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HALIFAX POLICE OFFICERS ON TRIAL.

(Recorder, Thursday.)

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The police commission met today, when they had a number of cases to dispose of. Four officers were charged with being a few minutes late. They were let off.

Another officer was charged with being late and also for drinking. He was fined \$5 for the latter offence and was given a severe reprimand.

Another officer was charged with assaulting a man in the police station and also assaulting a lad on the street. His case was continued till tomorrow, when witnesses will be examined.

The commissioners will also hear the evidence in a case against an officer who is charged with neglecting to do his duty, by arresting a man, and against whom he afterward caused a summons to be issued.

BANGOR MEN INVEST.

(Bangor Commercial.)
Charles W. Mullen of this city has purchased a great tract of timber land on the Madeline river, Gaspe county, Quebec, which includes the entire control of that stream and which is, according to report, admirably located for a pulp mill.

The tract, which includes several hundred square miles, is thickly wooded with black spruce, the timber growth never having been cut, and it is regarded by lumbermen as particularly desirable.

tance and its banks are such that they form natural wharves from which cargoes may be easily loaded on vessels.

No announcement has been made as to when operations will be commenced on the property.

It is understood that other Bangor lumbermen, including Harry F, Ross and Samuel H. Boardman, are interested in timberland in that section.

A NEW MILL.

A large mill which was crected at Three Fathom Harbor, some eight years ago, says the Halifax Recorder, is being taken to pleces and will be placed in position on the Dower Farm at Lawrencetown. This saw mill will employ about forty men, winter and summer, and will be run by steam power. James Woodworth, of Cumberland county, will manage the working of the mill.

LOOKING AHRAD.

A good story is told of a church dignitary in Scotland. Before he became known to fame he was a minister of a remote country parish, and was not considered a particularly attractive preacher. At his sugrestion extensive alterations were made in the transept of his church, and these had the effect of sweeping away considerable seating accommodation. One day, after the alterations had been effected, he visited the church to se how it looked.

"What do you think of the improvements, John?" he asked of the beadle. "Improvements?" exclaimed John, in disdain; "they're no improvements at a'. Whaur are ye goin' to rut the folk?"

"Oh," said the minister we have abundance of room, John, considering the size of the congregation."

"That's a' very weel the noo!, iftorted the beadle; "but what will we do when we get a popular meenister?" LOOKING AHEAD.

PARALYTIC STROKE.

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The tramp was very tired and sorely in need of something to devour. He approached a farmhouse and, meeting the farmer's wife, observed:

"Give me something to satisfy the cravings of the inner man, and I will kill all the rats about the place."

"Agreed," was the answer.

He was given a good plate of meat and breat, which he consumed speed-lly, and then asked for the heaviest mallet that could be found. Receiving the club he sat down upon the threshold and said to the farmer's wife:

"Now bring out your rata."

(Moral—Always have the details specified in the contract.)

Dyspepsia sours a lot of the milk of

St. John, August 22, 1902.

SCHOOL BOYS' SUITS.

We have now large ranges of Boys' Clothing suitable for school ar. The material and make are strong and just what our long experience clothing boys has taught us is necessary for the robust boy. Bring the where and get him ready for school—it will not cost much here.

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THE COAL STRIKE.

There Are 5,000 Policemen Employed at a Cost of \$1,800,000.

WILKESBARRE, Pa., Aug. 22.—It is estimated that the coal and iron policemen now guarding the idle collieries in four counties of the anthracite region number 5,000. The employment of so many special guards has necessitated an expenditure by the companies to date of \$1,800,000. Besides paying the special policemen a daily wage, the companies supply them with food and lodging. Every coal company in the anthracite district and nearly every washery has it's quota of police. The commissions are all granted by Gov. Stone, at Harrisburg, and they cost the company \$4 for the granting and recording of each. Of this sum \$2 goes to the state and \$2 to the county.

A KEEN WATCH

By American Officials Upon Immigrants Arriving From Europe.

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NEW YORK, Aug. 22.—The Herald says: Although he has \$25,000 in gold coin and wears gold and silver jewelry worth not less than \$10,000, Elias J. Ivanovich and his family, consisting of his wife and eight children, were detained yesterday by the immigration authorities at Ellis Island and spent the night in the special inquiry department. When they landed from the freight steamer Byron, it was suspected that they were gipsies, and until they could prove their good intention in coming to this country it was decided to look into their story. It is probable that they will be released today. Ivanovich is a farmer from Servia. He recently sold his farm there for \$25,000 and expects to purchase another farm in this country.

FAILURE OF W. J. HILL,

An Ontario ex-M. P. and Big Pulp Mill Contractor.

(Special to the Star.)

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TORONTO, Ont., Ang. 22.—W. J. Hill, the well-known contractor and ex. M. P. for West York, has assigned for the benefit of his creditors. The exact state of his affairs has not yet been determined. He was interested in a number of large business enterprises, and it will take some time to straighten this out. Mr. Hill held contracts for pulp mills at Sault Ste. Marie and at Shawinigan Falls for the Belgo-Canadian Pulp Co.

M. JUSSERAND

Will Succeed Cambon as French Ambassador at Washington.

PARIS, Aug. 22.— The corespondent of the Associated Press was informed at the foreign office today, that the successor of Jules Cambon as French ambassador at Washington has not yet been appointed, but that M. Jesserand, the French minister at Copenhagen, had been selected for the post. M. Jesserand speaks English fluently and is the author of several English books. He has been prominently connected with themovement for the development of athletic sports in France.

It is not true that M. Cambon is going to St. Petersburg, as the successor of the Marquis de Monasello, French ambassador to Russia. It is said on good authority that M. Cambon will be appointed French ambassador at Madrid, succeeding M. Fatenotre.

BRIEFS BY WIRE.

OYSTER BAY, N. Y., Aug. 22.—President Roosevelt and party left Oyster Bay this morning for New Haven on a tour through New England.

PARIS, Aug. 22.—The American steamer St. Paul, which will sail for New York topportow via Cherbourg, will take the Lastins of Charles L Fair and Mrs. Fr. which will be forward.

and Mrs. F: which will be forwarded to Cherboarg from here today. WASHINGTON, Aug. 22.—The state department is in receipt of a cablegram from Minister Bowen, at Caracas, saying that he could spare two of the war vessels now in Venezuelan waters. This information is taken to mean that the situation in Venezuela has improved.

NOVA SCOTIAN KILLED.

(Special to the Star.)

FERNIE, B. C., Aug. 22.—A. D. Ferguson was killed in a cave-in at Coal Creek mires. He came from Glace Bay, N. S.

FAME IN PHOTOGRAPHY.

Artistic photography has proved a rich field of labor for Miss Mathilde Weil of Philadelphia, who, although she has been in business but four years, stands at the head of her profession. Miss Weil is a graduate of Bryn Mawr College, and after leaving that college engaged in certain kinds of literary work. Her artistic tastes and her art training, however, led her to take up photography first as an amateur and later as a professional. In her portraits of elderly women and children she has been especially successful and her aim is not only to have her photographs good portraits but of value pictorially. She makes a complete study of her subjects, frequently photographing them in their own homes. She won two or three years ago, the Royal Academy prize offered in London. Her success seems to to justify the principle on which she started, that photography is no more mechanical than painting. Then lenses, the plates, are the instruments, but the photographer who is an artist, like the painter, can impress his individuality on his work. The prices she receives for her work are among the highest charged in her profession, 325 for each print after the first.

SOUTH AFRICA.

Letter From Miss Dutcher, Formerly of St. John.

An Entertaining Account of Canadian Teachers' Experiences in That Country.

Miss Grace Dutcher, formerly of St. John, one of the teachers now in Africa, in writing from Bloemfontein to a friend in this city says among other things:

a frend in this city says among other things:

"I am most comfortably settled in this camp and am enjoying life perhaps better than ever before. Since returning from the convention of Johannesburg the classes in our camp have opened at nine o'clock and closed at one, with a half hour's intermission. During this half hour both children and teachers make a bee line for the 'soup kitchen' for refreshments.

"The work is elementary, and we have no red tape nonsense as at home, such as tests, exams, monthly reports, certificates, etc. Our one aim is to get the children to speak the English language and to write and spell it, also to colnage. I think that better children than these Dutch boys and girls could not be found anywhere. They are affectionate, easily managed and anxious to learn. If there is any feeling of bitterness towards us we certainly do not notice it.
"After school is over we are free to

mot notice it.

