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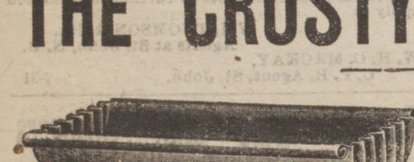

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TWO STEAMERS COLLIDE.

THE NEPTUNE RUNS INTO THE SCANDINAVIAN.

The Former Pretty Badly Damaged, but the Allan Liner Escapes with Slight Damage—Dense Fog in the Lower St. Lawrence.

QUEBEC, Aug. 13.

The steamship Neptune, which sailed from here Tuesday night with a lumber cargo, returned to port last night and reported having collided with the Allan line steamer Scandinavian, Capt. McAdam, which left here Tuesday bound for Glasgow. The collision took place yesterday morning in the lower Traverse during a heavy fog. The Neptune was proceeding through the channel at a very low speed and had run down about three-quarters of the distance of the channel when the lookout men reported a bell off the starboard bow, this indicating a vessel at anchor, and the Neptune's course was altered to port, and a vessel of the Black Diamond line lying at anchor was passed. Another bell again off the starboard bow was reported, and Pilot Godbout ordered the helm to be put a starboard, but before the vessel had gone fifty feet a steamer's bow appeared about the starboard forerigging of the Neptune. It was the Scandinavian riding with two anchors out. The engines of the Neptune were put full speed astern when the vessel was sighted, but her speed could not be slackened in time to avoid a collision. The Neptune has a cut fully fifteen feet wide and extending below the water line. The collision was so heavy that it caused the port side opposite the cut to bulge out about six or eight feet. The Scandinavian appears not to have sustained any damage beyond forcing the windlass out of its bearings and when the weather cleared she proceeded on her voyage. Dense fog has prevailed almost continuously on the lower St. Lawrence for several days. River boats are all delayed by it.

TERRIBLE FLOODS.

Loss of Life and Destruction of Property in India.

LONDON, Aug. 14.

A despatch from Bombay to a news agency says that terrible floods have occured through the overflowing of the river Kisna. The damage to property is immense and thousands of persons have been rendered homeless, their houses having been swept away. Two hundred persons were drowned by the sinking of a boat at Tatara.

THE LAKE ONTARIO

To Be Temporarily Repaired at Montreal.

The injuries which the steamship Lake Ontario, of the Beaver Line, received in the collision with the Vancouver are to be temporarily repaired in Montreal. As all the damage which she sustained is above the water line, it is not thought that any great trouble will be experienced in making the vessel entirely seaworthy, though, as one gentleman expressed it, she won't be exactly pretty. Upon her arrival at Liverpool the vessel will undergo a thorough overhauling. It is expected to get her away on the regular advertised date, which is August 19.

When and where the accident will be investigated has not yet been decided upon. It is under the jurisdiction of the Admiralty Courts of Quebec and Liverpool, and the hearing can be held in either place. It is altogether likely, however, that it will take place at Quebec, with Judge Irvine presiding.

HUMAN BONES FOUND.

A Ghastly Discovery of Skulls and Other Remains May Explain Bessie Clark's Fate.

HUNTINGTON, W. Va., Aug. 12.

The bones of two and possibly three human skeletons were found this morning in Wayne county, twenty miles south of this city, under the floor of an old log house. Part of them are supposed to be those of Miss Bessie Clark, a young woman who disappeared about five years ago. Another part are thought to be those of a pedlar who disappeared in the same locality afterward.

The house, which is now deserted, was until recently occupied by Cove Jordan, and the girl was living in the house when she disappeared. Jordan now lives in Kentucky, and is dying of consumption. The bones were found packed away in lime and charred wood about six feet beneath the surface. Experts say there is no doubt that some of the bones, especially one of the skulls, are those of a young women.

KOREA'S KING ICONOCLASTIC.

He Is Said to Have Demolished Thirty Temples and May Destroy More.

VANCOUVER, B. C., Aug. 12.

