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MONTREAL PRODUCE MARKETS. Montreal, Que., August 5.—Flour—Receipts, 2,600 bris; market quiet. Quotations: patent Winter \$4.25 to \$4.5); Patent Spring, \$5.00 to \$5.30; Straight Roller, \$3.65 to \$4.0; Extra, \$3.20 to \$3.30; Superfine, \$2.70 to \$2.90; Strong Bakers \$4.70 to \$4.90; Ontario Bags, \$1.80 to \$2.00.

Grain—Wheat, No. 2 Manitoba Hard, 93e to \$5e; Corn, 39e to 41e; Fease, 62e to 64e; Oats. 'hn to 330; Barley, 3 e to 30e; Rye, 51e to 53e; Bickwheat, 4% to 50c; Oatmeal, \$1.80 to \$1.90; . se; Bacon, 11c to 12c; Hams, 10c to 11c; O seese, To to Se; Butter, townships, 15e to 16e

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LIVERPOOL MARKETS. Liverpool-Noon, Aug.5.-Wheat, N. Spring, 4d; red Winter, 6s 5d; No. 1 Cal., 6s 8d corn, old, 0s 0d; corn, new, 3s 3d; peas, is 0d pork, 51s 3d; lard 27s 0d; tallow, Am., 19s 6d; bacon—long cuts, heavy, 30s 0d; lights, 25a 6d; short cuts, heavy 29s 0d. Cheese—White 87s 0d;

Vivia Was Measured.

Western, 13e to 14e; Eggs, 10e to 13c.

Toronto Mail. Thursday afternoon, after a cerefal. though tedious, measurement by Mr Foote, secretary of the R.C.Y.C. and Frank M. Grey, honorary secretary L.Y.R.A. sering on behalf of Mr. Mallock, the corrected length of Vivia was found to be shirty-six feet four inches. This was a result of the protest entered by Mr. Mallock at Kingston after the race in which Vivia beat Dinah.

To Try To Beat A Becord

John Smith, Q C.B.C., will endeavor to break his twenty-four hour road record of 2612 miles on Saturday. He will start from the Don bridge at twelve o'clock tonight, and hopes to ride from there to Kingston with a double back to Belleville, and return to the limestone city, making in all about 272 miles.

The Cape Town elections, to occur or Papa, 4th, are a using excitement already. Cool Rhodes + harges president Kruger of the Transvaal with using secret service money to support the candidates of the

[ [The departure of the excursion steamers for down the river this afternoon was watched with finterest by muny citizens. The sea rolling in on Point Frederick caused them to roll considerably.

Alexander and George Wright, Chicago, are in the city visiting their father who is sectionely ill. They have been absent from see city for twelve years.

WHAT MAY BE DONE.

lossip In Regard To The Great Napanee

NAPANEE, Aug. 5 -B B. Osler, Q C., left this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock for To-The court assembled this afternoon at 2.05 o'clook. Instead of Pare inspector

Healey. of Manchester, N.H., was put on the stand. It was at his instigation that Pare was arrested. He described in detail how the bills were found in a coke box in Pare's woodshed. On Pare were found ninety-six bills;

in the coke box 219 ten dollar Dominion bank bills. Cn cross-examination Mr. Porter went thoroughly into the details of Mr. Healey's evidence. He elicited no new information, but the witness' story tallied with the tale

told by Pare. The witness declared that the detective agency was much interested in the matter. The first information emanated from Mr. Saville. Mr. Thornhill, of the Pinkertons, was present with officer Connor when ninety-six bills were found in a secret slide

in a tool chest. An adjournment will be made at 4:50

In June, 1897, a week or two after the time when Pare says they were prepared, a carter named Richardson, who was removing ties on the Bay of Quinte railway, discovered gage, ropes and masks hidden beside the track as stated by Pare. The gage were three in number, regulation burglars' gags, the detectives say, made of cord, with a roll of cotton around the middle to put in the mouth, and tightly sewed to the rope to prevent their being moved by tongue. Short ropes, noosed at the ends, for tying the wrists and ankles, and old hate to pull over the eyes, and two masks made of brown coat lining, were included in the find. They were given to constable Sills weeks before the robbery. Bills preserved them and they will be presented as exhibite.

