HIS DILEMMA.

Something in Jethro Starr's face atof "The State versus Thomas Masson." The judge went directly to his rooms, and Mrs. Grimsby heard the key click in the lock—an unusual occurance, as he seldom locked himself in before he was ready to retire for the night.

It was a case which had attracted a good deal of interest, not only in Danvers, but throughout the surrounding country, and court-house had been packed with an the interested crowd. Indeed, it was the first murder case Danvers had had in ten years, and the circumstances surrounding the crime were of such a nature as to excite old and young.

A cooler-headed judge than Jethro Starr never sat on the bench, and all had remarked his impartiality in the rulings he had been compelled to make during the short process of the trial. This was the more noticeable because he was well acquainted with the prisoner, and the murdered man had been almost as well known

Danvers was a town in the mining region, and boasted of a number of quartz mills, besides a dozen large mines which yielded well. Judge Starr had a few shares in the best of the latter, and it was well known that he was not on the bench for the small salary to be derived from that source, but because he inclined to judicial matters, and had been bred to the law under a lifthe testimony is favorable to acquittal he clutched the table. revered father.

"The man was sharper than I imagined," said Jethro Starr aloud, as he went to the window and, drawing the curtains aside, looked down into the main street upon some waggons loaded with quartz going to the mills. "They tailed to trip him, and if Battersy doesn't do better than that tomorrow, I'm afraid his cause is hopeless."

Yes, the shrewdest criminal lawyer in the county, Theodoric Battersy, had failed to trip the main witness for the prosecution, and the judge saw that unless this man's testimony was broken, the prisoner at the bar could not escape the halter.

"Shall I send you up your tea, sir?" said a voice, and the tall, handsome man at the window, with a last look at the quartz waggons, turned to the door and requested that his tea be sent up, and with it the evening paper, it it had come round. bench in his behalf. She watched Nolan which bound him, and having given back to grey in places.

"She didn't appear to take much notice man who came between us." of him to-day," he went on. "I can't fathshe say in the letter ?"

He unlocked a desk that filled one corn- Jethro Starr. er of his bachelor abode, and after a little The life of Tom Masson, his rival, was in "Ah, you may well say it is tough work," which he selected with a smile. Leaning for he had seen the effect of the rvidence to the light which he had turned on, he on the jury, and knew that it would not of other equally rough-and-ready cattle pulled a letter from a small envelope and take much in the coming charge to make drovers, in unloading a shipload of Texan

ently expect. Your offer has been considered from every standpoint, and I have to side would destroy Dick Nolan's testimony, tell you that I cannot become your wife. Let us continue to be friends, and when we meet, as meet we must, let our hands not refuse to touch in the grasp of true friend-

"Rather formal, and to some extent sarcastic," muttered Jethro Starr. "Friends! Yes, that is the same old story; but it served her purpose well. No, I don't think she showed her preference to-day, for I watched her as carefully as I could. She looked at the prisoner several times, and when he turned his eyes towards her she seemed to turn away. Still"—he took a long breath—"still, I think if he were out of the way this letter might be recalled, and I would get another hearing."

At this juncture the tea came along, with the newspaper, and when both had been Grimsby tripped out of the room, leaving him to his supper and meditations.

"Dick was a bad witness for them. I trip Dick to-morrow it will be all up with jury Masson, and then---"

The judge leaned forward to look at a paragraph which had caught his eye, and the last sentence was not completed. He slippers, was about to take up the paper she did not feel strong enough to witness for a full perusal, when he heard a knock the last scenes of the exciting trial. at the door.

"A lady wants to see you, sir," said the voice of Mrs. Grimsby, who was supposed by some people to have designs on the

judge. "A lady?"

"Miss Sessions, I believe it is." not loud enough to be heard by the sharp ears at the door. "In the name of Heaven, what brings her here, with this trial going

Then he told Mrs. Grimsby to show his visitor up, and setting back in his chair he waited for her to cross the threshold. Presently the footsteps announced the coming of someone, and the next moment a woman of imposing presence entered the room. She came forward, with her deep black eyes fixed on the judge, and when he rose to meet her, extending his hand in greeting, fore him.'

