

SUMMER COLDS

Produce Chronic Catarrh.



Madame Isabella Ellen Davies.

Madame Isabella Ellen Davies, Life Governor Grand Lodge of Free Masons of England, in a letter from Hotel Saratoga, Chicago, Ill., says:

"This summer while traveling I contracted a most persistent and annoying cold. My head ached, my eyes and nose seemed constantly running, my lungs were sore and I lost my appetite, health and good spirits. I took pills and powders, but all to no purpose.

"I advised with a druggist and he spoke so highly of a medicine called Peruna, that he induced me to try my first bottle of patent medicine. However, it proved such a help to me that I soon purchased another bottle and kept on until I was entirely well."

Madame Isabella Ellen Davies.

Summer colds require prompt treatment. They are always grave, and sometimes dangerous. The promptness and surety with which Peruna acts in these cases has saved many lives. A large dose of Peruna should be taken at the first appearance of a cold in summer, followed by small and oft-repeated doses. There is no other remedy that medical science can furnish, so reliable and quick in its action as Peruna.

Address: The Peruna Medicine Company, Columbus, Ohio, for a free booklet entitled "Summer Catarrh," which treats of the catarrhal diseases peculiar to summer.

IN CONSERVATIVE FAVOR.

TORONTO, June 29.—The court of appeal delivered judgment this morning in the North Grey election case, in which Boyd, the defeated conservative candidate, petitioned against the return of A. G. MacKay, liberal, in the provincial by-election January 7. Boyd's appeal was allowed, and MacKay was declared to have been elected. The court of appeal had decided that the petition should have been dismissed on a technicality that the copy of the petition had not been filed with the local registrar. The court of appeal had decided that the petition should have been dismissed on a technicality that the copy of the petition had not been filed with the local registrar.

SHED WAS A TREASURE.

(Buffalo News.)

Township—That was a brave act of Urban's—rushing to the water to save a woman from drowning.

Suburb—Brave fellows! It was merely an act of selfishness on his part. Why, how can you say that?

Suburb—The woman he rescued was a cook that had been with him for six months.

TROLLEY CAR ACCIDENT.

Two Killed and Many Others Injured in Chicago.

CHICAGO, June 29.—Crowded with homebound passengers, an Archer avenue trolley car crashed into a belt line freight train at Archer avenue, and forty-seventh street yesterday. Two passengers were killed and many were seriously injured. Witnesses to the accident say the trolley car brakes refused to work. The passengers had no time to jump before the car was hurled into the air and was returning from picnic and was asleep in the car. The motorman John Sloan, stuck to his post, and was badly injured. The passengers were thrown from their seats and several were buried in the debris of the wrecked car.

SURE NOW.

The Truth About Coffee.

It must be regarded as a convincing fact when a family of seven has used Postum for five years, regular health and keeping healthy and strong on this food and drink.

This family lives in Millville, Mass., and the father, a physician, says: "For eight years my stomach troubled me all the time. I was very nervous and irritable and no medicine helped me. I had about given up hope until five years ago next month I read an article about Postum Cereal. Coffee that convinced me that coffee was the cause of all my troubles. I made the Postum carefully and liked it so much I drank it in preference to coffee but without much faith that it would help me. At the end of a month, however, I was surprised to find such a change in my condition. I was stronger in every way, less nervous and at the end of six months I had recovered my strength completely so that I was able to do all my own household work. Because of the good postum I use I know that what you claimed for Grape-Nuts must be true and we have all used that delicious food ever since. It is the first appearance on the market."

"We have seven in our family and I do the work for them all and I am sure that I owe my strength and health to the steady use of your fine cereal food and Postum (in place of coffee). I have great faith in Postum that I have sent it to my relatives and I never lose a chance to speak well of it. Name furnished by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich."

Joe Cold Postum with a dash of lemon is a delicious "cooler" for warm days. Send for portion to speak well of it. Name furnished by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

Employing 30,000 men, a Japanese mine produces 1,600,000 pounds of copper monthly.

CITY NEWS.

