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LEAVE YOUR WOOL with W. T. Harris to be carded. He guarantees satisfaction and your wool will be returned in one week.

THE HOUSEHOLD EFFECTS of Rev. Jos. McCoy are to be sold at St. Andrew's Church Manse on Wednesday next.—See advt.

RIFLE COMPETITION:—On Tuesday next at 9 a.m., the annual competition of the Northumberland County Rifle Association will take place at Wellington Range.

MIRAMICHI MARBLE WORKS:—If you are looking for the right kind of cemetery work, we are quoting prices that will draw the order from your inside vest pocket.

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NEW HIGHWAY ACT:—Forms under the new Highway Act are for sale at the ADVANCE OFFICE.

DON'T FORGET the grand millinery opening at the Bouquet on Wednesday and Thursday, 29th and 30th.

JOSIE NOONAN.

THE "ADVANCE" is for sale at Johnson's Bookstore, and the Circulating Library, Desmond building, next door to the Telephone Exchange.

DAMAGED:—Barque Adele Accame, Capt. Tassino, from Chatham, N. B., has arrived at Cardiff with damage to bows, having been in collision with a steamer supposed to be the Harpalus.

THE SEASON:—During Monday night and Tuesday the wind blew a regular gale from the northwest and the weather was extremely cold. During Tuesday we had a slight flurry of snow, the first of the season.

BLOWN DOWN:—The gale of Tuesday blew down the old coal shed on the Muirhead wharf, so called, which is now the property of Messrs. A. & R. Loggie. It was used as a storehouse by some of the towns people and several old wagons came to grief in it.

B. & F.—The annual meeting of the Miramichi Branch of the B. & F. Bible Society will be held in Temperance Hall Chatham, on Wednesday Oct. 6th at 2 o'clock p.m. Collectors will please report in time.

FIRE AT THE SNOWBALL MILL BURNER:—During the gale on Tuesday, sparks from Senator Snowball's mill burner set fire to the fence on the bank of the river. But little damage was done, as the fire was quickly put out.

EARTHQUAKE SHOCK:—Quite a severe earthquake shock was felt at Brownville, Me., and vicinity on Saturday afternoon. The houses trembled, dishes rattled and people ran out into the streets in terror. The shock lasted over a minute.

THE GOVERNOR GENERAL'S car with sleeper attached remained over at Derby Junction on Sunday on their way to Moncton. On Sunday afternoon Lord and Lady Aberdeen and Lady Marjorie attended services at St. Mark's Episcopal Church, Nelson.

TURNED UP:—Mr. Harry Costigan, collector of Inland Revenue at Winnipeg, who mysteriously disappeared several weeks ago, has at last turned up. It appears that he left Winnipeg on official business but being prostrated by sickness went to an hospital at St. Paul for treatment.

AN ACADIA STUDENT:—Miss Sadie Durkee, M. A. of Digby has been offered the chair of Latin and English in Jackson College, Jackson, Miss., and will leave for the southland in a few days. Miss Durkee took high rank as a student while at Acadia.

INCORPORATION:—Newcastle's ratepayers are soon to vote on the question of incorporating their town, as a petition for the purpose under the Towns Incorporation Act has been placed in the hands of High Sheriff Call and the date of holding the poll will, doubtless, be soon announced.

MRS. HARRISON, the famous Canadian prima donna, is coming to Chatham and will give a concert in Masonic Hall on Friday, 8th October. Full particulars will be given next week. The plan of the hall will be at Mackenna's drug store and sale of reserved seats will begin on Saturday, 2nd October.

W. C. T. U.—The Northumberland convention of this Association, at their annual meeting elected the following officers for the ensuing year:—

President—Mrs. S. McLeod.
Vice President—Dr. A. L. Brown.
Cor. Secretary—Mrs. Jas. Troy.
Rec. Secretary—Miss Falconer.
Treasurer—Mrs. Park.

ORDAINED:—The Rev. J. J. McLaughlin, who has been studying for the priesthood at the Grand Seminary, Montreal, was ordained in the Pro-cathedral yesterday morning. There was a large congregation, including a number of the priests of the diocese present to witness the ceremony. His father, who at present resides in New York, was also in attendance.

LUCKILY DISCHARGED:—A Vancouver dispatch to the Toronto World says that Sergeant Haywood, who lost his position on the Vancouver police force about a year ago, and who went to the Yukon when the gold fever sprang up, is now returning to Vancouver from Dawson City, bringing with him $60,000 in gold of the $150,000 he is said to have made since going to the Yukon. Mr. Haywood belongs to Elmdale, P. E. I.

