

## LOCAL AND PROVINCIAL.

Seventeen marriages and 28 births were recorded during last week.

C. R. Murray has the contract of plumbing in connection with Robert Will's new residence on Duke street.

A train containing about 600 western bound immigrants passed through the city from Halifax between 3 and 4 o'clock this morning.

The number of burial permits issued last week were seven, death being caused by: Uraemia, mania, tuberculosis, heart disease, acute bronchitis, pericarditis, aneurism, cerebral hemorrhage, one each.

Rev. H. F. Waring, pastor of Brunswick street Baptist church, will occupy the pulpit of Tremont Temple, Boston, on the last Sunday in July and the first Sunday in August.

Mrs. Amanda Smith, the famed colored evangelist, will arrive at Brown's Hall Wednesday to take part in the camp meeting. The meetings are being largely attended.

Rev. G. B. MacDonald has accepted the pastorate of the Grand Manan Reformed Baptist church, there in number, and will enter on his duties immediately after the close of the camp meetings at Brown's Hall.

Much complaint is being made by travelers on the Red Head road of cows being allowed at large there and greatly interfering with travel. It is intimated that if cow-owners do not take better care of them, some will be summarily placed in the pound.

A large area of coal fields at Newmarket, Queens county, is being stripped by Senator King and his son who expect to ship several thousand tons within a few months. This place is about 15 miles from Chipman and a large force of men are at present employed perfecting the drainage etc. A store and houses will also be built.

The body of Arthur Haydon, who was drowned a few days ago at Calgary (N. W. T.) has been recovered. A telegram to this effect was received Friday by C. Leiford, secretary of the Sons of England, from James Dunes, president of the Sons of England at Calgary. Mr. Leiford is a Canadian by birth and was for a considerable period advertising manager of the Winnipeg Telegram. From Winnipeg he went to the Pacific coast, and eventually to Honolulu, where he has labored with much success.

Among the Canadian registered at the high commissioner's office, London, during the week ending July 23 were: Mrs. R. T. Clinch, Miss Constance Annand, Mrs. J. Lewis, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Nevins, Miss E. Roots, Herbert J. Smith, Dr. George P. Chisholm, St. John, B. B. L. J. and Mrs. Towse, Chas. M. Miss Osburn, St. Andrews; Miss Eleanor Povey, Mrs. and Miss Twining, H. C. Leish, Fredericton; H. L. Landry, Dorchester; Geo. R. and Mrs. Parkin, Toronto.

## SEM-WEEKLY TELEGRAPH'S PICTURE PUZZLE



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### MARSDEN DEATH INQUIRY.

**M. V. Paddock Making Analysis of Stomach of Former York County Man.**

M. V. Paddock returned Saturday from Medicine, York county, where he had been in connection with the enquiry into the death of John Marsden. Paddock had been with the church in the Sabbath school and of all who connected themselves with the church. During the past three years 28 canons from St. John's had been with the church in the Sabbath school and of all who connected themselves with the church. During the past three years 28 canons from St. John's had been with the church in the Sabbath school and of all who connected themselves with the church. During the past three years 28 canons from St. John's had been with the church in the Sabbath school and of all who connected themselves with the church.

## PASTORS' FAREWELL.

Three City Ministers Say Good-bye to Congregations.

Rev. George Steel completed his five years' pastorate at Portland Methodist church Sunday, when, in an eloquent sermon, he took formal farewell of his congregation. His concluding words dealt with his relations to the church as a pastor, relations which had been of most happy and harmonious. In all departments, with church officers, the Sunday school and its officers, the church societies and the choir, all had been amity and mutual good will. He had been sustained by their loyal attitude and encouraged by their support.

