BORN.

BAKER-In Napance, on June 28th, wife of W. E. Baker, of a daughter.

DIED.

SHERRATT-In Kingston, Monday, July 9th, S. O. Sherratt, aged 36 years. Funeral will leave his late residence, 338 Montreal street, to morrow, (Wednesday) at 2:30 o'clock. Friends and acquaintan-

WALKER-At Deseronto, on July 4th, Daniel L. Walker, aged 68 years. DRYDEN. -At Deseronto, June 28th, Isabella, beloved wife of Mr. Chas. Dryden,

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A. HOPPINS. A NOVA SCOTIAN'S MURDER.

Details of the Killing of Alexander Mo-

Kimmie in Monson, Maine. HALIFAX, N.S., July 10 .- The body of young Alexander McKimmie, who was murdered in Monson, Maine, last Tuesday, has arrived in Pictou and will be buried to-day. The murder has created intense feeling in Pictou county, where the McKimmies are one of the leading families. The story of the tragedy, as told by H. Cameron, a Nova Scotian, who brought the body home, is to the effect that the assassin is one Hall, the son of a Bangor merchant, McKimmie was going to his camp on Tuesday night with \$600 on his person, and hired Hall to row him across a small lake. On reaching the other side of the lake, and just as Mckim mie was stepping out of the boat, Hall fired at him with a Winchester rifle. One bullet entered his left eye and passed through his head. The other lodged in the back. Mc-Kimmie met instantaneous death. then dragged the body sixty feet along the shore, threw it in the water and buried it with logs, and made his escape from the state. The first suspicion of McKimmie's murder was when his dog arrived home in camp, with one of his feet shot off. Then McKimmie's fellow Nova Scotians had their fears aroused, organized search parties, and so unfolded the tragic tale. The murdered man was in the prime of life. He was a brother of Mrs. Robert Dwar, wife of the W ipeg contractor.

PAT PURCELL'S HOME RUN.

After Earning all the Base He Gets There -The Privy Council's Action.

London, July 10. - The privy council has dismissed with costs, the application for leave to appeal in Kennedy v. Purcell, the Glengarry election case. Lord Hobhouse, in giving a lengthy judgment, said in this case as in the precedents of Thiberge vs. Landry and Valin vs. Langlois, there was the broad consideration of the inconvenience of the crown interfering in election matters, and the unliklihood that the Canadian legislature intended any such result. Their lordships did not find it necessary to give a decision on the abstract question of the existence of a royal prerogative, because strong reasons existed why such matters should be decided within the colony, and why the prerogative of the crown (if it existed) should not be extended to matters over which it had no power and with which it had no concern until the legislative bodies chese to hand over to judicial functionaries that power which was formerly held by themselves. The council could not, theretore, advise Her Majesty to grant leave.

A TERRIBLE BATTLE FOUGHT.

An Old Feud Settled - The Killed and Wounded are Very Numerous.

KNOXVILLE, Tenn., July 10. - Laurel Park meeting house, in Whitely county, Tennessee, was the scene on Sunday of a terrible tragedy. It was a collision between the Rose and Fuston clans while service was in progress. A feud had been in existence between Michael Rose and one of the Fuston boys for some time. Sunday, just as the minister of the little church was announcing his text, a volley was discharged outside. The worshippers were thrown into a state of intense excitement, and many women fainted. The battle raged fiercely between the two factions, and when the smoke cleared away it was found that Ewell Lawson and his son John, aged 13, belonging to the Rose faction, were dead, having been fairly riddled with buck shot; and that three Fuston boys and John Porter, belonging to the other side, were seriously or perhaps fatally wounded. A dozen others, whose names could not be ascertained, were more or less seriously wounded.

QUEEN ON HER DEFENCE.

She Will Not Submit to the Proposed Illegality and Injustice.

LONDON, July 9. - The Pall Mull Gazette published a number of telegrams which have passed between Queen Natalie of Servia and the lay and occlesiastical authorities of the holy synod in relation to the troubles between herself and King Milan. In her despatches Queen Natalie charges that the synod is conspiring with King Milan to perpetrate a cruel injustice against an innocent woman. Queen Natalie's last despatch was addressed to the metropolitan of the holy synod. In it she declared that the synod was not qualified to concern itself in the question of a divorce between her and her husband. A divorce granted by the synod would, under the circumstances of the case, be contrary to the laws of Servia, and the Queen declared that she would energetically protest against the iniquity and illegality of such a divorce if granted by the synod.