The defence do not know how much of Pare's statement the crown might be hofding in reserve, and are going into every detail simply to find out where they

"There is a woman in the case" is about to be proved true in this case. The crown has brought a woman witness into town, who is expected to reveal startling

Holden has signified his intention of going into the witness box. One who knows him says that when he tells his

story "there'll be music." John Hill, who lives in a log cabin bal way between Belleville and Napanee, will ewear that Mackie and Holden were at his house on the waggon trip, which, Pare says they made between Belleville and Napanee, when the first attempt was made to rob the bank and when the hole was drilled into the side of the safe.

The clerical element of the town and vi cinity is well represented at the trial. They are attentive listeners.

Mr. Osler is reported to have said that in all his experience of criminal witnesses the man Pare is the most unique. He is a conundrum.

Mrs. Ponton arrived in town from Belleville Tuesday noon and is the guest of Mrr. Wilkison. Rev. T. J. Thompson, pastor of John street Presbyterian ceurch, accom panied her, and attended court for a few

Doorkeeper Hinch, who guards the pri vate entrance, has a hard time of it. The orders were, after the room was comfortably filled to retuit no more. They come to him in wonds, but to their smiles and persuasive arguments he says, "No; this entrance is only for lawyers and thieves.' "Well," said ne witty one, "we are all thieves."

#### The Walking Was Warm.

A day or two agoa young l'rincess street merchant wheeled up to Bath to visit friends under canvas at camp "Onifimad." He remained over night and started for home the next morning. Near Collins Bay his Cullagh did not enter the house and was wheel broke down and he could not get it | there about two minutes only. Did not repaired. He left it in care of a farmer and footed the balance of the distance to drunken man. McCullagh did not ask for the city, arriving here foot-sore and tired. Last evening accompanied by a "brotherin arms" he drove out and recovered the

#### Cheese 'Markets.

Thursday: Brockville, 2,266 colored and 1.057 white cheese were offered; 69 colored sold at 7 5 16c., 69 colored at 74c., 1.180 colored sold at 7 3-16c., and 135 at 7 11 162. Belleville, 1,600 cheese offered: 500 cold at from 7 11.16c. to 72c Barrie, 1.015 boxes colored offered; 250 cold at 712., 510 at 7 7 16c., and 64 at 71c.

It seems quite likely that the new retrousee hate turning abruptly off the face, will be very strong rivals this season to those worn very far forward or tilted up at one side and down on the other.

The navy and army blue serges, foulards, mehalrs and lightweight costume cloths are made into striish tailor costumes for traveling and general wear, that hold their own against all the endless smart and novel gowns which the present season

The roost degant black gowns just now shown at the importing houses are of very lustrous watered silk, made in princest style and trimmed very elaborately on the bedice portion and front of the gown with black lace, with gardle and yoke, bretelle or yest piece of the finest cut jet.

Bright colored capes of plaited silk muslip, lisso, chiffon and transparent silk are one of the fancies of the season. The ma tertal is accordion plaited, and billows and yards of it are used for each cape, which is pointed front and back, short over the sleeves. It is sometimes finished with very long searf ends.—New York Posk

Francis E. King, barrieter, tas gone sast on a business trip. Jim. Jeffrice, the Californian, is willing tolight Corbett.

James Kennedy, Galt, Out, is in the

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#### INVESTIGATION CONTINUED.

MORE EVIDENCE TAKEN IN THE POLICE CHARGES.

Result of The Enquiry This Morning-The Chief Witness Not to Be Found-Very Little Progress Made-The Investigation to Be Continued.