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Rev. J. D. Freeman preached in German street Baptist church Sunday to a large congregation. At the conclusion of his service he referred to the closing of his pastorate, as follows: "It is now time to say a farewell word. I will be brief as my pastorate has been. I cannot forget the 15 saying goodbye to you. I am also saying goodbye to my brethren in the maritime provinces. The people of the maritime provinces have been very kind to me and have given me a large place in the work. For eight years it has been my privilege to preach the gospel within a day's journey of my birthplace. The people have been good to me and no others will ever be quite so dear, as I leave a large part of my heart here. I will be brief as my pastorate has been. I cannot forget the 15 saying goodbye to you. I am also saying goodbye to my brethren in the maritime provinces. The people of the maritime provinces have been very kind to me and have given me a large place in the work. For eight years it has been my privilege to preach the gospel within a day's journey of my birthplace. The people have been good to me and no others will ever be quite so dear, as I leave a large part of my heart here.

The comparative statement of the inland land revenue collected at St. John, N. B., for the fiscal year, compared with last year, is:—

	1900-1901	1901-1902
July	\$22,319.15	\$22,889.32
August	18,184.02	22,796.31
September	13,796.23	20,618.01
October	22,945.14	24,266.42
November	23,029.91	24,777.79
December	23,388.94	21,259.94
January	16,616.83	20,419.09
February	16,286.22	18,271.67
March	17,713.33	21,020.17
April	21,311.21	24,427.68
May	25,654.24	25,300.22
Total	\$254,402.51	\$299,251.10
Increase	\$14,848.58	

Rev. George A. Sellar, of Carmichael street Methodist church, preached his farewell sermon Sunday night to a very large congregation. After preaching an inspiring sermon he spoke of the many blessings that had been bestowed upon the church during the three years of his pastorate. The men who composed the church body and the trustees were sent the preacher, one of the right stamp. They had given him loyal support and hearty co-operation. They had labored with credit to themselves and he believed, to the honor of God. He considered the church should be congratulated on having such a body of men. He wished his congregation the richest blessings of God. Rev. Mr. Sellar will leave Thursday for Granville (P. E. I.), to assume the pastorate of the church at that place. His successor here is Rev. Mr. Hamilton, who vacates the pulpit at Acadia.

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## BOLD BURGLARY.

NORTH END HOME ENTERED—\$137.55 SECURED.

John and Patrick Rogers, of Millidge Street, the Losers—Thief Evidently Familiar with Premises.

A most daring robbery was perpetrated in the North End between 9 and 10 o'clock Saturday night, resulting in the loss of \$137 to the family of Patrick Rogers, Millidge street. It seems that between the hours named Mrs. Rogers had occasion to go on some errand away from her home. She locked the door with a key which she then hung in the vestibule. She left no person in the rooms. On returning the door was locked, but before very long it was discovered that a box in which Patrick Rogers had placed \$137, was stolen and that the cash was missing. Further investigation revealed that a thief belonging to John Rogers, Patrick's brother, had been searched.

In this trunk John had \$7.35. This money was also missing. The police were immediately acquainted with what had occurred. There is an inclination to think that whoever entered the house had taken pains to ascertain information that would make an entry and subsequent search for valuables thoroughly successful. Mr. Rogers works in the I. C. R. freight shed. John Rogers lives with his brother.

**DIED IN ENGLAND.**

**William Clark, the Great Thread Manufacturer, Passes Away—His Wife Well Known Here.**

William Clark, of Largs, Scotland, formerly of Newark (N. J.), where he was the head of the Clark Thread Company, died last night at Caledon, Portland, in England. He had been seriously ill at Bath for several weeks but had so far recovered that he was able last week to be taken to the yacht, the Sparhawk, at Southampton. It was hoped that a yachting cruise, his favorite pastime, would complete the recovery. His wife, the daughter of the late Rev. Dr. Waters, is well known in St. John.

