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OUR COUNTRY CORRESPONDENCE.

FREDERICTON.

Fredericton, Sept. 4—Word was received yesterday from his private secretary that Lord Dundonald, commander of the Canadian militia, will be in Fredericton on September 21, and will officially open the Fredericton exhibition on that date.

Sir William Van Horne has expressed his intention of making an exhibit at the Fredericton exhibition. Sir William owns a large farm near St. Andrews, and is expected to exhibit a herd of thoroughbred cattle.

W. T. Chestnut is in receipt of a letter from T. A. Dressel, secretary of the Sportsmen's Exhibition Company of New York, who is doing some advertising for the sportsmen's show to be held in Madison Square Garden, February 19 to March 5, 1904. They are very anxious to have a large and typical New Brunswick exhibit at the show.

William J. Scott, whose saw mill at Springhill was destroyed by fire on Wednesday night, has decided not to rebuild at that place.

Reports from all over the country state that prospects for harvesting are excellent with the exception of the buckwheat crop, which is a failure in most parts. In some places the apple crop is average, and in others rather light. The potato crop is badly affected by the rust.

The Rev. J. R. deWolfe Cowie, rector of St. Mary's, arrived here from Sussex by boat yesterday and accompanied by Mrs. Cowie, is a guest at the Queen for a few days. The parishioners are making a few necessary alterations to the rectory, and as soon as these are completed the rector and wife will move in.

The death occurred at the residence of Mrs. Winslow Tilley, on Charlotte street, this morning, of Caroline, widow of the late Timothy McCarthy, a former well known resident of this city. Deceased was sixty-five years of age, and has been in failing health for some time. The late Mrs. McCarthy leaves a family of four sons, Conductor C. H. Sterling, of Gibson; A. J. Sterling, of Burton; Dr. Allan Sterling, of Stanley, and Dr. Harrison Sterling, of Greenville (South Carolina).

CHATHAM.

Chatham, Sept. 3.—Mrs. W. B. Snowball and family, who have been spending the summer at Church Point, returned home this week.

J. Archibald Haviland has returned to Halifax to resume his studies at Dalhousie College.

Miss Olive Williamson, of Newcastle, a graduate of the Ladies' College, Halifax, has accepted the position of organist of St. John's church and will enter upon her duties next Sunday.

Police Magistrate Connors and Ald. Watt were re-elected county councillors by acclamation for the parish of Chatham; William Anderson and William L. Allain by acclamation for Alnwick; J. S. Pond and William A. Campbell by acclamation for Ludlow, and W. V. Ullock and James Cameron by acclamation for Glenelg.

The funeral of Mrs. William Stothart, of Moorefield, who died so suddenly on Monday, was held yesterday afternoon and was largely attended. The service was conducted by Rev. D. Henderson, of St. Andrew's church, and the interment was in the Moorefield cemetery. Besides her husband, the deceased leaves three sons—Thomas, Harold and Harry—and three daughters—Misses Ethel, Frances and Josie, and a large circle of other relatives and friends.

Mrs. MacIntyre, of Montreal, mother of Mrs. R. A. Snowball, and Mrs. MacGregor, who have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Snowball, left on Monday for home.

Mrs. A. K. MacDougall and Miss Eliza MacDougall, now of Sydney, are visiting friends here.

A very large number attended St. Andrew's garden party this afternoon and evening in the manse grounds. Tea was served from 5 to 7 o'clock and the tables were well patronized. In the evening a very good concert was given and much enjoyed. Altogether the affair was most successful.

Miss Winnie Wright, of St. John, who has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Hocken, has returned home.

Great preparations are being made for the Labor day sports, which promise to be more interesting than for some years. The agricultural association have left nothing undone to make their part of the programme a success. Another attraction for the day will be the garden party by St. Luke's church congregation on Governor Snowball's beautiful grounds.

HAMPTON.

Hampton Village, Sept. 5—George Freeze has his new barn shingled and boarded in. He is now laying the floor.

About seventy-five men are working on the McDonald school building. James Piers & Son will have the stone foundation completed this week.

Chisby Hayes is placing a verandah and bay window in Joseph Pickle's house.