"After school is over we are free to do as we please for the remainder of the day. Our first proceeding is to have luncheon, and only those who have spent much time living in the open air can understand where we teachers get our marvellous appetites. When asked what we will have, the usual answer is 'Something of everything, please, I'm nearly starved.' In our camp we have English. Scotch, Irish and colonial teachers, sixteen girls in all and two men, so we generally have a lively meal time.

"After luncheon the custom is to spend some time in our own marquees, reading, writing home, mending, or the unfailing girl's treat of chatting about everything while perched on each other's beds, trunks or chairs. Later on we enjoy a game of tennis, or a walk to a neighboring farm, to Bloemfontein or to some of the kopjes. Then dianer at six-thirty and very often a little dance afterwards. Some evenings the teachers have the opportunity of attending the theatres. Yesterday afternoon (July 16th) several of us walked across the veldt to a farmhouse and got a basket of lemons, which we plucked from the trees purselves. This evening a number of the girls are busy in the kitchen preparing for a dance we give tomorrow night. Every day brings some new pleasude, and as for the weather, it is all sunny, bright and beautiful, but I have almost forgotten what the color green is like in nature.

"At Johannesburg we had a most enjoyable time. Attended lectures by Sir Donald Gell, Baden-Powell, addresses by Mr. Sargeant, Fabian Ware and others. We spent one day in visiting the mines, trying to understand the process' of changing 'stones into gold,' and the splendid system by which we were enable to breathe fresh and good air three thousand feet below the surface. Then the ride down the shaft on a trolley car, fairly plunging into darkness, and hardly daring to lift our heads for fear of striking the rock above, or becoming dizzy. Each of us was given a canvas jacket and a candle before starting on this interesting trip.

en'ng to the band, and meeting old friends.

"After the conference a party of eight of us went to Pretoria to spend a day. It was interesting to note the quantities of barbed wire stretched over the veldt along the railway track for protection during the war. In some places men were busy rolling it up. Every few miles we passed graves near the track and wondered if they were 'our boys'."

"At Pretpria we visited Kruger's house and saw things about as he left them, ever to his old Dutch Bible on the whatnot in the corner of the dining room. The house was rather a disappointment. We also visited the church which stands opposite, and the SOVPRIMENT SUPPLIES OF THE SUPPLIES OF THE SOVPRIMENT SUPPLIES OF THE SUP

in the chair used by Kruger during the sessions.

"Lady Littleton, whom we had met at Lo-d Milner's, invited us to tea at her home. It proved to be the house occupied by Roberts and Kitchener. She showed us the rooms in which peace was signed and where Kitchener planned his campaign. A saucer of cardboard slips was pointed out to us as being used to mark on the map the stations of the different generals. Dewet's name was on a piece of green cardboard.

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"On the following morning, while on board the train going south, the guard came in and informed us that a private car for DeWet and Steyn had been attached to the train. You may be sure we never rested till we saw the two men, and our curiosity was gratified at a station where we stopped for refreshments. The whole trip to Johannesburg and Pretoria was most enjoyable, and no one could have been more kindly entertained than we were."

**RAILROAD KILLED NONE.

Statistics recently issued by the British board of trade show that during the last year not a single passenger has been killed in a railroad accident in Great Britain or Ireland.

This is the first time since railroads were established in Great Britain that no fatal accident to a passenger has occurred during a year.

Moreover, the number of railroad employees who were killed and wounded during the last year were much less than during the preceding years, the number of killed being only it and of wounded 160. The number of passengers wounded during the same time was 460.

IN THE FAR NORTH.

A Troublesome Cable.

TACOMA, Wn., Aug. 22.—Skagway despatches' say that although Skagway-Junean cable is not broken, the sovernment crew of experts have stopped operations towards repairs and given up the proposition in despair. The trouble arises chiefly from great kinks in the ilns, which was so lopsely laid that it went to the bottom in so many places that ha entire new cable seems necessary. The line is 100 miles long. It was laid last fall, but has been operated only a few weeks.

DAWSON, Aug. 12, via Seattle, Wn., Ang. 22.—Andrew Carnegle has made an offer of \$25,000 to Dawson to supply a free library for the city, conditional that the local government pledge itself a permanent maintenance at the rate of \$3,500 a year. The offer will probably be accepted.

THE UNSPEAKABLE TURK

NEWFOUNDLAND WINS.

Bond Goes to Washington With Full Power to Negotiate.

LONDON, Aug. 22.—Sir Robert Bond, the premier and colonial secretary of Newfoundland, sailed from Liverpool yesterday for Montreal in the Allan line steamer Pretorian on his way to Washington with full powers from the imperial government to re-open the negotiations through the British charge d'affaires*for the ratification of the Bond-Blaine convention.

THE HARVESTERS.

Their Wages to be \$40 per Month

or \$1.75 per Day.

(Special to the Star.)

WINNIPEG, Man., Aug. 22.—The advance contingent of harvesters' excursions arrived here yesterday by the Pacific express, which was in two sections. About 350 excursionists were on the two trains, nearly all young men. They came from the lower provinces. Most of them left for points in the west last evening.

At a meeting held here yesterday of delegates representing about one-third of the farmers in the province the maximum wage for harvesters was fixed at forty dollars a month and \$1.75 per day. The weather for harvesting continues to be most favorable.

GREATLY REDUCED MAJORITY Of Conservative M. P. in an English

Election. LONDON, Aug. 22.—H. W. Forster (conservative) has been re-elected to parliament, to fill vacancy in the Seven Oaks division of Kent, caused by his appointment to lord commissionership of the treasury. His majority was 891 votes over the liberal candidate, Beaumont Morice. The contest centred on the education bill. At the last election in the West Seven Oakes division, of Kent, Mr. Forster defected his liberal opponent by 4,812 votes.

OFFICIAL FRAUDS.

CHICAGO, Aug. 22.—Fraudulent recoprds in the county treasurer's office
involving large sums of money were
brought to light yesterday, when it
was announced that a forged receipt
for \$26,50 taxes assessed against the
Masonic Temple had been issued and
that fraudulent entries had been made
on the tax books, showing the taxes
to have been paid. It is stated that
similar frauds involving other large
properties have been committed.

THE WEATHER.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 22.—Eastern states and northern New York—Fair tonight and Saturday; cooler in extreme south portion tonight; fresh northwest winds.

TORONTO, Aug. 22.—Maritime—Moderate variable winds, mostly southeast to southwest, fair to cloudy; showers in most places tonight and during Saturday.

RAILROAD KILLED NONE.

Carnegie Offers Dawson a Library-A Troublesome Cable.

When your had is a little shabby or flabby—out of shape, you know—or somewhat out of date—"Hats off,

Once More Makes Overtures to the United States

CONSTANTINOPLE. Aug. 22.—
Through the medium of one of his secretaries, the suitan sent a friendly message to the United States minister, John G. A. Leishman, today, assuring him that all the pending claims of the United States would be compiled with and begging the minister to resume his visits to the Porte. In consequence of these fresh assurances Mr. Leishman, visited the grand vizier, Said Pasha, and the minister of foreign affairs, Tewfik Pasha today. Mr. Leishman and Robert S. McCormick, the United States ambassador to Austria-Hungary will attend the Selamlik tomorrow, and will probably have an audience with the sultan.

SINCLAIR,

WILLIAM PETERS, -DEALER IN-LEATHER and HIDES, Shoemakers' Findings, Plastering Hair, Tanners' and Curriers' Tools,

Lampblack, etc.

Mr. R. J. Burk, St. John, says: "My little girl was cured by Short's Dysperbicure of a bad attack of Diarrhoea and it never failed to relieve our baby of wind on the stomach, pains or sleeplessness." 35c. and \$1.00. All Druggists. (Special to the Star.)

LARGE FAT NEWFOUNDLAND HERRING. BARRELS ONLY. JAMES PATTERSON,

19 and 20 South Market Wharf. 8 City Market. To the Electors of St. John :

> LADIES AND GENTLEMEN:-I beg leave to announce I will be a Caradidate for the office of ALDERMAN AT LARGE,

made vacant by the resignation of Ald Yours respectfully, W. C. RUDMAN ALLAN. TO THE ELECTORS OF ST. JOHN

Ladles and Gentlemen,—Having been induced by a number of electors of the City of St. John to be a candidate for the office ALDERMAN AT LARGE made vacant by the resignation of Alderman Seaton, I ask your support, and if elected will use my best judgement for the interest of the city at large.