SHAKESPEARIAN RECITALS: Miss Williams, of New York, one of the well known family of Shakespearian readers, gave a recital of "The Winter's Tale" in Oddfellows' Hall, Chatham, on Monday evening, and one of the same play in St. Andrew's school room, Newcastle, on Tuesday evening. We regret very much that the ADVANCE representative was unavoidably prevented from being present, as good judges who were there agree that the entertainments were excellent.

HALIFAX EXHIBITION:—The Halifax exhibition was opened by Lord Aberdeen on Tuesday 28th, before a large concourse of spectators. The grounds are well laid out and cover thirty acres of land. After an opening address of welcome by Hon. J. W. Longley, president of the exhibition commission his excellency Lord Aberdeen spoke. His remarks were of a congratulatory nature dwelling upon the benefits derived from such expositions. Other notables followed with extended remarks.

MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS:—It is said that the town or parish clerks in several parishes of Northumberland failed to give the notice of the elections required by law and that complications have risen in consequence. Amongst those who seem to be elected by acclamation however, are Messrs. Wm. L. Allain and Jas. W. Anderson for Alnwick, Nicholas Cunningham and Jas. F. Connors for Chatham, D. Morrison and L. Doyle for Newcastle and E. Hayes and B. Reynolds for Nelson.

SKILFUL OPERATION:—The St. John Sun of last Thursday says:—

"Dr. W. H. Irvine recently performed upon the eldest daughter of Wm. Davis of Boiestown an operation the object of which was to prevent the child from suffocation, due to membranous croup. In order to operate in this instance it was necessary to open the windpipe and introduce a tube through which the child must breathe. The doctor is highly gratified with the result, as the child is entirely out of danger."

THE COUNTY EXHIBITION at Chatham, on Thursday next, under the auspices of Northumberland Agricultural Society No. 9 promises to be a good one. Intending visitors as well as exhibitors will not forget that the Canada Eastern and Intercolonial Railways, as well as the Miramichi Steam Navigation Company are to carry excursionists to Chatham from all points within the County at one fare and bring and return exhibits at the rate of freight for one way only. The secretary is prepared to furnish entry blanks to intending exhibitors from all parts of the County, on application.

"PROGRESS" SOLD.—There is quite a difference between the demand for Bank of New Brunswick stock and the demand for a fully equipped printing office and newspaper if one can judge from the lack of interest by speculators at Chubb's corner today. Mr. Geo. W. Gerow offered for sale the plant consisting of presses, type and everything else connected with Progress, including of course the right to publish said paper. There was one solitary bid of $4,500, and the property was knocked down to Mr. W. H. T. Fenety. The paper has been running for nearly ten years under Mr. E S. Carter's ownership and management. Mr. Geo. E. Fenety held the mortgage. [Globe of 24th.

ENTERTAINED:—On Tuesday the ladies of St. Andrew's church very kindly entertained the members of Presbytery and a number of their friends at a sumptuous dinner, and an equally elaborate tea in the hall of St. Andrew's church. Dinner was served at one o'clock and tea at half past five. The incident manifested a great deal of kindness, saved a great deal of time and afforded the members of Presbytery a fine opportunity for a happy social time. The ladies received a hearty vote of thanks. A round of speeches followed the tea and we heard one member who held a section of pie in one hand and a bunch of grapes in the other declare that he was too busy appreciating the bounty of the ladies to waste time in speech making.

FORESTRY IN ONTARIO:—Mr. Thomas Southworth, Clerk of the Ontario Forestry has issued his second annual report. According to this report, the area of land in Ontario that has been cut over and is now unproductive, is very large, and Mr. Southworth considers that under a system of rational forestry the million dollars, or thereabouts, now received yearly in revenue from the great forests of the Province could be materially increased. The report, in addition to a general survey of the Crown Lands Forestry problem, also treats of some aspects of it as affecting farmers, and includes papers on entomology by Dr. Brodie, and on the manufacture of charcoal by Mr. A. Kirkwood. We are glad that the subject of the preservation of the forests in the Province of Ontario is attracting attention, and we hope that good will result from it.

FATAL ACCIDENT:—Last Saturday morning, about half-past five o'clock, just before the night crew was to have stopped work in the Snowball mill, a piece of wood larger than usual became jammed in the "scraper," or automatic device which conveys the refuse from the saws to the burners. Arthur Pelly, one of the most active and efficient of the mill hands, went to clear the obstruction, using an axe in doing so, and when he had about accomplished the task, directed a boy to throw on the belt to again start the scraper. His directions were carried out, but the scraper again jammed and threw the belt, but this time it was found that by some means poor Pelly had not got clear but was drawn into the carrier and his body much bruised and broken, so that he died very quickly, almost before he could be extricated. He was about 30 years old, a native of St. John's, Newfoundland, and came here about three years ago, bringing his family with him. He and his father have been recently engaged in erecting a dwelling here, and he took great interest in making for himself a home in the town, and was looking forward hopefully to the future, when his life was so sadly and suddenly ended. He leaves a widow and two little girls. The funeral took place at four o'clock on Sunday afternoon and was very largely attended.

