THE 12th OF JULY

isitors from No. 112 Lodge and from was still burning this morning.

the wives of the members.

served and shortly afterwards, as rain was falling at the time and as there had been some thunder during the day, a good many of the visitors left for homes, but almost three hundred remained to participate in a dance good time.

The storm which had passed over during the day seemed to be coming back but the dancers paid no attention never thought for a moment that they

At a quarter past twelve this morning a blinding crash was felt, and scores of those who were engaged in the dance fell to the floor unconscious.

Here of the car to the other, and they finally decided to face the storm outside.

TELEGRAPH LINES OUT OF BUSI-The hall was filled with dust and smoke, and was left in almost total Most of the lights were extinguished by the lightning, the ones left burning in the hall being two railroad lanterns carried by Bag-two Frank Lingley, and gage Master Frank Lingley, and Brakesmen McDonald, of Weisford, of the C. P. R. suburban, who happened

The building had been struck in the front. The lightning struck the top of the flag pele, followed this down and tore its way through the front wall of the building. It entered the hall, ran along one wall and struck the stove,

at the time was struck by the lightning and was very badly burned about the hips and legs. Fifteen or twenty others, who were near the stove at the time were rendered unconscious, but with the exception of the young woman, no one was seriously hurt. A panic ensued and an uproar for fully half an hour women screaming

fully half an hour, women screaming and men running to and fro, trying to

After a time lights were procured and it was found that Mr. Nase had been killed. Dr. Arnold was hurriedly summoned and upon' examination express the opinion the the young woman would recover, although her injuries were very severe and she will be confined to her home for months. On examination of the body of Mr. Nase examination of the body of Mr. Nase the only mark found was a small purple spot over the heart. Within a few minutes, however, his entire body became black. Word was sent to his home and his body was brought down this morning on the suburban train to Nerepis, where his parents live. Mr. Nase, who was thirty years of

David Nase, of Nerepis. He was marfiled a short time their marriage. He is survived by his parents and three tisters, two of whom live in the United States, one of them being a nurse in Boston. Mr. Nase was very well known and most popular. He was a farmer by occupation and his place was fre-quentely visited by St. John people.

The wounds received by the young woman were dressed in the hall by Dr. Arnold and early this morning she was

tot been seen up to nine o'clock this joining room, but fortunately were un-

The storm had passed over Welsford from the westward during the day and lame back seemingly from the direction of St. John. It was one of the torst thunder storms ever experienced storm, according to the meteorological storm, according to the one that was struck. The lightness of the one that was struck. The lightness of the one that was struck and the one that was struck and the one that was struck. The lightness of the one that was struck and the one that was str

Road was badly shattered apparently by two bolts one taking effect on the rear and one on the front of the large (Continued from Page 7.)

While the members of the Welsford Loyal Orange Lodge, No. 111 and other lodges with a number of their friends were celebrating the 12th of July at Welsford last evening, the hall was struck by lightning. Ludlow Nase, of Nerepis, was instantly killed, a young woman was badly burned and over a hundred were rendered unconscious by the shock. It is considered miraculous that many others were not killed. The hall was badly damaged.

The celebration was in charge of the Welsford Lodge and was joined in by Sunbury Lodge, No. 145; Star of the Boyne, No. 36; Nerepis Heroes, No. 48; Clones, No. 99; No Surrender, No. 18, of Gagetown; Star of the East, No. 85; Metcalf Lodge, No. 28, Oldville, and visitors from No. 112 Lodge and from St. John.

