

LIBERAL PICNIC AT MUSQUASH TUESDAY, SEPT. 22

The Liberals of the Parish of Musquash will hold a Political Picnic on the grounds of L. B. Knight, Esq., on Tuesday, September 22.

BIG FAIRVILLE FIRE ON SUNDAY

Large Produce Warehouse of DeWitt Bros. Totally Destroyed in Early Morning

The large produce warehouse at Fairville corner owned by Saunders W. DeWitt and Ernest DeWitt, trading as DeWitt Brothers, was totally destroyed by fire early on Sunday morning.

ENDS HIS MINISTRY AS ST. JOHN PASTOR

Rev. Doctor Fotheringham Preaches Farewell Sermon to His Congregation.

For the last time previous to his departure for California on the 22nd inst., Rev. T. F. Fotheringham preached in the pulpit of the St. John Presbyterian church Sunday night, where he has been pastor for twenty-five years.

THOUSANDS IDLE AT GLASGOW

Great Crowds Apply for the C. P. Railway Strikers' Places

FORCED BY POVERTY

Shipbuilding is Practically at a Standstill on the Clyde, and an Army of Skilled Men Are Out of Work—Union Warning to Keep Away from Canada Not Heeded.

Montréal, Sept. 12.—James Cuttle, of the Montreal Transportation Company, who has just returned from a visit to the old country, says that the shipping on the Clyde was in a deplorable condition.

LIBERAL PICNIC AT GAGETOWN

Large Gathering in Queens County Shire Town Friday Afternoon.

HON. MR. PUGSLEY THERE

The Minister, Col. McLean, and B. R. Macaulay Address the Electors and are Given a Hearty Reception—Speakers Deal With Topics of General Interest.

Gagetown, Sept. 11.—The Liberal political picnic held here today was very largely attended. In the afternoon speeches were delivered by Colonel H. H. McLean, the candidate for Queens-Sunbury, B. R. Macaulay, of St. John, and Hon. William Pugsley, minister of public works.

We Have Started the Fall Clothing Ball A-Rolling



If you are ready to buy a fall suit we want you to come here today and see what a great assortment we can show you at each and every price.

Suits and Overcoats \$3.00 to \$25.00

Where to Buy Boys' Clothing

The first thing we think of when we plan the season's supply of suits is, how can we strengthen this seam or that part.

- Sailor Suits 90c to \$4.50
Bloomer Sailor Suits \$4.25 to 7.50
Norfolk Suits 2.00 to 6.50
Revere Norfolk Suits 4.25 to 8.50
Derby Suits 5.00 to 10.00
Three Piece Suits 3.50 to 9.00

Visitors to the Exhibition don't fail to call at our booth and secure a souvenir button. These buttons are numbered giving you a chance to secure a daily prize which we are giving away during the exhibition.

King Street, Cor. Germain GREATER OAK HALL SCOVIL BROS. LIMITED ST. JOHN, N. B.

C. P. FIREMAN HURT IN TRAIN WRECK

Harland, Sept. 12 (Special).—This forenoon five cars of a north bound C. P. R. freight train were derailed at a point near Limestone siding, a few miles north of Aronook Junction. The fireman was injured. The rolling stock was greatly damaged, and a wrecking crew from McAdam are now clearing the track.

Generous Gift from D. Russell.

Judge Forbes, while in Montréal on his return from Toronto, called on David Russell and told him of the intended removal from St. John of Rev. Dr. Fotheringham, and of the presentation to Dr. Fotheringham of a purse. Mr. Russell, who is a former parishioner of Dr. Fotheringham, and was at one time a student in his Bible class, at once expressed his sympathy with the movement and gave Judge Forbes \$100 as his subscription. The generous gift was presented to Rev. Dr. Fotheringham this morning, and, needless to say, was greatly appreciated, as were the warm expressions of good will accompanying it. This is the first occasion of which Mr. Russell has remembered his former pastor.

Married in Boston.

St. Paul's church, Boston, was the scene of a very quiet wedding on Aug. 19, when Miss Amy Shattuck, youngest daughter of Joseph W. Shattuck, youngest son of the late Dr. J. W. Shattuck, was united in marriage to E. Gerald V. Flewelling, of the same place, by Rev. Francis Bingham White. The bride is a niece of George D. Small, a tuck of Grotton, formerly of Boston. The newly wedded pair left for New Brunswick, where they are touring and intend making their home in the pretty village of Clifton (Kings Co.), the groom's former place of residence.

William P. Holder and family, of Havrill, who have been visiting here, have returned home.

Kings County Court.