Recent Events in and Around St. John.

Together With Country Items From Correspondents and Exchanges

Through giving his seat to a woman a man met an accident by which he was killed in a New York street car.

Capt. Joseph Saunders of the barkentine F. B. Lovitt has resigned his vessel and has been succeeded by Capt. Rafuse.

The salmon fishermen down the shore have been making good catches of late. The boats averaged from one to twenty fish per night.

Bangor has discovered another case of smallpox in the person of Bert Lynch, who came from Grand Falls. The man was captured at the Exchange street railway station.

A company has been formed at Glace Bay, Cape Breton, to start a fox farm. S. E. Landry, the promoter, has more than thirty foxes in his possession. Two of these are black. The farm will be within the town limits, near the suburbs, where there is an abundant supply of bush space.

The announcement yesterday of the serious illness of Hon. Frederick Peters, Victoria, B. C., was heard with deep regret by many friends in Charlottetown. During the winter Mr. Peters had a severe attack of pleurisy, which was recently followed by pneumonia, rendering his condition very dangerous. Premier Peters leaves this morning for Gagetown, N. B., to consult with his brother, Thomas Sherman Peters, who will likely go to Victoria, Saturday's Charlottetown Guardian.

Charters recently reported are as follows: Sir Oscar II, Sydney, B. C. to Stockholm, coal, owner's account; bark C. B. Whidden, Pensacola to the Gold Coast, lumber, p. t. bark Strathern, Boston to Buenos Ayres, lumber, \$7.50; bark Resie, Boston to Rosario, lumber, \$8.50; bark Massa and Guccio, Chatham to Buenos Ayres, lumber, \$7.50; bark M. D. S., Cape to Boston, sleepers, 14 cents; and Beaver, the same.

The following coal charters are announced: Brig. Aquila, Guttenburg to Canco, coal, \$1.60; scho. Maud Snares, Philadelphia to St. John, coal, \$1.25; George E. Edgerton to St. John, coal, the same; Harry and Wanda, the same; Ida M. Barton, Perth Amboy to St. John, coal, the same; Greta, Fort Reading to Sackville, coal, \$1.50; Abbie Keast, Edinboro to Victoria, coal, \$1.50; Marjory J. Sumner, do to Montreal, coal, \$1.50.

ABOUT FOREST FIRES.

Good news reached St. John Saturday with respect to the forest fires at Apple River. Very little damage was done except to the woods.

It is said E. L. White's mill at Sand River was destroyed, and his timber lands gone over by the fires.

Shutes, it is also learned, suffered great damage.

LIEUT. STEWART HONORED.

An unexpected honor has been conferred on Lieut. Lorne Stewart, son of Colonel Stewart, who left for a few days ago for Winnipeg. On Tuesday a commission arrived for him from Sir John Brodick, secretary of war for His Majesty's land forces, issued August 1902, which created him a lieutenant in the British army from May 1902, and gives him seniority over all Canadian lieutenants.—Charlottetown Guardian.

PROPERTY SALES.

At Chubb's corner, Saturday, T. T. Lantaulum sold the Jeremiah O'Connell land and property in Lancaster to J. P. Maloney for \$340. Sheriff Ritchie sold four properties in the name of J. P. Maloney for taxes. Lots belonging to the estate of Nelson DeVeber were bought by Boies DeVeber at \$60. Thos. York estate, some 125 acres at \$20. John McIntyre estate, three lots, at \$75, bid by Wm. Baird at \$75; Patrick Duffy estate, 80 acres, by Patrick Duffy at \$85.

DIED AT GASPAREUX.

Rev. H. H. Roach received a telegram Friday evening announcing the death of Mrs. L. Reddan, mother of Mrs. Roach, who died at Gaspereux, N. S., on Friday afternoon. Mrs. Reddan had been ill during the greater part of the winter. Besides her husband, she is survived by four sons—Ernest, of Glace Bay; Lyle, of Long Island, N. Y., and Ralph, at home, and two daughters, Mrs. H. H. Roach and Miss Sadie Reddan, at home. Mrs. Roach will leave this morning for Gaspereux to attend the funeral.