A VERY SEVERE STORM. lodges at half-past ten in the forenoon Last night's electric storm was one and marched to the station to meet the of the worst that has visited this part visitors. Reforming and headed by of the province for a number of years, the pipers, the Orangemen marched back to their new hall. Dinner was by disastrous results. The storm apserved and afterwards the ceremony parently started some forty or fifty of decorating the graves of deceased brothers was performed. The whole company then moved to the picnic grounds, where various games were carried out. Speeches were made by P. C. M. John Petty, G. L. A. H. Corbett, P. C. M. S. L. Dunlissie, P. C. M. S. P. C. M. John Petty, G. L. A. H. Cor-bett, P. C. M. S. L. Duplissie, P. C. M. o'clock a clap of thunder came which W. O. Patterson, and P. G. M. Douglas many who were unfortunate enough McArthur. The picnic was continued to be on the street at the time, say during the whole afternoon and about surpassed anything they have ever six o'clock the company adjourned to heard, and sounded like the bursting hall where supper was served by of thousands of cannon in the heavens.

STREET CARS HUNG UP. About this time a number of street cars were hung up in different parts of the city, and the passengers sat shiv-ering in darkness within waiting for the storm to abate, when they might venture in the homeward direction on foot. One car full of passengers was which was to end the day's festivities. hung up on City Road for a consider Music was furnished by the pipers and able time. In vain the motorman tried violin and every person was having a to operate the car first from one end and then the other, but the electric current was too strong and the passengers were kept in constant shivers of fright both from without and within. Electric sparks like small lightning

flashes drove the passengers from one end of the car to the other, and they finally decided to face the storm out-

NESS. During the storm telegraphic com munication with many points was dis-turbed. All telephone connection with the West End and in the City was broken, the fuses being burned out. Several large shade trees throughout the city were laid low. The steamer Huron docked before the storm arose, and the Celvin Austra, which decked and the Calvin Austin which docked about 9.30 this morning was apparently out of the storm's reach, at the HAD A NARROW ESCAPE.

During the progress of the storm a tenement house on City Road was struck by lightning and two of the sending pieces of the iron flying all through the room. It went through the floor, followed the joists and came in another place, making almost a complete wreck of the building.

The visitors were at the time engaged in dancing a polka quadrille, but Ludlow Nase, who was about to leave for home, was sitting in the ante-room, waiting for his sister.

A young, lady, whose name was not learned, who was dancing

was fretful, and had called his wife to come in and put the blinds down. Thus it was but a hair-breadth ing pased from Mr. Kelly's room into adjoining one, then down to a bedroom below, where it ran around a for export, and at present agood prices stove pipe hole in the wall and left the will yield a large amount of sterling paper badly scorched on one side of the paper badly scorched on one side of the room. From here the lightning passed into an adjoining room occupied by Mrs. Rogan, where considerable damage was Mrs. Rogan, who was standing in the centre of the room was stunned and kocked down. Fortunately, however, everybody in the house escaped without any serious injuries. One man protested that he was struck fair in the face with the lightning, but as he was unable to show in proof even that his eyebrows had been scorched his state-ment could scarcely be credited. An was the only son of Mr. and Mrs. alarm from box 143 brought the North id Nase, of Nerepis. He was marwhich was slight, had been extinguished before their arrival. The house in question is owned by the Redemptorist Fathers of St. Peter's church.

Th Westen Union wires between St. John and Halifax are down, and it is inderstood that a number of the poles have been struck by lightning. The have been struck by lightning. The line will probably be in operation again

OTHER HOUSES STRUCK While William Stone, of Strait Shore, was at his work as watchman in the portland Rolling Mills, his house was struck by lightning and his wife and baby had a narrow escape from death or injury. The bolt struck the chimnan, by the name of McDonald, who had been rendered unconscious, on combag to his senses made a dash for the loor and in spite of the pouring rain lan like mad down the road and had tot been seen up to nine o'clock this

harmed. Further particulars received from Weisford this morning convey the information that several persons were leated in the ante-room with Mr. Nase it the time he was killed and they made in the roof, and a bedroom suite vas destroyed. No one was hurt, but there were people in every room except the one that was struck. The lightning

The total rainfall during last night's storm, according to the meteorological department, was about one half inch. The heaviest fall was between 10.35 and 11.15. From 10.55 till 11.05 nearly THE STORM AT HAMPTON.

