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The Daily Tribune.

J. L. STEWART, Editor.
TUESDAY EVENING, JULY 28.

Asking their Rights.
The people of Sussex, having been
deprived of the train by which they
have chiefly held communication with
St. John for fifteen years, are making
an effort to obtain a restoration of their
rights. At a public meeting in Sussex
resolutions setting forth the disadvan-
tages to which the people are subjected
by the want of the morning and evening
trains were adopted, and the follow-
ing humble petition was telegraphed to
Ottawa:

Sussex, July 27th, 1874.
To Hon. Alex. Mackenzie, Ottawa:
At a meeting of the residents of Ham-
pton a petition was framed and signed,
and will be mailed to you to-morrow.
The petition is in the name of the resi-
dents of Sussex; please kindly cause
such attention to be given.
(Signed)
S. A. VAIL,
Chairman.

Hon. A. J. Smith was also commu-
nicated with (nobody seems to have thought
of Burpee) and he promised to use his
influence on behalf of the people.
Now it is a pretty state of things
when rights and privileges that have
been enjoyed by people for fifteen years
—railway accommodation on the strength
of which hundreds of them have pur-
chased land and built houses—are taken
away without a day's notice, without
consultation with a single person to be
affected, without the slightest regard for
industries that depend on such railway
accommodation for existence. Under
the old Government no such arbitrary
measures would have been taken. The
people and the people's representatives
would have been consulted about the
matter. With Mackenzie, however, no
interest, no traffic, no cherished institu-
tion, depending in any way on the Gov-
ernment, is safe from being destroyed
without warning. He tells Bridges or
some other underling to visit a railway
line and report what changes can be
made, and then he acts on the report of
his agent with utter recklessness as to
the consequences to follow or the
interests to be affected. We hope the
prayers of the Sussex people may pre-
vail, as we feel that such humiliation
before such a man must be galling in the
extreme—that the memory of it will not
be bearable if it is not crowned with
success.

Verily, indolent friends are worse
than enemies. This is Victoria Wood-
hall, for instance, praising Theodore
Tilton and his principal friend and
witness, Frank Moulton, as "two of nature's
noblemen." Tilton's troubles were
great enough without this inflation, and
his chances of being believed little
enough without this blow at his moral
character. If Mrs. Woodhall had loved
Tilton wisely and not too well she would
have abused him roundly.

This is the year of destructive local
storms. Our readers will recall many
that have descended upon particular lo-
calities, done an immense amount of
mischief, and were not felt elsewhere.
There was one of these on the Potomac
three weeks ago, striking that river with
wrecks and corpses, and another terribly
fatal one is recorded in the present dis-
patches in another column. There was
another of similar character at Eureka,
Nevada, on Friday last. A despatch
from there says it had been raining with
great violence from early morning till
noon, when the cloud burst on a rocky
range of mountains to the eastward and
a vast volume of water rushed down the
eastern part of the town was flooded in
less than a minute by a fearful rush of
water which constantly increased in
violence, depth and impetuosity. The
people in that portion of the town
were torn from their foundations and
swept away with the occupants. Ropes
were procured and braves men pro-
tected dashed into the flood and saved
many lives. Only a few women and
children were lost. The body of Mrs.
Brady was recovered. Robert Robinson,
reporter of the *Scout*, is among the
drowned. The *Scout* office was swept
away. Bodies were taken to the Court
House as fast as recovered. Three Chin-
amen were lost, thirty houses were
gone, and all that part of the town con-
taining the dance houses and other
places of amusement, are gone. The
flood lasted only half an hour. The total
loss of life is not yet known, but it is be-
lieved it will reach 25 or 30 persons.

Barren's balloon went up from the
Hippodrome on Friday in search of the
easterly current that is supposed to be
caused by the earth's rotation on its
axis. It sailed to the north, landing at
Germanstown that evening, the gas having
escaped considerably. Three of the six
New York reporters with Donahoe got
out, when, strange to say, the balloon
was so much lighter that it rose to a good
height and sailed away to the northwest.
The party, doubtless, effected a safe land-
ing on Sunday, without having discov-
ered the easterly current.