George White and Mr. Brown are cutting Judge Skinner's marsh hay for him on one of his farms at Central Norton.

Mrs. Victor Dykeman and family have returned to St. John after an outing at her father's residence at Central Norton.

Mrs. E. H. Frost and children, Edgar and Violet, have gone to visit her son Clement and wife at Welsford.

Chas. Fairweather, druggist, of Sussex, has been on a visit to his uncle at Lower Norton.

Doctor Warneford's new house is nearing completion and when finished will be a very handsome residence.

Chas. Ketchum, of Lower Norton, has had a new house built for him this summer.

Marsh hayers are at it lively along the banks of the Kennebecasis. This makes it very interesting for the excursionists on the steamer Clifton.

Three Admiral Dewey potatoes, weighing four pounds, were dug on Elmdale farm today. Miller's Prize and other varieties are as green as ever, bug death having killed all the insects on the vines.

Sportsmen are leaving the Riverview hotel daily with their guns. The ducks in the ponds about the Norton and Hampton marshes promise to be plentiful this season.

Hampton Village, Sept. 7—Contractor and Builder William Smith has men at work blasting a well out of the solid rock and digging holes for the posts of the foundation of the new cheese and butter factory on the Carvill property, Station road.

The school trustees are having difficulty in collecting the school taxes. Several people have been sued by the secretary. Others, whose children have been turned out of school contrary to the wishes of the chirman, because they were not vaccinated, have refused to pay the school tax and will carry it to the highest court if necessary. The principal has resigned. The Baptist clergyman has also resigned.

St. Paul's Sunday school picnic will be held on John Crawford's grounds on Thursday, September 10, with sports and games and refreshments on the ground.

H. E. K. Whitney, superintendent of the Boys' Mission, St. John, and his youthful assistants gave an excellent concert and address to a crowded house on Sunday of last week in Agricultural Hall.

Miss Bella Flewelling has been spending her holidays at the residence of her Grandfather, Rev. D. P. Wetmore, Clifton.

Aubry and Sherwood Flewelling are both in Providence. The former is on the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railway and the latter in the builders' foundry.

Mrs. Hanington, wife of Judge Hanington, of Dorchester, and Mr. and Mrs. John Lister, of Fredericton, are visiting at Rev. D. P. Wetmore's, Clifton.

Rev. D. J. and Mrs. Wetmore held the Golden anniversary of their wedding on September 3, at their residence in Clifton. The happy reunion was a very enjoyable affair, one aged relative in his 85th year coming all the way from Fredericton to do honor to the still comparatively youthful and happy couple. Among the relatives and friends present were Mrs. Hanington, of Dorchester; Mr. and Mrs. John Lister, of Fredericton; the rector of the parish, Rev. H. S. Wainwright, and daughter.

The happy bride and groom of fifty years received monetary gifts of gold, silver and notes, as well as jewelry, among them being a sovereign from the rector, and $10 in gold from two grandsons in Providence (R.I.).

HARTLAND.

Hartland, N. B., Sept. 4.—Mrs. and Mrs. John Connolly, of Jacksontown, are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Connolly.

Mrs. Harry Clapp who, with her little son Roger, has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Orser, will leave today for her home in Lowell (Mass.)

Spurgeon Tompkins has a fine residence in course of erection and C. J. Connolly is about completing another handsome home. Both buildings are on the Rockland road.

The proprietors of the people's store, The Klondike, have announced that they intend to withdraw their branch store from here on Saturday, Sept. 12.

A. J. Benham, manager for M. Fickler & Co.'s store, was married on Wednesday to Miss Carrie Meredith, one of Hartland's favorite young ladies. They were married by Rev. Geo. Ross. With the many useful presents, the happy serenade and bonfire, it goes without saying that Mr. and Mrs. Benham have many friends in Hartland.

J. L. Fawcett, who has been practising law here for a number of years, is planning to leave for Calgary with Mrs. Fawcett in about a month. He expects to practice his profession and make his home in Calgary. Mr. Fawcett has the enviable reputation of being an honest and clever lawyer. Both he and Mrs. Fawcett will be very greatly missed in social circles, where they have made many warm friends.

HOPEWELL HILL.