Advices from Korea, brought by the steamer Japan, state that an iconoclastic and almost atheistical fever has seized upon the King of Korea, who has issued a royal edict bewailing the amount of money annually squandered upon the worship of idols. His Majesty has already demolished thirty temples in and about Seoul, and pines to destroy more.

It is rumored that millions of yen of ornate temples and idols will be destroyed in the cause of civilization.

HOW A DEAD MAN WON A RACE.

A Marysville, Mo., despatch to the *American Wheelman* reads: In the mile open amateur run here in connection with the bicycle races, William Woelkers, a local crank, won easily under peculiar circumstances, and incidently established a world's record for a quarter of a mile by a corpse.

Woelkers had been troubled with heart disease for some time, and has competed in races against the advice of physicians. To-day he started in the mile open, and, as a time limit of 2.16 was placed on the event, the pace from the shot was fierce. Just before entering the stretch on the last quarter he sprinted and opened up a gap of fully fifty yards between himself and the field. The field noticed that his head suddenly sunk limply on his breast, but the momentum was so great the rider and wheel were carried over the tape an easy winner by two lengths.

He was caught by his trainer and it was then discovered that he was dead. A physician made an examination and said Woelkers was dead at the beginning of the quarter and that he had ridden it after life had become extinct.

The record for a quarter of a mile ridden by a corpse will in all probability stand for some time, as it is not likely that any corpse will make an effort to lower it while the hot weather lasts.

THE WEATHER

WASHINGTON, Aug. 14.—Forecast for New England: Local showers in eastern and southern portions to-day and to-night, followed by fair weather on Saturday; easterly winds, shifting to southerly; warmer in eastern portion Saturday.

METEOROLOGICAL SERVICE OF CANADA.

OBSERVATORY, ST. JOHN, Aug. 14, 1896.

9 A. M. WEATHER REPORTS.

Stations.		Temperature.		Winds.		
	Bar.	9 a.m.	Min.	Dir.	Vel.	Weather
Anticosti	30.14	58	54	N	4 mls	Clear
Chatham	30.18	60	54	E	Calm	Cloudy
Ch'rl'town	30.12	64	56	N	8 mls	Pt cloudy
Sydney	30 10	64	54	NE	8 "	Cloudy
Halifax	30.12	68	62	NE	6 "	"
Yarmouth	30 06	66	62	E	4 "	"
St. John	30.10	66	58	NE	4 "	Pt cloudy
G. Manan	30.10	60	56	NE	10 "	Clearing
Boston	39.06	74	68	E	4 "	Cloudy.

BULLETIN FROM TORONTO.

Probabilities—Light to moderate variable winds and fine weather Not much change in temperature.

Synopsis—Pressure is a little above the average throughout the greater portion of the continent and the weather is generally fine.

Note—Telegraph messages of enquiry regarding the weather, from ports where the morning bulletin is not posted, addressed: "Observatory, St. John," will be answered without delay. Enquiry and answer cost but one rate, which must be paid by the enquirer.

ST. JOHN OBSERVATORY.

The Time Ball on Customs building is hoisted half its elevation at 12.45, full elevation at 12.59, and drops at 1 p. m. local time at the Observatory, equivalent to 5h. 24m. 16s. at Greenwich, and 12h. 24m. 16s. Railway or Standard time of the 75th meridian.

LOCAL WEATHER REPORT AT NOON.

FRIDAY, August 14.

Highest temperature since midnight..........73.
Lowest temperature since midnight..........57.
Temperature at noon..........71.
Humidity at noon..........68.3

Barometer reading at noon (sea level and 32° Fah) 30.12 inches.

Wind at noon — Direction, E; Velocity, 6 miles per hour.

Cloudy and warm this morning, with light northeast and east winds.

D. L. HUTCHINSON, Director.

THE TEMPERATURE TO-DAY.

As recorded at Charles K. Short's Pharmacy, Garden street:

8 a. m.......... 68
12 p. m.......... 78
3 p. m.......... 77

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BORN.

DUFFY—At Hillsboro, July 29, to the wife of Bliss Duffy, a son

DALEY—At Albert, Aug. 11, to the wife of Charles Daley, a son.