DEATH OF MRS. THOS. FLANAGAN:—The sympathy of the community is very generally extended to Mr. Thomas Flanagan in the death of his estimable wife, which took place at their residence—The Adams House of which Mr. Flanagan is proprietor—on Sunday morning last about half past nine o'clock. Mrs. Flanagan had been confined to her room for about three months suffering from heart failure and general weakness and, four days before her death, she had an attack of congestion of the lungs, from which her attending physician, Dr. Macdonald, and others of the medical profession, at once said she could not recover, so that while her death was comparatively sudden it was not entirely so. Mrs. Flanagan will be much missed in the social and church circle in which she moved, and of which she was a valued member. Her sympathies were wide and her charitable deeds many, while her domestic virtues won for her the esteem of all who knew her home life.

The funeral, under the direction of undertaker Hackett, took place at 10 a.m. on Tuesday and was largely attended by all classes. The pall bearers were Messrs. Jas. F. Connors, Chas. A. Cassidy, W. T. Harris, W. C. Winslow, Thos. Crimmen, R. H. Anderson, R. A. Murdoch and A. S. Ullock. A solemn Requiem High Mass was sung with His Lordship Bishop Rogers, celebrant; Revds. Henry T. Joyner, deacon, and T. H. Ellison, sub-deacon. Rev. Father Joyner preached the funeral sermon. The floral tributes were very beautiful.

PERSONAL:—Mr. J. T. Reid, of the Campbellton Telephone staff, has been spending a vacation at his Chatham home.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Reilly arrived in Chatham Saturday morning from Hotel Frontenac, Quebec, being called here on account of the serious illness of Mrs. Reilly's sister, Mrs. Thomas Flanagan.

In the absence of Mr. Smith this week, Mr. J. J. Pierce had editorial charge of the ADVANCE. Indeed it would be difficult for either the ADVANCE, World or Advocate to do without the veteran journalist when their regular editors are called out of town.

Everybody in Chatham will regret Rev. Joseph McCoy's determination to adhere to his resignation of the charge of St. Andrew's Church. He has won general esteem as a man and minister since coming here, and when he goes will bear with him the respect and good will of citizens generally.

Judge Steadman who is about to retire from the Bench of this Province, the Gleaner says will have a retiring allowance of $1,600 a year.

Rev. Mr. Aiton conducted the services in S. Mary's and S. Paul's Churches last Sunday in the absence of the Rector who was in Bathurst.

Miss Bessie Carter, daughter of the late James Carter of this town was recently married in Boston.

Toronto Saturday night in a late issue says:—

Miss Lily Snowball of Chatham, N. B., has returned to town and will attend another term at Miss Veale' before going to Germany to follow up her music, for which she has made a name for herself here. Her sister, Miss Laura, will be missed greatly, having decided to remain home this winter.

Mr. J. J. Anslow, editor and proprietor of the Hants Journal, of Windsor, N. S., and formerly a proprietor of the Newcastle Advocate, is visiting the Miramichi.

Mr. John Sutton, of Moncton, was in town this week.

Mr. W. K. Mittendorf, of New York, is on the hunting grounds in the vicinity of the Eskedelloc, in pursuit of moose, with John Connell as guide.

Mr. W. B. Snowball, of Chatham, left home on Monday for a day's partridge shooting and returned to town on Tuesday with twenty-seven birds. The bag was an excellent one considering the very high wind prevailing.

Newcastle Field Battery.

The twelve days' drill of the Newcastle Field Battery terminated on Saturday last. During Wednesday and Thursday they were inspected by Col. Wilson, Commander of B. Battery, Quebec. Upon the invitation of Mr. E. Hutchison, on Friday, they proceeded to Douglastown and went through the regular field movements and fired a solute of four guns in a field owned by that gentleman. About noon they partook of a hearty lunch furnished by Mr. Hutchison and returned to Newcastle in the afternoon but before leaving Douglastown gave three hearty cheers for Mr. Hutchison, three for Col. Call and three for their commanding officer, Major R. L. Maltby. On Saturday the men were paid off and the camp broke up.

The Sabbies River Klondyke.