he thought he saw a flush suffuse her face. Hester Sessions went directly to the business which had called her to the judge's room. Taking the chair to which the judicial hand had waved her, she said in the soft,, sweet voice which he had always

admired :-

told the truth to-day?" Jethro Starr fell back and locked at the woman in amazement. She did not seem to realize to whom she was talking. Such

circumstanes was startling, and affected

interest." he said, firmly but with gentleness. "You | was scathing. seem to torget my position. I am on the Those who saw Jethro Starr descend bench, and I cannot listen to you, how- from his seat and put on his overcoat ever much I would like to under other | noticed that his hands trembled and his lips

circumstances." BTE "But you can give me some encourage- to when he passed from the court-house, ment. You can say what you think of the and, telling the sheriff to notify him when testimony of the man who fought Battersy | the jury came in, he passed out into the with the spirit of the Evil One. Will it | shades of evening and vanished. have very great bearing on the jury as The jury came in after an hour's deliber-

send him to the gallows ?"

Judge Starr arose and waved his hand in a manner which showed how keen was take up the next one early in the morning, tracted his housekeeper when he came home the torment to which he was subjected. at the close of the second day of the case All was out now. Hester Sessions had unburdened to him all the secrets of her heart. She loved Tom Masson, the prisoner at the bar, and this man was his bitter rival, whom nothing but death could re-

> Hester looked up at the man standing over her, but did not realize the situation. It never occurred to her that all that day Judge Starr had watched her while she listened to the trial, and that he had even wondered whether she would become his charged with murdering his partner at the

dead hour of that November night. "Everything rests with you," said Hester, rising at last and facing him. "They tell me that everything depends on your charge to the jury. If you incline to the side of justice, it you hint that the evidence | it. The light of the fire in the grate showgiven by Dick Nolan is unreliable, Tom | ed Jethro Starr's face, and Hester, coming Masson will be acquitted. If, on the other | forward, stopped and looked at it with a hand, you tell them that -

"For Heaven's sake, Hester, don't proceed!" broke in Judge Starr, catching her hands. "I am not the only person occupying this house. Let me lead you to the door, and let us hope that all will come out well in the end."

"But you give me no hope." "You don't realize what you are doing. I am the judge, and am sworn to do my

will be acquitted." She stood before him a moment longer, looking him in the face as she saw it in the heard her on the stairs, and went to the | ing at Hester, said, calmly :window to catch a glimpse of her figure as it emerged from the house and lost itself on him walking the floor last night. He acted the street below.

chair. He leaned forward, and with his elbows on his knees, covered his face with his hands. By-and-by Mrs. Grimsby stole up and looked in at the half-open door, but | battle of life and love. He knew that when shaking her head ominously, withdrew without disturbing him.

"I feared so," said the voice of the judge. "She could not conceal it, and she comes Then he sat down and ran his fingers like a hawk-I saw that—and she wants Hester Sessions, he went home to die in When their carcases were heaved overboard Three Brooks, N. S., May 7, John Murray, 67. through his hair, just beginning to turn me to brush aside the strongest evidence his chair alone, and to carry into the "dark the State relies on and help to acquit the beyond" the true history of his terrible

A strange laugh came through the hands om that woman. Let me see. What did that shaded his tace, and when he looked up there was a singular look in the eyes of Experiences of Men Who Cross the Ocean

search took out a packet of papers, one of his hands. There was no doubt of this, that testimony gospel truth in their minds. "I cannot give you the answer you evid- And such was the confidence of the twelve men in him that a word or two on the other and perhaps save the neck in jeopardy.

> had seen Tom Masson coming from the live beet is nothing to hanker after at the o'clock the night of the crime. The prisoner had denied this; said he had been there earlier in the evening; that he and his partner had quarrelled, but not seriously, and that he had no reason to take his sixteen days doing it. life. Still, there had been a murder, and his partner was the victim.

But for Dick Nolan's testimony, corroborated in a certain manner by two other men, the man on trial for his life would not stand in the shadow of the gallows; but as decidedly so, it the judge's charge was not the animals in their pens.

Mrs. Grimsby said afterwards that a light deposited at the judge's right hand, Mrs. burned nearly all that night in Jethro enough, but had not been brought up to Starr's room. She was up and down with that sort of work; but, being out of employa-sick child, and sometimes she thought she heard the judge walking the floor, somedid not expect to see him meet Battersy so thing unusual with him; but she didn't well. He was armed for every thrust, and think much about it when she reflected he Theodoric showed that he came out of the had a great case on his mind, and that the fight with drooping plumes. If they don't next day he was expecting to charge the sent."

