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THE SEMI-WEEKLY TELEGRAPH, ST. JOHN, N. B., APRIL 26, 1908

JNOH FRASER BLEW OFF TOP OF HIS HEAD WITH SHOTGUN.

John Fraser, a respected farmer of fully shattered head, for the charge from Black River, met with a frightful death the gun had entered his forehead and Wednesday morning, the top of his head being blown off by the charge of a shot clutched the gun which had done the

their farm. On Saturday last their hired

and went up stairs to get his gun. A few minutes later his sisters were startled to Mr. Fraser was about 40 years ing up stairs, they found Mr. Fraser ly-

blew off the top of his skull. His hand awful work and this led to the theory of

Dr. Gillmor, of St. Martine, was called man shot a wild goose near the place and and went to Black River. He empannellthis filled Mr. Fraser with the desire to ed a jury and during the afternoon h

hear the report of the weapon and, rush unmarried. He is survived by his two

LOCAL AND PROVINCIAL.

his appointment by the King of Denmark as Danish vice consul for New Brunswick

At the residence of Rev. R. W. Fer guson, Lancaster street, West End, on Monday evening, Frank Nice and Agnes May Ervine were united in marriage. They will reside in Water street, West End.

H. B. Brown, of St. Martins, has returned from Newport (R. I.), bringing with him the handsome trotting stallion Aquid-purchased by the city for use of neck. He is said to be the finest type of the fire department, who are

The petition sent to the provincial leg-islature asking land grants for New Bruns-wick military veterans has not yet come it will appear. Lieut-Colonel Blaine has 19 inches long, 84 broad, and three pounds been mainly instrumental in bringing 10 ounces in weight. before the house and it is uncertain whe about the sending of the petition.

hardware business at Indiantown, expects to leave for the Canadian Northwest during July. He will establish himself in the same business. Mr Straight, who was associated with Mr. McMull in, will manage the hardware department of an Indiantown

Another new well was successfully shot at the St. Joseph oil fields a few days ago. Work is steadily progressing and the re-sults attained so far are most encouraging to the company. All the wells that have been shot and flushed have been capped. The company will probably build a large refinery in the near future, and the wells will remain capped until tanks are built to hold the oil. sults attained so far are-

The Elder-Dempster line steamer Lake
Manitoba, Captain Taylor, sailed for Liverpool at 6 o'clock Tuesday night with a
large general cargo. Among the passengers are Miss Amy Iddles and Miss
Yerxa, the two St. John school teachers
who are en route to South Africa. These
who are en route to South Africa these
to the discount of the property of the group acted as best man young ladies were farewelled on board the steamer by a large number of friends on Monday evening. Besides a full general cargo, the steamer has on board 748 head of cattle.

Miss Minnie McCarthy and Jas. O'Leary brother of the groom, acted as best man. They will reside in future on the Sandy Point Road.

Nineteen Italians who learn the steamer has on board 748 head of cattle.

The immigration business at Sand Point is over for the season. It was a great year, fully 17,000 new comers passing under the inspection of the officials. There are now in the immigration building but two immigrants. One is a German, held because he was short of funds. Friends failed to help him out, but he will probably be given, work here. The other is an immigrant whose wife is in the hospital, and he is waiting for her recovery. Three families were sent to Montreal yes-The immigration business at Sand Point

It is expected that Moneton, in the near future, will have a new industry. Several local capitalists are forming a company, which will be capitalized at \$150,000, for the purpose of manufacturing an antiseptic and disinfectant scap. They will confine their attention to this specialty Samples of the soap have already beau sent to various doctors and hospitals for the purpose of testing its qualities. The company hope to be prepared to put the article on the market before next fall. The soap is the original proparation of a local chemist, and the company think they have a bonanza. Some of the most prominent business men in Moneton will be members of the company. About 30 persons will be employed in the factory at the start, and travelers will be placed on the road to introduce the article. The soap is in the form of a creamy paste, and will be sold in glass jars.