Hopewell Hill, Sept. 4—The marriage took place on Wednesday of this week, of Miss Jennie Steeves, daughter of John N. Steeves, to Garfield Nelson, of Lower Cape. Rev. Mr. Addison, pastor of the Surrey Baptist church, officiated.

Mrs. Belle Bulmer was married at the Baptist parsonage at Harvey last week, to Chas. Johnson, of Albert.

Alfred Falce, of Chemical road, was married at Pleasant Vale, Elgin, on Sept. 2, to Miss Hattie Colpitts, daughter of James Colpitts, of that place.

Mrs. Chipman, wife of the Rev. A. Chipman, of Berwick (N. S.), at one time pastor of the Hopewell Baptist church, is visiting friends at Lower Cape.

Harold Tingley, son of J. A. Tingley, of Hopewell Cape, broke his arm at school today. Doctor Marvin, of Hillsboro, set the fractured bone.

KINGSTON.

Kingston, Kings county, Sept. 7.—The Sir William MacDonald school now being erected in Kingston is progressing quite rapidly. The basement has been dug and the stone foundation all laid. The masons are now at work laying the brick and by the end of the present week should have the four feet of brick all ready for the sills. The frame is all ready on the ground to put up and as soon as the foundation is finished the work will go forward much faster.

The contractor, Mr. Sheafer, has had a large number of teams and men at work digging the cellar, hauling the stone, brick and lumber for some weeks but most of the teams were laid off last Friday night as everything needed at present is on the grounds.

Dr. Keith is building a new house on a very pretty site just opposite Kingston hall.

Mrs. S. C. Northrup and niece, Miss Cowan, both of Boston, who have been spending a few weeks at S. C. Northrup's old home here, left for Boston on Saturday.

Mrs. Will Flewelling and son, Master Fred, also returned to Boston on Saturday after a visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Northrup.

Miss Harriet Downing, of Newport, who has been spending her vacation with her friend, Miss Etta Northrup, returned to Newport on Saturday.

Miss Stevens, of St. John, has been spending a few weeks here visiting her friend, Miss Sadie Pickett.

Misses Mary and Ruth Foster, of Rothesay, paid a visit to their grandmother, Mrs. C. Foster of this place.

Miss Lena Evans, of St. John, is visiting her uncle, Mr. Bostwick.

Miss Beatrice Duke, of Hampton, is in charge of the school at Perry Point, having taken the place of Miss Ethel Duffy of Nauwigewauk, who has accepted a position in St. Andrews, where she will teach manual training.

Miss Ida Northrup is in charge of the school here.

Captain Mabee, of the steamer Clifton, has purchased the Marguerite and intends to run her from Reed's Point to Rothesay to meet the trains, but owing to some difficulty he has been unable to do so thus far.

Miss Fannie Domville, of Rothesay, spent Sunday with her friend, Miss Etta Northrup.

BLOOMFIELD.

Bloomfield Station, Sept. 4.—The funeral of Miss Fannie Wetmore, who died in St. John on Wednesday, will take place this afternoon. Deceased leaves a mother, two sisters and three brothers. She had been ill for some time. Miss Wetmore was much respected.

Mrs. John Cochrane, of Boston, is visiting relatives and friends.

Miss Amelia Hayes, nurse, has returned to Boston.

The band concert which was given last Saturday evening at James Gilchrist's was a grand success. A good sum was realized and success goes to show what a few can do when they work together in a good cause and with determined purpose. The Hampton band has proven itself a drawing card in this locality. Beside being first class musicians the boys are "jolly good fellows."

Mr. and Mrs. T. H. J. Wetmore, of Boston, arrived this morning to visit their old home.

Peter Campbell, contractor, has left to commence the construction of a large bridge in Hammond.

A number from here attended the annual Upham picnic on Wednesday. It was a great success.

HARVEY STATION.

Harvey Station, York Co., Sept. 7.—On Thursday morning last Mrs. Henry P. Craig had her leg broken near the ankle while she was alighting from a carriage at Coburn's store. She was attended by Dr. Keith.

Customs Officer Thomas Stinson, of St. Andrews, accompanied by Mrs. Stinson, arrived on Saturday. They are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Robison and will visit friends and relatives here for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Burpee, of Nashwaaksis, are spending a few days at the home of Mrs. Burpee's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Coburn.