Mr. Thomas Weaver, of upper Blackville, writes to the Gleaner respecting a trip he made with a prospector to Sabbies river, where some of the papers declare gold has been discovered. He says:—

"I started with a gold expert and three other men on Tuesday and travelled fifteen miles, the road being much filled with broken down trees. We did not reach the desired haven and had to camp. The expert had rather a poor night's rest, with gold on the brain and frost on the back. We saw two caribou on our first day's journey. Next morning we partook of our repast, composed of bread and meat, with a good pint of tea to nerve us for the day's journey to the gold field, where the so much talked about is. What the opinion of the miner is I am not going to say until later on. It is not impossible that gold would be on the Sabbies, as in any other part of the world; all that I will say is that I hope we may have a Klondyke in Blackville. We prospected one day, camped another night and came home. On our way I called for moose, as I claim to know the art. We had gone about a mile when we heard one coming; we were travelling through a plain, the boys could not keep still, and he retreated. I would give you a fuller detail of the route, but fearing that you may not have room in column, I will say that the next party that goes will find it no joke."

A Bad Smash-up.

The Fredericton Herald says that on Tuesday evening, 21st, as Auditor Shaw of the Canada Eastern Railway, and his son Roy, of the bank of N. S. staff, were driving along the road at Lincoln, with a horse and buggy belonging to the Queen hotel stable, their steed took fright at a steer being driven along a short distance ahead and sprang quickly to one side. The buggy brought up against a steep bank and was completely overturned, burying the occupants beneath it. With the vehicle in this position the horse started off at a pretty good clip. The Messrs. Shaw at first clung to the reins, but finding themselves being dragged along pretty lively they released their hold, and allowed the horse to break away. Quickly scrambling to their feet they then gave chase after the fleeing animal, which they succeeded in capturing, just as it was in the act of scaling a fence with the buggy, minus the top dangling at its heels. The Messrs. Shaw were somewhat bruised, and dust begrimed, but their injuries are not serious. The buggy was completely demolished. They had to procure another conveyance to get back to the city.

Governor-General at Moncton.

The vice regal party, consisting of his excellency the Governor General, the Countess of Aberdeen and Lady Marjorie Gordon, reached Moncton promptly on time at 11 o'clock Monday morning. There was a large concourse of citizens at the railway station, including the Mayor and Aldermen, school trustees, Lieut.-Governor McClelan, General Manager Pottinger of the I. C. R., Judges Hanington and Wells, Sheriff McQueen and others, and the school children to the number of about 1,000 were massed around the raised platform erected on the green in front of the I. C. R. general offices building. When the train stopped Mayor Robinson entered the Governor-General's car, welcomed the distinguished visitors and escorted them to the platform. The local militia acted as a guard of honor. After the singing of Our Own Canadian Home by the school children accompanied by the Citizens' band, Mayor Robinson read the civic addresses. His Excellency made a brief response. At the conclusion of his speech, which was heartily cheered, Aldermen and others were presented to their excellencies, after which the party made a tour of inspection of the railway shops. Bicyclists, firemen, local militia and firemen and citizens in carriages escorting the Governor General's party to the new Aberdeen high school made a rather imposing procession in the afternoon. Little Helen Bradley and Ina Bourgeois presented Lady Aberdeen with handsome bouquets, and after Chairman Grant had read an appropriate address on behalf of the trustees, his excellency laid the corner stone with appropriate ceremony amid the cheers of several thousand people.

The Governor General's party then proceeded to the athletic grounds, where sports took place, and in the evening Lord Aberdeen held a public reception in Victoria rink, after which he left for Halifax.

Fredericton Business College.

Attention is directed to the advertisement of the Fredericton Business College of which Mr. W. J. Osborne is principal. Mr. Osborne purchased the college from its late principal, Mr. Young, in March last and has made a great success of it. He is a graduate of Ontario Business College, Belleville, Ont., and although having an ambition to become a business educator, first spent eight years as a practical accountant and office man, during which time he held several positions of trust, gaining an experience invaluable to a teacher of accounts and business methods.

The principal firms with whom he held positions were: The Massey Mfg. Co. (Limited) of Toronto, the largest manufacturers of farming implements in Canada; and Mr. B. D. Steacy, wholesale and retail hardware merchant, Brockville, Ont., of whose office he had full charge as accountant and financier for nearly six years.

Owing to the illness of one of the principals of Ontario Business College, Mr. Osborne was asked to fill the vacancy until he was able to resume his duties. He accepted this temporary position as it would give him a stepping stone towards the goal of his ambition. From here he was called to take charge of the Commercial and Shorthand Departments of Mount Allison Academy, Sackville, N. B., which position he held until recalled to Ontario Business College to fill the position of senior teacher on the staff of that institution, which appointment he held for five years.

In addition to his valuable experience as an accountant, he is a qualified teacher of the Isaac Pitman system of shorthand, and, as a *penman*, has no superior in Canada.

