Meeting of  
"lady performers" to protest against  
the passing of an act prohibiting dan-  
gerous performances has just been  
held at the Froyne Hotel.  
The chair was taken by Miss Peck,  
who inquired:  
"How are local magistrates to de-  
cide the questions that this bill would  
bring before them? The magistrate  
who attempted a double somersault  
would probably break his neck, but  
would that make it dangerous for us?"  
Miss Gore Booth brought figures to  
bear on the subject. She had investi-  
gated the great total of 7,800,000 vari-  
ety performances during a period of  
five years and found that only six  
serious accidents had occurred, four to  
men and two to women. This was  
more than could be said for other  
spheres of women's work.

YOUR ANTE!

It would be too bad to remove the  
restrictions on card-playing from the  
Methodist discipline. We fear the re-  
sults might not be beneficial. Think of  
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COUNTRY AROUND ROME  
NEEDS LOOKING AFTER.

The Pope Declares It is the Most Aban-  
doned Part of All Italy.

ROME, Aug. 11.—His Holiness the  
Pope has just delivered a remarkable  
address to the Circolo di San Pietro,  
and is reported in the "Tablet" to have  
made the surprising declaration that  
"the most abandoned part of Italy is  
the district which stretches for miles  
and miles around Rome." Then he went  
on to explain, and he earnestly thanked  
the little army of priests and laymen  
before him for doing their best to  
bring the consolation of religion to the  
forty or fifty thousand people who live  
in the "Ager Romano" from October to  
July. From July to October the same  
campaign is a wilderness, and the few  
inhabitants left in it have to protect  
themselves with wire netting and quinine  
against the scourge of malaria. After  
the September rain hots of sheep-  
herds with their masters' flocks and of  
agricultural laborers with their primitive  
implements come down from the  
Abruzzi and other mountainous dis-  
tricts; they build little settlements of  
rude huts here and there through the  
plain at distances ranging from five to  
thirty miles from the walls of Rome;  
they have no priests, nor schools nor  
doctors, nor newspapers, nor sanitary  
regulations, and they earn on an aver-  
age about 20 cents a day for working  
hard from sunrise until sundown.

Many years ago the Circolo di San  
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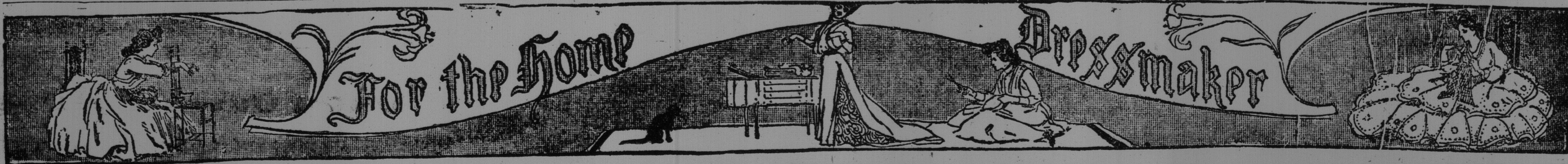
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excursions will apply on Sept. 3rd.  
These special excursion rates are  
good up to and including Sept. 5th and  
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of the rates, it may be said that the  
special excursion fare from Moncton  
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to the St. John exhibition. The I. C. R.  
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### Stripes for the Early Fall



far have been single stripes, oftentimes of black upon white or color, although color combinations are very good indeed.

Like polka dots, there's all the difference in the world in style between stripes of varying widths. One color may make the stripes of a certain size utterly lack style, while, in another color, that width stripe is eloquent of the very quality the other lacks. A dozen stripe combinations of black and white may be side by side—perhaps out of all of them only one will boast the elusive, significant feature.

Every sort of costume and every sort of material shows stripes. Whole suits and gowns are made of striped stuffs, the stripes emphasized—or modified, depending upon which they need—by the plain material combined with them.

One exquisite gown of green—the softest shade of it—was trimmed with silk of green and white, the green stripe of the silk radically unlike the green of the foundation, in that it was so strong a shade as to be almost vivid. Yet so perfectly did the shades blend, that the soft green was strengthened by the bright, and the bright at once set off and subdued by the other.

Even the jackets to tailor suits have stripes introduced in the form of tiny vestees, or of bands that edge the trim little coat collars and the turn-back cuffs.

In some of the sheer novelty materials—those of a single shade—the stripe effect is got in the weave (very much on the principle of the shadow checks so popular a year or so ago) by odd shiftings of threads, weaving them with almost lace-like openness here, grouping them into solid bands there. Made up over silk—white or a lighter shade is usually chosen to emphasize the transparency of the cloth—the stripes seem definite, yet where the folds fall together they are completely lost.

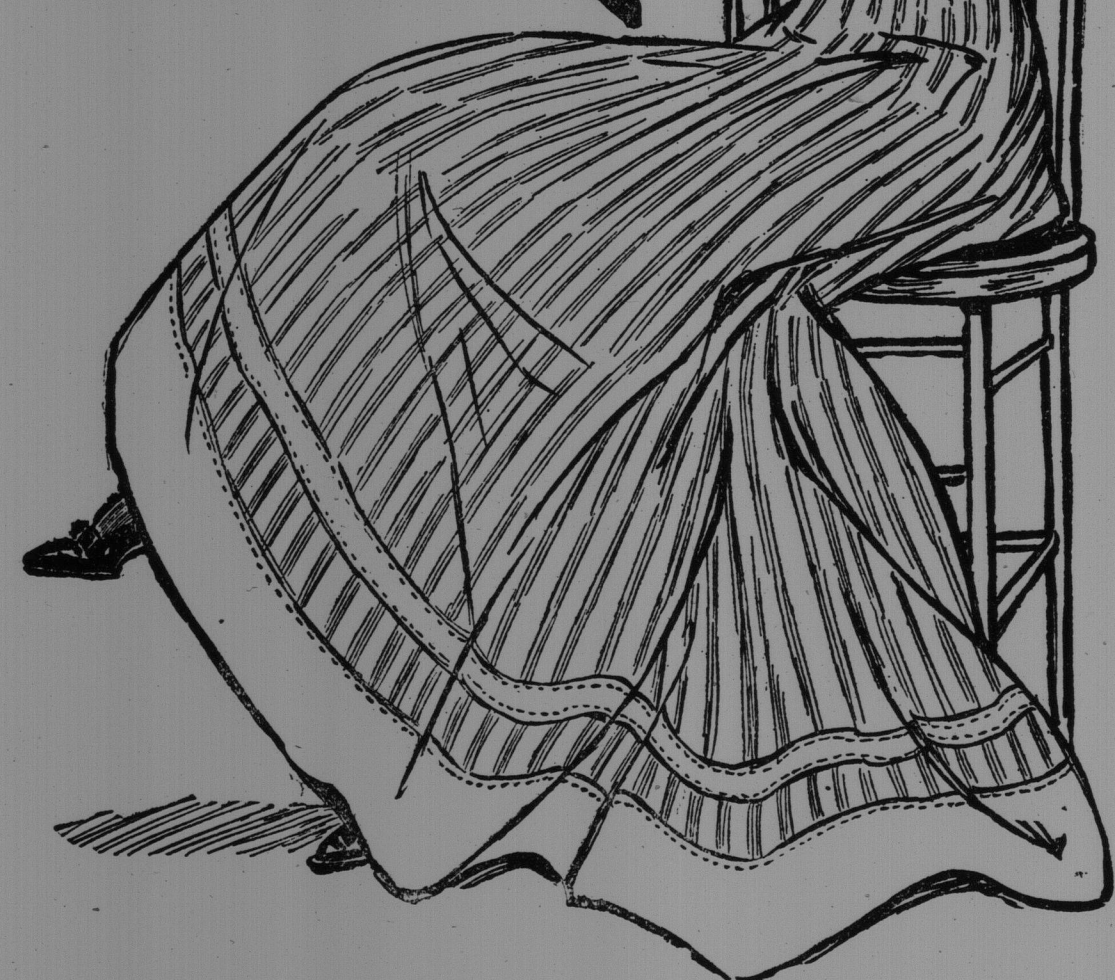
**T**HAT stripes of every sort—wide or narrow, indistinct or startlingly definite—are to be a marked feature of early fall fashions, is growing more and more evident every hour.

