

SPEECH FROM THE THRONE CLOSING

LONDON, Aug. 5.—Parliament was prorogued to-day to Oct. 23. The Queen's Speech closing the session, after alluding to the amicable relations existing between Great Britain and the other powers, made a brief reference to the treaties that had been concluded with Portugal and Italy regarding territory in Africa. Continuing, the Speech said: "I have made proposals to the President of the United States looking to the submission to arbitration of the differences between Great Britain and the United States regarding the seal fishery in Behring Sea. The negotiations are far advanced, but have

The French Chambers have not yet adopted the agreement between myself and the Free Republic, with reference to arbitration of certain differences which have arisen concerning Newfoundland, which agreement I signed during the present year.

"I am glad that you have been able to vote a considerable sum of money to the mitigation of the burden which the law of compulsory education has imposed upon the portion of my people. The various measures which you have adopted in recent years to secure the observance of the law in Ireland and improve the general condition of that country, have resulted in a marked abatement

"You have also passed a beneficial measure dealing permanently with the congested districts of Ireland, which, it is hoped, will, by better agriculture and stimulating the fish industry, contribute largely to the prevention of similar dangers in the future. The measure which you have passed for the improvement of land with respect to factories, workshops and savings banks and for the preservation of the public health will, I am convinced, conduce to the comfort and well-being of

MR. ATKINSON'S DISGRACE.

LONDON, August 3.—The sentence of suspension imposed upon Henry J. Atkinson, Mayor of Boston, for charging the Speaker with abuse of power in placing on the records Atkinson had frivolously challenged the curacy of divisions, expired to-day. Atkinson was in the House to-day and will leave to make a motion to expunge from

He declared he would rather die than suffer the disgrace that attached to his name by reason of the resolution being spread upon the journals.

Mr. Atkinson said he could not let it go. He had been drummed out of the House, if he was not considered sufficiently respectful to remain within the precincts of Parliament, he must have the question of odium debated.

MESSRS. DILLON AND O'BRIEN.
LONDON, Aug. 4.—Messrs. Dillon and O'Brien appeared in the House of Commons, to-
for the first time in many months. They

PEACE PROPOSAL.
London, August 5.—In the House of

that at the next session he would introduce a resolution in favor of the conclusion of a treaty between England and the United States by which the nations will agree to submit to arbitration all differences that may arise.

Just through the usual diplomatic chan
Mr. Cremer, who is a Radical reformer, is
known for his efforts in the direction of
stituting international arbitration for
He is a carpenter and joiner by trade, and
held the office of secretary of the Internat

has been secretary of the Workingmen's
Association.

WHITECHAPEL HORROR.
FIENDISH ATTACK UPON A WOMAN OF SEVEN

caused in the Whitechapel district morning, from a rumor that "Jack the Rip" had again appeared and committed an act of butchery. At an early hour this morning one of the inhabitants of Whitechapel, a woman named Widdie, was passing the

the region abounds, she was set upon unknown man, armed with a sharp. The place where the assault was made dark and dismal. The man grasped woman by the hair and drawing her back

the cries she would naturally have tried to make, while with the other hand he drew a keen bladed knife across her tightly drawn throat, inflicting a terrible wound. Using the knife as a dagger, he plunged it into her body again and again. There is a

believed was received while she was attempting to ward off the ferocious blows aimed at her body. When released from the grasp of the assailant the woman dropped to the ground with the blood pouring from her wounds.

The woman was taken to a hospital

of the attack made upon her. She is a man, and, unlike the other women murdered and mutilated in Whitechapel, she was in the company of the man who attacked her. She was passing along the street, when, with a warning, the assassin sprang upon her.