RAMPTON, N. B., July 13—Last light's thunder storm was one of the lost severe electric disturbances extraction of the last taken place here for some at time. At the rate the rain fell during these ten minutes it would mean about the rain aday. The last heavy shower was over at 11.05 and after that the rain was very light.

time. At the rate the rain fell during these ten minutes it would mean about 36 inches in a day. The last heavy shower was over at 11.05 and after that the rain being extremely vivid and alost continuous. The thunder was like he constant roll of a park of artillery. The long distance telephone service has purout of business and local damge was more or less in evidence. Mr. Hutchinson of the Meteorological Department, states that this has been a year of very heavy thunder-storms all over the continent. St. John has, therefore, been fortunate so far, as last evening's was the first electric storm of any consequence this season.

Good News Does Not Cause Any Disturbance

Crop Situation Eminently Satisfactory—

Improvement in Money Situation— **Bond Market Overloaded**

NEW YORK, July 14.-The absolute indifference of the stock market to good news is unusual. Favorable crop reports, increased dividends and im provement in the monetary situation are all incidents which appear to stimulate selling rather than buying of securities. Of really discouraging news there is little, but the bullish in-terest in the market is apathetic and a discouraged feeling prevails in speculative circles, though not sufficiently strong to stimulate any aggressive bear campaign. The fact that stocks have deckined 10 to 60 points and that a great deal of drastic liquidation has already taken place seems to be forgotten. Apparently there is an out pouring of stocks from somewhere, and the question is, from where? It would be equally interesting to know where these securities are going. One theory is that large interests with exceptional facilities for information foresee a business reaction in spite of the present activity, and are anticipating its effects. The more probable theory, however, is our leading banking interests recognize that high rates for money mean lower prices for stocks, and that, coupled with the large increase in rew issues of various sorts, a readjustment between money rates and stock exchange values is now in progress. This readjustment has been going on for fully six months and the market situation greatly relieved and improved thereby. Speculative accounts are being extensively liquidate ed. The bond market is still overloaded with unsalable issues and new sup-plies are still forthcoming. In short, there is no sign yet of an abatement of the demands upon the money market. Many new enterprises are under way which will make further demands upon our monetary resources; hence, the firm rates for time money. There has been no important contraction in loans, the report of the comptroller of the currency for July 18 showing loans the currency for July 18 showing loans the currency for July 18 showing loans. to be \$4,206,000,000, compared with \$3,-899,000,000 in May, 1905. This is an in-

to attend to one of the children who good cotton crop is also promised, the was fretful, and had called average estimate being 11,000,000 bales. Should we have a large wheat crop, that means much prosperity for the escape from what would have been instant death, and the family are disposed to regard it as a providential iterposition. Rushing into the room, after hearing the awful crash, Mr. Kelly seized the burning clothes and threw them out of the window. The lightnfarmer, inasmuch as it is a large for consumption, such as pork, beef, whiskey, starch, glucose, etc. A large cotton crop will be beneficial, inasmuch as the larger portion of it goes

eign indebtedness. The general business situation continues promising. A more conservative tone prevails amongst the leading business men than a year ago, and this should be regarded as a favorable consideration. Our iron and steel trades, of course, show no abatement in activity, which promises to continue for another six or twelve months. The weakest element in the business outlook is the excessive speculation in real estate. Signs of overdoing there are beginning to multiply, and it is becoming increasingly difficult to place real estate mortgages, partly because lenders are becoming distrustful of the situation and partly because finan-rial institutions making cial institutions making a specialty of this business have taken about all the mortgages which they care to handle, our life insurance companies having invested freely in this direction in preference to high-priced bonds. Restraint is evidently needed upon reckference to high-priced bonds. Re-straint is evidently needed upon reck-less real estate operations, and a check