Fred Atcheson, of Houlton, is visiting friends and relatives here and at Tweedside. He is accompanied by his sister, Miss Dora Atcheson.

Mrs. J. Gibson, of Newton (Mass.) is visiting her sister, Mrs. Andrew Robison.

Andrew Robison has purchased a binder from the Massey-Harris Company and has done a large amount of work in the harvest fields with it during the past week.

Not much interest is as yet being taken in the municipal elections which will take place in October, and no opposition to the present councillors, Messrs. Robison and Thompson, has yet appeared.

MILLTOWN.

Milltown, N. B., Sept. 7.—Mrs. Tower is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Kehoe, Pleasant street.

Mrs. R. Blaney has returned home after spending a few days with her sister, Mrs. McDonald.

Miss Bessie Pinkerton and Miss Coffey, spent a few days at Fair Haven, Deer Island recently.

Mrs. Geo. Frost, who has been ill, is improving slowly.

The Methodist Sabbath school annual picnic was held Saturday afternoon at Porter Stream, St. Stephen.

The loom fixers of the St. Croix Cotton Mill, held an excursion to Princeton Saturday afternoon. It was fairly attended.

Miss Annie Stickney, of Marysville, is visiting her brother, James Stickney.

Daniel Sutherland, shoemaker, has removed his shop to Albion Eaton's building, Pleasant street.

A neat fountain has recently been put in operation on the high school grounds.

Jas. Crossett, jr., with his wife and family, spent last week in Princeton.

The young ladies of the Union Social Club held a lawn party on the ground of the Congergational vestry Saturday afternoon and evening. Booths and tents were arranged for the sale of candy, ice cream and fancy articles. The band rendered several selections during the evening.

TRURO.

Truro, Sept. 4.—Special services have been held this week under the auspices of the Truro branch of the W. C. T. U. Miss Wiggins, of Toronto, who is traveling in the interests of this society, was the principal speaker. Several new names were enrolled in the union.

Considerable annoyance has been occasioned different people in the town by colored children from the settlement at the west end. The boys have been invading gardens and carrying off flowers and fruit. Some townspeople who have been kind to the colored people have been the principal sufferers. These lads may be brought to justice.

A most successful garden party was held Wednesday at Springfield Farm, Lower Truro, in aid of the hospital fund, and more than $58 was realized.

Several persons have taken advantage of the cheap rates to Toronto and have gone to the city of churches. Mrs. J. W. Aikens and two children, Mr. and Mrs. John Suckling and Frank Stanfield left on Monday.

The newly organized Citizens' band played last night on Victoria square for the first time this season, and a crowd of people enjoyed the music and the moonlight.

A special meeting of the Bible Society is to be held in First Presbyterian church on Friday evening next, at which Venerable Archdeacon Madden, of Liverpool, is to speak. The societies of young people in the town will give way to this meeting.

A. Kirkpatrick, of the Royal Bank staff, has returned from a trip to his home in Woodstock (N. B.)

Dr. and Mrs. Donald McDonald are visiting in town.

Dr. Joseph Hayes, of Parrsboro, was in town yesterday. He is especially interested in the coal areas at DeBert river.

A. E. Mattall, who has been working for T. G. McMullen, returned to his home in Tatamagouche this week.

A band of Salvation Army men from Bermuda gave a concert in the D. J. T. A. hall last night. It was well attended. The musicians, who are really good ones, went from here to Springhill.

A delay was occasioned on the I. C. R. train from Halifax this morning, so that she was two hours and thirty-five minutes late. One of the large springs on the engine broke at Wellington.

John A. Tupper, son of S. H. Tupper, Willow street, is visiting his parents. Mr. Tupper travels for the Duluth Music Company.

Miss Lida McKenzie, head milliner at Smith & Co.'s, left today for Boston and other cities for the latest styles. Miss K. Bailey is away on the same business.

Mrs. Fred Rankin, of Somerville (Mass.) is spending a few days with Mrs. A. J. Wall, Lyman street.

Mrs. J. T. Angus, Pleasant street, who has been in Montreal for some time, visiting friends and relatives, has returned.

