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Capt. A. B. Smith, of this village, is
building a boat in which he says he will
cross the Atlantic. The boat will be sixty
feet long, schooner rigged and fitted with
an eight horse-power engine, the power
being generated by gasoline. Glass en-
cases the cabin. The wheel will be inside
the cabin, but there will be a second one
on deck. The cost of the craft will be
about \$4,000.

Fire in the Quebec citadel did \$1,500
damage on Friday.

News Summary

The village of Port Beington, B. C., was
almost totally destroyed by fire. The loss
is placed at seventy thousand.

There were nineteen business failures in
the Dominion this week, against twenty-
four in the corresponding week of 1898.

Hilda Blake, a servant girl found guilty
of murdering her mistress, Mrs. John Lee,
at Regina, has been sentenced to be hanged
on December 27th.

The Elder-Dempster steamship Merrimac
has been given up as lost, as she has now
been out twenty-four days from Quebec
for Belfast. The crew numbered about
forty.

Negotiations between the Intercolonial
Railway and the Quebec and Levis Ferry
Company have reached a satisfactory issue.
The ferry company agrees to run a night
boat between Quebec and Levis.

A London correspondent says:—There is
a strong feeling here, and it is daily grow-
ing, against the French, for their attack
in the press upon England's soldiers, and
above all for the false reports they make
public.

Sir Richard Webster, the British attorney
general, has been made a baronet in recog-
nition of his work on the Venezuelan
arbitration commission. Sir Robt. T. Reid,
counsel for Great Britain, has been made
a Knight Grand Cross of the order of St.
Michael and St. George.

A London correspondent says: The
spirit the French are showing now
is not going to be forgotten later, and
there is building up among Englishmen—
I see it growing every day—bitterness and
hatred of the French which may make
the keeping of peace very difficult here-
after.

Alluding to Lieut. Wood of Halifax
lately killed in South Africa, the Bangor
News says: As the great-great-grandson
of President Zachary Taylor and the grand-
nephew of Jefferson Davis, in service of
the Queen of England in the Transvaal
war, Lieut. Wood's name seems like a
symbol of reunited sympathies and inter-
ests.

In Russia the Leonid display caused a
popular panic in many places. It was
believed that the end of the world had
come. Churches were open all night long,
and hundreds of thousands spent three
nights in the open air. There are even
rumors that in some villages Russian
parents murdered their children to save
them from an expected worse fate.

At Amherst Wednesday the preliminary
examination of Angus Chisholm, I. C. R.
baggage man, of Truro; Neil Barclay,
assistant station master at Maccau; John
Doyle, of Westchester, and Arthur Stewart,
James Barclay, Wilson Myers and Thomas
Little, of Wentworth, arrested by Detective
Skeffington for having in their possession
forged two-dollar Dominion bills of the
issue of July 2nd, 1897, resulted in all being
committed for trial. Chisholm evidently
acted for a man named Davis, of Boston.

The Paris papers continue to comment
on the firing upon the French steamer
Cordoba by the British war ship Magi-
cienne in South African waters, but con-
sider that judgment should be reserved
until all the circumstances are known.
The Figaro says: "If the Cordoba did not
show her flag the British vessel had a
strict right to fire. If, however, the
British vessel really searched the Cordoba
for contraband it was illegal, as no block-
ade had been announced."

By the will of Erastus Lathrop, late of
Westfield, Dwight L. Moody will receive
the proceeds of the entire state, valued at
\$15,000. The money is to be used—so the
testator states—for "the promotion of
Christian principles and the upbuilding of
the cause of Christ." It is left to Mr.
Moody's fidelity and good judgment to
use the money in any way he sees fit. All
Mr. Lathrop's relatives are cut off, and
they will contest the will at a hearing to
be held December 6.

Personal

Rev. Ezekiel Hopper will spend the win-
ter with his son, at Dawson Settlement,
Albert county.

We regret to learn that Rev. J. A. Gor-
don, of Montreal, has had an attack of ill-
ness during the past week. Bro. Gordon's
energy of purpose, and his devotion to the
cause which he serves, carry him too fast
at times for his physical strength. A three
months' rest is what he needs, and with
his fine recuperative powers, that should
make a new man of him.

The Brussels street pulpit was very
acceptably supplied on Sunday last, by
Rev. W. N. Hutchins, of Canning, N. S.
Mr. Hutchins came over on Saturday and
returned on Monday.

Mr. H. H. Roach has accepted the in-
vitation of the Annapolis church to be-
come its minister for a time. Mr. Roach
has recently spent several Sundays in St.
John, preaching to the Brussels St. con-
gregation, and his services have been
highly appreciated.

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