

BAKING POWDER

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ent was the result of the machinery
king and letting the metal drop into a
of water.

ne washout on the Lehigh Valley R.
t Voburg, 40 miles north of Wilkes-
s, Pa., Saturday evening was the most
trous in the history of the road. No
were lost, but the damage done was
derable. The Black Diamond express
bound and carrying New York and
delphia passengers from Buffalo was
at Mehoopany, a small station five
west of the Voburg tunnel. The
remained in the storm all night and
ay morning the passengers were
ferred to lighter cars and taken over
farvey's Lake branch.

aniel McDonald, of Mira, C. B., was
Monday afternoon at Caledonia pit.
s engaged in blasting and the shot
off prematurely. He leaves a wife
family at Springfield.

the New York Commercial Cable Co.
sued the following notice: "We are
d that the Siberian land lines are
in order, and that messages for
via Northern can be accepted with-
restriction."

feared that the Russian bark Nep-
Capt. Zetzkoff, which sailed from
cola, Fla., Aug 10, for Montevideo,
at in the recent storm. Pieces of the
of a vessel bearing the name "Nep"
were picked up on the outer beach
ta Rosa island several miles out.

British steamer Rosenath arrived
geton, Jan., Monday from Central
can ports and brought advices from
of continued and persistent attacks
rebels on the outskirts of Colon and
a. The belief is gaining ground that
Columbia government is weakening.

cases of small pox have developed
on since last Friday, one death has
ed and two cases are on the danger-
ous. The death is that of a child two
all years old, which was taken to
hospital by his father Sunday.
ther also had the disease, but did
w it.

vers were appointed at Baltimore,
Monday for the Parkton Lumber
y of Baltimore county, and the
ake Lumber company of that city
pplication of Charles E. Carkran,
er that he is the principal stock-
n both concerns. The petitions in
es allege that the companies are
because of misconduct and mis-
ment of former officers of the cor-
es interested.

Mohawk & Milons round house at
er, N. Y., was discovered to be on
30 Monday night. Watchmen Gil-
an engine tender name John
isted by residents of the vicinity
abers of the bridge building gang
ld to extinguish the flames. While
re fighting with the fire a large
ynamite stored in the building
d with terrific force killing Gilbert
k and four others who have not
identified. The roundhouse was
It is feared that there are other
the ruins.

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The one theme under discussion at the present
writing is the coming visit of the Royal party. And
for this grand event society people seem to be re-
servating all their surplus energy as quiet picnic
parties and other such informal affairs seem to be
the extent of the week's gaiety.

Few, if any, were surprised when the announce-
ment was made that the handsome residence of Mr.
P. McNutt on Queen Square and Caverhill Hall
the much admired property of Mr. Simon Jones
had been accepted by the city council as a fitting
abode for the Royal party during their visit. It
has now been definitely decided that the Duke and
Duchess and the ladies and gentlemen in waiting
shall occupy Caverhill Hall, while the other mem-
bers of the staff will be comfortably installed in the
MacNutt residence. The splendid architecture and
beautiful interior finishings of both buildings have
been much admired and it is unanimously agreed
that no more fitting place for the distinguished
visitors could have been selected.

In speaking of the coming visitors, the subject of
evening dress naturally presents itself to our
minds. As the period of court mourning for the
late queen has not yet expired the selection of
evening dresses for the reception etc., will have to
be confined to half mourning. But then many
pretty costumes can be arranged from the delicate
shades of lavender, lilac, grey or purple, all black
or black and white will also be much in evidence.

"Sunshine," the pretty Mr. Pleasant residence
of Mr. and Mrs. Silas Alward was the scene of
two charming social functions this week.

Fully two hundred invitations were issued for the
receptions given by Mrs. Alward on Tuesday and
Wednesday afternoons, at which Mr. and Mrs.
Eugene H. Turnbull were the guests of honor.

The drawing room, library and dining room
were decorated with masses of sweet peas and
other cut flowers, ferns and palms.

The presence of many gentlemen among the
guests added considerable pleasure to the occasion.
The toilettes of the ladies were chiefly dainty
summer creations and contrasted prettily with the
darker clothing of the sterner set.

Mrs. Alward was ably assisted in her pleasant
duties by several lady friends, who served the
guests with dainty refreshments.