WEDDED AT WESTFIELD.

St. James' Church, Westfield, was the scene on Wednesday of a very pretty wedding, when Miss Myrtle Lingley was united in marriage to Ludlow Naes, both of that place. The bride wore a travelling dress of navy blue broadcloth, piped with white, with white hat and carried a bouquet of white roses and carnations. The bridesmaid wore grey and blue grenadine, with flowers, honeysuckles. The church was prettily trimmed with snow balls and white roses. Only immediate friends of the family were present. The bride received a number of dainty and useful presents. The happy couple left on the 6 o'clock train for a trip to Portland, Maine. They will reside in Westfield.

MONUMENT FUND.

The ladies of the north and W. C. T. U. Saturday received a substantial sum in aid of the monument fund, which will be seen by the following:

\$236.57.—Received from The Sun Printing Company, Limited, the sum of Two Hundred and Ninety-six Dollars and Fifty-seven cents, being amount collected by the St. John Star, (with interest added for the time deposited in the Bank of Montreal) towards the erection of a monument in memory of the soldiers from the Province of New Brunswick, Dominion of Canada, who fell in South Africa, sacrificing their lives in defence of the empire.

M. A. BAILEY.

SOLDIERS' DAY AT CHURCH.

The local regiments of militia attended divine service Sunday in Trinity church, where they listened to a stirring sermon by the Rev. Canon J. A. Richardson. The men of the 2nd Regiment of Fusiliers, under Lt. Col. Sturdee, the 3rd Regiment Canadian Artillery, under Col. W. W. White, and the 4th Regiment of Fusiliers, under Major Dr. Murray MacLaren, paraded at the drill shed at three o'clock yesterday afternoon. The regiments formed up, and the command of Colonel White, D. O. C., proceeded by way of Sydney, Queen, Charlotte, King and German streets to Trinity church.

The Artillery, headed by their band, were in the lead with the 2nd Fusiliers, headed by their band, bringing up the rear, with the 4th Fusiliers. Between the two regiments, both the Artillery and Fusiliers wore bobbies, the Bearers Corps wearing helmets. The men mustered out strong, and presented a splendid appearance. The bands of both the 2nd Regt. C. A., and the 2nd Fusiliers played splendidly and showed a marked improvement.

Colonel White, D. O. C., was accompanied by his staff, consisting of Lt. Col. McLean, brigadier, Lt. Col. J. R. Armstrong, brigade major, Lt. Col. A. Col. Markham, late commanding 8th Hussars, Lt. Col. Geo. West Jones, late commanding 3rd Regiment Canadian Artillery, and Major Hall, late of the 2nd Regiment.

Trinity was unable to hold the service. Among that gathered to attend this service. The regiments occupied the main body of the church, and the few seats remaining were rapidly filled. Trinity chanted excellent music, and the sound of over one thousand voices joined in singing Onward, Christian Soldiers, was inspiring and made one's heart beat quicker.

The rector of Trinity, Rev. Canon J. A. Richardson, preached an eloquent and inspiring sermon. He was brief and to the point. He chose for his text James, 1st chap. 2-3: "My brethren, count it all joy when ye fall into various temptations; knowing that the trying of your faith worketh patience."

ARKANSAS TRAGEDY.

HOT SPRINGS, Ark., June 28.—Jim Dougherty, condemned to die Aug. 14, for the murder of Chief of Detectives John J. Donahoe, deliberately attempted to kill and was killed by a razor, Roger Williams, a fellow prisoner in the county jail yesterday. Dougherty was searched and a razor three weeks old was found in his possession. Williams responsible for informing about him.

Williams at the time of his murder was washing his face. He was approached from behind and reaching close under and across his victim's abdomen, brought the razor across it, making a gash 20 inches long. Williams was peering into the cell and calling for other prisoners to come out into the corridor that he might slaughter them, when the jailer arrived and the point of a revolver drove the murderer man into his cell and locked him up. A mob of 500 people gathered at the jail and while the sheriff was pleading with the prisoners to leave, a law take its course, a female prisoner in the corridor called out from a window that Dougherty had cut his throat.