Inspector Steeves has appointed Friday May 8th, Arbor day in his inspectora district—Kings and Albert counties. Work on the new city wharf is practically ically suspended owing to the scarcity of

and the delay in river driving

The government fishing cruiser Curlew Captain Pratt, sailed for down the bay Thursday on her first trip this season.

chased by the city for use of the men

to duty on the aerial truck. The reputation of Loch Lomond district s a "big trout" locality is well borne ou aught in one of the lake streams a trou

The Imperial Cigarette Company's loss in last Friday night's fire has been adjusted at \$11,872.37. The insurance was \$15,500. Work was resumed Thursday with 30 hands, and the full crew will soo

John P. Leger, of Bathurst, will shorty commence the erection of a building here, the upper part to be for an opera

The marriage of Miss Dora Dunbar, s ond daughter of R. A. A. Dundar, to A. E. Williams, manager of the Bank of New Brunswick, Charlottetown (P. E. I.), was solemnized on Thursday afternoon at the home of the brides parents, Glasgow street, Guelph, (Ont.)

Nineteen Italians, who have been working on the Chipman Railway, were in the city Thursday en route to Mahone Bay (N.S.). The men got on the train at Norton and could have saved money by traveling from that station on to Nova Scotia instead of coming to St. John, but evidently they regarded St. John as a more auspicious starting point, even if it did mean extra expense and travel.

I. C. R. is progressing rapidly. The ma-sons are rushing the work on the cement foundation, and it will be ready very shortly for the erection of the frame. A

On Wednesday evening, Miss Louise C. O'Brien, formerly of Petitcodiac, was united in marriage to John O'Leary, of this city. Mr. and Mrs. O'Leary will re-

of the late Allex. Hartford, and G. Her bert Higgins, the new proporietor of the Bay View hotel, were married. Rev. R. J. Langstroth officiated.

SCHOOL OF METHODS AT SACKVILLE IN

Methodists Announce an Attractive Programme.

Many Have Enrolled Already-The Details as Arranged by the Standing Committees

f the Nova Scotia Conference and the of the Methodist church are arranging hold a school of methods at Sackville, nmencing July 14 and ending July 24. versity will be at the disposal of the university will be at the disposal of the students attending. The cost for the 10 days to a student will be \$1 enrollment fee and \$4 for board.

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Professor St. John and Miss Lawson,
two of the seading Sunday school workers
in America, have been secured for instructors and will be assisted by workers from the provinces. Already quite a number have enrolled and applications may be sent to E. R. Machum, of St. John. and Rev. J. W. Aikens, of Truro. The

Tuesday, April 14. -Registration of students. 7.30 p. m.—Devotional services.
7.45 p. m.—Address, Why We Are Her

Wednesday, July 15,

12.00 m.—Horemission.

2.00 p. m.—Home discipline; the science of punishment—Prof. E. P. St. John.

2.45 p. m.—Important factors in religious education (1) Stories—Miss M. K. Lawson.

3.30 p. m.—Personal work, spiritual equipment officers and teachers—Rev. A. Lucas.

4.00 p. m.—Adjournment.

Evening—Library, art museum and stere-optican views of Holy Land.

Thursday, July 16.

9.00 a. m.—Devotional service. 9.15 a. m.—Blackboard and departmental work—Miss M. K. Lawson, Mrs. Stuart Muir.

ishment—Prof. E. P. St. John.
S.16 p. m.—Important factors in religio education (2) pictures—Miss M. K. Lawson.
9.00 p. m.—Personal work, decision day, as preparation therefor—Rev. J. W. Aikens.

9.00 a. m.—Devotional service. 9.15 a. m.—Blackboard and department work, Miss M. K. Lawson, Mrs. Stuart Mui head.