As early as last summer, stripes appeared tentatively in Paris, an occasional gown trimmed with bands of striped silk—one particularly striking costume of white serge, trimmed with bands of white and scarlet. Yet, instead of being extreme, it was simply striking.

But checks had everything so completely their own way that it was only an occasional gown that dared be radical enough to display stripes.

Now, every sort of stuff has come out in striped effects, and a variety is got into them that nobody ever dreamed possible before.

For the most part, the striped stuffs shown so



### New Waist Evolved from Summer Styles

**O**NE outcome of summer styles has been the creating of a new little waist, neither so severe as to relegate it to shirtwaist ranks, nor a typical blouse—which is inevitably made of figured material—any one of the sheer, pretty batistes or linens of the novelty stuffs made of silk and linen combined in odd, interesting ways.

First of all, the new waists came out to wear with linen suits, but they proved so satisfactory a solution of the problem of getting something different that they promise to be even more successful with cloth suits this fall.

The figure, or stripe, or flower with which the material is decorated is the same shade or color as the suit itself, some of the pretty brown suits which have been so popular all summer boasting attractive shirts of white, with odd stripes and prim little flowers of the same brown—and other lighter shades.

Most of them are untrimmed except for tucks, although a few have a little embroidery or lace insertion applied in some simple fashion. The prettiest of them all, though, are those made with a narrow frill of the material set on each side of the front, which, by the way, may be a plain box pleat, such as we've finished the fronts of shirtwaists with ever since shirtwaists have existed, or bands of tucks, or of tucks and insertion, as different from the old-time frilled waists as anything could be, but as interesting in its difference.

Long sleeves are upon all of them—the style demands it, in some subtle, but determined way, but never a one of them has the stiff cuff that goes so well with shirtwaist styles. Instead, cuffs simply tucked, and left without linings, are worn, some of them—on those waists which have the frills running down the front—made into turnback cuffs, and edged with a narrow frill.

Those frills, by the way, are at their quaintest if a goffering iron is used for their laundering.

Then the ruffles take on a prim little crimping which expresses them better than anything else could.

Plenty of yoke-styles are used to make them

by-yokes that run directly across the shoulders and are left plain, except for the very narrow insertion, or an effective heading, which joins the yoke to the rest of the waist.

#### Notes of the Fashions From Paris

**L**INEN coats for driving and automobiling are one of the most effective styles Paris has given us for some time, and the variety of the styles is endless.

One of the best driving coats Paris has sent is cut on the plainest of overcoat lines, and is finished with the simplest brown velvet collar and tortoise-shell buttons.

String-color—the color of twine, and not that shade that comes between biscuit and cream—is what you want if you desire that irresistible charm that Paris gets out of rough colors and fine tailoring.

When the weave is coarse and looks homespun, still another degree of style is added, that makes the face of Paris shine with approval.

Little hats, much tilted over the brow, are rapidly disappearing from the fair heads of gay Parisiennes, and slanty legghorns, with high crowns, are taking their place.

There is a positive mania just now for the mingling of flowers on hats. Wreathes of field flowers—immense ox-eyed daisies, poppies, wheat, oats, barley—are carefully arranged as trimming on the exquisite legghorns that are so universally worn.

For motorina, colored collars and cuffs are

often added to a plain linen-colored coat. One of the most striking of the season was of natural linen, of heavy weight, with bright Irish green collar and lining.

Besides linen or string color, Paris makes these serviceable coats of pink linen.

Needless to say, this is a mere vagary of Paris, and is not likely to cross the sea, this season at least.

Scotch plaid silks are sometimes used for the trimming of driving and motoring coats—the crayer the better.

Batistes are still made with tiny shells and gathered rosettes of lace let in, which is ever so much prettier than the bands of lace that were so much too much used earlier.

Uncurled ostrich feathers and crane plumes are fast taking the place of more fanciful trimmings on leghorn hats.

More fancy weaves and few plain colors will be used by exclusive tailors.

Plain lines will be the rule in tailor-made suits.

The bolero will again be used by fine tailors, but it will likely be still shorter than during the spring, and always loose.







ST. JOHN STAR, SATURDAY, AUGUST 11, 1906.

# A PILGRIM AND A COWBOY - By Edith M. Doane.

Yes, my dear Anna, "and so they were married," like the prince and the princess in the stories of our childhood. Indeed, the whole thing is so like one of those familiar tales that I sometimes find myself wondering what role I assumed.

There was always the good fairy, you remember, and the wicked fairy, and the cruel stepmother, but who was it who endured agonies of anxious days and sleepless nights? There is the part I played. I know I am considered a worldly woman, I know that Margaret's brilliant marriage is supposed to be the result of ambitious schemes. But if the truth were known, my dear Anna, my role in this little drama was rather that of the poor mother left behind in the cottage in the woods.

But I must not anticipate.

You, better than any one, know what my weakness has been in considering a possible husband for Margaret. Not wealth-for the fortune Margaret's father left us ranks high even in these days of ample fortunes-but family. The man-Margaret married must be of irreproachable lineage.

Descended as we are directly from the Mayflower Pilgrims (as you remember my husband was a direct descendant of William Brewster, the elder, while I claim John Howland for an ancestor), I have perhaps laid too great stress upon this matter of good birth; at any rate I have always demanded of my own and Margaret's associates.

Imagine my annoyance therefore when, early in the winter, a young fellow good enough in his way but of absolutely no family, persisted in throwing himself and all his worldly goods (inherited by the way, from a coarse but successful father) at Margaret's feet. I disapproved, at first silently, then audibly, then finding active measures necessary I told Margaret that I wished the acquaintance to cease.

"Why?" she demanded.

"You know perfectly well," I argued, "that he isn't our kind. He may be nice enough, but he has no social relations whatever, and as for his family-" I threw up my hands in despair.

"I wouldn't care a rap about his family if I loved him," returned my young lady decidedly. "I don't see the good of family and descent and ancestors any how. For my part, I'm tired of living up to those dusty old Mayflower Pilgrims. I think it is dreadfully stupid to depend upon your ancestors and never amount to anything on your own account."

I was annoyed with her. "You don't realize what you are saying," I returned, "how much this attitude which you are pleased to take distresses me. At all events I forbid you to accept any more of this young man's attentions."

I glanced at her standing tall and graceful by the window. There was a little malicious curve to her lips. The thing must be stopped at once, I thought rapidly.

"We will accept your uncle's invitation to spend the winter on his ranch," I announced, nervously trying to meet a storm of opposition.

But her face was unexpectedly radiant. "In Wyoming! Oh, mother, how lovely!" she cried, swooning down upon me in an affectionate embrace.

Since then I have realized that my fears were groundless. At the time I firmly believed that Margaret had begun to care for the boy and that our only safety lay in the distance. In fact, my dear Anna, Pete for reasons of her own decreed that we go to Wyoming, and so to Wyoming we went.

There, having arranged the play to her liking, with an appropriate stage setting of towering mountains and sweeping plains, Pete lost no time in ringing up the curtain. The first scene dealt chiefly with the effective entrance of the leading man.