TEN TO DORCHESTER.

SYDNEY, Cape Breton, June 28.—As a result of the finding of the jury in the supreme criminal court, which concluded its sittings at Sydney on Saturday afternoon, ten prisoners will leave for Dorchester penitentiary tomorrow morning to serve sentences varying from two to five years for committing different offences. The ten were sentenced as follows: John McKenzie, breaking and entering a Chinese laundry at Caledonia and stealing therefrom, two years; John McKenzie, breaking and entering the store of W. Ross, Sydney, and stealing therefrom, five years; Duncan McInnis, assault causing bodily harm at Caledonia, two and a half years; William Connelly and John McKenzie, wounding with criminal intent, two years each; Charles McKenzie, shooting at Dominion with intent to kill, four years; Fred Ritter, shooting at Reserve Militia, with intent, four years; Major Howatt, receiving stolen goods, two years; John Fraser, breaking and entering J. C. R. MacDonald at North Sydney, four years; and two others sentenced by Judge Dodd under the Speedy Trials Act.

CHRISTIAN SCIENTISTS.

BOSTON, June 28.—The annual communion service of the mother church of the Christian Science denomination, the First Church of Christ, Scientist, was held in Mechanics' Hall today, the three congregations aggregating over 15,000 persons. Each service was impressive, especially the "silent communion," when the entire congregation knelt. At each service the readers of the First Church, the directors and other members of prominence had seats on the platform. Prof. Herman S. Hering, formerly of Johns Hopkins University, and who is a son of Dr. Constantine Hering, one of the founders of homeopathy in this country, officiated as first reader, and Mrs. Ella E. Williams was second reader.

LATE REPORTS.

A Vineyard Haven despatch of the 25th brings the following information: Sch. Lizzie D. Small, from New York for Hallows, stopped here today and procured starboard anchor. Bark Cuba, from New York for St. John, N. B., completed repairs and sailed today for destination. Sch. Sebago, at Woods Hole from Alexandria, Vt., with railroad ties, returned here today. The vessel's deck had changed so you would not believe it if I told you about it. My head grew clear and my mind strong and my memory was very much improved and I was full of life and energy. I give you a faint idea of all the good the food has done for me. It is all I eat for supper nowadays and the rest of the day I eat up at one place. Truly it is a great food and if it were not a great food it would not have such a tremendous sale in my country. Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

SHIPMAN NEWS.

CHIPMAN, June 22.—The school meeting was poorly attended on Saturday. The district is only \$4 in debt. Angus Duguid was re-elected trustee, and \$850 was voted to be paid to the Sayre & Holy Lumber Co. have bought two acres of land from Mrs. Darrah. A new store and other buildings will be put up at once. Thirty-five Frenchmen came in on Friday and with many others who were here working were taken to New-castle to work on the railway.

DEAF AND DUMB.

New Brunswick Children Will Be Educated in Halifax.

HALIFAX, N. S., June 28.—The directors of the deaf and dumb institution had a conference with Premier Tweedie of New Brunswick, and Dr. Jacob, superintendent of education, this morning in regard to sending the deaf and dumb children from New Brunswick to the institution in this city. The matter was fully discussed. The New Brunswick government has practically decided to send them at the same rates as Nova Scotia children, viz.: \$185 per capita, \$75 from the municipality and \$30 from the government. They visited the institution this afternoon and expressed themselves well pleased with it.

With reference to the above despatch J. Harvey Brown in speaking to the Star Saturday said:

"This is, in my opinion, misleading and calculated to prejudice the efforts of the deaf and dumb in establishing a school for the deaf and dumb in New Brunswick."

As the matter has yet to come before the government of the province, when is no doubt but that the grant provided for by the late act of parliament will be available for the school in St. John. It is certainly a most generous offer, and the following extracts taken from their daily mail show what men think of their generosity.