Saturday, July 18.

ments.
7.30 p. m.—Preaching service—Prof. E. P. St. John. 9.00 a. m.—Devotional service. 9.15 a. m.—Blackhoard and departmenta work—Miss M. K. Lawson, Mrs. Stuart Muir-

Tuesday, July 21.

a. m.—Devotional service. a. m.—Blackboard and department —Miss M. K. Lawson, Mrs. Stuart Mui

John. 8.15 p. m.—Important factors in religious education (Giving)—Miss M. K. Lawson. 9.00 p. m.—Personal work: The Teacher's Relation with the Puph—Dr. Hibbert Wood-

ad.

1.50 p. m.—Intermission.

7.30 p. m.—The relation of our ed stitutions to Sunday school work-Borden, D. D.

8.15 p. m.—The English Bible as 1.

Prof. W. M. Tweedie. Thursday, July 23.

9.00 a. m.—Dévotional service.
9.15 a. m.—Young Caristiana at Work—
Rev. G. P. Raymond.
9.45 a. m.—Address—Miss M. K. Lawson.
16.15 a. m.—Child study and religious peda-

APPLE GROWERS OF p. St. John.

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Ji.15 a. m.—Outlines of New Testament History—Rev. C. H. Paisley, D. D.

12.00 m.—Intermission.

2.00 p. m.—Home influence—Rev. C. Stewart, D. D.

2.45 p. m.—The personal element in religious teaching—Prof. E. P. St. John.

3.30 p. m.—Personal work: Spiritual Life—Rev. G. M. Campbell.

Closing devotional services.

Trip to Joggins on Friday for those who wish to go, under leadership of Doctor Andrews.

Basket ball, hand ball, football, tennis courts, college bicycle track and gymnasium open to students. YORK COUNTY MEET.

THE RESTIGOUCHE

Contractor Malcolm Tells of the Work on the New Railway.

Thomas Malcolm, of Edmundston, the ontractor who is building the Restigouche Western railway, from Campbellton to He said everything was in readiness proceed with the grading and general co struction work. At present there wa about 21 feet of snow on that portion of ent, but Mr. Malcolm expected to put about 1,800 men or more on the line. All bridges will be built of steel, and they will all be girder and truss bridges, and

pound steel rails will be used.

The road, when completed, will traver ince practically two-thirds of the way. In to get up to these table lands, 900 feet above, from Grog Brook Valley, a grade of from one-half to one per cent. to the mile will be required.

A tunnel 450 feet long will be constructed about eight miles from Grog Brook, and it may be found necessary to tunnel

heavy, the vegetation growth is very rapid, and the harvests as early as in other portions of the province.

The amount of lumber cut on the Resti ouche this winter is very large, and the

A NORTH END HEN.

Gets Into Police Clutches as a Dastardly Character.

The lords of the North End police sta ion were absorbed in domino strategy Vednesday night when there came a weak a domino to victory, without lifting an eye from the table. Then there entered a couple of boys, one of whom carried a large parcel beneath his arm.

"Well!" and everybody squared aroun to size up the callers."

Now-now," began the boy with the parcel. "Now, now, a chicken came into Mr. Poyas' shop and wouldn't stay away, and he asked us to take the chicken away." "A chicken," echoed one of the game ters. "Where did it pome from; where is

"Here, sir," and he extended his burde toward the policeman, while from under neath the paper came a couple of hoarse

Undo it; let's see what you've got.

It was more than a chicken. It appeared to be a full grown hen, and a black Minorca to boot. It stepped cautiously toward Policeman Hamilton, and looking up in his face with such an eager, yet serious demeans seemed as if about to serious demeanor, seemed as if about to inquire: "Say; where am I at?"

Then it turned about and picked its way, with meditative deliberation, toward the other side of the room, hopped on a looker, and made itself comfortable.
"Here's comething to talk about," ob-

looker, and made itself comfortable.