Yours ISAIAH W. HOLDER.

A GOOD INVESTMENT. It will pay you to have your wor lone at DUNHAM'S. Upholstering, Ca. pet Laying, Furniture Polishing and Packing, Repairing, etc. First Class work at moderate prices.

FRED H. DUNHAM,

A SMART ANSWER

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At a dinner party a certain officer in the Dragoon Guards had been placed with his back to the fire, which happened to be big and hot. Having stood the heat for a good time the officer at last could bear it no longer, and asked for a fire-screen. His host, a pompous old squire, who thought everything belonging to him absolutely perfect, go exceedingly angry at the fire-being found fault with, and immediately said: "A British soldier should always be able to stand any fire." Not in his back, sir." was the officer's witty rejoiner.—London Tit-Bits.

THE TERROR OF THE SEA.

"Save us! Save us!" shrick the bathers, rushing to shore. Thinking that the sea-serpent has appeared, the hotel proprietors and newspaper men rush to the beach armed with cameras and pencils. But the elation turns to alarm when it was seen that the object of terror is Mr. J. Pierpont Morgan, who has arrived in his cruiser, and ordered the bathers out of his ocean.—Baltimore American.

RECIPROCITY.

Suburbanite—Well, you have told my fortune. How much?
Gypsy—Only fifty cents.
Suburbanite—Here it is. Now I'll tell your fortune for nothing. If any of my chickens are missing tomorrow morning, I'll have your entire gang run. in.—Chicago Tribune.

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One of the Mail Steamers, VICTORIA and DAVID WESTON, will leave St. John, North End, for Fredricton and intermediate land-ings every morning (Sunday excepted) at 3 o'clock, and will leave Fredericton every morning (Sunday excepted) at 8.30 o'clock.

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Stmr. MAGGIE MILLER will leave Millidgeville daily (except Saturday and Sunday) at 7.30 and 9.30 a. m., and at 2, 4 and 6 JOHN McGOLDRICK, Agent.

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MISCELLANEOUS,

WANTED.—A nice room with board for a young lady. Apply L. E. B., Star Office.

Save money in the purchase of a SEWING MACHINE.

FOR SALE.—A Bay Horse, six years old, reight about 1100 lbs., kind and gentle. Suitble for a family driver. Will be sold at a easonable price. J. A. LIPSETT, Blue lave. Brussels street. LE-One bay horse, 1400 weight of sloven. Cheap for cash. Appl ED PIKE, 23 Exmouth street. OUSE FOR SALE.—House 165 Ad 1, 2 flats, 5 rooms on each flat. En

HOTEL ARRIVALS

JONES-OREE.—At the home of the bride George street, Fredericton, on the 20th inst., by the Rev. George B. Payson Harry Jones to Mand, daughter of Henry Ores, and Mand, daughter of Henry

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A DISCOURTEOUS JUDGE.

always suffer most from attacks made upon it from without. The Star does not know anything about Mr. Justice Meagher, of Halifax, which would lead this journal to suppose that he is a superior being. It may be quite true were in his way when he came out of the court house at Sydney the other day. It is said that they were grouped there to be photographed. Usually when a convention meets in a small town there is an enterprising photographer not unwilling to make a penny out of group photographs, and usually there is no objection on the part of the visitors. This appears to explain how it was that when the august judge came out he found his way blocked by a group waiting to be "took." Of it is a very terrible thing to offend the majesty of the law, really, so far as the printed reports go the judge seems to have set the mercan tile men an example in very bad man ners. The delegates to the Maritime Board of Trade are not "blackguards." is perfectly obvious that y would have no desire

give offence even to a judge, in a town where they were be ing hospitably entertained. Mr. Justice Meagher must be a very arrogant and self-exalted personage if he could not wiait long enough to allow the photo grapher to take a picture, or could not treat the gentlemen of the Maritime Board of Trade with ordinary courtesy

At Belfast yesterday a vessel was aunched that is 700 feet long and will draw mearly 50 feet of water. A craft of those dimensions would have some difficulty in most harbors, for it is not a common thing to find them dredged to such a depth beside the wharves. There has been a remarkable change in shipbuilding in the last dozen of years. A vessel of 21,000 tons does not a 10,000 ton ship was considered a future wharves must, be longer, the water at their sides must be deeper, and all other facilities extensive to a de-gree that was little anticipated only a few years ago. Dry docks also must be of much larger dimensions than have been required in the past.

The Chatham World declares that one reason why tourist travel through the province has declined is that the hotels and steamers do not make sufficient provision for accommodating the increased travel. The World says:

the increased travel. The World says:
Want of enterprise, lack of foresight,
and a general disposition to treat all
extra travel as unexpected and not to
be looked for again, are much in evidence almost everywhere. Where are
the tourist associations that they don't
reform these things and breathe a new
and more enlightened spirit into steamboat managers and hotel keepers?
Everywhere there is a lack of accommodation for more than the ordinary.
Hotels and steamboats are not prepared to give the ordinary comforts of life
to more than the customary all-theyear-round number of travellers.

Of course the tourist associations

Of course the tourist asosciations cannot be expected to provide visitors with accommodation. To do that they would have to go into the hotel business. It is much to be regretted, however, that individual enterprise has not provided more and larger hotels throughout the provinces.

The government of New Brunswick is not doing all it should do to encourage the people to remain at home and levelop the resources of the provinc. A gentleman who lately journeyed fro Andover to Grand Falls informs the Star that in twenty-four miles on or side of the river he counted thirty-two abandoned farms, or one in about every three-quarters of a mile, should be possible to make a better showing than this in a fertile section of the country. And surely settlers for from the old country, if proper mean were used.

Kelson and Briggs have not fared as well in Bangor as in St. John. We sometimes sneer at Uncle Sam's courts of justice, but in this case the lurking smile appears to be most fitting on the face of our neighbors to the south.

the instance of the attorney general, consulted the Scotland Yard authorities

The growth of the idea of summer homes in the country for city people has been so marked of late years that special interest will be felt in the Star's series of articles on this engaging subject.

MARITIME BOARD.

The Concluding Business Transacted at the Sydney Meeting.

Wolfe, Kentville, was passed unanimously:

Therefore resolved. That the representatives of the maritime board of trade here assembled urgent and the second of trade here assembled urgent and the second of the mediate and definite action at this question by granting the necessary subsidy to ensure the inauguration of such a service with the least possible delay.

Further resolved, That the ocean routes to be followed by the stemens of the line should be such as would enable them to run as nearly, as possible at full speed from port to port with the least risk of danger or detengion by fog or ice.

And further resolved, That in the opinion of this convention the terminus in Canada should be the nearest available port to European the second of the sec

fast service.

Mr. Jarvis of St. John thought that consideration of the terminal port should be left with the company or companies intending to operate such

companies intending to operate such a line.

W. S. Fisher of St. John was of opinion that it would be well if Canada were to adopt a twenty knot service and afterwards to make it equal, if not superior, to the best crossing the Atlantic. He thought it would be unwise to grant a heavy subsidy for a service that might be outclassed in a couple of years.

Senator Wood of Sackville favored the adoption of a service equal in speed and appointment to any crossing the Atlantic.

E. T. McKeen of the Sydney board introduced a resolution upon the subsidizing of steel shipbuilding, resolving that the federal government of Canada should be asked to grant a tonnage bounty large enough to enable Canadian builders to compete on the shipbuilding industry and have it extended over a term of years sufficiently long to secure the permanent establishing of this industry, which is vitially important to the business of the country.—The resolution passed unanimously.

A resolution treating on the extension of the Intercolonial railway to

last night and transacted considerable business.

A communication from H. E. Wardroper, common clerk, was read, notifying the council of the action taken by the treasury board regarding the request for a grant from the civic treasury. On motion the communication was filed and it was ordered that the letter be printed and circulated among the different unions previous to the next election.

The meeting was addressed by W. W. Hubbard and Lt. Col. Markham in reference to the parade, and some minor details were arranged.