HUTCHINSON—At Buctouche, 8th inst., to the wife of J. B. Hutchinson, a daughter.

MILBURN—At Curryville A. Co., July 29, to the wife of Asa Milburn, a son.

WATSON—At Moncton, Aug. 12th, to the wife of W. Watson, a daughter, stillborn.

MARRIED.

CRUIKSHANK-ALLEN—At Bowmanville, Ontario, on 12th August, by the Rev R. D. Fraser, Pastor of St. Paul's Presbyterian Church, Robert Cereno Cruikshank, of St John, N. B., to Marion Louise, fourth daughter of Wm. F. Allen, Esq., Bowmanville.

FURLONG-BARNETT—At Houlton, Aug. 12th, by Parser P. Burleigh, Esq., William Furlong, of Lower Woodstock, N. B., to Lizzie Barnett, of Richmond, N. B.

McGEE-SANFORD—At Ludlow, Me., Aug. 3, by Rev. A R Ingram, Geo. B. McGee, formerly of Brighton, N. B., to Mary E., the daughter of Geo. Sanford, formerly of Fairview, N S.

O'NEILL-CONNELL—At the Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception, on the 12th inst., by the Rev. T. Casey, Phillip M. O'Neill to Agnes, daughter of the late Luke Connell, Esq., all of this city.

DIED.

BRAY—At Hopewell Cape, A. Co., Aug. 5, Hester, daughter of Benj Bray, proprietor of the Albert House, in the fourteenth year of her age.

HANRATTY—On Aug. 13th, Michael, second son of the late Owen and Ann Hanratty.

☞ Funeral from his late residence, 206 Sydney street, at 8 o'clock, on Saturday morning. Requiem Mass at the Church of St. John the Baptist. Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend

KENNEDY—At Halifax, Aug. 12, Brian Kennedy, aged 88 years.

MULLIN—At Fairville, Aug. 13, Edward Mullin, aged 85 years.

☞ Funeral on Saturday morning, Aug 15th, from the residence of his son, Charles Mullin, North street, Fairville, to St. Rose church. Friends and acquaintances are invited to attend.

MERRICK—In this city, on the 13th inst., Alice, daughter of John and Ellen Merrick, aged 10 years and 2 months.

☞ Funeral on Saturday, the 15th inst., at half-past two o'clock, from her father's residence, 28 Brussels street. Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend.

McDERMOTT—At Boston Aug. 10, Hugh A. McDermott, brother of Mr. Don. McDermott, of Richibucto, leaving a widow and one daughter.

SMYTH—Suddenly, at New York, on Tuesday evening, August 11, Patrick Smyth, beloved husband of Mary Smyth.

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Rates of Exchange To-day.

	Buying.	Selling.
London, 60 days	9⅛	9¾ per cent
do., sight	9¼	10 "
New York	¼ dis.	¼ prem.
Boston	¼ dis.	¼ prem.
Montreal	¼ dis.	¼ prem.

The English Markets.

LONDON, Aug. 14—4 p. m.

Consols for money	113⅛
Consols for the account	113¼
Canadian Pacific	58¾
Erie	12⅞
Erie first, preferred	28
Illinois Central	89
Mexican Ordinary	18¾
St. Paul Common	66¼
New York Central	94
Pennsylvania	52
Reading	5
Mexican Central fours	67
Louisville and Nashville	42½
Atchison Common	11⅛

New York Markets.

NEW YORK, Aug. 14.

Money on call 3½ per cent; prime mercantile paper, 6 to 6½; sterling exchange weak, with actual business in bankers' bills at 486¼ to ½ for 60 days, and 487¼ to 487½ for demand; posted rates, 487 and 488½. Commercial bills, 485¼ to 485¾. Clearing house statement; exchanges, $75,259,196; balances, $6,039,043. Bar silver, 67⅝; Mexican dollars, 52¼ to 54.

Flour—Receipts, 16,764 pkgs; sales, 2,500 pkgs; quiet, unchanged

Wheat—Receipts, 94,125 bushels; sales, 670,700 bush; moderately active; steay; ¼c lower, following the west with only a scalping trade.