The concluding day of the trial of Tom Masson for murder was a repition of preceding ones. The place occupied by Hester Sessions, however, was vacant, the woman had sent the remains of his light supper absenting herself from the court, as if she | the exception of a small space in the cendownstairs, and, clad in smoking gown and | believed that Tom was doomed, and that | tre set apart for the drovers' quarters and

Battersy, with all his bullying and acumen in cross-examination, failed to destroy the Starr, paler than usual, showing the effects | through openings in the sides of the vessel, ot a sleepless night, watched the old lawyer's effort in behalf of his client, and then settled back for his own part of the play. "Hester?" exclaimed Judge Starr, but His voice, a little tremelous at first, grew stronger as he proceeded. It was not long before he had the undivided attention of the crowded court-room, and as he proceeded, keeping close to the law of the case, the jury became deeply interested, and Battersy opened his eyes.

"Heavens he is talking for Masson," said the old lawyer, under his breath. "He is pleading Tom's case better than I did. fright, and with their long sharp horns could I wish Hester could hear him. What's got into the judge? He never showed his feelings like this since I began to practice be-

Dick Nolan, who had remained to "see the thing through," as he said, leaned towards the prosecuting counsel and said something which caused that brilliant young man to shake his head, but not to take his

eyes from Judge Starr. "Judge, do you believe Dick Nolan rate," said Nolan. "I'm blessed if he doesn't think I'm the prisoner at the bar, and not the principal witness for the State.'

The charge lasted nearly one hour, and never before in the history of the courts of for us, while we are feeding the cattle. a question put to him under prevailing Danvers had the law and the evidence been compressed hay is used for this purpose, so dissected from the bench. When Judge and although the trusses are only about Starr ended it was seen what the verdict of the size of an ordinary portmanteau, when "I saw you watching the witness all the the jury would be. There could be but the iron wires which compress them are time, and the cross-examination seemed to one verdict after such a charge. It was not be followed by you with a good deal of so much favourable to the prisoner as an for half a dozen beasts. arraignment of Dick Nolan and those who

against the prisoner? Will Dick Nolan ation with a verdict of acquittal. This was WILL YOU heralded all over Danvers, and the judge, after dismissing the case and promising to

> went back home again. He stood at the window, and for a few moments looked down upon the groups that discussed everywhere the verdict, and knew that all attributed it to his charge. Mrs. Grimsby placed his tea-tray on the table, and left him still at the window.

By-and-by-it was nearly two hours after the trial-a woman came to Mrs. Grimsby's door, and, without knocking, passed in and ran upstairs. It was Hester Sessions.

"I must thank him, no matter what he says," she said. "I must tell Judge Starr wife if the law choked to death the man | that I am his friend as long as I live, for Tom and I owe him a life. He did it. It was his charge; they all say that. God bless the man who turned the tide in favor of life and love!"

> Hester was at the door of the judge's room, and the following moment had opened sudden stare.

"You will hear me this time, judge," she said. "I couldn't remain away after what has happened. I owe you the deepest gratitude-the warmest thanks of the woman who will soon be the wife of the man your courage saved. I-

The man in the arm-chair had not moved. There was no sign that he had even heard her. Hester stooped over the face and

There was no mistaking the meaning of that white countenance, and the staring look into the fire. She had seen the dead beglow of his fire, then broke from his hands fore, but never a judge dead in his armand fairly dashed from the room. He chair. Mrs. Grimsby came up, and, look-

A.T.8 just like a man who halted between two For some time Jethro Starr seemed opinions. He seemed to be in a dilemma another person when he went back to his of some kind, and, poor man, I guess he

> "Hester said nothing. Jethro Starr had he leaned to the side of mercy and innocence he was for ever losing all hopes of marrying the only woman he ever wor-shipped, and with the life of his bitter rival dilemma.

LIFE ON A CATTLE SHIP.

With Live Stock. said a man busily engaged, with a number steers at one of the docks used especially for the foreign cattle trade. "But this is nothing to what we sometimes have to put up with on board," he went on. "Coming And what was Nolan's testimony? He accross the 'herring pond' with a cargo of dead man's house between eleven and twelve best of times, and in rough weather it's something not to be forgotten in a hurry.