The order of procession will be as follows: Teamsters (mounted), Artiliery band, masons, carpenters, painters, printers, City Cornet band, shingle sawyers and bunchers, cigar makers, moulders, freight handlers, 62nd band, shiplaborers, freight clerks, Carleton Cornet band, bartenders, Trades and Labor Council.

Bicyclists and all athletes depend on BENTLEY'S Liniment to keep their loints limber and muscles in trim.

EXHIBITION ASSOCIATION.

R. B. Emerson Appointed President Vice D. J. McLaughlin Resigned.

At a meeting of the directors of the Exhibition Association, yesterday afternoon, there were present R. B. Emerson, in the chair, and Messrs, Wallace, Everett, Shaw, Skinner, Burdett, McAvity, Estabrooks, Lockhart, Col. Markham and Patchell.

D. J. McLaughlin resigned the presidency, and by unanimous vote Vicepresident R. B. Emerson was elected in his stead. R. O'Brien was elected in his stead. R. O'Brien was elected first and Col. Markham second, vicepresident. The report of the executive committee was submitted and approved. It is as follows:

ST. JOHN, N. B., 21st Aug., 1902.

ST. JOHN, N. B., 21st Aug., 1902. Board of Directors: To the Board of Directors:

(Gentlemen—Your executive committee begs
o report that they have been pressing forwhich His Home for the coming exhibition,
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way, we are giad to report that our arrangements are pretty well advanced and that there seems to be a general interest in the exhibition throughout the country of the control of the con

news brought us by gentlemen who have been abroad we are justified in expecting a larger number of people than we have ever had.

The railways and steamers have all made us very cheap excursion rates, and are assisting us in advertising the exhibition.

Within the last month we have pushed our Within the last month we have pushed our on the newspapers and reading notices upon the newspapers are even to be a so countering the wear which they are giving us to be a so countering which they are giving us been using 69 papers throughout we have been using 69 papers throughout we have been maritime provinces and the state of Maine. Without exception we have had excellent service from each of these.

We have endeavored to make our reading notices more like news items than advertising puffs. Notwithstanding the fact that some of these have been quite long, as the countering the state of a limited may be a found of the services of a limited may be a found of the services of the services and Halifax. Every advertisement has been backed by a news item or reading notice.

Today we are altering the advertisements.

The merchants of Orillia, Ont., have signed an agreement to send out their last delivery of goods at five o'clock every week day, excepting Saturday, which will be at \$.30.

NEW SUITINGS For Men.

NEW TROUSERINGS For Men. NEW OVERCOATINGS For Men

FOR FALL, 1902.

SCOTCH TWEED SUITINGS in Fancy Mixed Striped Effects. ENGLISH WORSTED SUITINGS, in Stripes, Checks and Fancy Mixtures. ENGLISH WORSTED TROUSERINGS, in many new designs ENGLISH CHEVIOTS AND VICUNA OVERCOATINGS. ENGLISH CHEVIOT AND VICUNA SUITINGS. ENGLISH BEAVER OVERCOATINGS. ENGLISH MELTON OVER-

NOTICE!

The Jno. J. Mitchell Fashion Plates, for Fall, 1902, are now in, and orders for same will be promptly attended to.

Manchéster l'obertson Allis

CIVIC MATTERS

A committee consisting of Aldermen Macrae, Baxter and Stackhouse visited Bay Shore Wednesday afternoon with Superintendent McPeak of the N. B. Southern railway to look over their track, the railway having asked that they be permitted to remove a sharp curve in their track by introducing a trestle work. This change would add very much to their yard room. The committee were not in a position to say what they would recommend.

A sub-committee of the board of works, appointed to hear the gentlemen who had made applications for privileges in connection with bathing houses erected and in course of erec-

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Chronic constipation surely cured or money back. LAXA-CARA TABLETS never fail. Small, chocolate coated, easy to take. Price, 35 cents. At drug-gists!

W. H. Garrity left last evening for Syd ney to take charge of the Exchange had dressing parlors at that place. Mr. Garriet, is a former St. John man, but has spent sev eral years in the tonsorial business in Bos

Weather permitting, the Neptune Rowing Club will hold its aquatic sports on Lily Lake Saturday after-noon. In the absence from the city of Mayor White, ex-Mayor Daniel will act as judge.

TRAVELLERS' GUIDE.

DEPARTURES

P. R. A. MATCHES.

Close of a Most Successful Meeting.

SUSSEX, Aug. 21.—An almost cloud-less sky with practically no wind were the weather conditions this third day of the provincial rife meet. The York and Kings challenge pitcher in connection with the provin-cial match was won by the following team from the 5th Hussars;

Major J. N. McDougall.
Major G. S. Kinnear.
Sergt. G. L. Murray.
Major J. H. McRobbie.
Capt. R. H. Arnold.

ASSOCIATION MATCH.

The Association Match, prizes a challenge cup and \$160; ranges, 200, 500 and 600 yards, seven shets at each distance. The winners were:

\$5.
Sergt. W. E. Forbes, 73rd, \$5.
Sergt. A. Pringle, 71st, \$5.
Capt. F. B. Carvell, 10th F. B., \$5.
B. Stewart, Moncton, \$4.
Pte. J. A. Bateman, 74th, \$4. Kinnear, Moncton, \$4... S. Frost, 62nd, \$4..... Chandler, Moncton, \$4. Lt. J. S. Frost, 62nd, \$4... \$8
Lt. J. S. Frost, 62nd, \$4... \$8
D. R. Chandler, Monoton, \$4... \$8
Lt. H. Perley, 62nd, \$4... \$7
F. A. Duston, St. Stephen, \$4... \$6
Capt. J. M. McIntyre, 74th, \$3... \$5
Maj. J. A. McDougall, 8th Hus., \$3... \$5
Sergt. L. Campbell, 74th, \$3... \$5
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Sergt. E. S. Gladwin, 62nd, \$4... \$4
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Capt. S. B. Lordly, R. O., \$2... \$3
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Sergt. G. L. Murray, 8th Hus., \$2... \$2
Lt. S. S. Wetmore, 74th, \$2... \$2
Major J. H. McRobble, 8th Hus., \$2... \$2
Major J. M. Kinnear, Sussex, \$2... \$1
H. Sullivan, St. John, \$2... \$1
Lt. S. T. Anderson, 74th, \$2... \$2
H. H. Bartlett, St. Andrews, \$2... \$2
Major G. S. Kinnear, 8th Hus., \$2... \$2
Counted out: Pte. E. H. Clarkson, 71st.

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L. Corp. E. H. Clarkson, 71st, \$2.... \$0
Lt. L. W. Peters, \$2m Fus., \$2.... 79
W. H. Hannah, Woodstock, \$2...... 77
L. Corp. C. Thompson, 62nd Fus., \$2. 75
Dr. Wainwright... 74
The tie for first place in the Nursery match was won by D. R. Chandler, Mozeton. Prize, cup and \$10.
The ties in the Prince of Wales match resulted as follows:
A. E. Massie, Fredericton, \$12.
Capt. A. E. Smith, R. L., \$10.
Capt. J. Manning, R. O., \$2.
Capt. R. H. Arnold, 8th Hus. cup, medal and \$7.
Capt. O. W. Wetmore, 74th, \$5.
The following are the prize winners, prizes and scores in the
GRAND AGGREGATE:

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Highest scores in the All Comers Prime of Wales, Provincial and Asso-ciation matches.

Maj. G. S. Kinnear, 8th Hussars,

Maj. J. W. McDougall, 8th Hustars

Range 600 words, ten shots.

Maj. G. S. Kinnear, 8th Hussars, tied with Cape. E. A. Smith, R. L., for second place, with a score of 45, and the shoot off was won by Major Kinnear with three straight bullseyes.

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A. E. Massie of Fredericton made another possible at 500 yards in the association match. Theoper C. E. Lockhart of the 8th Hussars made a possible at 500 yards in the association match and wins the cup and first prize with a total score of 160 out of a possible 105. This is remarkable, in view of the fact that Trooper Lockhart news competed in a provincial match before. Generally the young shots seem to be coming to the front.

Range Officer Major Arneld is just as popular as ever.

This is the first year since 1865 that some member of the Langstroth family has not competed.

Capt. E. A. Smith makes a possible on extra series at 600 yards, and fired three shots for ties, making, 4, 5 and 5. Westmorland county sent 22 men to the meet. Two-rific clubs have been orsaalsed in the county, and a third is being organised.