Corn—Receipts, 74,125 bush; sales, 55,000 bush; quiet, steady.

Oats—Receipts, 97,600 bushels; sales, dull; steady.

Beef—Steady.
Pork—Quiet; steady.
Lard—Quiet; steady.
Butter—Steady; fair demand.
Cheese—Quiet; firm.
Eggs—Steady; dull.
Sugar—Steady; unchanged.

New York Stock Quotations

CHICAGO MARKET REPORT AND NEW YORK COTTON MARKET.

Furnished by D. C. Clinch, Banker and Broker.

ST. JOHN, N. B, Aug 14, 1896.

	Yesterday closing.	To-day opening.	Noon
Am. Cotton Oil	8¾	8¾	....
Am. Tobacco Co	56½	56⅛	56⅜
Am. Sugar Refineries	10½	100¾	102¾
Am. Sugar " Pref'd	....	....	....
Atchison	10⅞	10⅞	11⅛
Chesapeake and Ohio	13	13	....
Chicago Gas	51½	51⅜	52
Cleveland C.C. & St. Louis	23	....	23½
Canadian Pacific	....	....	....
Canada Southern	43¼	....	....
Chicago, B and Quincy	58⅞	58⅜	58⅝
Delaware and Hudson	117½	....	....
Delaware & Lackawana	142	....	....
Denver & Rio Grand, Pf'd	....	....	....
Dist. and Cattle Feeders.	....	....	....
Edison Gen. Elec. Co	24	24	24
Erie	....	....	....
Erie and Western	....	....	13¾
Hocking Valley	....	....	....
Kansas and Texas	....	....	..
Kansas and Texas Prf'd	20	....	20
Jersey Central	92¼	91¾	....
Lake Shore	140	. .	140
Louisville and Nashville	....	41½	41½
Manhattan	74¼	74	75¾
Missouri Pacific	16¾	....	17
National Cordage Co	3⅝	3¾	....
National Lead Co	....	....	....
Nat. Lead Co., Pref'd	81½	....	....
New England	....	....	....
New York Central	92	....	92
North American Co	4⅛	....	....
Northern Pacific	3⅞	9⅛	....
Northern Pacific, Pref'd	11⅝	...	16
North West	91½	91¼	92
Omaha	....	....	....
Ontario and Western	12⅛	....	....
Pacific Mail	18	....	18½
Phila & Reading	10	9⅝	9⅞
Rock Island	53⅝	53⅝	54
St. Paul	64⅜	65¼	64½
Southern Railway	7½	....	..
Southern Railway Prf'd	19	19½	19⅜
Tenn. Coal and Iron	16½	16⅝	16⅝
Texas Pacific	....	....	....
U.S. Leather	....	....	....
U. S. Leather, Preferred	45	45	45¼
Union Pacific	6	....	....
Wabash, Preferred	13⅛	13¼	..
Western Union	77⅝	77⅜	77⅛
Wheeling & Lake Erie	6⅛	6¼	6⅜
W. & Lake Erie, Prf'd	....	....	....

Chicago Market Report.

	Yesterday Closing.	To-day Opening.	To-day noon.
August Corn	22⅜	....	....
" Wheat	54⅝	....	....
" Oats	15⅜	....	....
" Pork	6.40	....	....
" Lard	3.22	....	....
Short Ribs	3 34	....	....
Sept. Corn	22⅞	22⅞	22¾
" Wheat	55¼	55⅛	54¾
" Oats	15⅝	15¾	15⅞
" Pork	6.45	6.35	6 30
" Lard	3.27	3.30	3 25
Short Ribs	3 32	3.37	3 32
Dec. Corn	24	24	24
" Wheat	58¾	58⅝	58¼
" Oats	16⅜	16⅝	..
Jan. Pork	7.02	7.02	7.00
" Lard	3 65	3.70	3 65
Short Ribs	3.50	3.50	3 50
May Corn	27	27	26⅞
" Wheat	63½	63	62⅞
" Oats	19	19	19

New York Cotton Market.