SUBSEX NEWS.

SUSSEX, N. B., June 28.—The members of Zion Lodge, No. 21, A. F. & A. M., attended divine service in Trinity church on Sunday afternoon. Rev. Canon J. A. Richardson, preached a sermon on the text: "My brethren, count it all joy when ye fall into various temptations; knowing that the trying of your faith worketh patience."

Miss Margaret Howard of this place graduated from the Maritime Medical Hospital, Lewiston, Me., on June 12th, after taking a two years' course in nursing. Miss Howard will remain in the hospital for a few weeks and will return home in August. Miss Lottie Howard, sister of Miss Margaret, is attending the graduation exercises and will remain there until August, when she will return with her sister.

WOLFE-HAYNES.

Last Thursday evening the residence of James Wolfe of Moore street was the scene of a pleasant evening when his son, George Richard Wolfe, was united in marriage to Miss Elsie May Haynes of Sydney, Cape Breton. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Mr. Dicker, rector of the Holy Trinity church. The bride, who was unattended, was becomingly attired in a dress of pearl grey applique, with white satin train, and wore a large white picture hat.

The presents received were numerous and costly, among them being a handsome silver service for the bride and groom, a silver picture of the bride and groom, a silver engraving from the Hon. H. A. McKenney.

HALIFAX ACCIDENTS.

HALIFAX, N. S., June 28.—Joe Perham, a soldier on the Spanish side in the recent war, was lost from the steamer Olivette today on his trip from Boston. He was working on the promenade deck awning and slipping, he fell into the sea.

A group of boys were playing with a pistol in the woods at the Northwest Arm today. The firearm accidentally went off, instantly killing Albert Hennessey, aged 16 years.

DIED IN FREDERICTON.

Miss Maggie McDonald of this city today received a telegram announcing the death of her father, Patrick McDonald, which occurred this morning at Fredericton. Mr. McDonald was a native of Ireland and came to Fredericton in 1854, where he became widely known as the proprietor of a lively saloon. Quite a number of years ago he was stricken with paralysis, from which he has never recovered.

Mr. McDonald was eighty-four years of age, and leaves nine children, Miss Maggie and Miss Bridget McDonald being residents of St. John.

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If It Had Been a Bear.

Sometimes it is good to be in a position where you can turn around to your shoulders and take down food that is a rebel and life saver. A prominent grocer of Miramichi, Pa., had heard so many of his customers praising the food Grape-Nuts that he finally gave it a trial himself. He says: "For several years up to sixteen months ago I was hardly fit for business from indigestion which also affected my head. My brain was dull and I could hardly keep my books."

"One day I heard one of my customers praise the Grape-Nuts so highly that I wondered if it would fit my case. So I took a package from the shelf and said to myself I would use it and even if it failed I would not be much the loser. But before I had finished that one package such a change came over me that I thought it wonderful and by the time the package was half eaten I had changed so you would not believe it if I told you about it. My head grew clear and my mind strong and my memory was very much improved and I was full of life and energy. I give you a faint idea of all the good the food has done for me. It is all I eat for supper nowadays and the rest of the day I eat up at one place. Truly it is a great food and if it were not a great food it would not have such a tremendous sale in my country. Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich."

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Size, and enlarge small, weak organs to full size, and vigor. The complete name and address to Dr. Knapp Medical Co., 2385 Full Building, Detroit, Mich., and they will gladly send the free report with full directions as to how any man may easily cure himself at home. It is certainly a most generous offer, and the following extracts taken from their daily mail show what men think of their generosity.

"Dear Sir:—I have accepted my share thanks for your recent date. I am very grateful for your treatment and the fact that I have been able to get on my feet again. I am now a strong and healthy man. I am now a strong and healthy man. I am now a strong and healthy man."

WEDDED AT TRACY STATION.

TRACY STATION, Sunbury Co., June 25.—On Wednesday afternoon, June 25, a joyous aggregation of people filled the commodious home of Mr. and Mrs. John Steen. The circumstance was the wedding of a lovely daughter, Lizzie A., and Samuel H. Orr of Adam Junction. A brilliant June sun, the pious harp of a happy marriage, the bride and groom, the happy couple, the happy couple, the happy couple.