Town Council Echoes.

One who has evidently observed the doings and "sized up" the characteristics of the different members of our Town Council at their meetings, observes that they cannot be judged solely by what they say when they think it necessary to conform to the rules of order, but must be gauged also by their methods and observations as they sit about the council table and hurriedly discuss and prepare their reports and resolutions, keeping the press reporters and others who attend in unnecessary waiting. He says a characteristic feature of the proceedings is the manner in which members are allowed to talk without conforming to the rules of all deliberative bodies. Thus, when one member's motion or resolution is before the Council, another member is permitted to make a speech or give a talk about something else, and it is not thought at all out of place for two or more resolutions to be discussed at the same time, by the original resolution being held in abeyance by "obliging consent." If the minutes of the Council were only kept right along correctly, as a stenographer would keep them, they would be very curious specimens of official record. Then there are sayings of members of the Council which are characteristic. For instance, here are some of them:—

Ald. England:—I vote as Ald. Watt does [He votes with the majority always]

Ald. Watt:—Well yes, —perhaps—there's no difficulty about it at all. We'll begin it, anyhow, and it'll have to be finished. Spikes! Paint! I'm in it. [He also votes with the majority.

Ald. Nicol:—Mr. Mayor! er! ah! It eh! don't see that we can do anything else! I don't pretend to know, ah! er! but I'm of opinion that we ought to go on, but it seems to me expensive and we ought to be careful. [He likewise votes with the majority.]

Ald. Loggie;—All these street accounts should pass. In reference to other matters, I have had some difficulty in making up my mind. We ought to be careful, but I suppose if other aldermen think so, its all right, but still I think we ought to go slowly, although I'm in favor of doing whatever is best for the brick trade and I think it right to do so. [He has some doubts and halts between a dozen opinions, but finally and always votes with the majority.]

Ald. Murdoch:—You may talk about your streets! Where's the money? I'm for the building where it is; for my store is the first dry goods establishment you come to from that direction. These pedlars interfere with the whole business and I'll give you a history of them. They bring bankrupt stocks here—stocks of people who settle or compromise with their creditors on easy terms and who shouldn't be tolerated in any commercial community, etc.

Ald. Coleman:—I think we need more police protection, our sidewalks are neglected, you are extravagant and ought to know more about what you are doing.

Ald. McIntosh:—Talk about expense! Let's do something—put something up to look at. [Aside—It won't cost my ward much.]

Ald. Maher:—The laboring man should be consulted. Where's the money to come from? What about the extras? We should have all the accounts.

Death of Mr. Andrew Irving.

Mr. Andrew Irving, Registrar of the County of Renfrew, died in Pembroke on Saturday, the 11th inst., aged 77 years. Mr. Irving was born in Miramichi on December 14, 1820. His father was a second cousin of the celebrated Edward Irving; his grandmother was the daughter of Sir Archibald Douglas of Castle Milk, who presented his son-in law with a deed of the Clough Crae Farm as a wedding gift. The deceased was also an uncle of Deputy Sheriff Irving of Newcastle and Robt and John Irving of Chatham. He received his education at the Grammar School in Chatham and afterwards studied medicine for three years with the late Dr. Key. As close application to study was impairing his health Mr. Irving was advised to go to the land of pines. In 1842 he left New Brunswick, and arrived in Pembroke, then only a few houses, where he has lived ever since. He offered his services as teacher of the settlement, the inhabitants having erected for a time a log school house in the bush. In 1866 he was appointed Registrar of the county. He was local superintendent of education for a portion of the county during Dr. Ryerson's regime. Mr. Irving was a Presbyterian; he was an ardent politician, a Liberal in the broadest sense of the term, and before becoming a county official had few peers as a worker for the Liberal party in the County of Renfrew. He wrote a good deal for Canadian newspapers and when anything spicy appeared anywhere in print, dated at Pembroke, it was attributed to his facile pen. Mr. Irving was first married in 1844 to a sister of Hon. P. White, ex-Speaker of the House of Commons, who died in 1852 In 1860 Mr. Irving married Mary Cannon, daughter of Dr. William Cannon, R. N. He leaves a wife and family of six to mourn. his loss. Mr. Irving was looked upon as one of the best posted men in the country, and had the happy faculty of communicating matters in a racy manner, embellishing his conversation with choice bits of poetry and sparkling anecdotes, which made him an appreciated entertainer at the conversational board.

Runs It Herself.