August delivery	7.79	7 87	7.82
Sept. "	7.45	7 53	7 58
Oct. "	7 52	7 64	7 65
Nov. "	7.49	7 60	7 63
Dec. "	7.54	7 63	7.68
Jan. "	7 57	7 64	7 71
Feb. "	7 61	7 69	7 78
March "	7.65	....	7.80
April "	7.69	....	7.83

Sales Yesterday, 213,400 bales.

MINIATURE ALMANAC.

August—Phases of the Moon.

Last Quarter, 1st.......... 2h. 10m. p. m.
New Moon, 9th.......... 0h. 38m. a. m.
First Quarter, 15th.......... 4h. 39m. p. m.
Full Moon, 23rd.......... 2h 40m. a. m.
Last Quarter, 31st.......... 6h. 31m. a. m.

Date.	Day of Week	Day-break	Sun Rises	Sun Sets.	End T'wlt	Moon S'oths	High water a. m.	High water p. m.
Aug.		H. M	H. M	H. M	H. M	H. M.	H. M	H. M.
14	Fri.	2 59	5 07	7 02	9 01	4 46	2 26	2 49
15	Sat.	3 0	5 08	7 01	8 59	5 41	3 11	3 35
16	Sun.	3 03	5 09	6 59	8 57	6 40	3 58	4 26
17	Mon.	3 06	5 10	6 58	8 54	7 39	4 58	5 38
18	Tues.	3 08	5 11	6 56	8 52	8 38	6 25	7 13
19	Wed.	3 10	5 12	6 54	8 50	9 33	8 01	8 43
20	Thur.	3 12	5 13	6 53	8 48	10 26	9 18	9 46

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE.

PORT OF ST. JOHN,
Friday, Aug. 14.

ARRIVED TO-DAY.

Sch Anita, Melene, from New York, coal, Puddington & Merritt.
Sch Frank & Ira, 97, Alcorn, New York.

CLEARED YESTERDAY.

S S Chatfield, 1,904, Pearman, Glasgow.
Stmr State of Maine, 818, Colby, Eastport.

CLEARED TO-DAY.

Bgtn Arbutus, 325, McLeod, Buenos Ayres f o.
Bgt Sirius, 115, King, Boston.

CANADIAN PORTS.

Chatham—Aug Aug 13, bqetn Andreas Weyde, Krebman, Cork; bqe Victoria, Helgesen, Havre.

Halifax—Sld Aug 13, stmr Halifax City, Saint John; Duart Castle, Bermuda, Windward Islands and Demerara.

Hillsboro—Ard Aug 12, sch B C Borden, Hatfield, New York.

Richibucto—Ard Aug 12, bqe Ossuna, Andrews.

River Hebert—Cld Aug 12, bqes Alberts, Parker, and Avola, Martin, Buenos Ayres.

BRITISH PORTS.

Ayr—Ard Aug 10, bqe Sea, Andreasen, Newcastle, NB (not previously.)

Barbados—Sld July 30, brig Edward E Hutchings, Warner, Antigua

Fleetwood—Ard Aug 13, str Acacia, Newcastle.

Liverpool—Ard Aug 12, stmr Obi, Clark, St John for Manchester

Sld Aug 8, stmr Marthara, St John.

London—Ard Aug 12, stmr Damara, Chambers, Halifax.

Queenstown—Ard Aug 12, ship Steinvora, Ritchie, Mobile for Liverpool.

Southport—Ard Aug 7, bqe Flora, Einertsen, Shediac.

FOREIGN PORTS.

Bordeaux—Ard Aug 10, stmr Barraclough, McGregor, St John.

Boston—Ard Aug 13, schs Glenera, Eatonville; Frank L P, St John

Sld 13th, sch Greta, St John.

Cld 13th, sch J B Martin, Annapolis; Cerdic, St John.

Las Palmas—Sld Aug 8, stmr Lobelia, St John.

Newport News Ard Aug 13, schs Rewa and W H Waters, St John.