Mrs. Ernest H. Turnbull will be at home on Wed-
nesday next from 4 to 7 at 128 Wright street.

The entertainment held at the residence of Mr.
Tos. Bullock at Westfield on Wednesday evening
in aid of the Little Girls' Home was a pleasant
success. The affair was under the personal
direction of Mrs. Edward Sears, and was particu-
larly enjoyed by many of the little folk of the neigh-
borhood. The vocal and instrumental music furnished
by Mr. Frank Hogan, Mr. H. Sears, Mr.
Arthur Bowman and Mr. Lively was also much
enjoyed.

Several ladies and gentlemen went out from
the city to attend the concert. The Westfield residents
were also in attendance.

Mrs. Edward Sears is arranging a masquerade
barn dance. It will probably come off next week,
although the evening has not as yet been definitely
decided upon.

Mrs. Crothers gave a small dancing party at her
summer cottage at Westfield on Wednesday even-
ing. Several American ladies and gentlemen were
present. Ices and refreshments were served and
dancing was kept up until quite a late hour.

St. John is being treated to plenty of good music
this summer. That people appreciate the thought-
fulness of the city bands and of the Tourist Associa-
tion is plainly evinced by the large numbers that
attend every open air concert.

For a few hours on Thursday afternoon the Golf
links were the scene of society and animation. The
day was an ideal one for golfing and the customary
weekly games were entered into with unusual zest.

Tea was served on the piazza, on the club houses
the several small tables used for that purpose being
prettily arranged with pink and white sweet peas.

Many St. John people were grieved to hear of
the death of Mrs. Julius Inches, which occurred
at Fredericton, on Monday morning. Mrs. Inches
was the daughter of the late Thomas Everett and
for many years resided in this city. Mrs. Inches

had only been seriously ill for a few days, although
her health has been gradually declining since the
death of her husband, about a year ago. Mrs.
Inches was a sister-in-law of Dr. Inches of Ger-
main street.

Miss Fogarty of New York has been spending
some weeks with her sister, Mrs. George Carville
Paddock street.

Mrs. R. F. Randolph of Fredericton spent part of
the week in town.

Mrs. R. Cole and daughter Miss Dorothy left this
week for Kentville and vicinity where they will
visit relatives.

Mrs. H. H. McLean and daughter Miss Elise, have
returned from their trip to Western Ontario.

Miss Marie Thomson who has been visiting in
St. Andrews is now the guest of Mrs. J. D. Chipman
at St. Stephen.

Miss Constance Chipman of St. Stephen was in the
city for a day this week, enroute to Charlottetown,
P. E. I. land.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Irvine of this city are spending
a few weeks at St. Andrews at the Algonquin.

Miss Jennie McLaughlin of Leinster street is
visiting Mrs. W. W. White, at "The Nest," Bathurst.

Miss Nellie Leck who formerly resided here but
now lives with her grandparents at Newcastle-on-
Tyne, England, arrived in the city this week and
will spend the winter with her sister, Mrs. A. E.
Prince. Miss Leck is being warmly welcomed by
her many young friends.

Mrs. Lizzie McInerney has returned from a long
and pleasant visit to Madawaska county. Miss
McInerney's friends are pleased to hear of her ap-
pointment to the permanent teaching staff of St.
Malachi's school. Miss Emily Barsley has been
appointed to the reserve staff of the same school.

Mrs. P. Murray and children who have been
summering at Baywater returned to the city this
week.

Mr. and Mrs. and Miss Lucille of Dorchester,
Mass., Miss Allingham of Boston. Mr. and Mrs.
Henderson and their daughter Miss Henderson,
spent Sunday with Miss Nicholls at her summer
home "Rose Merrin."

Mr. W. H. McAdams of East Boston is visiting in
the city, after an absence of twelve years. He is
accompanied by Mrs. McAdams, and they are the
guests of Mrs. J. R. Greer.

The garden party held on the beautiful Jewell
grounds at Lancaster Heights, on Tuesday after-
noon was well attended and quite a sum added to
the fund for memorial fountain which is to be
erected on Douglas Avenue by the North end W.
C. T. U.

Miss Edith McCallister has been enjoying a
vacation at Oranmore.

Mr. J. E. Horton formerly of this city but now of
Boston is spending a fortnight here.

Misses May Bell and Rose McCardie of Moncton,
who have been visiting friends here for the past
two weeks return to their home this afternoon.