And now we hear of a woman who runs a saw mill and shingle factory up in the San Janito mountains of California. She doesn't run it by proxy or at arm's length either, but, dressed in her suit of blue denim, is at her mill ten hours a day and six days in the week, and the seven men in her employ know that she is an exact and intelligent overseer. Mrs. Olive Mason Strong can run any machine in her little factory and has been the engineer there on many days. She is about thirty-seven years old, the mother of three children and has been a widow eleven years. She was born in the pine regions of Maine and her father and brothers were timber men and shingle makers. Left a widow by the death of a consumptive husband who went to California in search of health some years ago, her knowledge of lumber acquired in youthful days has served her to good purpose, and insures herself and family a comfortable support.

"The Old Oaken Bucket"

A teacher in the primary school of an eastern city recently read to her pupils "The Old Oaken Bucket." After explaining it to them very carefully, she told them to copy the first stanza from the blackboard and try to illustrate it by drawings, as the artist illustrates a story. Presently a little girl handed in her book with several dots between two lines, a circle, half a dozen dots, and three buckets.

"I don't understand this, Bessie. What is that circle?" said the teacher.

"Oh, that's the well."

"And why do you have three buckets?"

"Oh, one is the old oaken bucket, one is the iron bound bucket, and one is the moss covered bucket that hung in the well."

"But what are these little dots?"

"Why those are the loved spots which my infancy knew."

Raised from the Dead.

AT THE AGONIZED CALL OF HIS WIFE GRAHAM CAME BACK TO LIFE UNDER THE UNDERTAKER'S HANDS.

SANTA MONICA, Cal., Sept. 21:—A singular incident fraught with much interest, especially to students of psychology, has just occurred here. Similar instances have been recorded, but none where the circumstances were more vividly impressive. In a little cottage in the suburbs live William Graham, his pretty girl-wife and their two-year-old son.

Consumption has claimed Graham for a victim and for months has been taking his life. As long as he could he labored to provide for his family, but for weeks he has been in the last stages of the disease and suffering intensely. Ten days ago his physician said his hours were numbered, and last Saturday night it was apparent that the end was near. Neighbors and friends were then doubly attentive to render any possible service to him and to comfort the little wife, who is momentarily expecting a summons to go down into the valley of the shadow of death for another little life.

Graham suffered intensely during what were apparently his last hours. When the last breath had left the body, the little woman was told that it was over and taken from the room. An undertaker was summoned from the village, and with the nurse was beginning arrangements to care for the body.

Fully twenty minutes had elapsed when the frenzied wife, breaking away from restraining friends, rushed to the bedside and caught the body in her arms, screaming to her loved one to come back and not leave her. It was some minutes before she could be persuaded to release him, and then it was noticed that a slight shudder ran through the body. The frantic wife worked heroically, restoratives, massage, everything within her reach was applied, and within an hour Graham was able to speak.

And now comes the strange part of the story. Of course, the practical ones will say that it was a case of suspended animation and that the wife's movements started the dying circulation. But there were in the room people of wide experience, who declare that the man was dead, and William Graham himself says that he went out of this life and journeyed into another country—one that was far more beautiful than this.

He described a beautiful road lined with stately trees, whose verdure was brilliant to see, strains of music were in the air and along in the pathway came his dead father to meet him. He tells of their meeting and conversation, and then of his being torn away, called back to his worn and aching body by the insistent calls of his wife.

"I cannot live, anyway. Oh, why didn't you let me go?" he exclaimed. And now he is longing and waiting for the call that must come soon again.

From Before the Flood.

The spade of the explorer has at last been struck into the historic soil of a city that existed before the flood, according to the New York World. From its ruins have been brought forth relics of a hitherto unknown civilization, and at last the scientists and the archaeologist are studying the remains of a race of people that lived and died thousands of years before the history of the world, as we know it to-day, began.

For many years archaeologists have believed the theory that in the dim dawn of the world's beginning Egypt was inhabited by a strange race which antedated the Egyptians by many thousands of years. Nothing was discovered to prove this idea, but the whole evidence of history pointed to the seat of one of the very earliest prehistoric civilizations being located in the warm climate of upper Egypt.

Not only have the explorers found quantities of the jewelry, weapons and implements used by this unknown people, but they have also unearthed temples, tombs, and, still more wonderful, skeletons of the people themselves.

Several months ago the department of antiquities of the Egyptian government received advices of the finding in the Tuekh district of prehistoric remains, and dispatched an expedition to investigate them. From under beds of desert-drifted sands they brought to light the first remains of this strange race of whom the world has never known. Ruins of buildings were unearthed rich in the treasure of this ancient people, and colossal statues uncovered, showing what they looked like in real life. On the walls of the buildings were carved pictures of their sports and battles.