EXTRADITION CASE.
ATTEMPT TO ESTABLISH AN ALIBI FOR
ALLEGED FORGER.
OTTAWA, AUG. 8.—Messrs. W. C. Mer-

appeared before the Deputy Minister of Justice yesterday in the Harry Garbutt extradition case. Garbutt was on July 18 committed by Judge Morgan, of Toronto, for extradition to the State of Texas on a charge of forcing the endorsement of James Whittle on

Boughten & Co., bankers of Burton. The department thinks it is a case which necessitate much international correspondence owing to the present state of the extra law and the treaty between Great Brita

tensive forgeries and frauds have been committed by a gang which has been working in the western and southern states, but Gai's friends say that the detective in arrest is altogether on the wrong track. He is a British subject and a resident of Win-

are ready to swear that he was there the first five days of March, while the prosecution must fail unless he was in Texas on March 10.

DROWNING MYSTERY.

QUEBEC, Ont., Aug. 11.—The body of a young lady was found at seven o'clock this morning in the Niagara river, about 2 miles below the Lewiston wharf. She appeared to be about 20 years of age, about five feet tall, light brown hair and was

facings, and black silk skirt, buttoned ki
and black hose. A black silk parasol,
straw hat trimmed with artificial red rose
black jacket were found on the bank n
body. Foul play is suspected as the
was standing slightly bent in, about the

and tightly twisted under the throat signs of a struggle are visible on the shore about half way to the top of the bank. Two about twenty-five years of age, five feet inches tall and rather stout, are under

about fifty feet from where the body was seen. Two young ladies from Lewistown saw these two men and the deceased in company late yesterday afternoon. The man gave his name as Henry Daly and said they belonged formerly to Toronto.

SHOT BY A WOMAN.

Toronto, Aug. 6.—Francis Bolduc, a Canadian, was shot last night by Rhodora, and was killed. Rhodora was

and quarrelled with him. They exchanged blows, and Bolduc got Rhodes' jaw. While in this position Rhodes' daughter obtained a revolver and fired two shots at Bolduc, both of which took effect in his

MURDER AND ROBBERY.

and killed a depositor named Vander
Columbus Grove, this state, this mo
dangerously wounded two other men
\$1,500 and escaped.

The jury retired. Seth still sat with that strange, rigid face, and eyes which stared straight before him seeing nothing. There was some noise and confusion at the door, and a letter was handed from hand to hand until it reached Mr. Eliza.

He read it, dropped his face in his hands with a fervent "Thank God!" and then

stir. Old Mr. Bowler, who had been a leading prophet of evil things for many years, was so aroused as to forget his rheumatism and the other infirmities of advancing age; leaning upon his trusty cane moved about with unwonted activity to remind various persons that he had foretold this calamity long ago.

sion was arrived at have I ever allowed myself to reconsider the matter unless some element affecting the question hitherto noticed or unknown should be disclosed. Discipline was rigidly adopted in private as well as in public life, how many wrong steps might be avoided, and how many careers might be transformed.—*The Christian*,

alyzed. He has trained himself to rely with it when he rides, but that is not its usefulness. The arm is four inches from its fellow, and has a mal- and only rudimentary fingers. It is wholly limp that William has had to even place it on the hilt of a sword with his right hand. It is in this or else in the breast of his coat, that really carries it when out of the saddle photographs show it thus dis- placed. At the table he has a combined fork, which slides into each other, and with much dexterity, first to cut

tern facing forward, and propels
th one oar worked by his feet, and
a paddle held in the hands. We
fifty miles in twenty-four hours,
re was a strong head wind most of
The one boatman worked from
k one morning to the same hour
without sleeping. This is their



catarrh. It's faith in
that's behind the offer.
Thousands of the worst
everything else failed.
red, too. If you can't,
money. They're willing
—you ought to be glad
medicine.

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Martin Foley, tailor, of Quebec, was examined with reference to Enrieux in Murphy's three of the five Larkin, Connolly & Co. 55555. Thomas McGreevy asked Murphy to meet him and arrange for an election on the hand of a carpenter with Robert to join him this against the laborer works built by Larkin, Connolly & Co., as unnecessary, and had op-

ROBERT MCGREEVEY IN PAYMENT FOR THE WORK. MR. THOMAS MCGREEVEY TO-DAY ADMITTED THAT HE

HIS VERSION OF THE MARKSMANSHIP GUNNER

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was well known in St. Henri. He was in his sixty-second year, and father of Dr. A.