Miss Kathryn Maher of New York is the guest
of her aunt Mrs. Andrew Maher, Brussels street.

Miss Bailey, Miss McKay and Mrs. Gross of the
Moncton public school staff were in the city for
several days this week.

Miss Stella Robinson who has been visiting
friends here for the past few weeks has returned to
her home at St. Stephen. She was accompanied by
Miss Minnie Stuart of this city, who will be her
guest for a short time.

Miss Wiggins of St. Andrews is the guest of
friends here.

Miss Julia Elliott, professional manicurist has
returned from a professional trip to Nova Scotia.

Miss Joseph of Parrsboro, N. S. is here visiting
Mrs. David Hudson.

Miss Petch of Liverpool, N. S. is the guest of
friends in the city.

Mrs. E. S. Carter and children have returned from
a pleasant stay at Loch Lomond.

Miss Naraway of the High School staff sailed
from the old country for home on Thursday last.

The Baptist convention held in the city this
week was in every way successful. A large num-
ber of visiting delegates attended each meeting.
The dinner and tea served by the ladies of the
different Baptist churches throughout the city each
day, was a pleasing feature of the convention, and
added much to the entertainment of the visitors.

The private picnic given by the young men of St.
Joseph's Society on Wednesday afternoon, is said
to have passed off in a delightful manner. The day
was beautiful and the sail on the river much en-
joyed. Dinner and tea were served on the beach,
and the dancing and boating indulged in to their
fullest extent.

A party of young ladies and gentlemen enjoyed a
pleasant drive to the vicinity of McLaren's Beach
on Tuesday afternoon. Supper was served on the
beach and the outing much enjoyed by the merry
crowd.

A buckboard drive to Red Head is among the
affairs arranged for next week. The outing will no
doubt prove a pleasant one.

Mrs. Thomas Mortimore left today for her home
in London, Ont. Mrs. Mortimore has many friends
who regret her leaving St. John.

ANNAPOLIS.

Aug. 22.—The Rev H. D. de Blois is home again
after his trip to Lunenburg.

Miss McLaughlin is staying with her sister, Mrs.
de Blois.

Dr. George de Witt and Mrs. de Witt of Wolfville
were in town on Monday.

Rev. Canon M. V. Ward is a guest at the rectory.

Miss E. de la Port of Middletown, spent Sunday
with J. H. Mills.

Mrs. J. M. O'Connell returned from Yarmouth this
week.

Mrs. F. C. Whitten and family are camping at
Lamb's Lake.

Miss Debbie of Fredericton is visiting Miss
Chapman.

Mr. and Mrs. James Harris who have been visit-
ing Mr. Bennett Harris returned to New York.

The Misses Redden of Boston are on their annual
visit to Annapolis.

Mrs. H. G. Atwood of Boston is visiting Mr. James
Howe, Le Quille.

Miss Florrie Buckler is spending a week at Par-
adise, the guest of Miss Leta Cole.

Miss May Bishop is visiting friends in Wey-
mouth.

Miss Helen Cole, of Moncton now visiting at
Wolfville spent Sunday with her friend, Miss E. de
Leavitt.

Mrs. Stalling, who with her family have spending
a few weeks at Evangeline Beach, is now visiting
her brother, E. de Redden at Glace Bay.

Mrs. Y. M. J. is the guest of Mrs. E. de Withers
Granville.

Mrs. de Blois, accompanied by her sister Miss
Ethel McLaughlin has returned home from Lunen-
burg, after a pleasant visit of nearly five weeks.

Miss Hazel King is attending the camp meetings
at Berwick.

Mrs. Joseph Riordan, daughter of A. H. Riordan,
has entered Mt. St. Vincent Convent, Halifax, as a
sister of Charity.

Harry Cole, the popular proprietor of the Aber-
deen Hotel, Kentville, and Mrs. Cole, were guests
of the Queen over Sunday.

Harry Edwards arrived home from Boston Satur-
day on a visit to his wife and parents the former of
whom has been visiting here some time.

Dr. and Mrs. Parker and daughter of St. Andrews,
N. B., have been visiting here.

The Misses Redmond are at Hillsdale.

Mr. Lewis Amon of the Union Bank is spending
his holidays with Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Arnold.