Further evidence was taken this morn ing in the matter of charges preferred against police constable McCullagh. The space set apart for the public was not adequate to accommodate the rush of spectators. A few minutes after the doors opened the entire court room was filled to overflowing. It required the assistance of two police constables to keep out boys under age and to keep order. So great was the crush that the court room door could not be closed.

G. M. Macdonnell appeared in behal of the publishers of the Times, and J. L. Whiting in behalf of constable McCul-

Edward Halliday was the first witness called. He knew nothing whatever about the charge. Had heard James Hanley mention that McCullagh was drunk. Was called on by Mr. Gowdy, but told him he knew nothing about the case, and informed Mr. Gowdy he should go and see James Hanley. Witness had not been out of his house all day. McCullagh was not in the Hub on that day. Hanley told witness that "he had been out with McCullagh."

Thomas Hutcheson, nightwatchman at the Thousand Island house, testified, after Mr. Gowdy's evidence was read over to him, that Mr. Gowdy had never spoken to him concerning constable McCullngh. Mr. Gowdy's evidence was not true. Witness wondered at seeing such a statement pub. ished. Did not give McCullagh any drinks on the night in question. Did not see him in the hotel on the night in question. Saw McCullagh at the hotel yesterday. McCullagh asked witness to tell what he knew about the matter. Mr. Gowdy made statements about McCullagh and he wanted witness to tell whether or not Mr. Gowdy's statement was true. While in conversation Alexander Walsh was present. Walsh said McCullagh had called at the hotel at about four o'clock during the morning in question and had been served with a sandwich by Walsh. While the conversation was in progress another policeman, whose name he did not know, entered and spoke to McCullagh. Could not say that he ever saw McCullagh in the hotel since July 13th until yesterday. on duty all night during the night in question and did not see McCullagh in the hotel that night. Witness never drank with

McCullagh. James Hanley was twice called but fail ed to answer to his name. A policeman was sent in search of Hanley and returned eaying his brother had not seen him and did not know where he was.

Matthew Miller knew nothing about the

Hanley remark that "McCullagh's lesson did not have much effect, as he was out with him last night having a time." Had heard several persons mention the fact that McCullagh was drunk on the night in question, but could not say who the persons were. Was asked by Mr. Gowdy about the matter and referred him to James Hanley. Hanley used words to the effect that 'Mc-Cullagh was throwing it into him, which led witness to believe that McCul and Hanley had been drinktogether. Mr. Gowdy questioned witness first. Might have referred Mr. Gowdy to Halliday, but thought he referred Mr. Gowdy to Han Was present when Mr. Gowdy asked Halliday about the matter. Could not give Hanley's exact words, but thought they were "we were out together and he was throwing it into him." Did not pay sufficient attention to what Hanley was eaying to repeat his words, but un derstood from his remarks that he and

McCullagh had been out together drink-Alexander Walsh, bar tender at the Thousand Island house, gave McCullagh a sandwich on the morning in question. Did not give McCullagh any liquor. appear to be drunk nor act like a liquor nor did witness give him any. Left the bar at eleven o'clock and retired at one o'clock. McCullagh was not in the house up to that hour. Witness locks the bar at eleven o'clock and carries the keys. Nobody could serve liquor from the bar during the night without knowledge of witness. Had a short conversation with McCullagh yesterday afternoon in the sitting room of the hotel, a small room set apart "where persons could go and have a quiet drink." Thought McCullegh was on

his beat on the morning in question. James Hanley's name was again called but he failed to appear. Police constable Ballantyne raid be had been told that Hanley had left for New York. The hearing was further adjourned until to morrow morning. Three more witnesses will be summoned in behalf of the Times.

#### Saw The Liner Go Down.

Sr. Jonn's, Nfld., Aug. 5.-The mail steamer Virginia Lake arrived at Tilt Cove, on West Bay, 230 miles from here, liquore. at daylight this morulng, bringing certain corroboration of the reported an ocean liner in the straits

Noddy bay reported to her he saw a steamer collide with an iceberg and sink soon afterwards. The report is generally believed here, but nothing reliable is obtained. The fisherman said that the steamer looked like a passenger ship, and he could see the people preparing te launch boats, but she sank before they could do anything.