Major McDougall, 8th Hussars, of Westmorland, will hold the York and Kings pitcher for the ensuing year.

TRUE ENOUGH.

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The darkest cloud will go And leave the heavens blue, But even though you know That's what the cloud will do It's hard to banish wee It's hard to banish wee When the world is soaking you.

Chicago Record-Herald.



SPORTING NEWS.

CRICKET.

MONCTON, N. B., Aug. 21.—The game between the Zingaris and Moneton commences shortly after 12 o'clock, and the visitors were retired for a total of 109. Moncton tried four bowlers, but the visitors were thardest proposition they had ever tackled, and a very respectable score was the result.

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The fifteenth annual championship games of the association will be held on the grounds of the Moncton Amateur Athletic Association on the afternoon of Monday, State of the Association on the afternoon of Monday, The Branch of the Association on the afternoon of Monday, The Association on the afternoon of Monday, The Association on the afternoon of Monday, The Association on the Association of the Association on the Association of the

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Phelan Arrives.

The Alerts new pitcher and all round player came in on the Boston express last evening. He is a filkely looking player, is a left hand pitcher, and the friends of the Alerts expect him te make a good showing.

The Resea and Alerts will play on the Victoria grounds a faturday. Phelan er not yet yet the Alerts, while it is not yet positively known who will twir! for the Resea. The measurement of the latter than, and there was a numer current last weening that Coakiey would be here to pitch Saturday's game.

THE TURF.

Creaceus Trotted a Mile in 2.04%.

INPIANAPOLIS, Ind., Aug. 21.—Creaceus atternoon over the state fair grounder rack, olipping one quarter of a second off the track record made by Nancy Hanks in 1892.

His time by quarters was as follows: 31%.

Jozyk, 1.94, 2.04%.

Moosspath Exhibition Race Entrice—Sept.

3rd and 4th.

Following are the entries so far received for the races at Moosspath in connection with the exhibition on Sept. 3rd and 4th.

Free-for all, Purse \$500.

Morley King, 2.16%, F. C. Briggs, Boaton, Masse.

Bell P., 2.194, J. H. Macquamars, Rockland. THE TURF.

Me. Hall, 2,20%, Chas. Dugan, Woodstock. Joe Hall, 2,20%, Chas. Dugan, Woodstock. Itima, 2,10, J. M. Johnson, Calais. Walter K., 2,14%, F. Duncanson, St. John. Rock Farm Grace, 2,20, Fred Warren, Springhill.
Park Campbello, 2,20%, Fred Warren. Springhill.

Kate Willard, 2.25, E. LeRoi Willis, SydGeorge, 2.27, C. B. Keith, Berry's Mills. Sunol Prince, 2.2114, S. A. Fowler, St

2.28 Class, Purse \$259 nze C., 2.31, J. C. Crabbe, Charlotte Bronze C., 2.31, J. C. Crabbe, Charlotte town.
Golden Gate, 2.2914, Daniel Steele, St. John.
Zeta M., 2.30¼, S. A. Fowler, St. John.
Labena, 2.31¼, J M Johnson, Calais.
Tom Phair, J. M. Johnson, Calais.
Lady Trumps, 2.23¼, D. W. McKay, St.

tephen.
Tutrix, 2.28½, E. H. Barter, St. Stephes
Effle, C. H. Stone, Boston.
Suzzet, C. H. Stone, Boston.
Nena Wilkes, 2.28, Fred Warren, Spring

2.24 Class, \$250. Lady Erumps, 2.28%, D. W. McKay, St tephen.

Gonzella, 2.26, J. B. Gilchrist, Greezwich.

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Golden Gate, 2.294, Daniel Steele, St. John.

Alex. Tr., 2.25, E. LeRol Willis, Sydney.

Zeta M., 2.394, S. A. Fowler, St. John.

Rex., 2.344, Fred Warren, Springfall.

Bjou, 2.26, J. T. Preccott, Susser.

Lubens, 2.314, J. M. Johnson, Caldis.

Magkie S., Edgar Hotnes, Eastport.

Cherry Arden, by F. C. Murchie, Mill
wn.

Blue Boy, Fred Warren, Springskill.
Sunzy Lawn, Richard Hebert, Mos Sunzet, C. H. Stone, Boston.
Edite, C. H. Stone, Boston.
Fom Phair, J. M. Johnson, Calaise.
Pat'y Bangs, Thôs. Hayes, St. Joh Miss. Parkland, Makeolm Steele, St.

Somea, D. W. Wilber, Moneteen Lefries M., S. H. Sterling, Fresericton. Maud, W. H. Bowen, St John. Black Sheep Clgar, A. H. Bell, St John. Statight, J. A. Johnson, Heiffig. Good stalls and accummodation for horse lay and straw provided.

Other entries mailed from cutaide poin re expected today.

Rwanon Won in Three Straight Heats.

At Readyllic vesterday in the great of

YACHTING.

CEWES. Isle of Weight, Amg.: 22—The American yacht Utowana (A. V. Armour, of New York), won the saffing race for auxiliary yachts, started Monday, and the coronation cup soffered by the Earl of Cerusford. She pussed the mark at 10.53 e'clock last night

SHIPPING NEWS.

Domestic Ports.

TEXLIFAX, Aug 23—Ard, 42 rs Damara, strom Liverpoof via St Johns, NF, Harlaw, from Canco, with goods from weeked str Bhanananden; sch yacht Elsa, from New York.

For New York.

BOSTON, Aug 21—Ard, strs Olivette, from Charlottetown, Port Hawkesbury and Hall-fax; Penobacct, from St. John, NB, via Eastgort and Portland.
Elastyort St. John, NB,
CALAIS, Me, Aug 21—Ard, sch Lizzie
Cochrane, from Eastport.
Sid, sch Mary F Pike, for Vineyard Haven.

en. VINEYARD HAVEN, Aug 21—Ard, sch B. Eaton, frem New Bedford for Calais. PORTLAND, Me. Aug 21—Ard, tug ppringhill with three barges, from Parra-

raine, for Harre; Furst Bismarck, for Hamburg, etc.
Cid. schs Etta A Stimpson, for Advocate,
NS; Freddie A Higgins, for Grand Manan,
NB; Pardon G. Thompson, for St. John, NB.
NEW YORK, Sug. 22.—Arrived, Columbia,
from Hamburg.

ADVERTISE IN AFRICA. This Regard.

The Canadian commissioner in South Africa, Mr. Jardine, in a report to the Department of Trade and Commerce says that there is an entire absence of advertising on the part of Canadian firms in South Africa, while the United States firms are sending their catalogues all over. Mr. Jardine also complains of what he calls the South African shipping ring, which is sending business to the United States and Germany. He says that the establishment of a Canadian direct line will largely increase Canadian exports, but Canadians ought to imitate their neighbors' methods of advertising.

Gen. Cronje and a thousand other Boers sailed from St. Helena on Wed-nesday for South Africa. Nearly three thousand harvesters left Toronto yesterday for the west.

COMMERCIAL

DAILY QUOTATIONS

Yester- To-day's. day's. Can Breids
Chesa and Ohio 53%
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C, M and St Paul 184%
C, R Ist and Pac 183
C and Gt West 34
Den and R G 48%
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Dand Rio G ifd 55%
Erie 18t pref 69
Illinois 'Central 167%
Louis aund Nash 15%
Manhattan Ry 134%
Metrop St Ry 156 135 116¼ 36⅓ 160 68% 74 73% 40% 68% 53 671/2

COTTON.

EXODUS FROM CHATHAM. Many Men Leaving the Town for Other Places,

(Chatham Commercial.)

LYNCH OF GALWAY.

A London despatch says: Col. Arthur Lynch, M. P. for Galway, awaiting trial for high treason, in having held command under the Boers, is breaking down in prison. He seems deeply impressed by the gravity of his situation, and is inclined to plead guilty and throw himself on the mercy of the crown. The prosecution has gathed conclusive evidence of the truth of the charges, and Colonel Lynch's wn statement is accepted as a concession of guilt.

FREE FROM CRIMINALS.

Aug. 21, 1902.

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STOCK MARKET.