Some clearing of the monetary situation has been afforded by Secretary Shaw. His withdrawal of the \$10,000,-000 recently advanced to the banks to facilitate gold imports was wise and timely, inasmuch as it strengthens the resources at his command and places him in a position to lend assistance in the autumn should occasion require. The foreign situation is but little changed. Although bankers in Paris are more or less concerned about de-velopments in Russia, there is still an abundance of funds at Paris seeking nvestment. Parisian financiers, however, have important government and municipal loans impending consequent-ly more or less disappointment is evidenced in New York at our inability to access of the Pennsylvania \$50,000,000 loan, Moreover, the French are char-acteristically cautious in making investments, and will probably insist upon more knowledge and experience with American investments before committing themselves very extensively. The present local outlook is for firm rates in time money. Large crops at high prices and continued business activity will make extensive demands upon our monetary resources, and the upon our monetary resources, and the inelasticity of our currency system, or its non-adaptability to large sudden demands, exposes us to periods of more or less stringency during the last quarter of the year. Recently sterling exchange has been declining and talk of gold imports is resumed. Nevertheless, monetary prospects after the midless, monetary prospects after the mid-dle of August involve more or less uncertainty unless bankers succeed in

preparing themselves beforehand.

It is evident that the monetary out k is the keynote to recent stock ent between the money market and turns upon investments was impera-ve. Apparently the process has gone r enough for the present, though the tuation is complicated by the con-

tiqued pressure of security issues.

Thus far the bend market has not shared the recent decline in securities.

Large lines of new issues are still held by local syndicates in the hope of finding investment purchasers. These issues may either have to be carried until conditions are more favorable or else let go at concessions from the pre-sent views of holders. The Panama bond issue will soon be an element in the stock market, but Secretary Shaw can be depended upon to do his best to neutralize the disturbing effects of tient in the hospital at Eagle Lake, government operations in the money Maine, market. The forthcoming New York city bond issue will be watched with twenty-nine years of age. He graduconsiderable interest. So far as the tendency promises to be downwards, Miss Augustine Harrison of St. Steaccompanied, however, by sharp rallies, such as that which set in on

is surprising that recovery has not been more pronounced. HENRY CLEWS.

An Auspicious Ceremony in Moncton Sunday

Donations Realize Several Hundred Do lars—Methodist Minister Preaches First Sermon in Moncton

MONCTON, July 15 .- With appropriate ceremonies, attended by a large crowd of people, numbering between of laying the corner stone of St. Mary's being conducted by Rev. Father Savpastor at St. Bernard's church, and his assistant, Rev. Father Leblanc. The ceremonies were brief and carried out according to the ritual prescribed by the Catholic church for the laying of corner stones of public buildings. Senator McSweeney with a small silver trowel formally laid the stone after it had been lowered into place by placing under it a few pieces of mor-tar, and Rev. Fr. Savage declared

hat the stone was laid. The laying was preceded and fol-lowed by the usual religious rites, including singing of the litany and the chanting of the invocation and singing latter speaking in French. The collection realized several hundred dollars towards the new edifice. The Brunswick hotel contributed \$110; Senator McSweeney, \$25; F. W. Sumner, \$25. Rev. Mr. Strothard, the new pastor of the Central Methodist church,

preached his first sermon here today to a large congregation, Court Tidal Wave, C. O. F., attended in a body divine service at St. John's Presbyterian church this morning.

HUNDREDS ATTEND LUD. NASE'S FUNERA

nterment of the Body of Young Man Who was Killed by Lightning Held at Nerepis Sunday

and the service proved very impressive will probably first come from banking At the conclusion of the service the sources.

At the conclusion of the service the funeral proceeded to the Mount Hope cemetery, where the interment was made. The procession, which was one of the largest ever known in the com-munity, extended for over a mile. The esteem and respect with which Mr Nase was regarded was demonstrated by the large numbers present, many driving miles to attend. Mr. Nase was one of the most popular young men in the district and many heartfelt expresions of grief concerning his sad death were heard.