"I wonder if you folks will want to



"RUN FOR IT!" CRIED JIM, AS HIS RIFLE BLAZED AND ONE OF THE INDIANS FELL SLOWLY TO THE GROUND.

A man always has been to Margaret a thing to be smiled upon and encouraged, therefore the increasing and ever lengthening visits of the cowboy caused me no uneasiness. I even allowed her to ride with him.

"Isn't all right. Let her go," said Dick. "Jim Lancaster is no mamma's boy, but he's straight as a string, and it will do her good."

So all I allowed across the wide, sweeping plains, her cowboy always beside her, attendant upon her least caprice. He taught her to send a horse whizzing over an accompanying gate post with unerring aim; she even learned to shoot (Margaret is nothing if not thorough), while from my pedestal of Eastern prejudice I followed the little drama, utterly unaware even that it was a drama, or that my call came next.

"Jim's over her a good deal," commented Dick one evening as he sat beside me. "He's a fair hand with a gun, but the Englishman were inside. She had been playing and now and then the murmur of conversation punctuated by desultory chords floated through the open window."

"Yes," I said, dolefully. I had followed too many of Margaret's ad-

vice was icy. His coolness provoked me beyond endurance. "I refuse to discuss it," I forbade you to speak to Margaret," I cried.

His determined blue eyes met mine stubbornly. It was absurd that at this crisis a momentary picture of a plunging horse and fearless, masterful rider should flash across my memory.

"Margaret would make an ideal ranchman's wife," I suggested with fine irony.

He flushed. "I have never intended it-and a least I can offer her a certain position. I am."

"I am out likely to forget what you are," I retorted, "nor that she is an heiress. Granting that you are honestly fond of her, would an honorable man place himself in the position of a fortune hunter?"

"Fortune hunter!" A dull red crept slowly over his tanned cheeks. "I do not know. Has she a great deal of money?" His voice was strained and uneasy.

"Millions," I replied curtly. Really, the man was more mercenary than I had thought him. I eyed him scornfully. He caught my expression.

"Don't think that! You don't understand. Everything's changed-but you'll advise me. Do you think I might continue to see her-if I don't?"

"No," I said decidedly, "because you would."

"But I cannot!"

"Yes, you can."

The expression on his face would have softened a heart of stone. "I am truly sorry," I said relenting and holding out my hand.

He smiled rather forlornly as he took it and after a second's hesitation went slowly away.

"You don't mind if I ride just a little way, mother dear?" questioned Margaret.

I was on the porch reading and I looked up from my book to smile at her wistful face. For three days Margaret had gone around looking as though her hours had been robbed of their sweetness since life (and Victoria Ranch) had nothing to offer. My heart ached for her, but I made no sign.

"What does Dick say? Is it safe?"

"Do be careful," I replied, anxious, yet hating to refuse her.

"It's all right-just a little way," she assured me.

"To my dying day I shall remember the picture she made as she stood there, sweet and girlish, in her trim riding habit, her soft hair caught in a heavy braid under the stiff little hat, a faint smile touching her mouth and eyes."

"Very well," I assented, grudgingly. So my dear girl rode away through the yellow sunshine, looking back and laughing and waving her hand cheerfully as she disappeared beyond the edge of the wood.

I never knew how long it was before I became dimly conscious of the pounding of approaching hoofs and glanced up to see a horse and rider tearing down the road on a dead run. Something tense about the familiar, broad-shouldered figure filled me with vague apprehending, and as he flung himself from his steaming horse I rose trembling to meet him.

"Where's Dick?"

His breath came quickly.

"I've frightened you," he added with quick compunction. "There's nothing to alarm you, really. I came to warn Dick. The men had better keep together after tonight; I fancy it would be safer, and it would be a good idea to patrol the outskirts of the ranch. Two or three hands of stray, half-drunk Indians have been making about and they mean mischief."

I gazed at him in speechless horror. I tried to speak but a giant hand clutched my throat.

"There really is no danger here," he insisted reassuringly. "Ask Dick. These stray Indians are a cowardly lot-out-

# THOMAS EMMA - By Mrs. Philip Champion de Crespigny.

"Honor," Cynthia said, balancing herself sideways on the old balustrade overlooking the lake, and dropping it into the water. "I wonder what would do if you were my postman."

"Pull away into the lake," I replied promptly; "as you will in a minute if you are not careful, and you will find it very deep water."

She swung around to face me sitting opposite to her in a corner of the stone bench on the terrace, and looked agrieved.

"I am in deep water already," she said gently, and with an air of abstraction.

"I want your advice."

"And my assistance, I suppose."

I was becoming accustomed to Cynthia's appeals for help; and she had gradually learned to look for my help as a matter of course.

"It should be more than glad if you can find a way to help me, but it won't be very easy," she said; and the unusually childlike innocence of expression in her blue eyes warned me to be prepared for a dilemma out of the ordinary. "It was quite accidental, something that could not possibly have been foreseen."

She puckered her brows and looked at me as though she feared the skies were going to fall.

"It always is," I remarked dryly.

"I thought it such a good idea to start with, but now it doesn't seem to have worked out very well."

"What is it?"

She hesitated, and I repeated the question.

"It's Mr. Peters," she said, turning her face away and looking out dreamily across the lake.

"Still Mr. Peters?" I asked with a little surprise. "It has been Mr. Peters for quite a long time."

She made no answer to this, and I watched the sunlight play on her golden hair through the dancing foliage of the big flex tree that overshadowed us. She made a lovely picture, sitting there in her white dress, lying swanlike one foot and to drag against the ivy-covered balustrade.

"I don't know if I have told you that he has asked me to marry him," she went on after a pause.

"Yes," I said, "several times."

"I wish people wouldn't ask me to

marry them," Cynthia said impatiently. "I never know what to say."

"There is not much choice," observed I. "You can only say 'Yes' or 'No.'"

"That's just what is so tiresome," she said calmly. "I said nothing. Yesterday he wrote to say he really must have an answer."

"He gave me a week to think it over, as he did not wish to hurry me," she turned from contemplation of the lake and looked at me.

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"I was rather in a fix, but I felt quite sure it would be no easier to make up my mind at the end of a week-whenever I could get it to do it at once. I did."

"I am glad to hear it," I remarked dryly. "I understand you to say you do not know what you had said."

"Then I gave it up," I flung myself back on the bench, exasperated.

"The way I did it was this: I don't quite know what made me; it was a sort of inspiration. I wrote two letters, one accepting him and the other refusing him, and addressed them exactly alike and shuffled them with my eyes shut, and then I put one in the fire and the other in the mail."

"Which did you put in the mail?"

"I don't know," she answered placidly. "That's just where the fix comes in."

"Cynthia!" I exclaimed, laughing against my will, and you call that making up your mind?"

"Well," she continued doubtfully, "at first I thought it was rather a good idea. Of course the awkward part is not knowing what I have said to him. And yet, if I had mailed one of the letters, she went on thoughtfully, breaking the ivy stem into small pieces and dropping them on the gravel at her feet, "and opened the other instead of putting it in the fire, I don't see that I should have been any better off."

"At all events you would have known what you had said."

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It's going to rain. I have probably said 'No.'"

I shook my head.

"I do not see what would be gained if I were to find out, and whatever silly thing you may have done, I have no desire to probe into a man's private affairs. It would be sheer impertinence. I can't imagine how you can behave in such a way, Cynthia. I went on, growing warmer at the thought of her inquiries. "It is perfectly odious of you to have behaved so thoughtlessly. I don't believe you half understand what you have done."

"I don't," Cynthia murmured gently, "that's why I want to go and see Mrs. Maloney's new baby."

"I am not going to help you," I said, rising and walking across the gravelled terrace to the balustrade.