New Haven—Ard Aug 11, schs Union, St John; Clara E Rogers, Two Rivers.

Sagua—Sld Aug 8, stmr Santanderino, St John.

Port Reading, NJ—Sld Aug 11, brigt Louil, Cook, St John.

Vineyard Haven—Ard Aug 12, sch Karslie, Edgewater, St John (and sld).

SPOKEN.

Bqe Belle Star, Redmond, Chatham for Dundalk, Aug 6, lat 50, lon 23.

MEMORANDA.

Prawle Point, Aug 12—Passed, ship Wm Law, Abbott, San Francisco for Grimsby.

Brow Head, Aug 12—Passed, stmr Norfolk, Woolston, Chatham for England; bqe Samaritan, Parry, San Francisco for Queenstown.

Bqe Samaritan, at Queenstown from San Francisco, has been ordered to Stockton-on-Tees to discharge.

SS Huntcliffe arrived in Five Fathoms on Monday, and on Tuesday morning left for the Cape where she will load deals for Great Britain.

Sydney Light, Aug 14—Passed, stmrs Turret Bay, Kietguard, Cape Breton; Reid, with barge Rembrandt, Sydney for Montreal; Acadian, Delisle, St Johns, Nfld, for Sydney; Fulham, McNab, Sydney for Aarhuus; Glenlivet, Chase, and Polino, Lechance, Montreal for Sydney; bqetn A L Brundit, Sydney for St Johns, Nfld; Peggy, Jackson, Pensacola for Sydney Passed 12th, stmrs Cape Breton, Reid Montreal for Sydney; Cacouna, Whalen, Glace Bay for Sydney; Fulham, McNab, Pensacola for Sydney; Bonavista, Fraser, Sydney for St Johns, Nfld; Propatria (Fr) Dennis, Sydney for St Pierre; Elliot, McDonald, Sydney for Halifax; Turret Bay, Kietguard, Montreal for Sydney.

Kinsale, Aug 12—Passed, bqe Frederica, Ryder, St John for Youghal.

WEATHER OBSERVATIONS.

Point Lepreaux, Aug 14, 9 am—Wind E, fresh, partly cloudy; therm 58; Boston boat, cruiser Curlew and two schs inward.

☞ For Additional Ship News See the Fourth Page.

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Montreal.

A. H. NOTMAN,
Dist Passr. Agent,
St. John, N. B.

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Second Edition.

LOCAL NEWS.

THE AMERICAN BOAT—State of Maine—to-day brought 120 passengers.

BASE BALL.—The Roses are to play the Woodstocks at the City Cornet Band excursion and picnic at Woodstock on the 24th.

DELEGATES to the Maritime Baptist Convention can secure return tickets on the 19th and to the 29th inst. by the D. A. R.

QUEENS COUNTY.—Messrs. H. A. McKeown, Isaac Burpee, J. D. Hazen and L. A. Currey addressed a joint political meeting at Foster's Corner, Queens county, Thursday evening.

LOOKING FOR MANGANESE.—Senator Poirier of Shediac has instituted boring operations at Markhamville on lands of Mr. Thomas Crawford. The prospects for finding manganese in the locality where operations will be carried on are said to be good, and we hope that Mr. White, who is in charge of the boring apparatus, will strike it rich.—*Sussex Record.*

TOTAL DISASTERS IN JUNE.—The administration of the Bureau Veritas has just issued the list of maritime disasters reported during the month of June, 1896, concerning all flags. The following are the statistical returns: Steamers—1 Belgian, 8 British, 1 Japanese, 2 Norwegian; total, 12. Sailing vessels—5 American, 10 British, 1 Danish, 1 Dutch, 1 French, 2 Greek, 2 Italian, 7 Norwegian, 1 Swedish; total, 30.

HARBOR IMPROVEMENTS.

Common Council Committee and Col. Moore's Offer.