The Welsford lodge of the Independ ent Order of Foresters, in whose hall the fatality took place, attended the der acting as pallbearers.

BANGOR, Me., July 13.-Mrs. Sarah A. McLaughlin, aged 73, wife of David McLaughlin of South Levant, was killed at Hermon Centre today by be ing thrown from her carriage. The horse took fright and ran away, Mrs. McLaughlin being thrown out and her skull fractured. Her daughter-in-law. also thrown out, but not seriously in-

We have advertised so long and so con tinuously that we make sales now by dint of inertia. It isn't first insertion, but hammering away.—P. W. Hartwig. Rochester Lamp Co., N. X.

OF DR. McDONALD

ST. STEPHEN, July 15 .- Dr. Chas. McDonaid, formerly of Milltown, N. B., dropped dead of heart failure yesterday morning while attending

phen. He removed to Eagle Lake and had charge of the hospital at that Friday. In view of recent declines it place

Chas. McDonald of Milltown, and besides his wife leaves to mourn his loss have the sympathy of a large number of friends in their sad bereavement. His remains arrived here last night C. P. R.

At seven-fifteen this evening uilding situated at the St. Stephen end of Ferry Point bridge collapsed and settled back into the river. building was occupied by Wing Tom, in which he conducted a laundry. Luckily for the Chinamen they happened to be out of the building at the time, otherwise they would have received a severe shaking up.

FELL THIRTY FEET; WILL PROBABLY DIE

Sackville Man Terribly Injured While Working on House Top

SACKVILLE, N. B., July 15 .- A bad a result of which Frank Dobson may Dobson, who is a master mason and bricklayer, was building a chim ney on top of the house being erected ney on top of the house being erected on Lansdowne street for Prof. Crowell of Mt. Allison university, when staging gave way, precipitating him to the ground, a distance of fully thirty feet. In falling he turned a somer sault, striking on his head and shoulders. Planks, bricks and mortar fell upjon him, and it was with great difficulty that he was extricated from the mass. Dobson had his jaw broken in two places, his shoulder fractured, his face cut, and it is feared he is injured internally. The bones were set by Dr Calkin, the anaesthetic being admin chanting of the invocation and singing by the choir of Ave Maria Stella. At the conclusion of the ceremonies speeches were made by Hon. Senator McSweeney and Hon. F. J. Sweeney,

CHATHAM WILL

HAVE NO LIQUOR

Town Council Takes Strong Measures To Enforce Scott Act

CHATHAM, July 15.—The decision of the town council to rigidly enforce the provisions of the Scott Act has resulted in a regular crusade on the proprietors of liquor establishments in the town, and the town marshal states that he will not let up until the last bar has been closed. On Wednesday night he made raids on John Jordan's and John R. McDonald's places in the

and John R. McDonald's places in the east and west ends, but found no liquor on the premises.

The sudden resolution of the council to have no more fooling about the enforcement of the act and the two raids by the town marshal evidently gave the wet goods men a bad scare, and they concluded that they had better look out for trouble; so on Wednesday night a meeting of the principal dealers was held and it was decided to retire from the limelight for a more or less protracted period. Teams were hired and all night long they could be heard rumbling through the streets with their precious cargo. By morning most of the shelves were empty and it would be a pretty hard job now to find a highball in Chatham.

Mr. Brodeur and most of the other ministers will be back in Ottawa by the middle of Septembar. The work of revising the tariff will be begun then and it is expected that there will be begun then and it is expected that there will be begun then and it is expected that there will be begun then of the Streets work on the council every day. A good deal of preparatory work on the artiff has been done. The commission of the 8th Hussars.

J. C. H. Benson is made lieutenant of the 8th Hussars.

Dr. H. J. Pugsley, of the 10th Wood during its tour of the council every day. A good deal of preparatory work on the artiff has been done. The commission of the 8th Hussars.