"I am sure you will when you think of it, Honor dear," she said entreatingly. "It is not much I am asking you to do. Just to see Mr. Peters, instead of me; and with a little diplomacy you can get me out of this fix, just as you have so often before. Then I shall know how to meet him, and shan't be taken aback, I seem to be always tumbling into fixes," she added helplessly.

"And I, to be always helping you out," I retorted a little bitterly.

It was close upon three o'clock, and when a servant came to tell me that Mr. Peters was in the drawing-room and the Cynthia could not be found, I knew she had gone to see Mrs. Maloney's new baby after all.

As the interview had been forced on me I determined to make the best of it. Cynthia faced me quite placidly on her return.

"Well," she said interrogatively, throwing her gloves on the table and herself into a chair. "Did you see him?"

"Yes, I saw him," I answered curtly. "And which letter was it I put in the mail?"

"I have no more notion than you have."

"Cynthia opened her eyes.

"You mean to tell me you talked to him for half-an-hour and couldn't find out that much! Weren't there any symptoms?"

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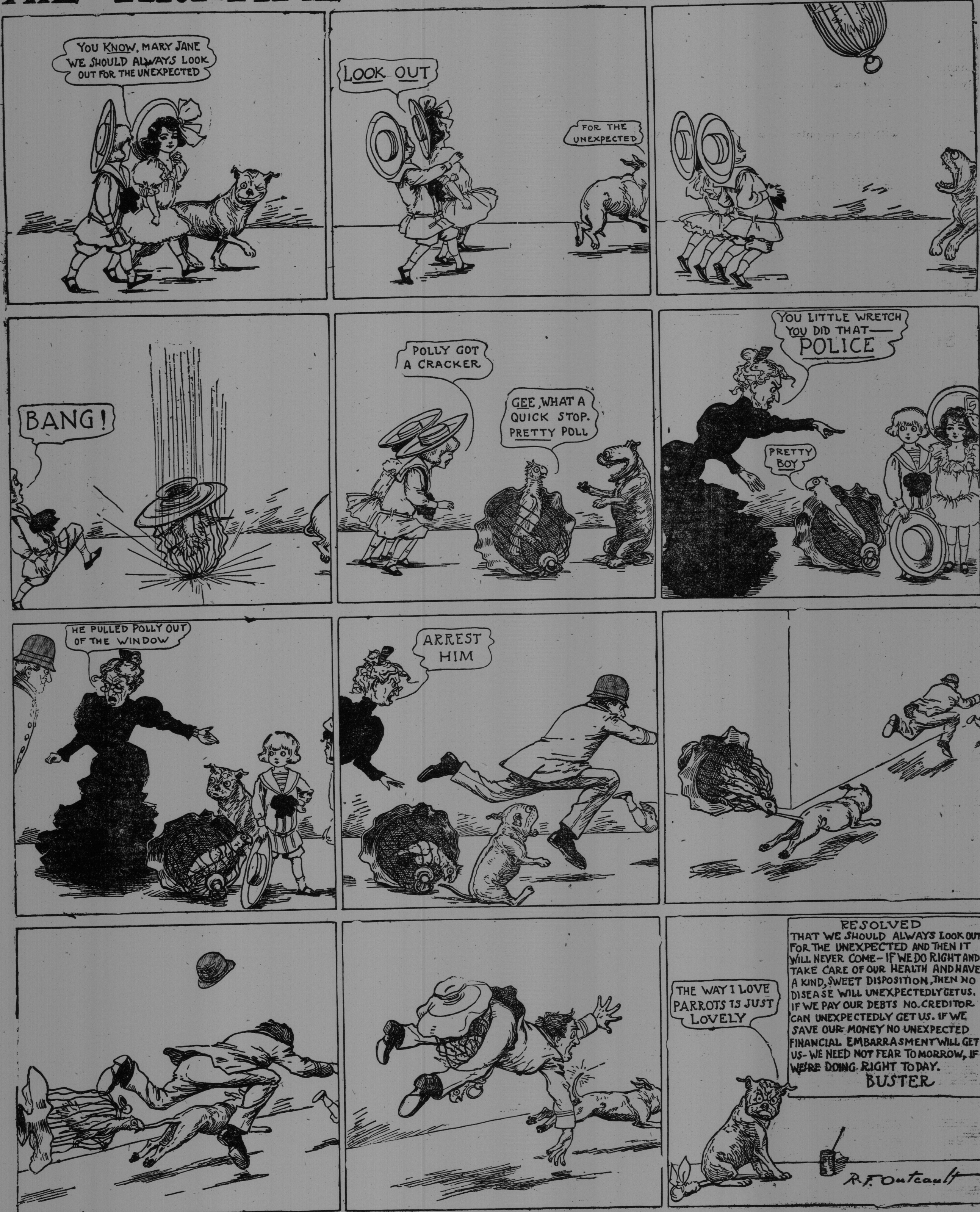


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ST. JOHN STAR, SATURDAY, AUGUST 11, 1906.

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## Those Cloth Top Button Boots

For Young Girls, Wearing Sizes 2 1-2, 3, 3 1-2 and 4 Have Arrived.

To accommodate the demand that has arisen for this style of Boot made in larger sizes than previously kept in stock, we have had a line completed in above named sizes and they are now in stock for inspection. They come with the popular low flat heel.

Price \$3.50 a Pair.

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## SPECIAL SALE

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### SHIPPING NEWS.

#### Domestic Ports.

HALIFAX, Aug. 10—Arr. German gunboat Panther, from Bermuda; str. Almeria, from St. John; A. W. Perry, from Boston.

Sid. str. Ulunda, Chambers, for Liverpool via St. John, N.F.

#### British Ports.

SWANSEA, Aug. 10—Arr. bark Aurora, from Pictou, N.S.  
LIMERICK, Aug. 10—Arr. str. Dunmore Head, from Campbellton via Belfast.

ALGOA BAY, Aug. 8—Sid. str. Canada, Cape, for Montreal.

LONDON, Aug. 10—Arr. str. Evangeline, for Halifax and St. John.

LIVERPOOL, Aug. 9—Arr. ship Margaretha, from Bay Vert.

CARDIFF, Aug. 9—Arr. str. Richard Graves, for St. John, N.F.

LIVERPOOL, Aug. 10—Arr. str. Arctic, from Boston via Queenstown.

LONDON, Aug. 10—Arr. str. Mount Temple, from Montreal and Quebec for Antwerp.

MOYILLE, Aug. 10—Sid. str. Ionian, for Montreal.

MANCHESTER, Aug. 9—Arr. str. Manchester Trader, from Montreal and Quebec.

LONDON, Aug. 10—Arr. str. Iona, from Montreal and Quebec.

MANCHESTER, Aug. 10—Arr. str. Isabella, for St. John.

INSTRALHULL, Aug. 10—Passed, str. Teatin Head, from Belfast for Miramichi.

MALIN HEAD, Aug. 10—Str. Virginian, from Montreal for Liverpool, N.S.

LIVERPOOL, Aug. 10—Sid. str. Codrington, for New York, Cymric, for Boston; Empress of Britain, for Quebec.

#### Foreign Ports.

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 10—Arr. str. Child Harold, from Windsor, N. John, N.B.

Bath, Me., Aug. 10—Old, str. Helen W. Martin, for Newport News; John H. Crafter, for New York; Harry Messer, for Baltimore; Helen W. Benedict, for Washington; barge Nevada, for Nova Scotia.

CAPE HENRY, Va., Aug. 10—Passed, str. Roda, from Baltimore for do for Portland (in tow).

VINEYARD HAVEN, Mass., Aug. 10—Arr. str. Mayflower, from New

Haven for Parrboro, N.B.; Maple Leaf, from Halifax for New York; Stony Brook, from Stockton Springs, Me., for New Haven; Adonia, from Bathurst, N.B., for Philadelphia.