"Here's something to talk about," observed an able domino manipulator, as he gazed at the motionless hen. "How often do you see a thing like that in a cophouse? Now I'll wager it's in here because of a foul offence," and he passed his hand agrees his mouth

A policeman frowned on him and point ed to the door leading to the cells.
"Repeat that," he said, "and you'll be guilty of hen-ous conduct."
"Do you know who owns the chicken?" was asked the boy, but the lad replied it ad wandered into the store from the n up-to-date jewelry store into a her

the sergeant. "You'd better wrap it up again and take it away." But to do so seeded not a little dexterity and sound independ not a little dexterity and sound judgment concerning the ways of a black. Minorea hen, especially when it doesn't want to be caught. The boy approached and made a reach, but the hen ducked and, with an alarmed cluck, skipped off the locker and skuttled under the table, edgesterning the appricar in each drive. The sidestepping the cuspidor in so doing. Thei it dodged back of the stove, dived for the table protection again, all the time asser-ing its displeasure in tones peculiar to a nature, healthy and infuriated hen. From the street it suggested a prisoner being murdered. Half a dozen hands pursued murdered. Harris it across the floor and through space until at last with loosned feathers and feebly kicking feet it was seized and borne away "That was quite an experience," said he joker, as the squawks grew faint in the e I never expected to meet

The matter of berths and quick discharging of cargoes seems to bother Port-land (Me.), more than St. John, if the report from the Portland Argus is cor-rect. It says: "The Elder-Dempster steamship Monarch sailed for Montreal Monday, having been in port one month and four days. The Monarch arrived her with the largest cargo of coal ever brough into this port. The ship remained in the about two weeks, was 10 days or more lischarging at the Grand Trunk docks, again awaiting sailing orders.

Before Sand Point docks were partially

Practical Illustrations in Spraying, Pruning and Grafting.

Addresses by Alexander McNeil of Walkerville, Ont. ; Geo. H. Vroom of Middleton (N. S.) and T. A. Peters, in Isaac Peabody's Orchard, St. Mary's.

Fredericton, N. B., April 21.-More than in Sunbury county, from the Nashwaak Valley, New Maryland, Kingsclear and Kes

was implement of this number not on the noting state of the second to the noting state of the noting state

It was to give a practical demonstration of how to mix and apply the remedies for these evils hat these meetings were design-ed. He then made the Bordeaux mixture mother 10 gallon keg in which 10 lbs of nick lime had been slacked, a gallon was aken and diluted with four gallons of and four vermorel nozzles. To this wa

While Mr. Peters was making the mix ture, Mr. McNeil outlined the objects of spraying and some of the results obtained therefrom. By five applications of Bor toes a yield of more than 300 bushels t the acre had been got last year at the cen-tral experimental farm at Ottawa, while a part of the same piece of potatoes with-out the Bordeaux yielded less than half

apple trees to prevent the black spot on pples and to kill the bud moth. He then howed the effect of a low pressure on the showed the enect of a low pressure on the force pump, it made a coarse spray. The pressure was then increased and the spray became fine and fog like; this was the desirable condition. A pressure of more than 60 lbs. to the square inch should be maintained on the numer. maintained on the pump.
"Do not," said Mr. McNeil, "make th

trees so wet that they will drip. Cover them with a fog so that all parts will be It is important that a good pump wit

strong connections be luxed. A heavy ressure is essential to thorough work. All the parts exposed to the action of the spray mixture should be of brass and this neant that from \$15 to \$40 must be in-

\$50 Per Acre Gained by Spraying. per acre by careful spraying, over the out put of the orchard before spraying was

pruning and, surrounded by an interested audience, climbed into a tree and went to work. Two good rules in pruning were, he said: To remove all dead wood and to remove one of any two branches that were rubbing against each other. An orchard should be gently normed every year. June Mr. Vroom then took up the question of should be gently pruned every year. June was the best time to prune, as wound then healed very quickly, but pruning could be done to advantage at any time the was leisure to attend to it. He preferr a sharp fine-toothed saw to any other in strument; for very small branches clippet scrument, for very small very limb of any size was removed the wound should be covered with paint, shellac or something

Illustrations were then given of cleft grafting and tongue grafting, and explan-ations on how to cut the scions and tallow, two parts beeswax and four parts resin, melted together and cooled under water, then pulled until tough and plastic. an application of cow dung and clay mixed in equal parts and bound upon the injured

place was recommended.