"How long does it take us? Well, the voyage generally runs ten or twelve days, but this time, owing to the gales, we were

"This is my fitth trip; and I suppose I ought to be getting used to it, but I am not. You see, from the time the cattle are shipped until we land them we don't get much rest, even in fine weather, and if a gale happens to spring up, all handsit was, the chances were against him, and that is all the drovers—are wanted to keep

"I shall always remember my first turn at this line. I was young and strong ment, it was a case of either taking to this work or starving.

"It you like I'll show you over the vessel, and tell you something about our work on board. I've finished now for the pre-

The writer gladly excepted the offer, and was in due course taken down into the cattle quarters to see what accommodation was provided for the beasts.

The whole of the ship's steerage, with cooks galley, was divided off into rows of narrow pens by strong horizontal planks.

"You see," went on my informant, "when we ship our cargo the pens are so arranged effect of Dick Nolan's testimony. Judge that the cattle may be quickly taken aboard being shipped direct from the cattle-market tenders. It is very exciting work just at that time, for some of the steers are awkward customers to deal with. Armed with stout sticks we stand waiting for the beasts (as, goaded behind by the sticks and shouting of the market drovers, they come bounding over the gangway), endeavouring to guide them into the pens prepared for their reception.

"This tries a man's nerve, I can tell you, for some of the animals are half mad with easily settle one of us if half a chance was given them.

"Later on, when the animals have quieted down a bit, we have to go into all the pens, knock up the side plank, and divide off the cattle. This is dangerons work, for the animals often charge us.

I remember on my first voyage that three of them leaped clean over the barrier, and careered about the vessel in all directions "They'll arrest me if he keeps on at that | for half an hour or so before they could be satisfactorily secured and during the melee one of my mates was killed.

"When they are penned all safe, one of the hands is told off to get supper ready cut away each truss is found to be sufficient

"This done, and water given them, we "Hester, I cannot discuss these things," had corroborated him. In this respect it have to conform to the general rules and, under the direction of the 'cattle boss' or foreman, we are divided into 'watches,' just after the manner of seamen.

"There is this drawback with the watches: were almost bloodless. He was not spoken | that, by the arrangement a man can only get his eight hours' sleep at night by two instalments, consequently ocean cattle drovers seldom undress themselves from the beginning to the end of the voyage. "The cattle are fed and watered three

kindly read the following letters, which I think will give you a fair idea of the way

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times a day as a rule, and we all have to take our turn at the work at stated times.

"In the matter of food we are somewhat better off than an ordinary sailor, always having enough and to spare. Breakfast generally consists of 'lobscouse'- which would be called Irish stew, perhaps, on Dartmouth, May 15, Neil Stewart, 36. shore—and coffee; for dinner the usual Canning, N. S., May 3, Henry Cain 18. supply was meat, potatoes and bread, with Oakville, N. B., May 10, John Bell, 44.

'plum duff' as an 'extra.' "Our worst time is during bad weather, especially if any heavy seas are shipped. St. John, May 16, William McKinney, 65. Drenched through and through and perhaps Rawdon, N. S. May 3., Thomas Moxon, 78. bitterly cold, it is no joke to be amongst Avonport, N. S., May 6, John W. Taylor 64. the affrighted animals for four hours at a Lewis Mills, N. S., May 7, David Lewis 65. "Hester said nothing. Jethro Starr had fought all alone, and like a strong man, the to break loose with each roll of the vessel New Ross, N. S., May 6, Thomas Keddy 97. being only equalled by the excitement and | Liverpool, N. S., May 6, Charles Spanks 65. danger of promptly coping with those that | Halifax, May 13, John McDougal Fisher, 37.

do manage to break away. "The longest time I have been on the voyage was twenty days," he concluded. "It was exceptionally rough, and we lost eight head of cattle during the storm. the sharks were soon on the spot, and gave | Hopewell Cape, N. B., May 14, Marvin Cole, 70. us a very good idea of what our own fate | Little Brook, N. S. May 8, Ambroise Comeau 64. would be if anything happened to the vessel."

To Make Sure.

Baron Franchetti sent his servant Theo- | Centerville, May 4, of pneumonia James Grover 51. dore to the railway station to find out at | Springfield, N. S., April 30, Donald MacAulay \$3. what time the last train for Naples departed. | Port Elgin, May 7, Annie, wife of James Welsh 2 After three hours absence the man returned. "You've been away half a generation," said the baron. "What has detained you?" "It has taken some time" said Theodore. 'I could not believe those people at the station, so I waited to see for myself at what time the train left?"

BORN.