**Fallen-Richardson.**

A very pretty wedding was the scene of a holy matrimony on Wednesday evening the 2nd inst. at 7:45 o'clock, when William J. Parton, bookkeeper with the Imperial Cigarette and Tobacco Company, for the past seven years was united in holy matrimony to Miss Bertha Richardson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James A. Richardson, Millidge Lane, Rev. J. W. Walden tied the nuptial knot. The bride was dressed in a gown of white silk with white lace and carried a bouquet of white roses. She was given away by her brother-in-law, Mr. A. Richardson, and the bridesmaid, Miss Clara Farnham, of Boston, sister of the bride, was second bridesmaid. The bridesmaid wore a gown of white lace and black tulle and carried a bouquet of pink roses.

**Funeral Directors' Meeting.**

The executive of the Funeral Directors' Association met at Charlotte town Tuesday. All clergymen of the maritime provinces are to be honorary chaplains. Secretary-Treasurer F. W. Wallace, of St. John, was elected president. A meeting of the board of directors was held after the general meeting. W. H. Murray was elected president. Mr. Wallace, who is now in full operation and employs 40 men. Already they have had to work overtime to fill the orders received.

## RESTIGOUCHE BOOM.

Fishery Officer in the City Tells of Very Successful Season.

Alexander Mowat, fishery officer from Campbellton, is in the city. Mr. Mowat states there has been the greatest catch of salmon ever known on the north shore, some angling parties, comprising four or five rods, have landed 200 salmon and individual rods, 60 to 70 fish. Salmon of 30 and 36 pounds are common, a few running as high as 40 pounds. The weather has been very cold, and rivers most favorable for angling—so the present is a boom time on the Restigouche. Mr. Mowat has inspected the Carleton pool, several hundred salmon having already been obtained and confined there for hatching purposes. He will also inspect other hatcheries before returning north.

In connection with the catch of a big salmon by E. V. Rourke in the Restigouche the other day, a Campbellton letter states that more interest would attach to the story, if one tackle Mr. Rourke used was described. He continues: "He borrowed from a Dalhousie hotel keeper an outfit which the hotel man kept for loaning parties, consisting of an out-of-date and much the worse for wear trout rod, an antiquated multiplying reel and the use that was furnished with the outfit as positively rotten. I tried it myself and readily broke it with my hands."

**Movements of Bank Officials.**

R. E. Ingram, of the Bank of Nova Scotia, St. John, has returned from a month's vacation at his home, North Sydney.

L. B. C. McMan, of the Bank of Nova Scotia, will leave this morning for his vacation.

Andrew July 5—G. A. White, manager of the People's Bank, at Woodstock, was here on Friday and decided to open an agency here. J. G. Dickinson, of Hartland, who has for some months been stationed at Halifax, has been appointed agent, and a room has been engaged as a temporary office. Upon the completion of the new record office the bank will occupy half of the lower flat of that building. Mr. Dickinson is well satisfied with the patronage the bank is receiving.

Harry Davis, of the Bank of Montreal, Chatham (Ont.) is spending his vacation in Moncton.

R. C. McLean, teller of the Merchants' Bank of P. E. Island in this city, left this morning for Sydney, where he has been appointed manager of the branch in that town, vice Mr. C. J. Stewart resigned. Will Davidson has been advanced to the position of teller in the bank here—Charles Lewis, formerly of the Bank of Nova Scotia, is spending his vacation in Moncton.

Geoffrey Stead, who has severed his connection with the staff of the Bank of Montreal, left Saturday for Moncton to accept a position with the firm of A. F. Riddie & Co., bankers and brokers.

Trueman Bents, who has filled the position of teller of the Royal Bank at Acadia Mines, left Thursday, July 3rd, to join the staff of the Bank at Halifax—Trueman Bents.

John S. Lewis, of the Toronto branch of the Bank of Nova Scotia, was a passenger by the Prince of Wales last night, and will spend his vacation in the city, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Johnson, Charlottetown.

Mrs. Foran, wife of J. B. Foran, president of the First National Bank of Chicago, and family arrived here Thursday evening and will spend the summer in Halifax, having taken for the summer, furnished, Mrs. O'Brien's residence on South Park street, that lady having gone to the Arm for a few months. Mr. Foran and his eldest son are expected here early in August and will remain a few weeks.