Municipal Councils have an extensive
habit of plunging headlong into expensive
undertakings, just as though they consid-
ered the people unfit to discuss and
express proper opinions on public projects.
There have been many instances of this
kind of enterprise in this city. In Halifax,
lately, a motion was put through the
Council, without debate or division, to
buy a site for a City Hall at the owner's
price, \$33,000, and guess and people are
indignant thereat, openly charging that
members of the Council had a woman's
share in the purchase. "The City Hall"
is what the *Reporter* calls the transaction.
The site is denounced as out of the way,
not at all suited for the purpose, and dear
at the price.

The Freeman "is satisfied that there is
not a word of truth in all these stories"
—the uncontradicted reports of the mur-
ders committed by the Catholics. Nobody
in Europe appears to doubt them.

"Thanks, worthy gentlemen."
Mr. Shannon writes from St. John to
his paper, the *Kingston News*, as follows:
"We were pleased from many obliga-
tions for courtesy and kindness to Col.
Peter, who had charge of the *Freeman*.
I have been very much interested in P. G. M.
of the Grand Lodge (F. and A. M.) of
the Grand Lodge of New Brunswick; R.
C. M. of the Grand Lodge of the Western
Union Telegraph Company, who is
another P. G. M.; Mr. Hurligan, an emi-
nent and worthy Scotchman, originally
from Dumfries; and last, but by no
means least, to His Worship the Mayor
of St. John, A. Chipman Smith, Esq.; to
Mr. John McMillan, of the firm of J. &
A. McMillan, for many acts of courtesy
and attention which can never be forgot-
ten; and also to Mr. J. Gordon Forbes."

Look on this Picture and on That.
The Editor of the *Freeman* writes to
the Editor of the *Tribune*.
Sir:—The burning in effigy in an ob-
scure part of Albert County of Senator
McClelan, has attracted the attention of
many many, afforded an opportunity to
the *Freeman* of the *Tribune* an opportunity
to give publicity to a most diabolical act.
It is to be regretted that journalists will
lead themselves, indirectly, to contemning
an act which was not only unbecom-
ing, but disgraceful in the extreme. In
1877, Senator McClelan and the editor of
the *Times* were on an electrocuring pil-
grimage through Albert County. The
latter gentleman wished to represent that
fine, intelligent County in the House of
Assembly. For some time he was
soliciting the support of the people, and
the powerful influence of the Senator, who
was at the time in the County, was
on what proved to be a lost cause. It
will be known the would-be representative
of the County, had this not been the
case, would have been a member of the
House of Assembly. The Senator, who
was at the time in the County, was
a powerful to-day in his County as ever he
was. Witness the election of Rogers and
Ryan as proof of the assertion. The
editorial—well, to say the least, he has
no influence in Albert, and what is worse
and true, he will never have a chance
of being elected. Hence the cowardly
conduct of Mr. Stevens in the
extra WILKINS.

A Jersey man recently bit off the end
of his wife's nose, and an eccentric mag-
istrate held him in \$500 bail to keep the
piece for six months.
An atlas of the Chinese Empire, in
33 volumes, embodying all the geographical
details derivable from the Jesuit sur-
veys of the last century, and also par-
tially derived from purely native sources,
has been published by a committee at
Peking, in China, under the patronage
of Kwang-wen, Governor General of Huk-
wang.

A bill is now before the Council of In-
dia which will give a uniform age of majority
—eighteen years—throughout India.
Hitherto the age of majority has been
regulated by religious and physical con-
ditions. This is one of the largest
efforts that has yet been made to secular-
ize the constitution of the country.
A caucus is going on in the principle
towns of Michigan to ascertain whether a
majority of the women want to vote.
While the larger number think they
would vote on temperance and other kind-
red topics if they had a chance, the re-
sults of the caucus are not yet known.
It is believed that they are not anxious for
the ballot on general questions of political
policy.