NEW YORK, Aug. 22.—There were advances of a point or more in Denver and Rie Grands of a point or more in Denver and Rie Grands of the Wheeling and Lake Erie, and an active demonstrate a strong tone. Both the gave the open of the limber and there were a few declines in important issues. The stock market opened strong.

NEW YORK, Aug. 22—Cotton futures open-id steady. Aug., 8.38; September, 7.99; Oct., 1.86; Nov., 7.79; Dec., 7.78; Jan., 7.83; Feb., 180; March, 7.81; May, 7.81

abroad.

It is certainly a lamentable state of affairs to think that Miramichi, with all her natural resources, cannot supply enough to keep her sons at home. It was bad enough to see Chatham's young women leaving in crowds for the States, a few years ago, but it is much worse to see our men leaving the town.

(Newcastle Advocate.)

Chatham is face to face with a serious exodus. The closing of the pulp mill has had a far reaching affect and many people are moving away. About sixty have gone in the past two weeks and twenty more are about leaving for Sydney, C. B. A large number of young men are going west on the Harvester's excursion, and others are making arrangements to go to Maine and Massachussets.

(Gagebown Gazette.)
The county of Queens has for years been free from criminals, and the county jail here has not had a prisoner for over a year. The last prisoner, who was from the parish of Hampstead, was placed there for taxes, and was discharged a year ago last month. This speaks well for the county of Queens.

MORNING'S NEWS.

LOCAL

Red Rose tea is pure Ceylon and Indian tea. It's fiavor is delicious.

The new Battle liner Himera comes out to St. John to take in a cargo of deals for W. C. England at 36s, 3d.

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

The regular meeting of the Trades and Labor Council will be held tonight in Labor Hall at 8 o'clock.

Nos. I and 2 Scots Companies will parade in full uniform tonight at 8 o'clock at St. Stephen's church school room.

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The railway employes' annual picnic will be held at Sussex on Saturday, when a large attendance is anticipated.

Wm. Thomson & Co. have sold their steel ship Centurian to English parties. She was built at Greenock in 1891 and was 1704 tons register.

The hospital commissioners called on Dr. William Bayard last evening and presented him with a handsome cut glass dish, and expressed their hearty congratulations on the attaining of his 88th birthday. The visitors were entertained by Dr. Bayard.

R. La Touche Tupper will remain in St. John to represent the Manitoba government at the exhibition, and will make his headquarters at the C. P. R. and Manitoba exhibit.

make his neadquarters at the and Manitoba exhibit. Complaint is made that bicycle rider go too fast on Main street, to the dan-ger, and sometimes injury, of pedes

There is talk of a larger steamer being built for the service now carried on by the little steamer Westport.

New pupils entering the schools must have vaccination certificates in order to get a permit.

PROVINCIAL

An new Episcopal church building is to be erected at Blissville, Sunbury Co. Mrs. Mersereau, wife of Abner Mer-sereau, postmaster of White Station, died on Wednesday. C. Fred Scott, son of C. L. Scott, of Gagetown, died on Wednesday, aged 23 years.

years.

The 3rd Royal Canadian Regiment is to leave Halifax the middle of September, and will be succeeded by the 5th Royal Garrison Regiment from Alder-

Royal Garrison Regiment from Aldershot.

J. W. D. Stevens, a delegate to the Maritime Board of Trade was arrested at the instance of Mrs. McClaverty, a boarding house mistress, formerly of Moncton, who claimed that Mr. Stevens owed her \$130 for board.

A ton of butter and three-quarters of a ton of cheese were shipped from Sussex yesterday for Bermuda.

A. R. Coffin, of the Truro News, and Miss Annie L. Mack, daughter of Rev. R. B. Mack, were married at Selmah, N. S., on Thursday.

At Riverside this week, Alfred J. Burnett, of Sussex, and Miss Alice J. Appleby were married by Rev. Allan Daniel.

GENERAL.

The brother of Robert R. Remington believes that the former, instead of committime suicide, was murdered.

Robert Referd, of Montreal, claims that the fast Atlantic service should run between Galway and Halifax all the year round.

Eight hundred persons from St. Flavie and other I. C. R. points in Quebec, made a pilgrimage yesterday to the church of Ste. Anne de Restiguuche, at the Indian reserve, near Campbellton.

Sixteen persons were killed by the explosion of the digesters in the pulp mill near Wilmington, Delaware, on Wednesday.

Russell Sage, in an interview yesterday, declared that all combinations of industry were a menace to true government.

Three persons broke out of the Elisworth, Me. county tail vesterday and GENERAL

ernment.

Three persons broke out of the Elisworth, Me., county jail yesterday, and are still at large. They had the privilege of the yard and took advantage of it.

WHEAT EARS 7 INCHES LONG.

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Harvesting Will be Well Under Way
This Week—Weather Conditions
Good.

WINNIPEG, Aug. 20.—The weather
keeps very warm and bright, and the
wheat is ripening rapidly. Reports
show that cutting will be well under
way this week. The immensity of the
crop is exciting the wonder and admiration of all who pass through the
province. The following interview
will give an idea of what sutsiders
think of the prospects:—

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"Your crop is the most magnificent I have ever seen. It is so enormous that I believe it will exceed every expectation," said President Perkins of the C. B. & Q. Railway. "If it is safely garnered it will be a difficult matter for any one road to handle it. I have seen the reports and estimates, but in my opinion they are below the mark."

Immigration Commissioner Smith has received a number of samples of growing grain from various parts of the province. They are all large compared with the growth of ordinary years. One of the finest specimens of wheat was received from Dominion City, the heads being from seven to seven and a half inches in length and they were well filled.

BIOGRAPHY OF LAITHER

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CThe Moon.)

Right Hon. Sir Wilfrid Laurier, G.C.
M.G., K.C., D.C.L. Oxon, LL.D., P.C.—
we don't know what the two last letters might mean, but they would stand for "Political Charlatan"—was born somewhere in Quebec, Nov. 20, 1841, and was the son of his father.

Elected to represent Drummond and Arthabaska in 1874, he has for many years sat for Quebec East and his picture, in the commons, Ottawa. He has been premier of Canada since '96, and, though the duties are arduous, and the pay small, it is understood by well-informed people that the right honorable gentleman is still willing to sacrifice private interest so that he may continue to serve his country.

Since entering public life Sir Wilfrid has been a constant advocate of free trade, and won the gold medal in the sift of the Cobden club for his efforts in that direction. He has also been a consistent advocate of reciprocity with the United States, insperial unity and protection to Canadian industries.

The subject of our sketch is 2.

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TIME TABLES

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A large buck-board wagon, seats fifteen to
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E LCROY WILLIS, St. John, N. B.



A DAINTY EXHIBIT. Our offerings in decorated ware now are notably fine. We've had a drop in china here of late. Nothing broken, though, but the prices—and they're hammered down below cost. Rich and beautiful dinner sets, \$12.50. Phenomenal bargains.

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CHEAP

KINDLING

WOOD. SHORT PIEGES OF BOARD suitable for kindling purposes, will be

old during this week at the Exhibition Buildings, at \$1.00 PER LOAD. Apply to Mr. Wm. Taylor, Exhibi

W. W. HUBBARD, Mgr. and Sec., St. John, N. B. R. B. EMERSON,

Acting Pres., St John, N. B. crimination against the United States, commercial union with the United States, imperial unity and protection to Canadian industries.

The subject of our sketch is a Frenchman, a Roman Catholic and a Canadian. When in Outario or Manitoba, Sir Wilfrid is a Canadian first, On every occasion when appearing in public, while the order in which his qualifications come to the front may vary with the environment, he is always one of them first, and the others follow as they may.

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NUT HARD COAL \$8 For immediate cash orders

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A Calais Letter says: "The Clipper baseball team of St. John, N. B., will play the Milltown team at the Milltown diamond next Saturday afternoon and a good game is expected. The Clippers played the Calais team some few weeks ago and showed their ability to put up a clean game and the opinion prevails that the "up-river" boys will have to play a hard game to defeat the visitors and no doubt but that a large crowd will be in attendance to witness the game."

THE WOMEN OF CARTHAGE.

There is a grand old story told about There is a grand old story told about the supreme devotion displayed by the women, of Carthage. When their city was besleged by the Romans, ropes were needed; but, as there was no flax to make them in the city, the women, headed by their heroic queen, came to the rescue. They one and all cut off their glorious tresses and made ropes out of their hair.