The Misses Harrington of Medford, Mass., are in
Halifax.

Miss Helen Cole of Moncton, spent Sunday in
town the guest of Miss Ethel Leavitt.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Godfrey of Yarmouth were
here recently staying with Mrs. S. B. Godfrey.

Miss Grace Robinson went to Halifax last week.

Miss Tobin of Fergus, Ont., who has been visit-
ing Miss Edith Robinson left on Saturday accom-
panied as far as Digby by her friend.

Mrs. Patton and her three sons are visiting friends
in St. John.

Miss Debbie, who is the guest of Miss Chipman
went to Round Hill on Wednesday, returning
Thursday.

Mrs. E. D. Arnold gave a pleasant afternoon tea
last week.

Miss Barbara Ritchie entertained her young
friends on Monday.

Dr. and Mrs. de Witt, of Wolfville, who are on a
riding tour, spent a few hours in town today and
were the guests of Mrs. Savary.

Mrs. Hunt and daughter left for Halifax last
week.

Mrs. John Harris returned from Weymouth last
week.

ST. GEORGE.

Aug. 21.—The marriage of Miss Mary Leavitt,
McGee and Mr. George Albert Craig was solemnized
on Tuesday evening in St. Mark's church at
8.30. Long before that hour the church was filled
to overflowing and the crowd spread to the
grounds. The bride was gowned in a lovely
though simple dress of white organdy and the train
of the bride was trimmed with lilies of the valley a veil
fastened with the same flowers and a beautiful bou-
quet completed a charming bridal toilette.

The ceremony was performed by the rector Mr.
Lynds. Mrs. Thomas Barry presided at the organ.
Mr. John McCormick, Mr. James Grey and Mr.
Edward McElr were the ushers.

Rev. Mr. Lavers and Mr. Chipman, McAdams,
are attending the Baptist convention which con-
venes at Moncton.

Rev. Mr. Mianman is visiting friends in town
this week.

Rev. Mr. Goucher and family who have been
summering at Mascarene have returned to St.
Stephen.

Mrs. G. Vin of Boston is spending a short time in
town.

PARRSBORE.

During this month Radrick's Beach hotel has
been filled to its utmost capacity, fresh arrivals
taking the place of those who leave. The visitors
are mostly from the United States but a number
are from Halifax, Truro, Kentville, Amherst and
other places. Among the Halifax people are Col-
onel and Mrs. Stuart who came the first of the
month.

Miss May Townsend who has been a guest at
her uncle's went to Amherst on Wednesday. Dr.
Townsend and Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Townsend
spent Sunday and Monday at Canning with Judge
Townsend and his family.

An entertainment given by members of the R.
Catholic congregation consisting of short plays in-
terpersed with music, on last Friday evening in St.
George's Hall was very enjoyable and well patron-
ized.

On the preceding Tuesday evening there was a
pleasant garden party at the rectory grounds, the
object being to add to church funds.

A beautiful brass lectern has recently been placed
in St. George's church, the generous gift of Mrs. N.
A. Coster, St. John.

Capt and Mrs. Nordby went to St. John on Wed-
nesday.

The outings of the Presbyterian and Baptist Sun-
day schools on different days were to Cape D'Or.
A schooner and steam tug each time conveyed the
party.

Miss Guilford is at home from St. Margaret's Hos-
pital Boston, for a short stay.

Mr. and Mrs. Stuart Jenks and child are at the
Grand Central for a few weeks.

Miss Jessie Young who has been here for a few
weeks returned to Cornwallis on Saturday.

Mr. F. Young is staying at Hotel Cumberland.
His many friends are glad to see him again in
Parrsboro.

Mrs. E. R. Reid gave a progressive whist party
one evening last week for the pleasure of her guests
Mrs. Reid and Miss Falkner, Windsor.

Mr. E. R. Reid is away on his holidays, his du-
ties in the Commercial Bank in the meantime being
taken by Mr. Murray. A new clerk in this bank
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Mr. Blair Mosher, who was one of the party of
sixteen young men from here who went to Mani-
toba.

Mrs. C. R. Smith is visiting her sister Mrs. J. L.
Henderson.

Mr. and Mrs. Audrey Upham and child, of St.
Stephen are on a visit to Mr. Upham's parents.
Miss Newson of Oxford has been staying with
her aunt, Mrs. Vickery.