Passed, str. Prince Arthur, from New York for Yarmouth.

BOSTON, Aug. 10—Arrived, str. Pretoria, from Halifax, N.S.; str. G. H. Perry, from St. John.

Cleared, str. Canopus, for Mediterranean ports; Toronto, from Hull, Eng. via New York; brig Aquila, for Senecaugh, P. Q.

Sailed, str. Cambrian for London, Eng.; Alice for Sama, Cuba; Prince George for Yarmouth, N.S.

CHATHAM, Mass., Aug. 10—Light southeast wind, with fog at sunset.

Passed east, str. Prince Arthur from New York for Yarmouth, N.S.

Anchored off the shoals: Three loaded three masted, bound north.

CITY ISLAND—Bound south, str. Mary Augusta, Sullivan, Me.

Bound east, str. Nanna, Newark, N. J., for Hallowell, N.B.

CAIAIS, Me., Aug. 10—Sailed, str. Helen C. King, New Bedford.

NEW YORK, Aug. 10—Cleared, str. Philadelphia, Southampton; Umbria, Liverpool; Columbia, Glasgow; Sumi-va, Fort Hastings, C.B.; Rung, Halifax and St. John; Ship Clyde, Liverpool; bark Dairymple, Melbourne; Erie, St. John, N.B.; J. W. Baleno, Jacksonville, N.S.; Clear, str. N. B. Sullivan, N.S.

CITY ISLAND, Aug. 10—Bound south, str. Persia, A. Colwell, Mat-land, N.S.; Crescent, do; Advent, Mal- bay, P. Q.; Provident, str. Martins, N.B.; Manuel R. Cuen, St. John; Maple Leaf, Parrboro, N.S.; Hazel Glenn, Halifax; Isiah K. Stetson, St. John N.B.; Rothe- say, do.

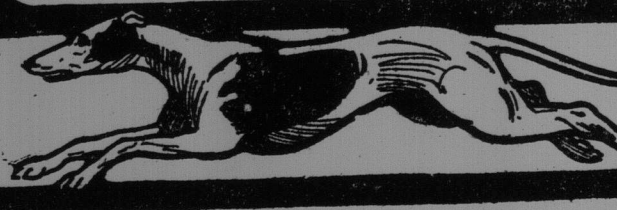
EUVENOS AYRES, Aug. 10—Sailed, bark Angelo, Sydney, C.B.

### A CORN CURE

Apply SHORT'S CORN CURE five or six nights, soak the foot and the corn comes out easily. 10 cents, 2 for 20c. All Drugists, or C. K. SHORT, St. John, N.B.

H. H. Steen of Braidwood, Ill., Royal Chief of the Order of Scottish Clans and Royal Secretary Peter Kerr of Boston, will be in the city on Wednesday, the 15th instant, on an official visit to Clan Mackenzie. The royal secretary has several times visited the clan here, but this will be the first time the clan has been honored by a visit from the royal chief, and for the purpose of receiving these distinguished officers, Clan Mackenzie will hold an open meeting in the moot room, I. O. O. F. Hall, on the evening of that date. Admission will be by ticket.

## IN THE RACE FOR POPULARITY & SUPREMACY DIAMOND DYES TAKE FIRST PLACE



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## TREMENDOUS EXPANSION OF CANADA'S FOREIGN TRADE

Trade With Britain Especially Shows Increase.

We Did \$40,000,000 More Business With Britain Than Last Year—Total Foreign Trade is 138 Per Cent More than 10 Years Ago.

Canada's grand aggregate of foreign trade for the fiscal year reached the splendid total of \$50,854,246, an increase of \$11,823,886 over 1905, and of \$8,708,867 contrasted with the previous year, or 138 per cent, and 17 per cent, respectively.

The imports from Great Britain totalled \$9,288,751 against \$9,538,811 for the year before. Of this the dutiable goods amounted to \$2,748,423, a gain of \$734,814. Imports from Britain free of duty totalled \$16,540,138, an improvement of \$1,435,126 compared with 1905. The exports to Britain of Canadian merchandise was \$12,745,471, for the preceding year only amounted to \$11,148,636.

The remarkable feature of returns is the great improvement in the commercial dealings between Canada and Britain. The increase in Canada's aggregate trade over the previous year amounted to about eighty million dollars. Of this amount the British trade contributes in round figures forty millions. Comparing last year's imports for consumption from Britain, compared with those from the United States, showing an improvement of no less than 138 per cent. The increase in the amount of imports for consumption from Britain was nearly nine millions.

Canada imported from the United States goods to the value of \$19,739,468, of which \$4,266,187 were dutiable and \$8,229,291 free.

For the preceding year the total imports amounted to \$16,049,499, made up of \$4,266,187 dutiable and \$8,229,291 free.

It will be noted that there is a considerable disparity between the imports of free goods from Britain, compared with those from the United States. This is owing to the fact that Canada has to import from the United States much raw material for manufacturing which cannot be obtained from the Mother Country. The exports of Canadian merchandise to the United States last year amounted to \$23,546,408, the total for the preceding year being \$19,428,765. According to these returns the United States supplied 60 per cent of Canada's imports for consumption, compared with 54 per cent from Great Britain was 13 per cent.

From the United States 8 per cent, and from the Mother Country 52 per cent. The surplus on German goods has played havoc with imports from that country. Three years ago the value of States last year the value of about \$1,100,000, Canada exported to France Canadian goods to the value of \$2,100,000, as compared with \$1,700,000 for the year previous.

The following is a comparative statement of the trade returns:

	1905.	1906.
Grand total...	\$29,287,616	\$50,854,246
Dutiable...	17,771,919	17,744,975
Entered for consumption...	290,342,408	281,925,554
Dutiable...	13,072,170	159,928,737
Free...	117,214,698	110,998,767
Duty collected...	46,988,253	42,924,239
From U. States...	69,288,751	60,538,811
Total imports...	180,729,458	166,049,800
From France...	7,698,050	7,201,679
Total imports...	7,640,091	6,642,139
Free...	1,992,313	1,928,827
EXPORTS.		
Grand total...	\$25,586,530	\$29,316,872
To Britain...	127,456,471	97,114,867
Can. merchandise...	\$3,548,406	70,436,765
To France...	1,715,912	1,125,536
Grand aggregate...	\$50,854,246	\$47,101,289
Aggregate trade...		
basic goods for consumption and home produce...	\$25,586,530	\$29,316,872

Canada's trade in agricultural machinery has been growing rapidly in the last few years, and last year amounted to the handsome total of seven hundred thousand dollars.

This trade is likely to be affected by action which the Australian authorities have taken. A cable from Can-

## FIRE AGAIN MAKES 200 OF HULL'S POPULATION HOMELESS

Flames Started by Boy Smoking Cigarette in Barn—Thirty-Seven Houses Were Destroyed and Forty Families Deprived of Shelter—Fire Confined to Poor District.