#### Attacked By Fire,

chanel of the Niagara university, a Catho- son behind the home plate. lic institution near Nisgara Falls, at four o'clock this morning. The chapel at nine o'clock was almost completely destroyed is no possibility of saving the structure. since the fire apparatus is totally inadeunate. The loss already is \$70,000. The fire is attributed to an incendiary.

#### Takes Much Interest

LONDON, Aug 5 -The Daily News says t understands news has reached the house of commons that the prince of Wales is taking great interest in the Lipton challenge. His royal highness thinks that the unfortunate disputes over the last races wil n at be unkindly remembered in America. Indeed on the contrary he believes that a contest we'l fought to the end would 'greatly strengthen the friendly feeling so rapidly growing up between the two us-

Drove Out To Walsh's Camp. Last evening C. W. Walker conducted a driving party to Walsh's camp at the floating bridge, Front Road. About twenty five young people took in the trip, which time until an early hour this morning.

#### GENERAL PARAGRAPHS.

The Very Latest News Crowded Into The Smallest of tpace.

Ice cream soda, 5c., at Walker's. Belleville's tax rate is twenty three and nine-tenth mills. The WHIG will not be issued on Mon-

day-civic holiday. T. B. Windle, Utica, NY., visited friends in the city to-day. J. Burke returned home yesterday after

a week's visit in Hamilton. Tilsonburg's tax rate has been fixed at nineteen mills on the dollar. J Hughes will hold down first bag for

the Kingston baseball team.

Grand bicycle tournament, KAA.A. grounds, Monday, August 8th. Miss Dunbar, Kingston, is visiting at

54 St. George street, Toronto. Miss May Bajus, Wellington street, is visiting friends in Syracuse, N.Y. John Leys has been appointed deputy registrar for the county of Lambton.

Watch for hard times parade in connection with bicycle races Monday, August George Snider, Buckley, Hinchinbrooke

township, is in the city on a pleasant Canteloupe melons, water melons, pears,

88. Parisian, from Liverpol, arrived inward at Rimouski wharf at 4:50 a.m. on

Government steamboat inspectors Donnelly and Thompson are at Prescott looking after boats. Dr. and Mrs. Third, of the general hospital, left for Ottawa by steamer James

Swift yesterday. K A. A. A. grounds. The corporation employees are laying a

street, below Ontario.

has many friends here. Mrs. James Collins, Renfrew, with her two sons, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Abboth, Division street. Mayor Still, St. Thomas, refuses to take

part in the laying of the corner stone of the new city hall there. Miss May Malone returned home on Tuesday after visiting friends at Toronto,

Hamilton and Brighton. See the twenty-mile road race in connec tion with bicycle races Monday, August 8th, starting and ending at fair grounds. The steamer Hiawatha sailed from Canso, N.S , early this morning to continue

the search for bodies of La Bourgogne victo have been played to day, was cancelled.

cottage. He is given a lease for ninetycharge, except that he had heard James

> E. T. Malone, grand master of the masonic grand lodge, will lay the corner stone oi the First Methodist church, Picton, on

> bicycle races at K.A.A.A. grounds Monday, August 8th. Mrs. Emmons Blaine, daughter of the late Cyrus H. McCormick, the Chicago

harvester manufacturer, has give a the Chicago university \$25,000. make an effort to arrange a 100 mile race with F. O. Myers when the pair meet at

Kingston next Monday. Mrs. Weyman, Verona, was quite ill jail last night. To day D. J. Walker, J. P., was prevailed upon to reduce the sentence of Mrs. Weyman to five months.