ACTION OF THE BISHOPS.

The Views of the Clergy and Laity now Forwarded to the Pope in Rome.

ROME, July 10. The recent meeting of Irish bishops, which seemed to reopen questions closed by the papal rescript, surprised and displeased the vatican. Archbishop Walsh, of Dublin, has forwarded to Cardinal Simeoni a report stating that in their double capacity of priests and citizens the Irish bishops thought it their duty to indicate measures that might prevent an extension of existing evils. Mgr. Persisco reports that although the bishops were too inconsiderate they were impelled by a desire to improve the situation. The pope decided to take no further active steps at present.

PASSPORT REGULATIONS

tre Injurious to Trade-The King Will Surely Modify Them.

Berlin, July 10 .- Several deputations have waited upon the Staathalter, at Strasburg, and urged him to modify the passport regulations on the ground that the present system is injuring trade. Many petitions on the same subject have been forwarded to Emperor William, and it is not unlikely that a change will be made. It is expected that measures will be taken to induce French land owners to sell their estates and quit Alsace Lorraine.

BETRAYED TO HER DEATH.

OF THE SINNERS SUICIDES.

Jennie Irving of Walkerton and Her Sad Story-Chapter in the History of the

Classey Family—Some Spicy Letters. Toronto, July 10 .- The mystery surrounding the death of the young girl whose body was picked up in the bay near Conger's Wharf on Saturday last, has been practically dissipated. Two weeks ago last Saturday a young girl, apparently about 19, called at No. 10 Mission-avenue, occupied Mrs. E. Glassey, dressmaker, and applied for sewing work. Mrs. Glassey wanted help at the time and took her in.

There are two Mrs. Glasseys. Mrs. E. Glassey is a widow lady, and Mrs. Alden Glassey is her sister, they having married brothers. Alden Glassey and wife were at Norval, where he worked in a mill until the Saturday before Dominion Day, when, accompanied by their two children, they arrived at Toronto to pay Mrs. E. Glassey a visit. On Tuesday following the holiday Mrs. A. Glassey, who had been was und retired with her husband and children to bed about 11 o'clock. At I on the following morning Mrs. E. Glassey, who was attending to her sick baby, happened to step noiselessly into the parlor when she found her sister's husband and Jennie Brown together. She ran up-stairs and at once informed the wife, who naturally incensed, would not rest until her husband and the girl had left the

On July 5 an expressman came to Mrs. Glassey's for the girl's trunks which he had been engaged to take to No. 28 Park-road. The injured wife visited that number and secured an interview with the girl who, as soon as she saw Mrs. Glassey, burst into tears, and at her request gave her the following confession written in her own hand:

"Toronto, July 5th, 1888. "This is to certify

"that Alden Glassey has not been true to his wife he came to me on Sunday night the first of July and forced me to go away with him * * * and also on Tuesday night when we were caught by Mrs. Glassey sister he also told me he did not love his wife and made me promise to go away with him he also took a diamond ring that I had which belonged to another young man, my proper name is

"Jenny Irving "When I went to Mrs. Glassey's I called myself Miss Brown."

After writing the confession Jennie told Mrs. Glassey that she would never love a married man again as she intended to throw herself into the bay. When Mrs. Glassey read the description of the unfortunate girl yesterday morning she at once concluded that it was Jennie Irving and communicated her suspicions to the police. In the evening she went to the Morgue to view the body and the moment she saw the corpse she exclaimed: "Yes? Yes? that is poor Jennie?"

Little is known of the girl's antecedents. She told the tilassey ladies that she had an uncle a Presbyterian minister in Walkerton and had left home because she was unhappy four years ago. She had been in the city all that time and had worked in various families, among them the Rev. Dr. Rose.

The girl's two trunks are at No. 10 McCaul-street. One of them contains a Post-office Savings Bank book, showing a deposit of \$3, and a number of letters, one of which, to "My Dear Jennie," dated at the Rossin House, June 5, 1887, signed Michael J. Cummings, asks her to meet him on Thursday evening at a street corner and has this postcript; "Burn this when you

Another dated June 12, 1887, to "My Dear Jennie," signed Tom. C. Cary, is of a similar purport.