OTTAWA, Aug. 10.—Two hundred of Hull's population are homeless to night and a loss of \$35,000 has been caused through the careless smoking of a cigarette by a lad in a barn on after eleven o'clock and before it was away from the more populous and wealthier quarter of the city. The dwellings on Wall, Woburn, Ann and St. Catherine streets were licked up before the flames were subdued. Some exciting scenes were witnessed as the homeless, also had its origin in the flames streamed out with their belongings. The articles were handled in a rough manner so that in many cases although saved from the fire, they were wrecked by pieces. The Hull brigade worked nobly, assisted by Chief Provost and a detachment from Ottawa. At one o'clock the flames were pretty well under control, and a heavy fall of rain put the finishing touches on the outbreak. At the commencement of the blaze the fire fighters were handicapped by insufficient pressure. The finishing touches are being put on the new water works at Hull, and it was not quite ready for service. Reliance for a time had therefore to be placed on the old pumping apparatus. Finally good pressure was obtained from the new pump house, and everything went well. A number of homeless people have been provided with quarters in Levington's Hall, others have gone to friends elsewhere in the city. Hull has obtained a bad name for fires, which its record seems to justify. On 9th August, 1880, occurred a serious outbreak, when the Roman Catholic church, the court house and market and score of dwellings fell a prey to the flames, the total loss being \$200,000. The great fire of 26th April, 1904, which caused a loss of over seven million dollars, devastated Hull and the western part of Ottawa also, and left several thousand people homeless, also had its origin in the former city. And as late as August 9th, an unlucky date it would seem, a neighboring city across the river was swept by flames, starting from a defective chimney, and a loss of \$50,000 was the result.

## COMMERCIAL

### AMERICANS SEEK FOR BRITISH TRADE.

LONDON, August 10.—E. Allen Frost, of Chicago, general foreign commission agent for the National Business League of the United States, is conferring with the leaders of the London Chamber of Commerce as to the future trade relations of Britain and America. Mr. Frost is being actively assisted by Sir George Truscott and other members of the English advisory committee. He goes next to Paris and Brussels to represent the organization in Berlin. "Eventuality," said Mr. Frost to the Star correspondent, "we shall have all advisors in every centre of the world. The margin of profit in America has become so small that only a large and uninterrupted production can save the industries and the production is possible only with immense extensions of our markets. Our purpose is to gather all available facts to guide us in drafting a scheme of reciprocity for recommendation to the United States in November. The world is anxious to trade with us, but not unless we meet it in a spirit of reason."

"I am doing what I can and other men will do more to ascertain the foreign conditions which we must meet." England is a free trade country, but very shortly America must negotiate

with this country in matters of trade or face all sorts of legislation restricting the importation of American goods in the interest of the industrial development of the Empire. We are also bound to find a basis for an agreement with Germany. The German Government is patient with us, but before long the unimpaired indifference of America to Germany's demands will involve the loss of the German market. The same thing is true of Russia, Japan, and throughout the world. The trade of humanity must be developed scientifically. America, current participants in the development, except on terms of fairness and justice. The National Business League has accomplished much in the elucidation of this most complex problem.

VANDERBILT TO GET NEW LINE. In all probability the Vanderbilt railroad interests in Northern Indiana will soon be increased by a new addition, the Chicago & Wabash Valley, or the Gifford Union Line. It is the most remarkable railroad in Indiana in that it was built wholly by one man and entirely at his own expense and without incurring a cent of debt or issuing a bond. It is a thirty-six mile and several of its stations are on his own land. This man is Col. B. J. Gifford, of Kankakee, Ill., who until lately owned 24,000 acres of land in Jasper County, but who has recently sold about 8,000 acres.

A STEEL PRODUCTION UPSET. One well acquainted with the situation estimates that the net earnings of the United States Steel Corporation for the present fiscal year will be about \$150,000,000, and he calls attention to the fact that those figures would be about \$70,000,000 larger than the net receipt for 1904. As further it down from the ore lands in the North West. At that time men who had been active in the iron and steel industry for a lifetime confidently expressed the opinion that the high water mark in the ore movement had been reached, and that the shipments of that year could never be duplicated. Last year no less than \$500,000,000 tons of ore were brought from the North West fields. Thus, in less than ten years the ore movement was almost trebled, and at the present rate of consumption the expansion during the next five or ten years will be enormous.

This authority says that the mills of the steel corporation are now running at full capacity, and that there is every indication that the steel business will keep up at the present rate until July, 1907, at least.

### A SUPREME BLUFF TO RAISE

BERLIN, Aug. 10.—Coincident with spreading reports of the Chicago bank crash, the German press seizes upon the declaration of a dividend on the common shares of the United States Steel Corporation as a pretext for fresh attacks upon American finance. It is asserted that the dividend is a "supreme bluff" on the part of Wall street to impress Europe with the boundless prosperity of the United States and intended merely to pave the way for a wholesale raid, which the American railways and industrial corporations are about to make on the European money market for new flotations of "water."

The beginning of this raid, these

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GREAT BARGAINS IN SEASONABLE GOODS.

**BOOT and SHOE DEPARTMENT.**

Men's Patent Calf Boots,	\$2.68, were \$3.50, \$4.00
" Tan Boots and Oxfords,	2.68, " 3.50, 4.00
Women's Chocolate Boots and Oxfords,	1.58, " 2.25, 2.50
Women's Chocolate Oxfords,	1.18, " 1.75
French market,	1.08, " 1.50
Girls' Chocolate Laced Boots,	1.18, " 1.65
Girls' Chocolate Low Shoes,	.98, " 1.25
Children's Low Shoes,	.84, " 1.20
Boys' Chocolate Boots,	\$1.28 and 1.48, " 1.75, 2.00

If you prefer Black Shoes, we have them at the same Bargain Prices.

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Colored Shirts, 38c,	Reduced from 50c to 60c
" 48c,	" 75c
" 58c,	" 85c
" 78c,	" \$1.00 & \$1.25

All this season's goods and every one a bargain.

Linen and Straw Hats, 48c, Were 75c, 1.00 and 1.50  
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Suits to Order for \$13.50	Reduced from \$18.50
" 15.00	" 20.00
" 16.50	" 24.50
" 18.50	" 23.50
" 19.50	" 25.00

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critics go to point out, was recently made in Paris, when the Pennsylvania Railway placed a bond issue on the French market. European investors are warned to beware of the fairy tales of good time in America because they are thoroughly belied by the fact that not only the Steel Trust, but all the other American corporations of first magnitude, need new money, which they cannot get at home, and are therefore stretching their tentacles across the sea.

## WHY BUTTER-NUT BREAD

is a boon to the public? Because (respectfully submitted) being even better bread than they make, it saves them the trouble, the heat and the worry of home baking at an extra cost hardly worth mentioning. This has been the experience of the many large cities where Butter-Nut Bread has been introduced.

**WARNING.—**The Genuine Butter-Nut Bread has a Blue Label. Beware of imitations.

## DIVIDEND NO. 8.

The Nova Scotia Carriage Co. Ltd.

Kentville, N. S.

The annual dividend of 8 p.c. has been declared on the preferred stock of this Company for year ending July 31st, 1906.

Checks will be mailed shareholders on record July 31st 1906, on August 10th inst.

By order of the Director,  
J. M. McNeill, Secy. Treas.

Kentville, N. S., Aug. 8, 1906. 11-8-2

## RAN INTO POLICEMAN

AND KILLED A WOMAN.

New York Automobile Responsible for a Tragedy Yesterday.

NEW YORK, Aug. 10.—When an automobile owned and driven by Stewart Elliott ran into a mounted policeman in the Bronx early today, Mrs. T. W. Noble, of 635 Tremont avenue, Baltimore, one of the occupants of the car, was thrown out and so severely injured that she died tonight in Poodham hospital, Miss Margaret Johnson of this city, also of the party, is seriously hurt. Mr. Elliott and the policeman, Harry E. Smith, were slightly injured. The mounted officer was riding after the automobile in an attempt to arrest the driver for an alleged violation of the speed laws. He had galloped alongside the car when it swerved toward him. The horse fell and the automobile was thrown into a fire plug and wrecked. Elliott was taken into custody but released early in the day. Following the death of Mrs. Noble tonight, however, Elliott's re-arrest was ordered by the coroner.

Late tonight Elliott gave himself up and for the first time told the real names of the women injured in the accident.

Mrs. Noble's name was recorded simply as Mrs. Howard, and Miss Elliott's name had been given as Miss Elliott.