Truro, May 9, to the wife of James Archibald, a son. Halifax, May 7, the wife of R. J. Sweet a daughter. Digby, April 28, to the wife of H. A. P. Smith a son. Sydney, C. B., May 11, to the wife of W. Crowe, a

Halifax, May 8, to the wife of A. J. King, a Halifax, May 11, to the wife of Capt. C. E. Page, a

Truro, N. S., May 5, to the wife of C. E. Brown, a Dartmouth, May 10, to the wife of W. J. Hutchins

New Glasgow, May 10, to the wife of Williams Ross Meiklefield, N. S., May 11, to the wife of David Mc

New Glasgow, N. S., May 7, to the wife of J. Stan-Junenburg, May 3, to the wife of James Swineham

Stellarton, N. S., May 5, to the wife of Wm. George Middle Sackville, May 6, to the wife of Andre Boulardie, C. B., May 2, to the wife of Rod Mitch

Charlottetown, P. E. I., May 6 to the wife of H. C Connolly a daughter. Wolfville, N. S., May 12, to the wife of Rev. Mr Gronlund, a daughter. Sheet Harbor, N. S., May 6 to the wife of Rev. S

Rosborough a daughter. Grand Harbor, Grand Manan, April 30, to the wife of Justin Brown a daughter. Grand Harbor, Grand Manan, April 30, to the wife of Stephen Huntly a daughter.

MARRIED.

St. John, May 16, by Rev. W. O. Raymond, James Love to Mary Hunt. Falmouth, May 1, by Rev. Jos. Murray, Robert Gray to Minnie Gola.

St. John, May 12, by Rev. J. H. Saunders, W. T. Morrell to May Ring. Halifax, May 10, by Rev. Father Moriarty, William Martin to Irene Gray.

Milltown, April 26, by Rev. F. S. Todd, Van B. Carll to Emma McRae. Windsor, May 4, by Rev. J. S. Coffin. Wilbur Aker to Laura S. Blinkhorn. Windsor, May 6, by Rev. C. B. Moore, George

Brison to Jane Gibson Parrsboro, N. S., May 3, E. M. Dill, Thomas Welton to Jane McAloney. Kennetcook, May 2, by Rev. D. Fraser, Adam Mc-

Keswick, N. B., May 3, by Rev. S. Syke, Alexander Parrsboro, May 8, by Rev. W. H. Evans, Albert Morris to Annie Bennett. St. John, May 15, by Rev. W. O. Raymond, John Till to Augusta Hayward.

St. John, May 16, by Jev. J. W. Clarke, Perley Day to Margaret Gimonie. St. Davids, N. B., May 4, by Rev. Thos. Allen, Rufus Dean to Sadie Clark. Windsor, May 4, by the Rev. J. S. Coffin, William Mosher to Damaris Blinkhorn.

Gaspereau, April 26, by Rev. M. P. Freeman, Edgar Porter to Marella Fitzgerald. Sterling, N. S., May 4, by Rev. J. M. Grey, Dr. H. J. Meiklejohn to Alice Burnet. Parrsboro, N. S., May 10, by Rev. E. M. Dill, River Herbert, N. S., May 8, by Rev. J. M. Parker, Gordon Fullerton to Annie Groer.

Gilbert Mountain, N. S., May, 5, by Rev. J. Astbury, Sidney Baird to Frances Wotton. Isaac's Harbor, N. S., May 9, by Rev. David Price, George Giffin to Mrs. Rachel Bezanson. Indiantown, St. John, N. B., May 10, by Rev. J. M. Halse, Ransford Mason to Jessie Griffith.

Upper Haynesville, N. B., May 1, by Rev. W. E. Johnson, Charles Sherwood, to Susan Jones. Wood's Harbor, N. S. May 6, by Elder William Halliday, William Garron to Annie Stoddart. Rockland, N. B., May 9, by Rev. A. H. Hayward, John Stephenson to Georgieanna Estabrooks. Knoxford, Carleton Co. N. B., May 8, by Rev. H. A. Charlton, Eliphelet Laurence to Hannah Esty.

North West Harbor, N. S. May 10, by Rev. D. Far-quhar, Lewis A. McLean to Angennetta Kelley. Charlottetown, P. E. I., May 8, by Bishop McDon-ald and Rev. D. B. Reid, M. F. Coughan to

Gordon son of R. T. and Jessie Johnson 9

DIED.