**First New Potatoes Received.**

A small consignment of new potatoes, the first arrivals in the market, were received Monday by D. J. Purdy, M. P. P., from Jemess, where they were raised by C. H. Purdy. They were first-rate specimens and the potato fields are said to be looking very well, despite the lot of wet land. The hay crop is also looking well, and the country promises well, and also, but backward is said to be generally backward and disappointing for lack of sun.

Snakes have no eyelids at all and birds no true eyelids. The latter are, however, provided with a membrane which can be drawn down over the eye.

## DISASTROUS FIRES ON MOUNT PLEASANT.

James Reed's Residence Guttured, Also St. John Ice Company's Storehouse—Details of the Conflagrations.

A fire broke out about 4:30 o'clock Friday afternoon, resulting in the devastation of the late James Reed's residence No. 97 Mount Pleasant avenue—one of the city's oldest and most picturesque homes. In addition to this a building containing a large quantity of ice, the property of the St. John Ice Company, and standing in the rear of the Reed home, was completely destroyed. This ice house was a common double section wooden barn, about 40x50 feet, at the junction of Sandy Point road and the entrance road to Lily Lake and Rockwood park. To the right, across the lake, is an almost precipitous slope, with a dense growth of brush and trees. On the summit was a fence and on the level above stood a barn and about 50 feet adjacent stood the Reed homestead. Shortly after 4:30 o'clock the children of Mr. Adams, whose home is on Sandy Point Road, noticed smoke coming from the ice house. They notified their father and the neighbors. A brisk northwesterly wind was blowing and the flames, practically in possession, rapidly increased in size and the ice that was furnished with the outfit as positively rotten. I tried it myself and readily broke it with my hands."

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**SLAUGHTER HOUSES.**

Deplorable State of Some of the Places—Resolution re Patrick Gleeson's Death.

The monthly meeting of the slaughter house commissioners was held Friday afternoon. After the routine business had been transacted, Inspector Simon submitted his report for June, which showed the killing done at the different slaughter houses, as follows:—

	Cattle	Sheep	Calves
John Damerly	82	17	12
John McCarthy	104	89	39
Kane & McGrath	69	58	28
M. J. Collins	19	10	19
P. O'Connor	10	60	18

Inspector Simon also reported that he had visited St. Martin's June 29, to make an inquiry into a complaint made to him that cattle were being killed by parties who did not hold a license from the board. On investigation he found that the offence had been committed last summer, and they have not done any killing since. The following resolution was adopted:—

"The commissioners of public slaughter houses, St. John (N. B.)

"Sir—Your committee appointed at the June meeting to submit a resolution of condolence to the late Commissioner Gleeson, beg to submit the following:—

"Whereas it has pleased God to remove from our midst our late member, Patrick Gleeson, Esq., he be therefore

"Resolved, that by the death of Commissioner Gleeson the commission has lost a most useful member, who, for 25 years, faithfully attended to the duties of his office. The commission has on many occasions appreciated the value of his counsel, and the exaltitude demanded by him in regard to every detail affecting its working has been no inconsiderable factor in its successful government from within. We therefore deplore his loss as a member, public spirited citizen and friend; and further

"Resolved, that they be entered on the minutes.

"Yours, etc.,

"JAS. H. FRINK,

"W. H. SHAW,

"Committee."

**Beulah Camp Meetings.**

Beulah Camp, July 4—The services at the camp meeting are in full swing, and the attendance is increasing daily. Rev. H. F. Reynolds and wife, with all the Reformed Baptist preachers present, are carrying on the work. Mrs. Anna Smith, the colored evangelist, may possibly be present to have part in the services on Sunday, but may not arrive until the first of the week, and will remain until the close of the camp meeting.

In the celebration of his birthday an Englishman, 81 years old, invited 16 guests, all older than himself. The united ages of the host and guests amounted to more than 1,400 years.

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