Elliott was arraigned before Coroner McDonald and probed until tomorrow when the inquest will be held.

The Cushing Sulphur Mill will be sold at auction at Chubb's Corner, St. John, N. B., on Saturday, the 1st day of September at 12 o'clock noon, under a decree of the Supreme Court, in equity. For particulars see advertisement.

10-8-20

## DISPUTE OVER CARDS REVEALED A MURDER

Gambler Boasted That He Had Killed a Man, and Was at Once Arrested.

ZURICH, August 11.—A dispute at a game of cards has just led to the discovery of a murder at Zurich.

One of the players threatened to kill another, and boasted that four years ago at Rosenheim, near Munich, he had murdered a man in a fit of jealousy, and that the crime had never been discovered. His friends warned him that it was dangerous to speak in such a manner in a cafe. The man shrugged his shoulders saying, "I cannot be arrested in Switzerland for a murder committed four years ago."

A gendarme, who had been given information by telephone, stepped into the cafe and arrested the murderer.

The marine lot, Fernhill cemetery, the last resting place of over five hundred seamen, will be decorated today. The baroque with flowers will leave the Chipman house at 2.30 p. m. All citizens and seamen are invited to attend the service at the cemetery. People have been very liberal in their floral contributions, but as there are many more required. All are requested to bring their donations before 12 o'clock today. Among the offerings received yesterday afternoon was a basketful of beautiful water lilies sent by an Indian from up river, who heard of the service.



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ST. JOHN STAR, SATURDAY, AUGUST 11, 1906.

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26-28 CHARLOTTE ST., Old Y. M. C. A. Building,

ST. JOHN, N. B.

## Great Money Saving Values.

We are determined to make a thorough clearance of all Summer Goods before the end of this month—our Lightweight Clothing has vanished immensely these last few days, it's the prices that does it. You will still be able to find here some exceptionally good values in Summer Clothing if you do not delay much time, but come at once and share in the good profits which are all yours:—

Men's Blue Cheviot Suits, regular \$10.00 value, now \$ 7.50.  
Men's Fine Worsteds Suits, regular \$14.00 value, now 10.50.  
Men's Fine Black Clay Worsted Suits, regular \$15.00 value, now 12.00.

Men's Light Summer Coats are greatly reduced.

Boys' 3-piece Blue Serge Suits, regular \$5.00 & \$6.00 values, now \$2.98 and \$3.98.  
Boys' 2-piece Suits in Fancy Tweeds, only sizes 23 to 26, regular \$3.00 & \$4.00 values, now \$1.98.

Men's White Duck Trousers, 98c. to clear.

Don't forget still another shipment of Men's Half Hose which we will sell at 12 1-2c. a pair, regular 25c. Hose.

# UNION CLOTHING COMPANY,

26-28 Charlotte St., Old Y. M. C. A. Building, St. John, N. B.

ALEX. CORBET, Manager.

## SICK WOMAN FOUND NO PLACE TO LAY HER HEAD

Bridget Mahoney Twice Denied Admittance to the Hospital, Refused Lodgings at the Police Station and Shut Out of Her Own Home—Finally Admitted to the Hospital.

A woman named Bridget Mahoney, who was found yesterday morning lying on the sidewalk in a state of unconsciousness, was taken to the General Public Hospital, to the police station and to the house on Sheffield street at which she had been living, and was refused admittance at each place until in desperation she was driven to the ambulance station. Bridget Mahoney is a woman about twenty-six years of age and had been an inmate of a house on Sheffield street for some time. She had been in a bad condition, sick from drinking and ill-living.

Dr. Bishop was called in to attend her and Thursday afternoon, considering her condition, he decided to have her admitted to the hospital. It is, however, one of the regulations of the hospital that such an order should come from one of the commissioners, and therefore Dr. Bishop, the superintendent, who decided that nothing was wrong with her but drink and dirt, refused her admittance and she was taken back to her place of abode on Sheffield street.

On Thursday evening a woman who refused to give her name, but said that she was a friend of the sick woman, called on Dr. James Christie, who is one of the commissioners of the hospital, and begged him to give permission to have her removed to the hospital. This woman, however, refused to give the doctor any particulars as to the Mahoney woman's condition, and the doctor refused to give the necessary order.

This woman then went to Secretary Wetmore of the alms house and told the story of the woman's situation. So yesterday morning Mr. Wetmore went to the house where the woman lay ill and saw at once that she was in a serious condition. Secretary Wetmore called up Dr. Christie, and during the forenoon these two with Sgt. Baxter again visited the Sheffield street house. Dr. Christie, which left for that port at 8 o'clock this evening.

Upon examining her said at once that she was a fit subject for the hospital, and ordered Sgt. Baxter to send for the ambulance, which that officer did, and the woman was taken away again from the house. Meanwhile Dr. Christie telephoned the hospital, and Dr. Fraser, the assistant house surgeon, answered. Dr. Christie, as one of the commissioners, informed Dr. Fraser that the woman was going up to the hospital and he wished her admitted.

Dr. Fraser replied that this woman had been brought up on the previous day and had then been refused admittance by the superintendent and by Dr. Scammett, the visiting physician. He added that Dr. Walker, chairman of the board, had been consulted and he had advised them to be careful about admitting her. Dr. Fraser therefore said that he could not do, but he would try to get her admitted. Dr. Christie reminded him that he was a commissioner and demanded her admittance.

When the woman reached the hospital about four o'clock in the ambulance, she was not allowed to be brought in. The driver of the ambulance was then at a loss what to do, so drove her back to Sheffield street. There, however, the outcast was refused entrance by the women in the house, and therefore, in despair, the driver returned to the hospital. Inquiries were made by telephone, and as a result the ambulance came more set out, this time in the direction of the central station, and admittance was asked for her there, on the ground that she was destitute. Sgt. Baxter, however, said the station was not the right place for a woman in her condition.

Further inquiries followed, and for a time it seemed that the woman would have to remain in the ambulance, but at last permission was obtained to take her to the hospital, and she was driven there about six o'clock.

### CYNTHIA'S DILEMMA.

(Continued from Story Page.)  
"I am afraid you will have to face him yourself the next time, Cynthia," I replied gently. She stood with her back to me the very picture of despondency.  
"Suppose I were to throw myself on his mercy," she said hopefully, turning around after a pause—"tell him the whole truth, and say I had made a mistake—whatever way it was—what do you think he would say?"  
"He would certainly have nothing more to do with you," I answered severely.  
"I do wish I knew what I've said," she murmured. "It should feel so much more settled. Or even what I hope I've said," she added as I made no remark. Three days passed and there was no sign of Mr. Peters. Cynthia's spirits began to droop, and I was surprised to notice a little line of worry permanently settle itself between her eyebrows. She moaned about the garden with a book, and hardly troubled to answer when she was spoken to.

Then one afternoon I found her in a secluded corner, in tears.  
"Oh, Cynthia," she sobbed, giving way altogether, "I must have said 'No.' I feel sure of it, and I know now for certain I meant to say 'Yes.' And he'll never come back, because he said he wouldn't!"  
"I turned all I do," she asked in a shaky voice, lifting a tear-stained face to look at me. "Can't you help me anyhow, Honor?" "You have never failed me yet."

"But what can I do?" I replied helplessly.  
"Go and see him," she said desperately, making an effort to check her tears. "Tell him I didn't mean it. Honor—that I mean 'Yes' for all the rest of my life. I'll never say anything but 'Yes' again!"  
I turned the matter over in my mind before replying.  
"I can't do that," I said at last. "But I'll go and persuade him, if I can, to come and see you. I'll do that much for you, Cynthia; you must do the rest yourself."