Near St. Alban's, Vermont, Tuesday
evening, a tramp on his way to Canada
was attacked by two men who stabbed
him three times, one wound entering the
back. The stabbing was done with a
common pocket knife. The wounded
man was taken to the hospital, and
reached a house, where aid was given
him and the knife found still in the
wound. He died Friday afternoon. The
officers think they have a clue to the
murderers, who fled into Canada.
The eastern Canadian mails bring ac-
counts of several terrible tragedies in
Montgomery county, Mrs. Stevens met
a woman of easy virtue, named Eveline
Hubbard, in the forest, attached to her
and killed her instantly. Mrs. Stevens
was too feeble to do more than
with her husband, in Breckinridge
County, Little attacked two brothers un-
der a tree, and one of them was killed.
The difficulty arose from a family
feud. In Morgan county, last
Wednesday, Johnson Oakley shot and
killed Wesley Richardson, and severely
wounded a man named George with a
stray bullet. In the row several others
were badly beaten with clubs and stones.
A summary of Gold Coast news to
June 12 says everything is quiet. King
Goffe has on several occasions asked
for permission to buy ammunition, but
this has been refused. He suffers much
from lack of food, and is in a state of
starvation. It is believed possible
that there is not much probability of a
further installment of the indemnity
being paid at present. The King is still in-
triguing with the Kings of Adansi and
Djibah, and to the latter, who was only
second to himself in Ashantee, he prom-
ises a higher dignity if he will return.
Former tributaries have now refused
paying their annual contributions. The
King is endeavoring to punish them.
He contemplates removing the site of his
capital to somewhere in the vicinity of
Bostoran, but has not yet come to any
definite decision upon that point.

LOCALS

For advertisements of WANTED, LOST
FOUND, FOR SALE, REMOVED, or TO LET
see Auction Column.

New Advertisements.
Advertisers must send in their favors
before 12 o'clock noon, in order to insure
their appearance in this list.

Amusements—
Academy of Music—
Nannary & McDowell
Claude DeHaven
Burke's Tableaux of Eribe— J. V. Faust

Two Free Lectures—Prof. O. S. Fowler,
D. Magee & Co.
Anchor Line—Scammell Bros.
Wanted—S. K. Foster & Son
Clothing, &c.—E. H. Lester

If you want a fine-flavored, prime Ha-
vanna Cigar, give Laviton Bros. a call.
2 King Square.

There will be a concert by pupils of
the Halifax Blind Asylum, in the Insti-
tute, this evening.
The first night express started for
Halifax at 8.30 last evening. The births
in the sleeping car were all occupied.
Eliot-Governor Tully is expected to
visit Camp Dufferin on Friday. The
daily routine of drill is relieved by many
amusing incidents, and there is target
ring whenever the fog permits.

Mr. Bebus, of Nannary & McDowell's
Company, for the west this morning.
"The Little Wanderers" are to be
here soon, appearing in the Institute
Monday evening, August 10th. There
will be an address from Mr. Toles,
singing by the children, and readings by
Miss Kate Davis. Mr. Toles will deliver
addresses, and the children will sing,
Sunday, Aug. 9th, in Leicester street
Church at 11 a. m. and in Brussels street
Church at 6 p. m. Mr. Graham, of the
Balwin Place House, Boston, is here
making arrangements to visit the
Institute.

Base Ball has given way to the milita-
ry mania. Nearly every young man who
ever played Base Ball now ignores the
little game and runs to the militia officials
and enrolls his name as a soldier brave
and true. Some boys have also enlisted
themselves, unknown to their parents.
Some of their clothes are so much too
large that they look as though they were
about to act clown in a pantomime.
One of the prizes to be fired for by the
Artillery Brigade now in camp was pre-
sented by Col. John Verner Thurgur,
who, in 1819, was gunner in the company
formed here on the 100th anniversary of
the city's birth.