Alf. Crowe is attending the College of Pharmacy in Toronto.

Rev. Dr. Carman, general superintendent of the Methodist church in Canada, is to preach in the Pleasant street church on the 13th inst.

R. J. Turner, of this town, has the contract to supply the seats and desks in the newly established consolidated rural schools at Middleton. Mr. Turner is agent for W. F. Villas, Cowansville (P. Q.)

The Provincial Sunday school convention of Nova Scotia is to meet in Truro next month, and preparations for the entertainment of the delegates are being made. Committees have been appointed from Sunday schools. Some 500 delegates are expected.

In the death of Mrs. Thomas Smith, Park street, Truro has lost one of her oldest and most respected citizens. Mrs. Smith had been in delicate health for a few years, and on Monday afternoon she breathed her last. The funeral service was held on Wednesday and was attended by a large number of mourning friends. Rev. J. W. Aikens, pastor of the Methodist church, had charge of the service and was assisted by Venerable Archdeacon Kaulback (an old friend of the family), Rev. R. G. Strathie and Rev. Malcolm McLean. The deceased was mother of Prof. Alfred Smith, of Mt. Allison, Sackville. Another son is a doctor in Newfoundland, and there are three others—Arthur, Aubrey and Edward. The latter teaches in Port Hood (C. B.), the former is jeweler in this town, and Aubrey is druggist here. The two daughters are Mrs. S. V. Mack and Miss Jessie Smith, both of this place.

The Colchester Academy opened yesterday with an enrollment of 170 pupils, an unusually large attendance for the opening day. The staff of teachers has been slightly changed. Miss Best and Mr. Sedgewick have retired and their places are being filled by Miss Jean Gordon, B. A., of River John, and Miss M. McDougall, of this town.

Little Miss Reita Phillips, Queen street, has gone to resume her studies at Mt. Vincent, Halifax.

William D. Corbett, of Folly Village, was in town this week.

The T. A. A. C. are planning extensive sports for Labor day, morning, afternoon and evening. A promenade concert is to be held in the rink.

Mrs. A. W. Flemming and Miss Jennie have returned from Boston.

Mrs. James Fisher, of Medicine Hat (N. W. T.) is guest of her sister, Mrs. John Phinney, Prince street.

John Smith, of Somerville (Mass.) is spending a few days with his mother, Mrs. S. C. Smith, Dominion street.

Mrs. W. C. Dickie and family, who have been visiting in Stewiacke, came home on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. P. McElhinney, of Ottawa, are visiting Mrs. John Nelson, Louise street. Mr. McElhinney is in the marine and fisheries department at Ottawa, and is a dominion inspector of hulls and equipments.

Miss Grace McLauchlan has gone to take charge of the school at Fenwick, Cumberland county, and her sister, Miss Ethel, is to have the position of teacher at Salt Springs.

Joseph Goode, of Arthur street, met with a painful accident this week. He was working in the Union steam laundry, and while jumping to avoid a belt which had broken, injured his heel. Mr. Goode will be confined to his home for some days.

Miss Florence Riddon and Miss Evelyn E. Harvey left last week for their home in Boston, stopping en route at Fairville to visit Miss Harvey's sister.

Mrs. S. M. Bentley has gone to Sheffield Mills, Kings county, for a few weeks' visit.

Mrs. Benjamin McNutt and Miss Daisy Culten, of Lower Truro, left on Wednesday for a trip to Boston.

Miss Jennie Robinson is home from Boston, visiting with her mother, at Mrs. Whidden's, Queen street.

Rev. F. E. Barrett and family, of Advocate Harbor, are visiting Mrs. Barrett's father, Capt. A. T. Dalrymple, Lyman street.

Mrs. E. M. Hill, organist in the First Baptist church, has resumed her work, after a few weeks' outing.

HALIFAX.

Halifax, Sept. 6—(Special)—A severe thunder, lightning and rain storm raged over Halifax and vicinity Saturday evening. The rain came in torrents, doing considerable damage to the streets. Several houses on the Dartmouth side of the harbor were struck by lightning, but no serious damage done. At Bedford hail stones of unusually large size fell.

About daylight this morning a similar storm broke over the city.

