

It was reported yesterday that the Kibble Reformatory, Paisley, had been broken into and a considerable quantity of goods and money stolen. The thieves had scaled the boundary wall with a ladder. No trace of the thieves has been discovered.

SUICIDE AT ELDELSLIE.—Early yesterday morning the body of a man was found in Newton Woods, Elderslie, near Paisley, with his throat cut. The body was identified as that of James Paterson (24), engineer, belonging to Elderslie. He had been missing from his home all the previous day.

LAUNCH AT GREENOCK.—Messrs Scott & Co., Greenock, launched from their yard yesterday a twin-screw steamer for Rio de Janeiro. She is of 660 tons gross register, and was named "Itaya."

LAD KILLED AT BENT COLLIERY.—Yesterday forenoon, William Crawford (13), brass picker, lost his life at Bent Colliery. In proceeding to his breakfast, he attempted to pass under the scree between two sets of waggons a little apart. A sprag gave way from the full set, and they moved down on the others unseen to him. He crossed in a stooping position, but rising full length too quickly was caught and crushed between the buffers.