MILLTOWN, N. B.

MILLTOWN, June 24.—Miss Harriet Trearlin left yesterday for Jacksonville to attend the wedding of Harry R. Trearlin to Miss Lizzie A. Plummer of Hartland, which takes place today.

The M. C. band, which have not held any practices for some time, owing to the absence of several members, will meet July 20th.

Miss Lucy Young left yesterday for Marvella. Alfred Shirley arrived here yesterday evening. The building which was presented by the cotton mill to the school trustees is being moved by Contractor Towers.

On Tuesday evening, June 30th, the burglar who stole the silver service from the home of Mr. and Mrs. Williams, who lived in the Milltown high school, '33, will hold their exercises in St. James' Presbyterian church, to be followed by a reception at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Williams.

TAX REFORMS IN PERSIA.

It is reported that the Shah is about to abandon the time-honored Oriental custom of farming out the taxes to a capitalist and have them collected directly by the government. This will put an end to an evil, the greatest of many, perhaps, under which Persian traders and citizens have for many years groaned. Misgovernment and mal-administration in Oriental lands is almost invariably connected with fiscal abuses and mismanagement of the revenues.

Particularly has this been the case in Persia, owing to the peculiar way in which the high officials and provincial rulers were selected by the Shah. On the Persian New Year, the great functionaries of the state and the governors paid their respects to the sovereign, and each laid at the monarch's feet his complimentary offering of what is known as a "fish-kash" in current coin. The governor who brought the biggest bag received the fattest post for the ensuing twelve months. The governor whose bag was considered too light got nothing.

The whole arrangement was a process of "squeeze." The Shah was a capitalist and he squeezed the governors, the governors squeezed the tax farmers, the tax farmers squeezed the people. "Fish-kash" was also offered by every prominent and wealthy man when the sovereign honored with a visit, and as the loyalty of the individual was gauged by the weight of the bag presented, it was not a good thing for a Persian the gift fell short of the ruler's expectations. This custom was abolished a little time back, to the great satisfaction of the wealthy and the poor alike. It was a change in the mode of collecting the revenue, by which the tax farmer is eliminated, is another step in the right direction.

Count Eulenburg, who is a laudable general a la suite and the lord high steward of the Kaiser, is said to have no fewer than seventy orders.

OFF TO FRANCE.

A Lone Navigator in His Little Dory.

(Special to the Sun.)

HALIFAX, June 28.—About 15 miles along the coast to the eastward the 15 dory America, commanded by Captain Blackburn of Gloucester, is now sailing en route for Havre, France. The news that Captain Blackburn had arrived this far on his perilous voyage was brought to the city today by Captain F. A. Brannen of the schooner Nellie Hamm, which towed the America from Clarke's Harbor to Thrum Cap, off Halifax. Captain Blackburn reports that Captain Blackburn was obliged to submit to being towed on account of the condition of his legs, which was badly swollen. On Sunday, Blackburn wanted to be cast off, but Brannen hung on to him until seven o'clock this morning, when the coasting schooner and the dory parted company. His leg has caused Captain Blackburn a good deal of trouble, but he enjoyed a good night's sleep last night on board the schooner, which lay off Mesagher's beach, and he stated that the morning was cheerful and confident. His intention is to follow the coast if the weather keeps clear, and if not to make a southerly passage. He is afraid of this he may need medical treatment, and this is his reason for keeping close to the coast for a time. Captain Blackburn is famous as a navigator of small boats, and has already made two successful voyages across the Atlantic, one of 62 days to Bristol and another of 59 days to Lisbon, besides navigating the great lakes, the Mississippi, Mississippi rivers, and many European waterways. If successful on this voyage he will cruise to the Mediterranean and return to his home in his little boat at the St. Louis fair.

WEDDED AT LAKEVILLE CORNER.