Inspector Stewart says the investigation at the Kingston penitentiary will not end this week and may not terminate next week. Progress is necessarily slow. Harveet prospects throughout Spain are

good, and the government has revoked the prohibition against the export of grain and will substitute therefor a moderate export Col. Hutton, to command the Canadian militia, has applied to the militia depart-

ment to appoint major Scope of the 18th Hussars, a Victoria cross man, as his he had been made a brigadier general. It A veccol coming down the lake to day was compelled to drop her sails when near

Nine Mile point. The heavy gale which followed the rain storm at noon caught her Kennedy, McCarthy, Gaudzinsky, Johnston and Weish, all accused of burglary,

sawed their way out of Goshen, N.Y., jail on Tuesday night. Johnston was found in a barn soon after. There is no truth in the report, tele-

graphed from Montreal the other day, that 450 excursionists from Ottawa had a nar row escape from being shipwrecked in the Lachine on the steamer Terrebonne. The public fountain in Portsmouth has

been cleaned out. It is a never failing

apring and will be a bonanz's for the neighbore in the vicinity of Aberdeen park during the hot spells of summer weather. The proprietors of the Lansox house and Dominion house have had their licenses extended a further period of three months, dating from August let, in order

to allow them to dispose of their stock of For a trifling sum of money the iron top of an Ontario street manhole, at the corner of Brock street, could be covered, and the city probably saved from a heavy suit for damages. It is now exposed nearly six

inches above the roadbed There is a jolly party of campers at camp Khyberee, Welbourne'spoint. Harold Corbett and William Tweed are the genial hosts. They extend an invitation to all their friends to visit the camp. The fishing

is reported to be excellent. The match to-morrow between the Ponies and l'rincess street baseball teams promises to be a lively event. It is said BUPPLALO, N.Y., Aug. 5 -A special to the Princess street nine will have Murphy. the News save: Fire broke out in the the Yarker pitcher, in the box with Wil

The Portsmouth public school board med last evening, W. Pound being the only member absent. The board merely conand the main building was burning. There sidered minor mat ers. The annual whitewashing and cleaning of the school building is being done by the caretaker.

Mrs. J. H. Scott, Toronto, is rejoicing over the fact that her triplets have attained their twenty first birthday. The two sones Henry and William, are employed in the Massey-Harris company, while the girl, Miss Agnee, works as a domestic.

Misses Nellie and Gertie Koen, Picard street, left to day per G.T.R. for Duluth, Minn, on a visit to their brothers whom they have not seen for many years. After remaining there for a few a days they will visit their cousins, the Misses Leabys, in Cleveland, Ohio, and the Misses Scanlan,

in Columbus, Ohio. The Illustrated London News in an article on Sir John G. Bourinot, Ottawa, calle him the "Erskine May of British America" and declares that he has done more than any living man to make Canadiana proud of their past and satisfied with their present. The News further says was made in vane, and they had a glorious scholar, and a courteous and capable man

### SAGASTA ON HIS DIGNITY.

PEACE MAYNOT COME AS QUICK-LY AS EXPECTED.

Spain Will Reply Next Week-The Government Has Not Received the United States Answer to Questions—Hoping for the Best-What Was Captured.

LONDON, Aug. 5 .- The Madrid correspondent of the Times says: "Though peace is regarded as assured, it may not be attained so quickly as is generally expected. Senor Sagasta objects to being hustled and insists upon everything being done in a quiet, orderly and dignified manner. He considers in necessary to have full and satisfactory explanations as to all doubtful points in order to enable him best to protect the national interests against the aggressive ten-

dencies of the Washington cabinet. "He has also to examine very minutely the exigencies of the international situation and home politics, so as to avoid popular dissatisfaction." The Madrid correspondent of the Daily

"The government has not yet answered the American note nor received president McKinley's reply to the explanations asked peaches, plums, best and cheapest at for by Senor Sagasta. The premier said to-day that the government would reply to the American demands early next week. "In consulting the party leaders Sagasta is following the precedent of Castelar, when the Virginius affair threatened war with the United States. It is not probable that he will resign as a result of the