The death of Frederick W. Hart, of L. Hart & Co., Ltd., occurred this morning after a brief illness. He was forty-two years old and leaves his wife and several children.

G. S. Harrington, K. C., passed away today at the age of fifty-three. He had been in poor health for a year and several months ago took a trip to the West Indies in hopes of receiving benefit. He leaves his wife and grown up family.

John W. Ousley, K. C., clerk of the house of assembly, died at his son-in-law, R. M. Cutler's, Saturday. He was aged sixty-four. In 1882 he was appointed assistant clerk of the house of assembly and on the death of Mr. Twining was appointed chief clerk. He leaves his widow and six children. His death will be generally regretted.

DIGBY.

Digby, Sept. 4—B. Havey & Co., of Bridgetown, have purchased the millinery business in Digby of J. F. Saunders.

Albert J. Lutz, of Moncton (N. B.), who arrived here last week, has his racing yacht Regina in commission. He took his first sail, since the season of 1901, in her yesterday. She is supposed to be the fastest 25-foot cabin yacht owned in the maritime provinces, having defeated the sloop Hermes at Digby in 1901.

Doctor DuVernet left yesterday for Gagetown (N. B.), to attend the funeral of his sister, Mrs. Scovil.

Digby, Sept. 7.—Lyman H. Outhouse has purchased Robt. Trenholom's canning factory at Tiverton and will begin business at once.

Tiverton's fleet of fishing vessels will be increased during the next few months.

William Walker, of Central Grove, has purchased Ward Cossaboom's property in Tiverton.

D. E. Loomer's factory is putting up finnan haddies in large quantities, and with the breakwater nearing completion and the new S. S. Westport III on the route, this village presents a busy appearance.

The Little River fishermen report large catches of dogfish with few hake and haddock. The canning factory is in operation at the mouth of the river.

Herring are plentiful in St. Mary's Bay, but few have been captured at Meteghan River.

Capt. James Cosman and Hon. A. H. Cosman, M. P. P., have enlarged and improved their stores at Meteghan River.

At Whale Cove, Digby Neck, the fishermen are busy, but bait is scarce. Several buildings are being erected.

While Byron Prime, of this village, was throwing fishing trawl from a tub a hook penetrated the fore finger of his left hand, going in one side and out the other. Dr. Rice, of Sandy Cove, dressed the wound.

Tourists are leaving Digby rapidly, although several of the leading hotels are still well filled. August tourist business was even better and more than 1,000 visitors were here during the month, and must have left at least $100,000 in Digby and vicinity.

STUDENT "STOLE" ESSAY.

Now Has to Give Up Medal Which it Brought Him

Providence, R. I., Sept. 7.—Maurice B. Rich, who won the Gaston prize medal at the commencement exercises at Brown University last June by means of an oration he delivered at that time, has been adjudged guilty by the faculty of Brown University of delivering an essay "not his own" in the words of President Faunce, and has returned the medal by request.

Bad Accident in Motor Race.

New York, Sept. 7.—Four men were injured seriously today during a five mile motor cycle handicap at Manhattan Beach. They plunged over the track embankment opposite the grandstand while going at a terrific pace.

They were Alexander Dufrane, of Elizabeth (N. J.), who was badly bruised and is believed to have sustained internal injuries; N. T. Barnard, of Hartford, cut and bruised and shoulder hurt; F. W. Rogers, of Brooklyn, badly bruised and hip laid open; P. Johnson, of Newark, head cut and thought to have been internally injured.

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PEARY FOR THE POLE AGAIN.

This Time His Wife Will Stay at Home, an Heir Demanding Her Care.

Washington, D. C., Sept. 7.—Not a whit less brave than when she accompanied her husband on his last trip in search of the north pole, Mrs. Robert E. Peary will next time remain at her home in Washington anxiously awaiting word from the expedition, in which she has as much confidence as her husband. The decision was one of necessity. Another heir has just arrived in the Peary home which needs the attention of a brave mother.

Commander Peary has begun preparations for his polar expedition, which he hopes to get under way by next July. For the present he will direct these preparations from his office in the bureau of yards and docks, where he is on duty as a civil engineer. Commander Peary is earnest in his conviction that he can succeed in reaching the pole. His plan of operations is already prepared, and there remains the selection of his party, the contracting for the ship which will carry him north, and the obtaining of the remainder of the $150,000 which he estimates will cover the expenses of the expedition.