Phrenology.
Prof. O. S. Fowler, of New York, the
well known manipulator of people's cran-
iums, will deliver two free lectures in
the Mechanics' Institute on Thursday and
Saturday evenings. At the time of Prof.
Fowler's visit, some of the most interest-
ing years ago, the Institute was crowded
every evening. His lectures contain a
large amount of good practical advice,
while the amusement afforded by his ex-
aminations of subjects and his own quaint
and original "phrenology" has never been
thoroughly enjoyable. Prof. Fowler
will be consulted at the Victoria Hotel
during this week and next on your
own and children's phrenological develop-
ment.

Russia Leather Alkoms, edged in oxyd-
ized silver, with lock and key, at Not-
man's.

The Academy of Music Theatre.
The benefit performance was a very
pleasing one last evening, but the audi-
ence was not so large as it should have
been on such an occasion. Mrs. Mur-
dock, as the charming widow Mrs. Lov-
elace, angled successfully for the Hon-
orable Deputee (Mr. Fox) during his
admission in more hearty than his. Mr.
Owen, as Whitfield Meetinghouse, look-
ed, spoke and acted the canting, hypo-
critical old hump to perfection, caus-
ing much laughter. We can say no more
in praise of "School" than we have al-
ready said. It is a charming comedy,
and Mrs. Murdock is unsurpassed as
Naomi Tighe. Miss Kellogg as Bella,
Mr. Warner as Polka, Mr. Owen as
Kerr, Mr. Lovelace as Partridge, and
Mr. Barr as Beauty were admirable im-
personations of the dramatist's ideals.
Mr. F. Coster played Dr. Stutcliffe, and
it is only just to this gentleman to say
that there are very few actors in the
city who could have succeeded, in
playing so badly. A new play, "Little
Sunshine," will be given to-night.

THE DAILY TRIBUNE and all the most
popular Canadian, English and American
newspapers and magazines can be
obtained at the bookstore of Mr. W. K.
Crawford, King street.

Card and Cabinet Photos, in cameo
and enamel, at Notman's.

Consulted E. & H. A. Railway.
The Express train for Bangor and
Boston will leave St. John, 5.30 a. m.,
and for Fredericton, 4.15 p. m. The
express train from Bangor is due to arrive
at 6.00 p. m.

Shed as a Watering Place.
The "season" at Shediac may be said
to have fairly commenced. Already the
beaches are crowded with the wives and
amoies of our leading citizens. The
boating, bathing, driving, &c., are pro-
ceeded with vigor. The air is musical
with the songs of birds and sweet with
the perfume of a thousand flowers. The
climate is delightful, the cereals abun-
dant, and the trees and tall grasses appear in
all the glory and grandeur of a tropical
climate, and everything evinces the pros-
perity of the farmer and the glory of the
agriculturalist. The rates of accommo-
dation are exceedingly low, and Shediac
may justly be termed the Newport of
Canada, without the dissipation and vice
which attend that watering place.

Canada Steamers.
China, Sumatra, Calabar, Herla, Mar-
shon, Bahia, Scotia, Saragossa. These
fine-class steamers of this popular line
will leave Boston and New York for
Liverpool during the next two weeks
H. & Washington, agents.

The new Pastor of Calvary Church.
The installation of Rev. Dr. Maclellan,
of New York, to the pastorate of Calvary
Church, will take place on Thursday
evening at 7.30 o'clock. The Doctor will
arrive here during the week accompanied
by Rev. Dr. Irvine, of Augusta, Rev. Dr.
Burchard, of New York, and Rev. Andrew
Tully, of Portland, Pa. In addition to
the meeting of Thursday evening, which
will, no doubt, be very largely attended,
and very interesting, as all such occasions
are, it has been arranged to hold a public
mass meeting on Friday evening, at which
addresses will be delivered by Drs. Irvine,
Burchard and Maclellan, and by Revs. An-
drew and David Tully, and, probably, by
some city brethren, both lay and clerical.
The services in this church for next Sab-
bath have been arranged as follows: Rev.
Dr. Irvine will preach in the morn-
ing at 11 o'clock, Rev. Dr. Burchard in
the evening at 7.30 o'clock, and in the
evening at 7.30 o'clock a general meeting
will be held and addresses delivered by
the visiting brethren and others. The
reputation of all the gentlemen named
must secure overflowing audiences, and
we trust will do much toward infusing
new life into the cause of religion gen-
erally.