AT A DISCOUNT.

"Edward," she sighed, "when I read your notes my hopes are raised toward happiness."
"Yes," he answered moodlly, "I nev-er was able to raise anything on my notes except hope."

WITH FATE.

"You will be married within a year." continued the fortune teller, "Dear me!" exclaimed the lady, who was already married. "I shall have to begin divorce proceedings at once."—Boston Post.

A RHYME FOR KITCHENER. In answer to a general complaint that poets find a difficulty in getting a rhyme for Kitchener, Mr. Punch produces a specimen couplet.

as he, in fact, that put the final stitch

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COPY FOR SATURDAY'S IS ent in EARLY FRIDAY AFTER NOONS, to ensure change, as the paper goes to press earlier on Saturdays than on other days of the

LOCAL NEWS.

There will be a band concert in west end by the Carleton Cornet band this evening, weather permitting.

Steamer St. Croix brought in one hundred and forty-eight passengers this morning from Boston.

The official and corrected list of en-tries for the Moosepath races, Sept. 3rd and 4th, appears in today's Star.

Premier Tweedle, in an interview, intimates that the lower provinces will resist any reduction in representation in the federal parliament.

Nine carloads of picnickers from Sussex were brought into the city this morning. The excursionists enjoyed the day at Rockwood park.

There will be a meeting of the Hay-market Square Polymorphians this ev-ening at eight o'clock to settle ac-counts for the coronation celebration. Premier Murray of Nova Scotia be-leves that Hallfax will be the winter terminus of the fast line, and that the Edder-Dempster Co. will get the con-

A new Orange lodge will soon be in-stituted at Deer Island. This will make the sixth since the meeting of the Grand Lodge, which is a record for the time.

Great sale of ladies print wrappers at F. R. Patterson's, corner Duke nd Charlotte streets, all day Saturday, See ad. on page 4 of this paper tonight. Store open till 11.

Paul Dolan, formerly of the Alerts, has signed with the Providence team of the Eastern League, and will get into the game for that club immediate-

Dr. Parkin says Canada will have eight Rhodes scholarships. His trip around the world in connection with the organization of the scheme will take at least two years.

A new calendar for 1902-03 of Acadia Seminary has just been issued. The book contains several views of the building and grounds, and also of the interior, making a very attractive sou-venir.

A crowd of people went down to see the Lake Superior taken off today. Although a couple of tugs were at the steamer no attempt to pull her off was made at two o'clock, which was some time after high water.

In response to a still alarm No. 5 hose cart and No. 2 Salvage Corps waggon went out this morning to the house of Miss Burns, near the Suspension Bridge, occupied by Amos Perley. A slight fire was quickly put out. It was caused by the explosion of a lamp left too close to the hot stove pipe.

OSCAR KELSON.

How He Escaped From the Provinc to Which He May Not Return.

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There is a possibility almost amounting to a probability that Oscar Kelson will not be extradited. It all depends upon the action of the Bangor court before which he has been arraigned. If that court finds him guilty and inflicts a penalty considered here to be sufficient, no action will be taken by the attorney general to bring him here that he might answer the various charges which now stand against him. Kelson's escape from this province has been something of a mystery. It is now stated that the young man after his escape from jail on the 6th of June, hid in various places not many miles from the city, while a hot search was instituted for him, and that he barely escaped capture on more than one occasion. It is also said that about a fortight of

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ARTILLERY COMPETITION.

The artillery companies are now revalues and twelve pound guns, which will be as and twelve pound guns, which will be an an the target which are placed in line, will be towed past by a tug. By means of a contrivance called a hold fast the arget, which are placed in line, will be towed past by a tug. By means of a contrivance called a hold fast the arget, which are placed in line, will be towed through the water at double the speed of the tug. At these fast the speed of the tug. At these fast moving targets the gunners will have to shoot.

THE CARLETON LIGHTS

Residents of Carleton as ing of the poor light supplied with. One statished with a shis opinion lamps were match poor than the left his hiding place and walk-town to Charlotte county. From one of the harbors down there he was rowed to one of the nearest Maine ports and ultimately was arrested in Bangor, along with Briggs for store breaking. Kelson's career has been an interesting and varied one, and he is a very much wanted young man.

INCIPIENT RUNAWAY.

horse attached to an expression and was a contributed with the serior of the poor light to the supplied with the serior of the poor light as his opinion lamps were this morning true.

A horse attached to an express ownby E. S. Dibblee started to run
way this morning from in front of
e owner's store, Pond street, Though
animal was fastened by a strap to
e of the forefeet, it got as far as the
liroad track and in an attempt to
ear the rails, fell, breaking a shaft.
he animal was badly cut.

REV. C. B. KENRICK.

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Rev. C. B. Kenrick, who for some time past has been officiating as pastor of St. John's church, West Brantford, has accepted as locum tenens for one year charge of Grace church, Elm street, Toronto, during the absence abroad of the rector, Rev. J. Pitt Lewis, Mr. Kenrick will assume his duties at Grace church on October 1.

WEAKNESS.

Vanilla is one of the most powerful restoratives known in cases of weakned vitality, when a large dose is given. South Africa in general shows a much slighter tendency to madness than any of the countries which may be called civilized. Statistical authorities attribute this fact to the ignorance and shortsightedness of the population, but they themselves give the credit to the vanilla. At the first sign of mental disturbance they ply the sufferer therewith.

LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE.

TO THE BOARD OF HEALTH. BRUSSELS STREET, Aug. 21, 1902. To the Editor of the Star:

Sir.—Some time ago I read an article in your paper in reference to sanitation, Blood Alley so called. I don't think there was the necessity of going so far, as a few doors from Richmond street, on Brussels street, there, is a family of persons living in a state of filth. They have neither water closet in the house, or even what is termed a back house. I should have written before, but waited to see if the inspector made any report, but see no result. I have written to the board of health, also called, with no result. If the parties are tso poor to do anything I consider the owner of the property ought to be made to do something. It's a fortunate thing this has been a rather cool summer, for on certain days with the wind in the right quarter it is a regular nuisance. I only wish some of the board of health officials lived as close as I do. If so I imagine something would be done. It must be worse than the late Mr. Anning's.

Trusting you may notice the enclosed, I am, Some time ago I read an article

Yours respectfully A SUFFERER.

POLICE COURT.

Robert Burns, true to his old traditions, returned to the police court this morning. He has aged five years since Tuesday, when he fell in on Sergt. Watson at the north end station unawares. The shock was too much for him. Then he was forty-five years old; today he is fifty. Even this miracle did not save him. He was fined eight dollars of two months in jail with hard labor, which may help to rejuvenate him.

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Six coachmen reported for going out-side of their stand at the Prince Ru-pert wharf to solicit passengers were allowed to go. The fine stands against them. They complained that the place set apart for them was too small and that the general public crowded them very much.

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The chairs at one end of the court room were occupied by eight boys of various ages, who were reported for playing ball on Exmouth street. The complainant did not appear and they were allowed to go. Judge Ritchie spoke to them of their infraction of the law and the penalty involved. At the same time he expressed the wish that there was some public playground in the city to which the boys might go without breaking the law.

Miss Gregory, daughter of Mr. Justice Gregory, who has visited her brother, Col. Gregory, at Victoria, B. C., for several months, arrived home by the C. P. R. western express yesterday.

Dr. Harry D. McManus, formerly of Fredericton and now residing and practising his profession at Washburn, Me., has been nominated as the democratic candidate from that district for the Maine legislature.

Rev. S. T. Teed, accompanied by his wife, left Monotton yesterday on a tript to some of the cities of the states, including Boston and Providence. They go via St. John, Digby and Yarmouth, Mrs. Martin and Miss Martin have returned to the city from the Bay Shore, where they have been spending the summer.

he summer. Miss Elsie Durdan, of St. John, is sisiting her friend, Miss Hattie Brown,

Fredericton.
Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Scovil, of St.
John, arrived in Fredericton Wednesday to visit Mrs. R. P. Foster
George Melick, formerly of St. John,
and now of the postal telegraph service, Boston, is visiting friends in town.
George Gardner, so well known in
connection with the Glad Tidings mission on Brussels street, is in town after some time spent up the river.