Halifax, May 4, Michael Veale, 57. St. John, May 14, Thomas Bradley. Alma, May 4, William McKinley 62. Medford, May 1, James Lombard 65. Canaan, N. S., May 9, John Bishop 53. Preston, N. S., May 10, Peter Downey 69. Moser River, N. S., May 3, George P. Moser. Kingsclear, N. B., May 11, W. B. Kilborn 61. Merigonish, N. S., May 4, Duncan Huggan 87. Loganville, N. S., May S., Andrew Murray, 41. Andover, N. B. May 1, Edward Miller Hoy 82t. Mount Pleasant, April 30, Mary Handspiker 19. Osborne, N. S., May 8, Alexander McDonald 54. Butternut Ridge, N. B. May 7, Mary McPhail, 92. Brookville, N. S., May 7, Mrs. Matthew Carr, 60. Mill Village, N. S., May 10, William T. Sawyer 67. Black River, N. S., May 9, Roderick McKenzie 95. Hillsbore, May 1, the wife of Capt. Andrew Stewart. Westport, April 27, of consumption James Gower. Lower Econony, N.S., May 7, Thomas Graham 78. Leonardville, Deer Island, April 29 Addie Cater 18. Kentville, May 3, of pneumonia, William Eaton, 69.

Baccaro, N. S., May 8, of pneumonia George Show Dartmouth, May 11, Bessie. wife of Charles Weeks Shubenacadie, Alice Nelson widow of James Parker St. John May 11, Catherine, wife of William O'Brien

Vernon River, P. E. 1., May 9. Malcolm RcRae, 90.

St. Stephen, May 5, Nellie wife of Philip McKeon Amherst, N. S., May 5, Mary, wife of Edgar Mason Lincoln, York Co., N. B., May 15, Michael Rowan,

Medford, N. S., May 4, of consumption Jacob Park St. John, May 15, Margaret, wife of William Gray,

Amherst, N. S., May 13, Helen, wife of A. D. Deer Island, April 28, Eddie son of John Olson 4 Waterville, N. S. May 5, of consumption J. Cramp

East River, N. S , May 6, Ruth, wife of late Samuel Pennfield, N B., May 11, Jane, wife of late Isaac Gay's River, N. S., May 7, Alma, wife of Thomas

St. John, May 10, Fred J. Son of Isaac and Mary Lower Alma, N. S., May 9, Hannah, wife of late Fredericton, May 12, Margaret Drury, wife of Sir Hopewell Hill, N. B., May 7, Mary wife of Capt. P

Killen 19.

Preston, N. S., May 9, George, son of late James Preston, N. S., May 9, George, son of the late James Wellman 28. Wood Point, West. Co., N. B., May 12, Simon

Grand Manan, April 29, Nellie daughter of Benjamin Potter 1 year. Round Hill, N. S., May 9, the infant son of Dr West Tatamagouche, N. S., May 7, of consumption Jacob Mattatall St. Margarets Bay, N. S., April 25, John, son of Jer-Lakelands, N. S., April 27, Guy, son of Owen and

Midland, Kings Co., N. B., May 6, Jane, wife of late Petersviile, N. B., May 8, Frances, wife of late George Dunn, 77. Halifax, May 10, infant son of William and Lilly Cal-

Robinsonville, N. B., May 5, Elizabeth, wife of Nelson Moores, 31 Halifax, May 15, Johanna, daughter of Michael and late Mary Hoare, 26. Waterville. N. B., May 6, Sarah, daughter of John and Jennie Ferguson

Vanceboro, Me, May 9, of heart failure, Sarah, wife of C. H. Kingston, 40. Moncton, May 11, Auley G. son of Jos. E. and Jen-St. John, North end, May 11, Thomas son of Thomas and Mary Nash, 28 New York, May 12, Thomas D. B. Dimock, M. D., formerly of Truro, N. S.

Clark's Cove, Chatham, N. B., May 9, Elizabeth wife of R. W. Ready 56. St. John, May 9, by Rev. W. J. Halse, Robert Moore to Mary E. Taylor. Petitodiac, May 7, by Rev. A. Mc Niritch, Oscar Graves to Alice G. Steeves.

Chatham, May 12, George Allan son of James and Christina Jehnson 7 months. Liverpool, N. S., May 8, James Harris son of Joseph Bay du Vine, May 1, Margaret Morrison, wife of late Alexander McDonald 83.