A close examination of the skeletons showed that these people were not of swarthy complexion, like the Egyptians of the days of Rameses or of Cleopatra, but were fair, with light hair. They were of a race as dissimilar to the Egyptians as the Caucasian is to the Nubian. As some of the skeleton's fragments of skin were still discernible, notwithstanding its partial discoloration from age, it had unmistakably once been white.

The few hairs that still cling to the skulls were blonde, and not of the coarse straight nature so characteristically Egyptian.

Around their necks were massive necklaces of gold, made in beautiful designs and their waists were encircled in broad belts made of golden beads fashioned in the most elaborate patterns.

In a number of instances the remains measured over six and a half feet, notwithstanding the shrinkage that has been going on during the ages they had lain buried. At the side of several were found swords of a wondrous pattern that had probably been buried with them. These swords are of the most beautiful workmanship, showing that these ancient people were well versed in the working of metal.

The explorers excavated along the sides of one of the buried temples and found some of the most wonderful carvings upon the walls. Near what had probably once been a doorway they found pictured a hunting scene, all the figures being life-size.

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MARRIED.

At the residence of the bride's parents, Sept 22nd by Rev T. G. Johnstone, Mr Wm. McGregor, to Miss Mary Ellen, third daughter of Mr. William McKinley Esq., all of Nelson.

On the 22nd inst., at the residence of the bride's father by the Rev. Mr. Calder, Amanda A. Loggie to John White.

At St. George's church, Bathurst, Sept. 27th, by Rev. T. W. Street, rector, George H. Allen or Liverpoo, N. S., to Susan Ellis, daughter of W C Ellis, of Salmon Beach, Gloucester County.

In Boston, Sept 18, by Rev Samuel Lane Loomis, Mr Edward S Burns, and Miss Bessie Carter.

DIED.

At Tabusintac, Sept 19th, Ina Jane, daughter of Phillip and Ethel Hierlihy, aged 11 months and 28 days.

At Lower Newcastle, Sunday, 26th inst, after a lingering illness, Gertrude Delaney, daughter of Mr and Mrs John Delaney, aged 26 years.

At Chatham, Monday, Sept 27th, after a long illness, John Rantville,

At her home, Chatham, Sunday, 26th inst, Alice Henry, beloved wife of Mr. Thomas Flanagan,

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PORT OF CHATHAM

Entered from Sea

Sept 24—Bk Maria Cassibona, 624, Pace, Tunis, J. B. Snowball bal.
25—Bk—Clara, 792, Guldbransen, Liverpool, J, B. Snowball bal.

Entered Coastwise.

Sept 22—Sch Phantom, Breaux, Buctouche, master oysters.
22—Sch Pilot, Reid, Isaac's Harbour, S R Giffin herring.
22—Sch Maria, Savoy, Shippegan, W S Loggie lobsters.
23—Sch Wild Brier C, Costain, Mimingash, master produce.
23—Str Mary O'Dell, Keating, Tracadie, A & R Loggie blueberries.
23—Sch Mary Star of the Sea, Langtange, Caraquet, master fish.
24—Sch Silver Moon, Duguy, Shippegan, W S Loggie fish.
25—Sch Gilnocha, Albert, Caraquet, master fish.
25—Sch Eliza M, Shea, Mimingash, master produce
27—Sch Lady Speedwell, Rhynard, Charlottetown, master gen cargo.
27—Sch Kattie E Wall, McLean, Crapaud, master produce.
27—Sch Mary Jane Savoy, Tracadie, master blueberries.
27—Sch Lizzie D, Duclos, Tracadie, M S Hocken codfish.
27—Bge Monkland, Scnis, Tracadie, J B Snowball lumber.
27—Sch Ellen May, Foster, Pictou, M S N Co coal.
27—Sch Jennie May, Reid, Mimigash master produce.
28—Sch Caughnawaga, Sonis, Tracadie, A & R Loggie blueberries.
28—Bge St George Lousier, Tracadie, J B Snowball lumber.
28—Sloop Beaver, McGraw, Tracadie, A & R Loggie gen cargo.

Cleared for Sea.

Sept 23—S S Niagara, 1865, McNay, G J Vaughan, J B Snowball, Geo Burchill & Son lumber
23—Bk Charmian, 555, Mathias, Coughal, W M MacKay, lumber

Cleared Coastwise.