Drunk Pilots.
When Patrick Connel stood up in the
Police Court, this morning, and carelessly
confessed to a charge of drunkenness,
Mr. McAvity, the presiding Magistrate,
who is one of the Pilotage Commission-
ers, asked him if he was not a branch
pilot. He said he was, and Mr. McAvity
made a short speech to him that made
his face look much more serious than it
did when he thought only of paying a
fine of \$4. Mr. McAvity told him he
would have to turn over a new leaf if he
expected to keep his place. At a meeting
of the Commissioners, yesterday, a deter-
mination had been come to that there
should be no drunkards among the pilots,
and he would have to explain this case of
drunkenness and given assurances for his
future sobriety if he expected to keep his
place. "At the next meeting of the
Commissioners, Wednesday," said Mr.
McAvity, "I shall feel bound to report
this case, and you'll be called on to answer
for yourself." Everybody who is inter-
ested in the port will be glad to hear that
the Commissioners have resolved that
drunkards shall have the power to take
charge of vessels entering and leaving
our harbor. If pilots cannot keep sober
they will have to seek other employment.
This is only justice to the great majority
of the pilots, and to the owners of this
property, all of whom will be benefited
by the weeding out of incompetents.

A Missing Ship Captain.
Captain Hall, of the German bark *Bre-
men*, has been missing since Saturday
night. He was last seen in company
with another ship captain—Branchford of
the bark *St. Christopher*—on Portland
Bridge, where they separated, Captain
Hall coming over towards his vessel,
which lies at Merritt's wharf. It is sup-
posed that he fell overboard while going
on board, and was drowned, as Mr. Bray-
ley, who rows the small ferry after 11
o'clock, says he heard a splash in that
direction. At the time he thought noth-
ing of it, further than that perhaps a deer
had fallen into the water. Since Mr.
Brayley has heard of the captain being
missing he feels positive that some per-
son must have fallen overboard that
night, as he remembers distinctly of
hearing a groan immediately after the
splash. The police have made a diligent
search for traces of the missing man,
without success, and men have been en-
gaged in grappling for the body.

Life Preserver.
At the request of a number of citizens
who did not see Mr. John T. Poole's ex-
hibition of the life preserving dress,
given by him last week, Mr. H. J. Ches-
ley has arranged to have Mr. Poole ex-
hibit to-morrow afternoon for some two
or three hours at the end of South Wharf.
There seems to be a lively interest taken
in this invention by our seafaring and
shipping community.

AYER'S AMERICAN ALMANAC has arriv-
ed, and is now ready for delivery, gratis,
by our druggists, to all who call for it.
Our readers may be surprised to know
that this little pamphlet, which has be-
come so much a favorite in our section,
has quite the largest circulation of any
book in the world, except the Bible.
It is printed in many languages, and se-
cular through many nations, as well as
supplied to almost the entire population
of our own vast domain. Every family
should keep it, for it contains informa-
tion which all are liable to require, when
sickness overtakes them, and which may
prove invaluable from being at hand in
season. If you take our advice, you will
call and get an AYER'S ALMANAC, and
when got, keep it.

Hampton to the Fero-
Quite an excitement prevailed in this
rural village yesterday, caused by a pa-
gallic encounter between a gentleman
celebrated as the former proprietor of an
extensive hotel there and the proprietor
of a general variety store, which ended
in the defeat of the merchant, who, by
the way, seems better at strutting than his
antagonist. The youths celebrated this
bloody victory by a salute of fire-
crackers last night, the explosion being
framed, it is presumed, by the success-
ful champion.

City Police Court.
John McCallin, 15 years, was up yester-
day for kicking a smaller boy, and fined
\$4.
Mr. McAvity presided this morning,
and had only three, all drunk, to sit in
judgment on. These were Patrick Con-
nell, John Mallin and George Madden,
and they pleaded guilty and were fined \$4
each, Connel and Mallin paying over the
amount at once.