Hampton, Kings County, Sept. 11.—On Thursday afternoon a review of the case of Arthur E. Crandall vs. Ernest McLean, tried at the last sitting of the Kings County court, when a verdict was found by the jury for the defendant, was had, on application of the plaintiff, before Judge Wedderburn, at Chambers, on a summons to show cause why the verdict should not be set aside, or judgment entered for the plaintiff on an obnoxious verdict, or a new trial ordered. W. B. Wallace, K. C., appeared for the plaintiff and G. W. Fowler, M. P., for the defendant. After a full discussion by counsel, his honor took time to consider.

Misses Jennie and Bessie Somerville, who graduated recently from the Bangor hospital, have taken positions in an institution in Brookline.

attacked on himself and to make statements which were wholly false.

Turning to the consideration of improvements at the port of St. John, Dr. Pugsley said that he was deeply interested as a citizen in the prosperity of that city, he would not have asked the government to spend large sums in improvements which he did not think would be of any benefit to the city.

Dr. Pugsley passed on to refer to the Conservative convention recently held in Gagetown, at which Hon. J. D. Hazen, P. M. Sprout and others were present and contented that instead of dealing with broad national issues, the speakers had stooped so low as to make grossly unfair

made suitable for settlement and had largely increased in value.

Dr. Pugsley spoke for about an hour. The meeting closed with much cheering and God save the King.

SAVED AS HE SANK FOR THIRD TIME

The young son of George McCluskey, millman, of 613 Main street, narrowly escaped death by drowning yesterday afternoon when he fell into the pond at Sayer's mill. He was rescued after he had gone down three times.

DROPPED FROM WINDOW INTO CONSTABLE'S ARMS

Gilbert Duncan, of Apohaqui, Neatly Caught—Passage Farmer Pleads Guilty to Illegally Immigrant Boy.

Sussex, N. B., Sept. 13.—Scott Act affairs in the town of Sussex have become quiet, and there is very little if any, sale of intoxicating drinks within the town limits.

Andrew Carr, of Waterford, was also summoned to appear in court tomorrow afternoon to answer the same charge. J. C. Melnis, of Pesekeag, who was arrested on Thursday charged with brutally treating an immigrant boy, pleaded guilty before Justice Hornbrook yesterday afternoon, and was fined \$20 and costs. The Donaldson Line steamer Indrani, sailed from Glasgow for St. John on Saturday with a general cargo.

THE MONEY OF THE WIDOWS AND ORPHANS

Mr. Elliot G. Stevenson, the Supreme Chief Ranger of the Foresters, declared under oath before the Insurance Commission that Fowler and his accomplices had "swindled" the Order. "We have been swindled out of \$55,000," he said, describing one transaction, that notorious double option deal in Kamloops timber lands, and "those who swindled us have got to account for it. We are awaiting the results of this investigation to ascertain who the parties are, aside from Mr. Fowler."

How Fowler Used His Position of Member of Parliament. And this is only one of the smaller transactions which Mr. Fowler describes as "perfectly legitimate," and one of the least culpable from a public standpoint in that he acted in his private capacity as a promoter. In the larger deal with those Sasatchewan lands, the people of Kings-Albert have a more legitimate interest because he traded therein for his private profit upon his public position as their representative in Parliament.

The Famous "Dear Lefurgey" Letter. "Dear Lefurgey,—We have succeeded beyond our wildest hopes. We wired D. M. and he met us at the train at Toronto and took us to his office and gave us the route so far as located, of course under cover of strictest secrecy, so keep it mum except to Borden, Bennett and yourself. We expect to have a wealthy Englishman named Lister, the head of the Canada Chemical Company, and Col. Pellatt in the combine with us. We have increased the thing to 200,000 acres. On arriving here we interviewed Sir Thomas Shaughnessy, and have every reason to expect the most generous treatment as to terms and price. He said we should get the best that was going. We want to arrange for a meeting there when the party returns to Montréal. Tell Borden and Bennett about the meeting. It will be necessary for at least two of us to go this fall and locate, as it could not be done in the spring, and that is one of the things that must be arranged at the meeting. GEORGE W. FOWLER."

All Done With I. O. F. Funds. And after getting, as members of parliament, this tip in "strictest secrecy" from one railway corporation and the "most generous treatment as to terms and price" from another, Fowler and his confederates unloaded their property at a profit of \$20,000 upon Mr. Foster and his friends, who subsequently unloaded it on a subsidiary company of the Union Trust at a further profit of \$100,000. And the whole deal was [practically] financed with Foresters' funds. If these are "legitimate transactions" it would be interesting to learn Mr. Fowler's idea of what is improper in public or private business.

HOW IT WAS USED BY THE FOWLER-FOSTER CROWD