"The premier is inclined to rush the treaty through without convoking the The fastest riders in America have en- cortes, trusting to get a bill of indemnity tered for the bicycle races August 8th, next month; but the party leading are not

likely to consent to this course.' The Rome correspondent of the Stannew sidewalk on the south side of Princess | dard says: Italy having notified the United States of her intention to land a Lieut.-Col. Mattice and wife, Montreal, military force somewhere in Colombia, in are in the city sight-seeing. Col. Mattice | default of a compliance with her demands in connection with the Gerrutti claim, the American government replied, recognizing Italy's full right to do so, and expressing the hope of a pacific solution.

HAVANA, Aug. 5. - After the Spanish troops had abandoned the village of Gibo. ra, the jurisdiction of Sancti Spiritus was occupied by the insurgents, who captured eighteen guerillas, natives of Cuba, who had belonged to the Gibora garrison, and killed them with machetes. The reason for this slaughter was that the guerillas were Cubane who were fighting for Spain.

Hong Kong, Aug. 5. - United States consul Gen. Wildman has received a letter from Aquinaldo, in which the insurgent leader asks why America should expect The Yarker ve Kingston baseball match, him to outline his policy, present and future, and to fight blindly for her interests when Satisfactory arrangements could not be America will not be frank with him. He wante to know whether he is fighting Mr. Macpherson, Kingston, is locating a for annexation, protection or independence lot at the Sandbanks, on which to erect a and says it is for America to say, not him. He declares that he is not both fool and rogue and that the interests of his people

are sacred to him. SANTIAGO DE CUBA, Aug. 4.—It is expected that eighteen transports will soon be conveying the soldiers back to the The event of the season will be the United States. These vessels will carry

from 12,000 to 15,000. Shafter has received orders to remove

his entire army north at once. MADRID, Aug. 5. - The explanation of the peace terms asked from the government at Washington, especially regarding the A. P. Gimpert, Toronto, proposes to Philippines, is expected to-day. If it is received Spain's final answer to the United States will be made on Saturday.

The government has been informed that Don Carlos is preparing to issue a manifesto as soon as it is announced officially that the queen and her ministers have accepted the American terms.

#### WAS HIT FOUR TIMES.

How Brigadier General Worth Earned

Promotion at San Juan Hill. When William S. Worth went to Cuba with Shafter's army less than six weeks ago he was a licutenant colonel in the Thirteenth regular infantry and a whole man. He came back the other day with four bullet holes in his body and found that



was the heroic bravery displayed by Gen eral Worth in leading his command up San Juan hill which gained him his pro-

As a lieutenant colonel he was not in command when the engagement was opened, but within ten minutes after the ball had begun Colonel Wikoff was killed and then Lieutenant Colonel Worth took his place. His men had the center of the

Colonel Worth was wounded twice i the right arm early in the engagement. One bullet pierced the arm just above the elbow and the other just below the shoul der. He clutched his sword in his left hand and led his men to the fresh attack Shortly after this Manser bullets struck Colonel Worth in the right and left breast. The bullets went clean through the body, leaving the colonel all in a heap and unconscious on the field. Orderly Keller saw him fall and ran to his assistance. Colonel Worth didn't know what had happened until Keller brought him around and told him. He looked dazed for a minute, then

"Keller, just keep me on my feet. I'l behind the line."