Mr. C. Szaszow begs to intimate to
Saint John epicures that he has engaged
one of the best and most skillful cooks to
be had from Boston, and he is now pre-
pared to furnish breakfasts, dinners and
suppers in the highest style of the culi-
nary art. The public are respectfully in-
vited to call and try his skill, at the Vic-
toria Dining Saloon, No. 8 Germania street
(opposite C. entry Market.)

Remnants.
Jas. Demerille et al vs. R. M. Dixon-
Harrison & Burbridge.
F. T. C. Burpee vs. Collins—do.
NEW DOCKET.
John Walsh vs. Peter O'Hare—W. Jack.
Jas. Anderson vs. E. O. Hughes—D. S.
Kerr.
Hugh Ryan vs. D. McNamara—C. Do-
berly.
Chas. A. Turner vs. R. K. Clements et al
—N. Skinner.
John A. Wright vs. John Ford—J. A.
Wright.
William Colter vs. Jos. Lordly—Forbes
& Sinnott.
J. M. Royler vs. James S. Fowler—H.
C. Macdonough.
Robert Fair vs. James Kirkpatrick—
Harrison & Burbridge.
Timothy Burk et al vs. R. A. Cook—
R. J. Ritchie.
John B. Lorimer vs. Silas W. Dickson—
Pugley, Crawford & Pugley.
Benjamin Miller vs. James Wilson, Jr.—
A. W. Balfour.
M. McDonald vs. G. H. Shannon—M.
McDonald.
John Jones et al vs. Charles Norman—
C. Doberly.
A. C. Fairweather, assignee, vs. James
Taylor—Harrison & Burbridge.
Wm. Dunlap et al vs. W. Wortman—M. C.
Donald.
C. Spencer vs. Lockley—Pugley, Craw-
ford & Pugley.
Richard Cripps vs. R. Houch—S. R.
Wright.
John A. Wright vs. Jos. Armour—J. A.
Wright.

In the case of the Queen vs. Reuben
White the Grand Jury found a true bill
and was dismissed until Monday next at
10.30 p. m.
The case of Wright vs. Ford is put off
until next Court.

The first case tried was an assessment
case of Mont. McDonald vs. Geo. H.
Shannon. M. McDonald and R. E. Wel-
don for plaintiff. Verdict for plaintiff of
\$80.

Court adjourned until 2 p. m., when
the case of Welsh vs. O'Hare was taken
up.

The Street Cars.
The street cars are in a very dilapidat-
ed condition. Half the windows and
panels are broken out of some of the
cars, and the dust drives in and whirled
around the cars sufficient to blind the
passengers so that they can hardly tell
where they should stop. The doors are
left open at each end, and the drivers
take no pains to keep them shut. If the
cars are not soon repaired, some of them
will certainly fall to pieces on the road.

Shipping News.
Schooner Pioneer.—This schooner has
been granted by the order of the Customs
Department at Ottawa, a special clear-
ance to proceed to Parrboro, N. S., for
repairs. She is now without a certificate
of registry and will require to be regis-
tered anew, thoroughly repaired and
made seaworthy, before again proceeding
to sea.

There was not a very large attendance
at the Merchants Exchange to-day. Sev-
eral ladies called and admired the or-
namented carriages for comfort, but did not
order or bid for lumber.

Chief Cummings, of the St. Catharines
police force, has missed his vacation.
Nature intended him for a mule-driver on
the Welland Canal, but by some means he
got himself appointed head of a police
force, and moved away from Toronto with
a very disagreeable result. His latest
effort is an attempt to gag the press, if we
may believe on St. Kitt's *confrere*, by
issuing the following case:—"Any con-
stantly giving any information whatever
to any reporter of the *Daily News* is liable
to be summarily dismissed from the force."
It is necessary that people should be
thrown into the canal and covered with
mud, we know where to find a very good
subject.—Toronto *Star*.

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