Sept 22—Sch Jubilee, Butler Buctouche, J B Snowball laths
22—Sch Phantom, Breaux, Buctouche, master oysters
22—Sch Avon, Leet, Mulgrave, A & R Loggie gen cargo
22—Sch Maria, Savoy, Shippegan, W S Loggie gen cargo
22—Sch Mary Star of the Sea, Langtange, Montreal, master fish and oysters
24—Sch Silver Moon, Duguy, Shidpegan, W S
24—Sch Nell Dow, Lord, Crapaud, W Richard s lumber
24—Sch J B Fay, Campbell, Charlottetown, C E stone
24—Str Mary O'Dell, Keating, Tracadie A & R Loggie Gen cargo
24—Sch Mary Jane, Savoy, Tracadie, W S Loggie Co, gen cargo
27—Bge Monkland, Sonier, Tracadie, J B Snowball bal
27—Sch Harry W Lewis, Hunter, Louisburg, master, bal
27—Str Frederick A, Long, Richibucto, master, bal
27—Sch Lizzie D, Duclos, Tracadie, master, gen cargo
27—Sch Raeburn, McLean, Noank, H Lamont, knees
28—Sch Caughnawaga, Sonis, Tracadie, P Arsinau, boards
28—Sch Kate McKinnon, Boudiot, Charlottetown, C E Fish, stone and lumber
28—Sch Gilnockie, Albert, Caraquet, master, fish
28—Bge St George, Lousier, Tracadie, J B Snowball, bal
28—Sch Janet A, Gillis, Tignish, Master, lumber
28—Sch Levinia, McCarthy, Tignish, Master, lumber
28—Sloop Beaver, McGraw, Tracadie, A & R Loggie, gen cargo

PORT OF TRACADIE

Entered Coastwise

Sept 26—Sch Ariosto, Jimmo, Richibucto, Tracadie Lumber Co, lumber.
20—S S Mary O'Dell, Keating, Chatham, A & R Loggie, cans.
20—Sch Loggie Duclos, Chatham, Jas Davidson, gen cargo.
22—Sch Ada, Dignard, Chatham, J B Snowball, bal.
22—Sch Caughnawaga, Sonier, Chatham, Tracadie Lumber Co, bricks.
23—Bge St. George, Lousier, Chatham, J B Snowball, bal.
23—Sch Eagle, Sonier, Crapaud, J C Caughlin, hay.
25—J H S, Sonier, Richibucto, Tracadie Lumber Co, lumber.
25—Sch Marion F., McLaughlin, Shippegan, W Ferguson, fish.
25—Sch Evangeline, Dignard, Shippegan, J & R Young, bal.
28—Sch Rose, Basque, Newcastle, Dr. Smith, furniture.

Cleared Coastwise

Sept 20—Sch Ariosto, Jimmo, Richibucto, master, bal.
20—S S Mary O'Dell. Keating, Chatham, A & R Loggie, blueberries.
21—Sch Loggie D, Duclos, Chatham, master, codfish.
22—Sch Ada, Dignard, Chatham, J B Snowball, deals.
23—Sch Caughnawaga, Sonier, Chatham, master, bal.
23—Sch Mary Jane, Savoy, Chatham, W S Loggie Co, blueberries.

PORT OF BATHURST.

Entered from Sea.

Sept 23—Ship Austria, Lester, from Fleetwood,

PORT OF SHIPPEGAN.

Entered from Sea

Sept 18—Sch Mary Annie, Williams, Cadiz, W Fruing & Co, salt,

Cleared for Sea.

Sept 17—Sch. Primrose, Thornton, Naples, W S Loggie, dry codfish.
24—Sch Rose of Torridge, Evans, Messina, W Fruing & Co, dry codfish.

Entered Coastwise.

Sept 2—Sch White Bird, Breau, Charlottetown, W S Loggie Co, hay.
2—Sch Maria, Savoy, Chatham, W S Loggie Co, gen cargo.
4—Sch Curlew, Blanchard, Caraquet, W Fruing Co, dry codfish.
7—Sch Ross, Ache, Cnatham, J B Snowball, lumber.
9—Sch Curlew, Blanchard, Caraquet, W Fruing Co, dry codfish.
17—Sch Ross, Ache, Tracadie, J B Snowball, gen cargo.
18—Sch Ross, Ache, Chatham, J B Snowball, gen cargo.
20—Sch Silver Moon, Duguay, Pokemouche, W S Loggie, bal.
20—Sch Marion F, McLaughlin, Tracadie, W Ferguson, supplies
21—Sch Leigh J, Williston, Chatham, W S Loggie Co, bal.
21—Sch Curlew, Blanchard, Caraquet, W Fruing Co, dry codfish.

Cleared Coastwise.

Sept 1—Sch Mary Star of the Sea, Lentelque, Caraquet, master, coals
2—Sch White Bird, Breau, Pokemouche, W S Loggie Co, hay.
2—Sch Maria, Savoy, Chatham W S Loggie Co, canned lobsters.
7—Sch Ross, Ache, Tracadie, J B Snowball, bal.
7—Sch Curlew,