Grand Harbor, Grand Manan, May 2, infant daught-St. John, May 11, Ellen Ethel, daughter of Henry J. and Margaret Sullivan 20 months. Grove Hill, N. B., May 15, of scarlet fever, Elliot son of Robert and Emily McGowan, 19.

Waverley, N.S., May 2, of teonsumption, Carrie, daughter of A. J. and M. A. Crosby, 21. Bellisle Creek, Kings Co, N. B., May 7, of pneu-monia, Lucy, wife of Hiram Brittain, 58. St. John, May 16, George Patrick, son of Dennis and Norah McCarthy, 2 years and 3 months. Henderson Settlement, May 8, of consumption, Sadie, daughter of John and Lizzie Huggard, 16.

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Winter Arrangement. On and after Thursday, Jan. 5th, 1893, trains will run daily (Sunday excepted) as follows: LEAVE YARMOUTH—Express daily at 8.10 a.

12.10 p. m; Passengers and Freight Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 12.00 noon; arrive at Annapolis at 5.25 p. m.

at 5.25 p. m. LEAVE ANNAPOLIS—Express daily at 12.25 p. 4.55 p.m.; Passengers and Freight Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday at 7.30 a.m.; arrive at Yarmouth 12.50 p.m.

CONNECTIONS—At Annapolis with trains of way. At Digby with City of Monticello for St. John every Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday, and from St. John every Monday, Wednesday and Friday. At Yarmouth with steamers of Yarmouth Steamship Co. for Boston every Wednesday and Saturday evenings; and from Boston every Wednesday and Saturday evenings. With Stage daily (Sunday excepted) to and from Barrington, Shelburne and Liverpool.

Through tickets may be obtained at 126 Hollie St. Through tickets may be obtained at 126 Hollis St., Halifax, and the principal Stations on the Windsor and Annapolis Railway.

J. BRIGNELL. J. BRIGNELL, General Superintendent.

1892-WINTER ARRANGEMENT-1893.

On and after Monday, the 17th day of Oct., 1892, the Trains of this Railway will run daily--Sunday excepted -- as follows:

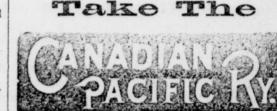
TRAINS WILL LEAVE ST. JOHN:

Express for Campbellton, Pugwash, Pictou and Halifax..... 7.00 Express for Halifax..... 13.30 Express for Sussex...... 16.30 Through Express for Point du Chene, Quebec, Montreal and Chicago...... 16.55.

A Parlor Car runs each way on Express trains leaving St. John at 7.00 o'clock and Halifax at 7.00 o'clock. Passengers from St. John for Quebec and Mon-treal take through Sleeping Cars at Moncton, at

TRAINS WILL ARRIVE AT ST. JOHN: Express from Sussex..... 8.25 Express from Chicago, Montreal, Quebec, (Monday excepted)...... 10.25 Express from Point du Chene and Moncton 10.25 Express from Halifax, Pictou and Camp bellton....

Express from Halifax and Sydney...... 22.30



WORLD'S COLUMBIAN **EXPOSITION**

at CHICAGO. Excursion tickets will be on sale commencing April 25th, good for 30 days from date sold and for stop over at points in Canada or at Betroit Mich. Rate from St. John and all points on At-

\$30.00 each. Further particulars, time tables &c., at Ticket

Office, Chubbs' Corner or at Station. A pamphlet entitled "Homes for Visitors to the World's Fair" on sale at office Chubb's Corner.

Price 50c.

STEAMER CLIFTON

will leave her wharf at Indiantown Monday, Wednesday and Saturday afternoons at 4 o'clock for Chapel Grove, Moss Glen,

Clifton, Reed's Point, Murphy's Landing, Hampton

and other points on the river. Will leave Hampton

Three Trips a Week,

Wharf the same days at 5.30 a. m. for St. John and intervening points. R. G. EARLE, Captain. INTERNATIONAL S. S. CO.



ON AND AFTER APRIL 17th, and until further notice, the steamers of this Company will leave St. John for Eastport, Portland and Boston every MONDAY, WEDNESDAY and FRI-DAY morning at 7.25 stan-Returning, will leave Bos-

ton same days, at 8 30 a. m. for Eastport and St. John.

The On Wednesday trip the steamer will not call at Portland. Connections made at Eastport with steamer for Et.

Andrews, Calais and St. Stephen.

Freight received daily up to 5 p. m.

C. E. LAECHLER, Agent.