Jenuie according to the Glassey's was a little flighty in her conduct, and at times appeared far from evenly balanced. She once said that both her mother and father were dead, but generally was very silent regarding her family affairs. Coroner Duncan opened an inquest on the body at noon yesterday, and adjourned it until Thursday evening. Drs. A. R. and R. N. Pyne made a post-mortem later in the day, and it is understood that the result showed no signs of violence.

A man named Harry Hartly was to have met Jennie at the foot of York-street on the night previous to the finding of her body. It will be recollected that on that night sevcral persons saw a young man walking with a girl answering Jennie's description in the neighborhood of where the body was found.

POLICE COURT-TUESDAY.

Garbage Gatherer Must Not Kefuse Service-Mrs. Burns is Present.

Mrs. Elizabeth Burns was brought in last night, but not without a struggle. The police force turned out, and the fighting, screaming creature was escorted in triumph to Castle Horsey. This morning her jaw was set to great music, but the magistrate was in a hurry. He adjourned the case for a day. An officer crooked his finger and Elizabeth went below.

Richard Barry, a pensioner, was reman 1ed for a day-he'll have money to-morrow, and then a haul will be made. He was cap. tured while drunk. He said as he went below: "I'd rather go to jail than stay down there." Several other drunks were remand-

E. Roddy refused to remove refuse from W. H. Carnovsky's premises. He said the fruiterer only gave him part of his work, and that it was the most loathsome. The gistrate fined him. \$1 and costs and said he must not refuse to remove refuse when

Sarah Willis, a hard one, was gathered in for vagrancy. She went into epileptic fits in the station and was removed to the

requested.

SKETCH OF THE FUTURE.

What Parnell Thinks it Will Bring Forth -Making a Prophecy.

London, July 10. In an interview last night Mr. Parnell said he believed a home rule government would result in the establish ment of an imperial parliament in which England, Scotland, Ireland, Wales, and the colonies would be represented. Each country would have a /separate legislature to manage its local affairs. The imperial parliament, he thought, would supplant the bouse of lords. Mr. Parnell also believed that the next general election would result in the return to the house of commons of a majority of 120 Gladstonians.

Honors to the Dead.

Dublin, July 10. - The nationalists are organizing a demonstration in honor of Mr. Mandeville on the occasion of his funeral.

THE PITH OF THE NEWS.

The Spice of the Morning Papers and the Very Latest Telegrams.

were killed by a railway accident west of Fall River, Mass.

There were 187 deaths in Montreal last week, a large proportion being due to cholera infantum. The Gaulois says Germany is about to

compel the French landlords of Strasburg to sell their property. The arrival of the steamship Parisian is announced at Liverpool, and the anxiety which was felt is happily removed.

Hon. Mr. Foster has left for Nova Scotia to take part in the Cumberland election, and against the prohibitionist, Mr. Casey. Le Monde says that Chapleau has refused the portfolio of postmaster-general owing to the growing importance of the secretaryship

Fire destroyed eight blocks in Sursun, Cala., in the heart of the town last evening. At least seven-eighths of the town was con-

the balance (over \$10,000) appropriated by

congress to pay Garfield's physicians and former by the comment Vicar General Laurent, Toronto, admits that three names had been submitted to Rome, but it is not necessary that the pope

Henry Powell, of Cincinnati, a passenger on the str. Servia bound for New York, jumped overboard on July 1st while temporarily insane, and was drowned.

should select any one of them.

General Fisk, prohibition candidate for president of the United States, says that the temperance plank of the republican convention has driven thousands of voters into the prohibition ranks.

The czar has written an autograph letter to Emperor William asking him to bring Prince Bismarck with him in St. Petersburg, where M. de Giers will present a proposal for the nominal Russian protectorate of Bulgaria.

A seventy horse power boiler exploded at the Adelaide silk, Allentown, Pa., mill, killing Frank Sterner and Henry Borr, firemen. Hiram Sell, the engineer, was caught by the legs by a crank of the engine and pinned fast. He was terribly injured and died. Several others were injured.

A Chicago, Rock Island, and Pacific construction train, with seventeen men on board, was derailed west of Cameron, Missouri. Foreman Richard Jones was killed, Engineer Wilcox scalded to death, and Brakeman Cummings fatally injured.

GERMAN EMPEROR'S CASE.

The Report of the Doctors-A Hard Crack at Dr. Mackenzie.