In Mr. Darling, the acting secretary of the navy, Commander Peary has an enthusiastic and influential advocate. Indeed, to the acting secretary of the navy is really due in a large measure the possibility of another Peary expedition. Mr. Darling has for years been a student of Arctic work. He is acquainted with every detail of Commander Peary's plan as well as with the past campaigns of other Arctic explorers to reach the pole. Mr. Darling thinks the establishment of a colony of Eskimos at the northermost point of Grand Land, and Commander Peary's great influence over the tribes of that section will prove the key to his success in reaching the pole.

The King's first visit to Ireland was made when he was 18 years of age. He can trace descent from the ancient kings of Leinster.

HALIFAX BAND TO PLAY IN BOSTON.

Boston, Sept. 16—Secretary Hay has written to Captain T. T. Stokes, president of the committee of one hundred having the reception to the London Honorable Artillery in charge, granting permission to the band of the Fifth Battalion of the Royal Garrison Regiment, quartered at Halifax, to enter American soil.

The band, which consists of 35 picked men under the leadership of W. F. Cooper, one of the best known band-masters in the reception to the Honorable Artillery, playing also at the church parade and at the banquet.

SAID HE'D SHOOT ROOSEVELT.

Syracuse, N. Y., Sept. 7.—The police charge John Miller, a German who was arrested this afternoon at his home, with having threatened to shoot the president during his stay in this city.

Sunday evening the police learned that Miller had said he would shoot the president while the letter carriers' parade was being reviewed.

He could not be found until late today. He denies that he made the threat credited to him.

A YARMOUTH MAN.

Boston, Sept. 7.—M. J. Carter sailed for his home in Yarmouth (N. S.), yesterday, minus two valuable packages which he asked the police to find for him. He had been in Boston a few days seeing sights and shopping. He stayed at the Tavern.

He started for the boat with his bundles yesterday, but became tired and set his bundles down on the sidewalk, left them and went back to his hotel to get a boy to carry them. When he returned with the boy his bundles were gone, and he was frantic. He notified the police, and begged them to find his bundles. Then he sailed for home on the boat.

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Horse Show to be held in Victoria Rink on October 7th and 8th.
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Aquatic Sports on Friday, Oct. 10th. Grand Harbor Regatta.

NOTE THE PROGRAMME OF SPORTS.

Athletic Sports.

Amateur Race, 100 yds. handicap—Prize, Gold Trophy.
Professional Race, 100 yds. handicap—1st Prize, $75; 2nd Prize, $50.
Boys' Race, 100 yds (limit 16 years)—Prize, Gold Trophies.
Pole Vault, Amateur—Prize, Gold Trophy.
Professional Race, 125 yds. handicap—1st Prize, $75; 2nd Prize, $50.
Hurdle Race, 100 yds. handicap—Prize, Gold Trophy.
Hammer and Shot Throwing—1st Prize, $25; 2nd, $15.
Professional Race, 220 yds. handicap—1st Prize, $50; 2nd Prize, $25.
Amateur Race, 220 yds. handicap—Prize, Gold Trophies.
Exhibition of Jumping by Champions for world's record—1st Prize, $25; 2nd Prize, $15.

Aquatic Sports.

Professional Four-oared Race, 3 crews outside of St. John to enter—1st Prize, $300; 2nd Prize, $100.
Amateur Single Sculls — Prize, Gold Trophies.
Amateur Four-oared Race—Prize, Gold Trophies.
Junior Amateur Four-oared Race—Prize, Gold Trophies.
Professional Single Scull Race—1st Prize, $75; 2nd Prize, $25.
Yacht Sailing Races—1st Prize, $60; 2nd Prize, $25; 3rd Prize, $15.
Professional Oarsmen to guarantee $5.00 that they will race; money to be refunded if they row.

Entries close for Horse Show on Sept. 15th.
Entries close for Athletic and Aquatic Sports on Sept 25th.
October in St. John is one of the fine t months in the year.
Bands of Music and other amusements.
Low Excursion Rates from everywhere.

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