While the orderly was bending over his chief a piece of shell struck him the back, right on top of the cartridge belt and gouged out a handful of flesh. Kellet stuck by his colonel, and after awhile the two were carried off the field together. General Worth is now recuperating at his quarters on Governors island. It is

expected that he will recover. In speak

ing of the fight he mays that in all his ex

perience during the civil war and later during his Indian campaigns he never before saw such an exhibition of bravery. "Talk about leading them," he says. "Why, an officer had to sprint to keep up | barrels of illicit whiskey and closed up the



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THE OAK

Blushing has often been considered as a peculiarity of the white man, and has been denied to other races, and especially to the negro; but several trustworthy observers assured Darwin that they had seen on the faces of negroes an appearance resembling a blush under circumstances which would have excited one in us, although their skins were of an ebony-black tint. Some describe it blushing brown, but most say that the blackness becomes more intense, increased supply of blood in the skin seems in some manner to intensify the blackness. Scars remain for a long time white in the negro, and Dr. Burgess, who had frequent opportunities of observing one on the face of a negress, noticed that it invariably became red whenever she was abruptly spoken to or charged with any trivial offence. The blush could be seen proceeding from the circumference of the sear towards the middle,

Do Negroes Blush ?

the skin is visible. Lean Pork for Export. Secretary Wilson, of the Agricultural Department, has been trying to learn why more American bacon cannot be sold in the English market. Denmark and Canada send large quantities of bacon to England, which brings from 11 to 14 cents per pound, while American bacon is rated from 6 to 8 cents. The trouble is that American bacon is too fat. The English want more lean meat, and the Danes and Canadians have learned this fact. In order to get more money from the foreign bacon trade, the American farmer must feed and breed for lean ment.

Mulattoes are often great blushers. From

these facts there can be no doubt that

negroes blush, though no reddening of

The reason of the sun assuming such a deep red color on a misty day is owing to the fact that fog permits the passage of red rays more easily than any other.

The diameter of the sun in miles is estimated at 866, 400; Jupiter, 86,500; Saturn. 11.000; Neptune, 34,800; Uranus, 31,000; Earth, 7,918; Venus, 7,700; Mars, 4,280. Mercury, 3,080; Moon, 9,162. Carbonic exide being found normally

in the blood of living beings existing in

Paris, M. Nicloux has demonstrated to

the French Academy of Sciences that the

ras forms within the organism itself withint external causes. Revenue officers raided a "yeast" fac tory in New York and seized twenty-seven BRITAIN AND JAPAN.

Concessions In China. LONDON, Aug. 5. - A deepatch from Pokin to a news agency says: Efforts are being made by the British colony at New Chwang, in conjunction with the Japanese to obtain concessions for the neighborhood as a proposed railway terminus. New

They Act In Conjunction In Obtaining

Chwang is a town and treaty port in the province of Leao Tong, on the navigable river Liaou, near the gulf of Pe Chi Li. The matter has been referred to the local tautai (the ruler of two or more departments of a province united into a bau where dilatoriness in the matter is declared to be due to Russian bribes. It is impossible to over estimate the importance of obtaining a proper footing in a region where already a Russian influence pregonderates. A great proportion of the New Chwang trade is in American goods and this fact renders the co-operation of the United States minister and his support of the British demand necessary as the gravity of the situation is undoubted Letters have been received from leading British merchants in north China, confirming the reports of the state of urmaniness prevailing among the Chinese, who regard the issue between Russia and Englard as likely to decide the future u China. An imperial decree was issued to-

presidency of two cabinet ministers.

day establishing a central bureau of min-

ing and railway administration, under the

Suicide On A Vessel MONTREAL, Aug. 5,-A tragic affair occurred on the SS. Bonivesta while on route to this port on Wednesday last. Philip Bailey, a Montrealer, was found dead in his borth with a revolver wound in his

head. The weepon lay near. At the inquest this morning it was shown that the wound must have been selfinflicted, but in the absence of any cau-e for au cide a verdice of accidental death was rendered. Deceased was returning from

a vacation in Newfoundland. What is Proposed

HALIPAX, N.S., Aug. 5. Dr. McCabe. of Ostawa, has been re elected president of the dominion educational association It will meet in Ottawa in 1900 Teaching of pedagogy in universities and mak ing May 23rd empire day in the achoult were endorsed. A committee will report on a scheme for a central bureau of education for Canada, and Mr. Brown will propore changing names of letters of the