PIANOS

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was a memorandum with the money showing what was to be done with it. He did not

soon after Robert came to him and said the firm were willing to give \$20,000. He got

OTTAWA, Aug. 7.—Yesterday afternoon the cross-examination of Mr. Thos. McGreevy

\$20,000 are included in the \$250,000. The answer to the simplest question. Instead of

giving a "yes" or "no," the witness would

Abbe Dugas also refers in his correspondence to the child header, mentioned in these

was done by a note, H. L. L., for \$20,000

Aug. 2nd 1896, November, 1874. On June 9,

the witness told all through

the punishment, which was satisfactorily car-

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Greedy on polling day in 1887, and distributed it among a number of young men.

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he replied that he was. He trusted his brother in everything, and his brother managed his affairs. The witness testified that he never visited to check his brother's

READABLE PARAGRAPHS.



This micrograph shows a cross-section of a plant stem. The central vascular cylinder is prominent, surrounded by a ring of large, thin-walled cells. The outer layers of the stem are composed of smaller, more densely packed cells.



— (Glancing at his watch.) Hello! It's 8.35. Omaa, button up your coat and run. We've got just four minutes to catch that train in — Peck.

EXPLAINING AWAY SUSPICION.

Judge Gruffy—This address you give is that of an

THE BOWSERER MUST PAY.

There was wisdom in what the old man said—

had left a note to do what the school of one in its repetition may have an effect upon others. story comes from the Atlanta Constitution :—

A successful young business man of Atlanta, story reteller that is worth reproduction here, said that when he was a boy he had occasion to borrow \$200 on a gold watch, and went to secure the loan. He found there a venerable gentleman, whom he has since come to know as father of Mr. Darwin Jones. The old gentleman, very kindly to the boy, told him the bank did not money on watches, and referred him to the pawn on Peachtree street.

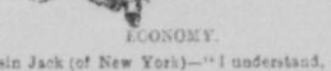
As the boy was gathering up the watch Mr. said slowly and earnestly:

"But if I were you I would not borrow that sum."

"Why?" was asked by the pale young man.

"Because—and every word weighed a pound—because you will have to pay it back."

THEY DIDN'T MENTION NEARINESS WHEN THEY
GAVE HIM A TICKET.



The captain of one of the steamships plying be-
tween Italy, which arrived at this point a few
days ago with over six hundred immigrants, tells a
startling story of a heated battle over food be-
tween one of them on the voyage across. They
had been out a few days and had accumulated
heavy seas. The first morning that calmer
prevailed one of the stowage passengers ap-
peared the first time above deck, and with a face as
white as sheet approached the captain.

"What has got to stop," he said angrily.

"What has?" asked the captain in surprise.

"This feeling of death. When I thought my
world had included meals but I can't eat now
down. Now it has got to stop, captain, or else
my passage money back. You cannot break my

It took all of the captain's ingenuity to pass during the rest of the trip.—*New York Herald*

A BRAVE POLICEMAN.

Why ex-Policeman Frazier of New York is not a member of the force still is a puzzle. One day this week he gave a demonstration of the fact that he is composed of the stuff of which heroes are made. Two dukes on a pleasure steamer in the harbor lost their valuable life-vests, and were in some danger of drowning had it not been for the gallant Frazier. He saw their peril at a glance, and with easy gracefulness he climbed down a large section of the vessel's iron railing and threw it over-board to keep them afloat. In doing this bravest Mr. Frazier lost his balance and went over-board himself. As he was the only one of the three who would not swim, and as the boatmen from sailing

He—She's a remarkable girl. She doesn't be-

"YOU HAVE EVERYONE," he cried, bitterly. "I will go to him alone. I will fight with him. My name shall be known and my crimes avenged." Then, she interrupted, "try again,"—*Christian at Work*.