Berlin, July 10. -Dr. Gerhardt, acting under the directions of the German doctors who attended the late Emperor Frederick, has drawn up a report stating that early in 1877 the German physicians prononnced the disease from which he was suffering to be of a cancerous nature. They decided to open the larynx, and preparations were made to perform the operation on May 20th. When Dr. Mackenzie saw Frederick and declared that the disease was not cancer, and opposed an operation. Dr. Mackenzie removed a partion of the growth which Prof. Virchow examined, but there was no proof that the piece was taken from the actually affected part. Dr. Gerhardt examined Frederick's throat after the piece had been removed and accused Dr. Mackenzie of removing a piece from the unaffected part of the throat instead of from the diseased part. Dr. Mackenzie replied that it was possible he had done so. The German doctors protested against Dr. Mackenzie's treatment throughout. Professor Von Bergmann corrobrates Dr. Gerbardts' statements and gives the reasons why he lost confidence in Dr. Mackenzie.

AUSTRIA'S STANDING ARMY.

It Will be About by Four Per Cent. of the Population of the Country. VIENNA, July 10. - An army bill will be introduced in parliament in the autumn, providing for an increase of 10,000 men anhually as the number of recruits. The clause in the present law, which provides that the war strength of the army shall be 800,000 men, will be replaced by a clause, providing that the army on a war footing

shall comprise 4 per cent. of the population. An Arrest That Surprises.

CHICAGO, July 10. - Chairman Haye, of the grievance committee of the Brotherhood of Engineers, and Chairman Murphy, occupying the same position in the Firemen's Brotherhood, were arreste is morning charged with conspiracy. I much talk. ed of circular in which Haye is alleged to have requested the Brotherhood men to hire themselves secretly to the "Q" road and to disable the engines, is said to be the basis of the charge against Haye.

Arrest of Another Counterfeiter.

SARNIA, July 10. - Chief Sherwood of the secret service department, with an assist ant, drove to Thedford last night and arl rested W. O. Parsons, a prominent con. tractor, on a charge of counterfeiting. There was found in his house and on his person about \$600 in bills and American silver. Parsons is mixed up in the counter. feiting work on which Charles Johnston, now in jail here, is held.

A Proposal Rejected.

WASHINGTON, July 9 .- The committee of the whole house has rejected by a vote of 37 to 108, Mr. Cannon's amendment, placing on the free list sugars not above No. 6 Dutch standard, reducing the rates on other grades, and granting a bounty to the producers of sugar.

Bernhardt's Last Success. London, July 10. - Bernhardt made a

successful appearance in "La Tosca" at the Lyceum theatre last night. The newspapers comment favorably upon her performance, The Post says the part ranks with her highest roles. He's Rewarded at Last.

ROCHESTER, July 10 .- Edward Alonzo !

murder of Mrs. Ada Stone on August 16th. 1887, at the residence of the victim on Hayward terrace, East Rochester. Broken Down. "After suffering with dyspepsia, kidney

disease, loss of appetite and pain in the head until discouraged, I heard of Burdock Blood Bitters, took two bottles and am happy to say feel as well as ever. Mrs. Rufus E. Merry, New Albany, N.S.

Arrangements are being made to have the Cuban giants (a colored combination) to play with the Kingstons and the other eaguers.

THE BISHOPS IN LONDON.

CANADIAN AND U. S. PRELATES IN HISTORIC PULPITS.

Duchess-Indications of a First-Class War in Zululand.

London, July 10 .- Many London pulnits were on Sunday Americanised. Bishop Potter preached at the Chapel Royal, Savoy, in the very private dominion of the Queen, before a fashionable congregation and in an edifice many hundreds of years old. Eishop Coxe officiated in a still older church, Westminster Abbey. St. Paul's Cathedral gave ecclesiastical hospitality to the Bishop of North Carolina. Surrounded by a grand army of clericals the Bishops of Springfield and Milwaukee, respectively in the morning and evening, pleased the West End congregation of St. Matthias in the Earl's Court District. The Bishop of North Dakota grew eloquent in the Church of St. Stephen's, Dr. D. W. Bliss is making an effort to get | South Kensington, not far from the Museum, and the Bishop of South Dakota occupied the pulpit of the Church of St. Pancras. which will be refuse will represent that grand representative of church architecture flanking the attractive entrance to the Liverpool railroad station. The Bishop of Mississippi went southwestwardly to the Church of St. Gabriel, situated between the former residence of Carlyle and the romantic territory of Pimlico. The Bishop of Iowa conducted two services in extreme East London, in St. Margaret's on-Lea and St. Peter's in Brockley. The Bishop of Oregon assisted at the services in St. Paul's, in Great Portland-street. His brother bishop from Washington Territory was welcomed not far away in St. Phillip's church, Regent street, near the famous Oxford circus.