The advisory committee of the Common Council had a long conference with Col. Moore to-day with regard to his offer regarding the dredge Freeport working at Sand Point improvements. Col. Moore is understood to have offered to furnish the dredge, scows and crew for $200 per day for every day she was engaged regardless of whether or not she worked. The committee asked many questions concerning the offer. Some of them are understood to have considered it rather steep. The city was given until the 17th inst., Monday, to answer the proposition, so nothing definite was done to-day. It is understood the committee are in consultation with another American dredging firm, whose engineer is now here, or will be here to morrow. He will look over the ground and make an offer, which will be considered with that of Col. Moore, so that by Monday a definite answer can be given Col. Moore. While these negotiations are progressing the city and Dominion dredges are working away, and considerable earth is being removed; but the delays are serious, and may somewhat retard the work and prevent its completion this winter, when, if report is correct, it will be sadly needed. The C. P. R. is understood to have arranged with four lines of steamers to come here during the winter. Among these are the Beaver and Donaldson lines.

Mr. Foster, a New York engineer, here in the interests of the company who will make an offer regarding hoisting machinery, etc., visited Sand Point this morning with the City Engineer and Ald. Waring. He has not yet submitted a report.

MONCTON'S NEW SENSATION.

Dispute About the Street Railway Track.

[SPECIAL TO GLOBE.]

MONCTON, Aug. 14.

Considerable interest is manifested throughout this city to-day over the action of the I. C. R. authorities in taking up the diamond crossing of the street railway at Main and St. George street crossings. It is understood that Mr. John L. Harris personally signed an agreement prior to the completion of the street railway that the company would abide by the requirements of the I. C. R. The directors knew nothing about it and when the demand was made by I. C. R. officials a day or so ago that signs be placed at the crossings in question and the matter was brought before the directors of the Street Railway, they considered the expenditure too great and declined to do so. The result is that the diamond crossings were removed last night. The directors intend running an eastern and western transfer service should no satisfactory agreement be arrived at.

FULLER IN NEED OF MEN.

Capt. McLaughlin Has Difficulty in Securing a Crew.

[Halifax Echo.]

The barquantine Herbert Fuller has received sailing orders at last. She is to be allowed to proceed on her voyage as soon as Capt. McLaughlin can procure a crew. The captain was around the shipping office this morning looking for seamen, but none suitable were available.

The Fuller appears to be considerably "under the weather" the last few months. When the captain could get a crew, as he believed, the authorities would not let her sail, and the owners would not allow a crew to be shipped until clearance papers were granted, because of the expense. Although the captain has not encountered many superstitious men, who would prefer to sail on a vessel with a less enviable record than the Fuller, there are a number of "able seamen" who would prefer not to go on her.

The captain has obtained his first and second mates and a steward, but in order to complete his crew he needs six other men. A few young men applied this morning and were refused.

It is almost certain that the Fuller will not sail to-day, and the chances are that it may be two or three days before she will in readiness to continue on her long voyage to Rosario.

TO-DAY'S YACHT RACE.

LONDON, Aug. 14.

The Royal Victoria Yacht Club regatta was continued at Ryde to-day. The principal race was for the commodore's cup; second prize, £30, to go to a yacht of a different class from the winner. The course was around the Isle of Wight, about fifty miles. The weather was rainy and the breeze westerly. The starters were the Meteor, the Herreshoff twenty-rater Isolde, the Ailsa, the Clyde-built forty-rater Isolde, the Britannia, the Satanita and the Caress. The boats started at 9 30 a. m., sailing eastward. The Ailsa took the weather berth and led shortly after the start.

HER HAND THE STAKE.

Upon Mr. Bryan's Election Depends a Young Girl's Happiness.

NEWBURY, Mass., Aug. 12.

One of the most novel election wagers ever recorded occurred in this place.

Jason Parrott, residing on the outskirts of the town, has a pretty daughter, Alice, eighteen years old. George Wilkes, a young farm hand, has been her sweetheart for two years. Wilkes proposed marriage and Alice referred him to her father, as it would be necessary to obtain his consent.

The old farmer has been a life-long Democrat, and proposed a novel wager when asked by Wilkes for his daughter's hand. He agreed to consent to the marriage if Bryan should be elected President. Wilkes accepted the wager.