A POSSIBLE SUGGESTION.

"I wonder what you Columbus has ideas that the world is round?"

"Somebody had swindled him, I suppose, and he saw it wasn't square."

"WHAT HAVE YOU got in the bag, Max?" "Er—er—ham,— sah-dah! I found about at the village."

And everybody that she is twenty-seven. Don't tell her for it!

Sue—No, because I know she is thirty.—*Littell's Living Age*.

"I TENSE, too, sir," said the salesman, "ought to have a complete set of Thackeray's!"

"All right," replied the other, "but don't forget Sue. That reduces the space how much? Thackeray's width?"—*Funch*.

CORRUPTED CONDITIONS.

"Let's see," said the woman. "What's been that sort used to have around here."

"Oh, he went to sea," said the shore. "stand by a good swell!"

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A well-dressed lady entered a western book store and inquired: "Have you Shakespeare's works?" The salesman, astonished, hastened to the rear of the store.

to be seeing the ladies," replied the professor.—"Now York State."

TO BE SEEN—NOT HEARD.

tion replied that they had "Longfellow's work and that he was not acquainted with a work of this writer by Shakespeare. The lady, who had made a mistake, then asking to be asked, somewhat pettishly: "Do you not Shakespeare's complete works in stock?" Two were shown her; one looked through them, and returned to find "Hawthorne." Noting that one was printed in more solid type than the one she said the editor had: "Well, I shall edit this morning, but I will be back this noon. And take care; I am intended to appear when the one to poetry or the one to prose." "Pardonably."

The HON. CARRIAGE makes his short ride to the

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Mr. Kierpach inquired: "You are the most beautiful bird I ever saw. It must be a great treat to hear you sing. Would you kindly favor me with—"

ARCHBISHOP TAIT'S HUMOR.

It is a pity, says the *Fall Moll Gazette*, that Archbishop Tait's biographers have too much occupied with high affairs of Church and State to give any full account of "early life humor. One or two instances which they allow themselves are very suggestive of humor. "Early one morning," says Dr. Davidson, "I received a message bidding me go to his dressing-room with the wispers-of-extract book. Knowing that to cover myself before breakfast was prohibited, I found him with his tailor, who was trying on some new cutters. He took the ponderous extract-book from under the door and said to me: 'Now, I have a

ree and wit, in an un-
without flattery. Point-

ing himself to the patient, he said to the tailor, who stood respectfully by, "I want you particularly to notice how the Irish public regards your case."

CUKED BY A DOCTOR'S BILL.

A Westchester doctor of the prominent opinion holds that a patient who refuses to pay for his services and gang for the doctor. The latter was in the same house. He called at his patient's room and diagnosed the man's condition as being a case of "cuked" powder and retired. The doctor called the next day to see how the patient (who he correctly judged to be a man of means) was getting on. During the day he called again and found the patient still "cuked" and was \$5. Five dollars a visit from a doctor living on the same floor with him in the same house was somewhat of a novelty.

A POWERFUL PROVOCATIVE.

Small Boy—"Mister, what you please come this age a minute?"

Professor Taber—"What fer, my little man?"

Small Boy—"Am Jimmy was readin' fer you a little while ago, an' we want to see if they's a book."

TABER'S CHAIR. But when he latched up one of the hard chairs, known as "Taber's," for his company, of world-wide reputation for fair and able dealing, it means business. Now, there are no more of these chairs, and the only ones left are of varnished and oiled-down porters, all crisscrossed with cracks and splinters, and they will bear in mind (for your own sake), the only one

all diseases that come from bad blood. The standing solitary and alone—sold on trial, is Dr. Golden Medical Discovery. If it doesn't do

When she had children, she gave them Can

"Then I would advise an Italian greyhound, mum. No matter how much you feed a greyhound, he stills stays sarrer."—*New York Weekly*.