A quiet wedding took place at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. J. Chip, Simons, Lakeville Corner, Sunbury Co., on Wednesday, June 24, at 8 o'clock a. m., when his eldest daughter, Stella, was united in the holy bonds of wedlock to Thomas Fulton of the River. Rev. H. E. Harrison, pastor of the Methodist church, tied the nuptial knot. The bride was becomingly attired in a gown of blue cloth, with white silk trimming, and carried a bouquet of roses. She was attended by Miss Mabel Brown of Margerville, while the groom was supported by T. J. Fulton, his cousin. After the ceremony a sumptuous wedding breakfast was partaken of, then the happy twain, accompanied by a number of their friends, proceeded to McGowan's wharf, where they took a river steamer for St. John, thence to Boston and New York, on their bridal tour. A hearty send-off was given, with the usual adjuncts of rice and good wishes. The groom's present to the bride was a gold brooch set with opals, and to the bridesmaid an amethyst ring. The presence of the bride was a most beautiful presents she received. On their return the couple will take up their residence at Little River, Sunbury Co.

A FORMER RESIDENT.

About 1835 some of the leading citizens of St. John, desiring to secure for their children a more solid classical and commercial education, than they could receive in the schools then existing, brought from Aberdeen, Fifeshire, Scotland, the Rev. John Gibson Macgregor, who, in 1836, came to St. John, filled with great acceptance for fourteen or fifteen years the pastorate of St. Andrew's church. Mr. Macgregor brought his wife and family with him, and all resided here until 1853, when they moved to Ontario. Among the children was John Gibson Macgregor, who was born in Scotland in 1833. After the family moved to Ontario the younger Macgregor crossed into the United States. During the civil war he rose from the ranks to be a captain, and he was a great deal of active service. At the close of the war he entered the customs service, his home being at Minneapolis. News has been received that his death recently occurred. Son of an old schoolmate—an ever-decreasing list—will remember him as a pleasant young fellow and will regret to hear of his death.—Globe.

THE POPE'S CONDITION.

ROME, June 28.—Although the health of the Pope is much improved the Italian government, so as to be prepared for any eventuality, has ordered two regiments in the provinces to be kept ready to come to Rome and reinforce the garrison in the city so that the authorities will have a sufficient force to maintain order and insure the liberty of the conclave should it be necessary to hold one.

FORCE OF GRAVITY WAS PETRI- FIED.

A party of tourists from the east, including Professor Marcus C. Noble of the North Carolina University, was about to leave for Rome, a portion of Colorado renowned for its evidences of petrification, says the New York Mail. On the mountain sides and in the valleys there were many petrified trees, and in spots petrified animals had been dug up out of the earth by scientists. Professor Noble hired a well known guide to take the party for a stroll into the midst of the region.

This guide, whose reputation for word painting was as yet unknown to the tourists, took every opportunity to boast about the petrified wood, and the petrified animals, and the petrified conditions, asserting that nothing was safe from the ravages of the petrifying atmosphere more than a few hours. The guide pointed to a projecting boulder.

"Right that," he said, pointing to the spot dramatically, "was the waste of petrification what ever came into my view. That was a hunter, lookin' for bears. He happened to stop right there, an' a big eagle flew right over his head. He raised his gun to shoot, by golly, but just as he was takin' aim a wave of petrification struck him. It struck the eagle, too, an' the gun. All of 'em was petrified squar in a jiffy. An' the eagle stayed just whar he was in the air."

"How was that?" inquired Professor Noble: "the force of gravity was petrified about the time of the revolution, and the petrified conditions, asserting that nothing was safe from the ravages of the petrifying atmosphere more than a few hours. The guide pointed to a projecting boulder.

The French have found a reason for the popularity of the waltz in Paris. The thing is French. One of the negroes of the Nouveau Cirque, interviewed by a Paris paper, says that the origin of the dance was French. According to the latest count some of the French refugees from the court of Marie Antoinette introduced the minuet into New Orleans about the time of the revolution, and the most fashionable dance in Europe was afterward developed into the waltz.

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