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CHATHAM GIRL HAD

NARROW ESCAPE

CHATHAM, N. B., July 15 .- While playing at Ferry wharf, the five-year-old daughter of D. Mallery fell into the water about seven o'clock this eve-ning. The water was about ten feet deep and the child sank at once. An alarm was given and a big crowd collected. Policeman Coughlan and Robert Cadie dove from the wharf and attempted a rescue. Coughlan could not reach the body, but Cadle caught hold of the girl by the arm, but was hold of the girl by the arm, but was forced to leave go as he could not swim. Coughlan ultimately secured a boat hook and caught the end in the clothing and drew the girl up. She was apparently lifeless and had been under water nearly ten minutes. After considerable treatment by Drs. Benson and Duffy, life was restored and the child was crying lustily within an hour of the accident.

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GENUINE CASTORIA ALWAYS



Expects to Visit England and the Continent During the Summer Minister of Marine Coming to Maritime Provinces on Inspection Trip — Government Still Busy — Parliament Will Probably No Meet Until Late in November.

OTTAWA, Ont., July 15.—The gov-ernment is still busy with routine ac-cumulated during the session. There taken for this purpose. No matter was an all-day sitting on Saturday, how well prepared the government is treasury board in the morning and when it gets about the council board council in the afternoon, dealing with and settles down to the work of tariff matters of departmental routine. All revision it is known that many difficulof the ministers were present and will be until the end of the week, when it is hoped the bottom of the privy council

basket will be reached.

The only minister who will leave Canada this summer will be Hon. Mr. Oliver, who is going to England to look into the condition of the immigration machinery in the mother country and the condition of the immigration has been promised and for which as been promised and for which as

on the continent.

As soon as the business of the government will permit Hon, Mr. Brodeur is going to start for the maritime provinces, where he will inspect the branches of the marine and fisheries department. When he is through with the east he will at once proceed to British Columbia, where there are a number of matters requiring his personal attention. These include the relations with the United States salmon ations with the United States salmon fishermen, the new herring curing ex-perimental stations and the proposed life saving stations and additional lighthouses which the recent disasters on the Pacific coast have created a demand for.

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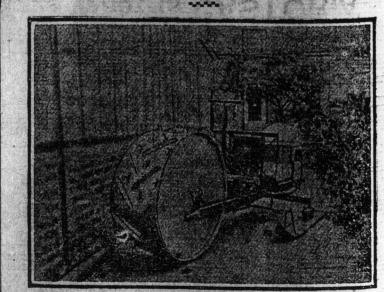
number of important matters have

was mentioned in the speech from the throne with which Earl Grey prorogued parliament will have the effect of exparliament will have the effect of expediting a reply.

Lieut. E. A. Smith, of the 62nd Fusiliant of the first state of the fir iersr, has been appointed lieutenant of the Royal Canadian Regiment, perma-

Capt. H. F. McLeod, of the 71st

SLEDGES FOR THE POLE.



Walter Wellman, the American explorer, is to try to reach the North Pole by motor balloon and motor sledge. He is now in Paris finishing the equipment of his expedition. The most important part of his motor machinery here shown. He will replace the slee ge dog by a motor, which drives a huse evolving drum fitted with spikes and knives to catch hold of the ice.

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Means to Encourage -A Pretty W

MONCTON, N. B., Moncton is going to n fort to forge ahead i line was amply demo ings held here this af night by the city coun of trade respectively question of bonusin clothing industry to here on a large scale well known Montrea who is to take over H ing factory and conduct sale establishment on basis than formerly.

The tone adopted by trade tonight indicates were its members in in ing this, but using every ecure other industries and it was intimated

was now being prose Many members exprison that while the I. C. ion that while the I. C. Institution and had what it is today, still i well to rely altogether R., but to induce all opossible, and in the g to locate here. The b Campbell is \$1,000 a ye years and there seen doubt but that his recompiled with. The cit afternoon almost upper transitions. afternoon almost unani motion that this co the granting of a bonu

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