FAMINE IN A MEXICAN PROVINCE.

It Is Due to the Drought.

GUANAJUATO, Mexico, Aug. 14.

Drought is having a terrible effect in this state. Food famine among the poor has caused a number of deaths. Corn is imported from the United States, but the suffering people have no money with which to buy it.

BOUND TO TAKE HER LIFE.

BRIDGEPORT, Conn., Aug. 14.

This morning Mrs. Wm. Burkhardt was found lying on the grave of her child, recently interred. A bottle containing laudanum was found beside the woman, who was suffering pain. She said she had taken poison and wanted to die just where she was. The police were notified, but when the officers arrived on the scene the woman had disappeared and no trace of her could be found. It is believed she ended her life in one of the creeks in the vicinity.

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THE VENEZUELAN QUESTION.

Early and Satisfactory Results Looked For.

LONDON, Aug. 14.

In the House of Commons to-day Sir William Harcourt, the leader of the opposition, asked, in regard to the Venezuelan situation, if the proposal contained in the despatch sent to the Foreign Office by the United States government on June 12th last had removed the difficulties, and further inquired whether there were any prospects of a speedy submission of the question to arbitration. Rt. Hon A. J. Balfour, First Lord of the Treasury, replied that the government were still considering the proposal made by the United States government, which was regarded by the Foreign Office as opening the way for an equitable settlement of the difficulty. The government, he added, had every expectation that the pending negotiations would lead to an early and satisfactory result. Sir William Harcourt said that the House would regard Mr. Balfour's statement as satisfactory and asked to have the papers on the subject prepared to be presented to the House. Mr. Balfour replied that the government would present the papers to the House as soon as might be consistent with public interest.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 14.

The despatch of Secretary Olney to Sir Julian Pauncefote, British Ambassador, referred to in the House of Commons debate to-day, was considered by many the most important document in the arbitration correspondence between this country and Great Britain. The despatch was devoted to a discussion of proposals submitted by Lord Salisbury for the settlement of the Venezuelan boundary dispute, that a commission of four persons be appointed by the two governments to ascertain certain facts, and upon the basis of those facts draw a boundary line, which, however, is in no case to encroach upon the bona fide settlements of either party. Secretary Olney pointed out the improbability of such a commission determining anything definite by which the respective governments should be bound, and further the difficulty of reconciling the claims regarding "bona fide" settlements The dispatch concludes with these counter proposals which Mr. Balfour said to day "were regarded by the Foreign Office as opening the way for an equitable settlement of the difficulty." In the opinion of this government the proposals of Lord Salisbury's despatch can be made to meet the requirements and the justice of the case only if amended in various particulars. The commission upon facts should be so constituted by adding one or more members that it must reach a result, and cannot become abortive and possibly mischievous; that the commission should have power to report upon all the facts necessary to the the decision of the boundary controversy, including the facts pertaining to the occupation of the disputed territory by British subjects. The proviso by which the boundary line, as drawn by the arbitral tribune of three is not to include territory bona fide occupied by British subjects or Venezuelan citizens on the first of January, 1887, should be stricken out altogether or there might be substituted for it the following: "Provided, however, that in fixing such a line, if territory of one party be found in the occupation of the subjects or citizens of the other party, such weight and effect shall be given to such occupation as reason, justice, the rules of international law and the equities of the particular case may appear to require." The state department officials are highly gratified with the tone of Mr. Balfour's reply to Sir William Harcourt's query about the effect on the government of the above despatch, and while in the absence of Secretary Olney, who has been exclusively in charge of the negotiations, nothing definite can be learned of the succeeding correspondence, if any, that has passed, confidence is expressed that an agreement will be reached before next December for an exhaustive arbitration of the Venezuelan-Guiana boundary controversy. Under the same date Secretary Olney transmitted to Sir Julian Pauncefote a despatch communicating the determination of this government not to permit the Venezuelan question to complicate the scheme for a general arbitration treaty between the United States and Great Britain, which is under consideration concurrently with the other subject.

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