I returned some two hours later from my rather distant mission to find Cynthia by herself in the drawing-room. To my surprise her face was wreathed in smiles, and she was holding a square of white paper at me excitedly as I entered the room.  
"Don't you see?" she cried. "It's the letter! I never sent it after all. I found it in the pocket of the dress I was wearing that day, and he's just waiting till the end of the week for my answer!" I stared at her stupidly. "And to think of all I've gone through!" she added with a laugh.  
"And of all you've made me go through!" I said with an irritation it was impossible to suppress.

"Oh, Honor, I am so happy," she said softly. "Don't be angry with me!" "Mr. Peters is putting up his horse and will be here in a moment," I answered, my wrath only partly appeased. "And now, Cynthia, I hope you've had a lesson, and know your own mind at last. It's to be yes for good and all this time."  
"Of course it is," she retorted, with a slight show of indignation. "I knew my own mind the minute I didn't know which letter I put in the mail!"  
Mr. Peters at that moment came in at the door, and I went out by the window into the garden.

## THE STRIKE IS ABOUT SETTLED

Express Companies Have Offered Concessions

Company Refused to Reinstate Agent Simpson—This the Only Stumbling Block Now

A committee composed of P. W. D. Campbell of this city, J. A. Theberge, Rogersville, N. B.; E. A. Luce, St. John, N. B.; and A. Fraser, Parron, N. B., representing the station masters of government railroads, who also act as express agents, and who met in the Victoria Hotel yesterday morning.

The concessions offered by the express companies were discussed and accepted. The concessions were: (1) An increase of 5 per cent. on all goods. (2) A minimum salary of \$3 a month to be received by officers whose income by the percentage system would be less than \$3 a month. (3) A minimum salary of \$2 a month, under the same conditions as section 2, for transfer agents at transfer points.

The salaries of those agents who previous to the time of the strike were getting more than the minimum shall not be reduced. The men also want one more concession, that is, that "all agents that went out on strike be taken back." The express companies are agreeable to this, except in the case of Win. Simpson, a former agent at Pettitville, whom they refuse to reinstate. Mr. Simpson and the members of the union are willing that he should be dismissed, but they are not willing that he should be reinstated.

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If you are ailing you may take the most highly recommended pills, tinctures or elixirs, but you have to take chances on deriving any benefit. If you take FERROL, however, you take no chances; you must receive benefit, for the simple reason that FERROL contains the essential elements that go to the production of health, vim and energy. If you burn coal you get heat; if you take FERROL you get increased weight, strength and energy with just as great certainty.

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charged if any fault can be shown in his work, but so far, as it appears, the express companies have no good reasons for refusing to take him back. The striking agents have taken a firm stand on this question, and are unanimous in refusing to come to terms with the Standard Oil Co. The conference will be concluded today and the visiting members of the committee will return to their homes this evening.

## THE STANDARD OIL CO. AGAIN

Indictments Reported Against Company of New York

Also Charges Made Against Vacuum Oil Company and Pennsylvania R. R.

—Bail Fixed at \$20,000

JAMESTOWN, N. Y., Aug. 10.—The federal grand jury for the western district of New York reported indictments against the Standard Oil Co. of New York, the Pennsylvania R. R. and the Vacuum Oil Co., which has refineries at Olean and Rochester, N. Y.

One indictment is found against each of the defendants and in all there are 22 counts. The indictments against the Pennsylvania charges that it granted rebates on oil shipped from Olean to Rutland, Vt., at a tariff rate lower than any published by the Pennsylvania railroad or on the part of the Pennsylvania.

The evidence showed that the Vacuum Oil Co. made shipments over the Pennsylvania and that the Standard Oil Co. paid the freight bills and charged specifically that it shipped oil from Olean to Rutland, Vt., at a tariff rate lower than any published by the Pennsylvania railroad or on the part of the Pennsylvania.

One of the counts in the indictments charges that the Pennsylvania R. R. did not file with the interstate commerce commission a tariff showing its rates, and charges for the transportation of oil.

If the defendants should be convicted on all the counts, the penalties would amount to \$1,400,000. The substance of the charges is that in 1904 the Pennsylvania railroad made to the Standard Oil Co. a rate of 16.1 cents on one hundred pounds of oil from Olean to Rutland, Vt., when the published rate at that time was 19 cents.

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WOODSTOCK ELECTRIC CO'S MAY AMALGAMATE

Merger Negotiations Said to be Practically Completed—Peace Again Reigns in Town Council

WOODSTOCK, Aug. 10.—Peace once more prevails in Woodstock. The meeting of the town council tonight, in contrast to the recent stormy session, was most harmonious and the motion which previously caused such an uproar passed without opposition.

At the opening of the meeting the mayor read a statement explaining the reason for refusing Councilor Leighton's motion at the last session. He further announced that he had changed his mind and would accept the motion. So Councilor Leighton again moved his resolution that tenders for light and power for the city be called for on a flat rate basis, and it was carried unanimously.

On top of this comes the prospective amalgamation of the two rival electric companies. Negotiations in this direction are now going on, and though the parties interested will not talk for publication it is generally understood that Hon. H. A. Connel has agreed to sell his plant to the Woodstock Electric Railway, Light and Power Company.

## CANADIAN PACIFIC

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EASTERN STEAMSHIP COMPANY, Additional Direct Service

Commencing July 1, 1906, steamers leave St. John at 8 a. m. (Atlantic Standard) on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays for Lunenburg, Eastport, Port and Boston. RETURNING. From Boston direct on Tuesdays and Saturdays at 6.30 p. m. From Boston via Portland, Eastport and Lunenburg, Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays at 9 a. m. From Boston direct Mondays and Thursdays at 12 noon. Freight received daily up to 5 p. m. All cargo, except live stock, via the steamers of this company, is insured against fire and marine risk.

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## DIED ON BOARD STEAMER VICTORIAN

Montreal M. P. Passed Away Shortly Before Ship Reached Canada—Wife Was on Board

MONTREAL, Q., Aug. 10.—Word was received from Quebec tonight that the steamer Victorian, which arrived in port with flag at half-mast today had on board the body of C. B. Carter, M. P. for Montreal, and a prominent member of the city council, who died on the steamer at 7 o'clock last evening, when the steamer was between Flame Point and Rimouski. The deceased, who was accompanied by his wife, had enjoyed fairly good health on the trip to Canada, but yesterday morning, while in the lavatory, had an apoplectic stroke. The ship's surgeon, assisted by several of the members of the British Medical Association, did all possible, but to no avail. Mr. Carter passed away last evening. The body will be taken to Montreal on board the

## SYDNEY MAN INSTANTLY KILLED

SYDNEY, N. S. Aug. 10.—Daniel McDonald, aged 20 years, was instantly killed at the steel works at 10.30 tonight by being run over by a train of cars. McDonald was employed at the works and jumped on the front end of the locomotive car to have a ride. He fell beneath the wheels and was crushed to death instantly. McDonald belonged to Port Hastings, Inverness Co.

## KING SENDS PORTRAIT TO CANADA.

OTTAWA, Aug. 10.—The King has sent the governor general a large oil copy of a recent portrait painted of him by Luke Fields, R. A. The copy is about six feet high and shows the King in a field marshal's uniform. It has been hung in the ball room at Government House.

## MAKING PAPER FROM SUGAR CANE IN BARBADOS.

LONDON, August 10.—The English trade papers announce that a new industry, which promises to benefit the island greatly, has just been started in Barbados. A syndicate has been formed to make paper of the megast-sugar-cane from which the juice has been pressed—which has hitherto been used as fuel. The syndicate is offering planters \$8 per ton for the megast.

AMHERST, N. S., Aug. 10.—The difficulty at Strattona mines, River Herbert, is understood to have been settled and the men will go to work on Monday next.