In the afternoon the Bishop of Quebec took charge of the parish of St. Luke's, known one hundred years ago as St. Luke's. in-the-fields, in Chelsea. The Bishop of Toronto was heard at the parish church of Stepney, near the great collection of docks, A prelate from Zululand was at the St. Paul's Cathedral in the evening. Caffraria filled the pulpit of St. Martin's Church, Trafalgar-square; another from Honolulu that of St. John's, near the great cricket ground, Kensington, and fourteen other home or colonial bishops officiated at as many other parishes; thus the sixth Sunday after Trinity may be said to have been as extensive a day for bishops as ever was

known anywhere in the civitised world. The new Papal encyclical is nine columns long, and, while eminently dignified and elegant in language, seems so carefully designed to hurt nobody's feelings that its effect on the political situation in Italy and elsewhere will not be great. It defines at great length the proper attitude of a Roman Catuolic towards modern liberalism. So long as liberalism does not interfere with his belief he is free to act as his judgment dictates, and to support any form of government he prefers, as long as it is Christian and tends to promote Christian interests. The State, however, must not be separated from the Church, because such separation tends to encourage a belief among the masses that religion may be disbelieved in according to caprice. The Pope does not think the liberty of the press should be diminished, except where it offends religion and degenerates into licentiousness. The document is worthy of careful perusal by every. body, as it is exceedingly broadminded and contains advice to the believer concerning his attitude in the present era of theological discord that can be profitably followed by the followers of any faith.

The Duke and Duchess of Marlboro had a stormy passage in the Aurania, which had rather a depressing effect on the Duchess. She was compelled to remain in her stateroom nearly all the voyage, and consequently the Aurania's 430 saloon passengers had but little opportunity of associating with her. Those who did state that she is a most attractive and amiable woman, and through her gentle disposition is sure to make a host of English friends. The Duke and Duchess will proceed immediately to Blenheim Palace, their future residence. The Duchess arrived in London yesterday afternoon. She was cordially received by her mother. in-law, Lady Churchill and other members

of her husband's family.

There is every indication of a first-class war in Zululand, but Parliament, as on a former occasion, is so busy with politics. that no attention has been paid to the situation. For months past there have been whispers now and then of a conspiracy among the Boers to revive the old trouble. They have a natural conviction, born of the English policy after the battle of Majuba Hill, that only one good defeat is necessary to bring the English to terms. The breach shows no sign of healing, and boats are being turned from the Cape to the scene of action as fast as possible. The Boers are known to be arming vigorously and organising horse artillery. They are excellent fighters, and that they are behind the uprising nobody doubts. Altogether, between South Africa, Afghanistan and Thibet, several outlets are becoming apparent for British military activity which for some months past has mainly confined itself to speeches.

The French Branch of the Congo' Society has decided to send gn expedition to look for the White Pasha of Bahr-el-Gazel, and African exploration is taking on the pleasing... air of a geographical parlor game, in which everybody is hunting for everybody else. Emin Pasha is hunting for Stanley, Stanley is hunting for Emin Pasha. Major Barttelot is looking for Tippoo Tib, Tippoo Tib is searching for Barttelot; and now the French Society proposes to search for any and all of these seekers. Volunteers to look for the Erench expedition will be called for shortly.

GETTING TOO MUCH RAIN.

Illinois Is Flooded And the Crops Damag. ed Rain Clouds Going Wrong.

CHICAGO, July 10.—Despatches from Central and Southern Illinois say that the rain fall for the past 48 hours has been the hea- . viest known for a long time, and, coming immediately after the great storm of last week, has done a vast amount of damage. Deacons was hanged this morning for the Tuscola reports 20,000 acres of corn under water in that vicinity, while the oat crop, which was almost ready to harvest, has been damaged to such an extent that it will scarcely pay cutting. Fifteen families in the southern part of the city have been compelled to move to higher ground. Several miles of track on the St. Louis branch of the Chicago and Eastern Illinois railroad are submerged. The damage in Champaigh county amounts to \$100,000. Reports re ceived indicate that 50 to 65 per cent. of the oat crop is ruined, while the wheat in

> shock is very badly damaged. The costs of the Salvation army case to the Quebec council will be about \$2,000.