The children of St. John's Sunday school were entertained at Duck Cove yesterday, the usual athletic sports being carried out in the field adjoining the rector's summer cottage. A very pleasant time was spent, many members of the congregation coming down in the afternoon. The principal winners were:

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Gray Burnham—Champion cup.
Clinch—Long distance race.
G. Taylor—High jump.
Miss M. Sadleir—Fibwer prize.

AN ODDFELLOWS' HOME.

The most interesting business accomplished by the Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F., last week in Toronto was the voting of \$1,000 towards the projected Oddfellows' Home, which sum, with amounts already in hand and promised, will bring the total to more than \$20,000, the sum required before building operations can be commenced. It was decided, in view of this gratifying state of affairs ,to commence operations at once, and a committee was appointed to select a site for the home.

SUMMER HOMES.

RIVF RSIDE.

One cannot imagine a more charming scene than the Kennebeccasis Lake on fair days and these moonlight evenings. The summer dweller leaves his cottage for town in the morning with a lingering regretful look, and dally at even he finds new pleasure in returning to the happy shore. The suburban train service on the Intercolonial may not be all that it ought to be, but it is good enough to make these resorts convenient for the townsmen. They may leave the lake side at halfpast seven or half-past eight in the morning, returning shortly after five or shortly after six in the afternoon. There are also afternoon trains. If business or pleasure take them to town in the evening they can come in at seven, returning to the country before eleven, or, if they take the fast train, which stops at Rothesay, they may remain still later. If they desire to spend the evening in the country and sleep in town they have a train to the city between ten and eleven, and one out of town in the early morning. The man who keeps a horse, or people who use the bleycle, find the road a good one. Riverside station is less than a mile from the Chalet platform, and less than two miles from Rothesay. It furnishes accommodation all the year round to a considerable population, and is quite a busy place in the summer season. Most of the Riverside residences, especially those west of the station, stand on high ground commanding an extensive view up and down the river or lake. It is worth a long journey on a clear day to see from this hill-side the sun set over the lake. Or, if he chooses to climb to the hill-top, taking the paths through the woods, he may see St. John city and much country west of it.

One of the ploneer sun mer residents of Riverside was T. C. Humbert, who still spends the warm season there. When he first moved out in the spring he drove to and from town because as yet the railroad was not built. That must have been nearly half a century ago, for the trains have been running past Riverside some forty-five years.

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Mr. Humbert was interested in the railway then, as Fleming and Humbert were building the engines for it, and onstructing the iron bridges which cross the highway at Brookville and elsewhere. From their shop came the engine which drew King Edward to Rothesay when he was Prince of Wales. This locomotive is no longer used for traffic, but the Prince of Wales car is still in active service, and is occupied every day by the suburban traveller.

The Humbert and Lordly houses are well hidden among the magnificent growth of cedars and birches which have spread their branches over the ample grounds. The newcomer looks on these far-reaching trees with desire, and perhaps with envy, but to the owners they are old and intimate friends. Mr. Humbert was once pursuaded that his trees should be thinned out, and set about to mark the victims for the slaughter. After an affectionate examination of the offenders he could not make up his mind to part with one of them.

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of a mile or a quarter of the distance to the turn, when the end came, Near this wharf and not far from the hotel the Paris crew had their hoat house. It will be thirty-one years tomorrow since that never-to-be-forgotten race occurred, a day on which more money changed hands on the lake front than would buy all the property from Torryburn to Rothesay. That was one of many such events on this fine water. The racing scull is now seldom seen on the Kennebeccasis, but heavier and safer craft dot its bright waters on these summer days, and on moonlit nights the shores give back the echo of younthful laughter and the maiden's merry song.

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It is not long ago that the summer cottage was a rare quantity at this place but during the last few years the favorable situation has impressed many and Riverside has grown. Of the cottages those of J. E. Secord and E. Barnes are conceded to be the handsomest buildings, although many of the others run them a fairly close race. For Mr. Secord's cottage the claim is made that it is the finest between the city and Rothesay. It was completed this year and in many respects is totally different from the ordinary cottage. Of more substantial struture, it was built on artistic lines after a plan made by G. E. Fairweather. It combines at once all the

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The Riverside suburbanites form quite a colony, coming to the place in May and June and only departing, when the winds grow chill with the approaching breath of winter. Among those whose cottages make Riverside a popular summer resort are: W. J. Davidson, T. C. Humbert, Dr. Gorham, R. T. Worden, Theodore H. Estabrooks, G. R. Pugsley, William Robson, E. C. Elikin, Messrs: Green and Fleming, Eustace Barnes, Gdeon Heavenor and J. S. Gibbon. The cottages of His Worship Mayor White and H. D. Troop stand so nearly on the dividing line between Riverside and Rothesay that they might well be claimed by both places. The Riverside

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To the Public Spirit of the Citizens of Saint John.

THE INFLUX OF VISITORS during the EXHIBITION WEEK-30th August to 6th September-will be altogether unprecedented in the history of the city. These thousands

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Act. Pres., St. John, N. B. Mgr. and Sec'y., St. John, N. B. -NO NAMES PUBLISHED IF SO DESIRED .-

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Mr. Barnes' house is another new one built after the plans made by Mr. Brodle and is too a gem among summer cottages. Beautiful for situation, it is the joy of the owner.

Lately the residents of Riverside have been provided with a church building. While heretofore they might worship under the blue sky and beside the placid waters of the Kennebeccasis, it was deemed advisable to have a place where devotional exercises might be carried on, when the sky was not blue and the water far from placid. Hence the comfortable little building, which will seat one hundred persons, and in which services after the order of the Episcopalian church are regularly held.

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STONE TIGER FOUND IN MEXICO.

Some workmen while recently making an excavation in Cordobanes street, in the City of Mexico, suddenly came across a rock which they saw was not an ordinary one. After it was brought to the surface it was found to be a piece of sculpture, being fashiomed in the shape of a tiger.

Antiquarians and archaeologists soon heard of the discovery, and they quickly came to the conclusion that—this stone tiger was one of the most notable relics of the old Aztec civilization that have yet been unearthed.

That many other equally notable relics are scattered throughout Mexicothey are convinced, and they believe that in time several of them will be found.

As a work of art the stone tiger is

MOUNTAIN OF SALT.

Probably one of the greatest natural curiosities in the world, whose existence is but little known, is the great mountain of salt located at Cardona, Spain, in the foot-hills of the Pyrenees. This marvel stands in a dreary and inaccessible region, off the highway of travel, and is only reached by a drive of 25 miles in a mule cart.

A recent party of scientists visited this glant salt mountain and reported some interesting facts in regard to the same. The mountain is several thousand feet high and is estimated to contain 500,000,000 tons of rock salt. This enormous quantity of salt is made more apparent by the fact that the bordering country of France consumes 700,000 tons a year, so that this mountain alone could furnish France with enough salt to last for 700 years.

The mountain is on private land, and only worked to a limited extent.

NO EAR LOBES IN JAPAN.

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Japanese have no ear lobes. This is a discovery which has apparently been made for the first time by Dr. Von der Heyden, director fot he Public Hospital in Yokohama. Even if she is not the first to discover it, he is certainly the first to draw public attention to it. The absence of ear lobes, he claims, is in some respects them ost marked distinction between Japanese and Europeans, and he maintains that the probable reason why the latter have lobes is because their ancestors for many generations wore very heavy earrings.

HIS DIPLOMACY WON

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"I—I want to ask you a q-question," stammered the young man.

"Well!" queried the fair one who was almost at the point where she would be entitled to allowance for age.

"F-for the p-past seven years I have loved you," he continued, "and now I—er—that is, will you m-marry me?"

"I suppose I ought to say 'Oh, this is so sudden!" said the party of the second part, in a tone redolent with sarcasm, "but it is nothing of the kind. Here you have the nerve to tell me that you have kept the secret to yourself. No, I'll not marry you just for that."

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To give eastern Maine people an opportunity of attending the provincial exposition at St. John and also a chance to visit that city, one of the principal towns of the lower provinces, the Maine Central railroad will run an excursion from Waterville, Foxoroft and Bangor and immediate stations, Tuesday, Sept. 2. The party will make the trip by special train and returning will leave St. John Thursday noon.

For points west of Bangor the fare for the round trip will be \$4.25 and from Bangor and Old Town, \$3.50. No stops will be made between Old Town and Vanceboro.

This is the first excursion to St. John in some years, and it is expected that a large number will take advantage of the trip.