There were many interesting discussions on questions raised by those present and much useful information imparted by the

Mr. Buskin's Annual Visit.

George Baskin, of the International Col-George Baskin, of the International Cosportage Mission of Algoma and the northwest, is making his annual visit to St. John in behalf of its 20th year's work in disseminating the Holy Scriptures and scriptural literature. The past year's work was more extensive than any for work was more extensive than any for-mer year, he says; 3.700 copies of scrip-tural books were supplied in seven lan-guages, besides tracts and magazines; 40,-000 additional copies of small books and tracts were published, and 45,000 cards against profanity, in English and French languages, also a dictionary in the Ojib-way Indian and English languages for the use of Indians, is in progress of publica-tion, and will be sold to them at small-

year were \$2,200, not including missionary subsistence. The work is pursued in be half of godliness, and not for denomina tion, and its influences restrain much evil and also stimulates much that is good. destroyed by fire, and every berth was filled, a steamer was not kept more than a couple of days in the stream, and was ary gratefully acknowledges. The depot is at 202 King street E., Toronto (Ont.)

ALD. BAXTER RETAINS SEAT IN COMMON COUNCIL; C. F. TILLEY THE NEW MAN.

There was a civic election Tuesday but apparently not everybody knew about it, or, knowing it, exhibited very little interest. Out of a total of some 6,000 votes about 2,600 were polled. Ald. Baxter won back his seat in Brooks ward and Charles back his seat in Brooks ward and charles for the ensuing year:—

Mayor, W. W. White. Guys ward, Charles F. Tilley; Brooks, John B. Mayor, W. W. Lewis, Dukes, Samuel Tufts; Queens, Thomas H. Bullock; Kings Joseph R. Hamm. Wellington. ction makes the only change in the common council from its make-up of last ear, he replacing Ald. Stackhouse, who

aldermen go in by acclamation.

The contests in the county caused a great deal more interest and there was and a pretty heavy vote. This was par Messrs. Long, Lowell and A. Gregory were elected. Results in other parish

returns were in before 5.30 o'clock. The following will be the make-up of result as first stated.

In the Courts.

was held Tuesday by Jude Barker and

Jr., read the petition of Frances Eliza Byers and Jean Frances Ockrape Byers for the appointment of a guardian. A reference was ordered.

trong, K. C., the cause was set down for

of the plaintiff in support of a motion to

The hearing in the matter of the estate

Tririt, Church, Sussex, Annual Meeting.

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Sussex, N. B., April 23.—The Easter Monday meeting of Trinity church, Sussex, was held in Medley Memorial Hall, when the year's accounts and work, as presented, were extremely gratifying to all concerned. The following officers were elected for ensuing year: Wardens, Major T. E. Arnold, Col. E. B. Beer; vestry, M. Huestis, F. G. Landsdowne, Edwin Hallett, R. H. Arnold, H. S. Pethick, O. Hallett, W. S. Smith, Wm. Howes, Ed. Burgess, S. J. Goodliffe; vestry clerk, E. Burgess, S. J. Goodliffe; vestry clerk, E. A. Charters; auditor, Frank G. Lansdowne; sexton, Percy Arnold; representatives to Synod, Col. E. B. Beer, Wm. Howes; substitutes, Major O. R. Arnold Major T. E. Arnold.

in the Argentine. It belongs to an Italian named Guazone and covers just over 100 square miles.

one it was announced that Michael Kelly, C. S. Black and A. W. Fownes were running on one ticket with Jas. Rourke, F. M. Cochrane and J. P. Mosher on another and W. E. Skillen by himself. The ballots made a division and elected Kelly. Fownes and Cochrane

The result of yesterday's contests is to work some changes in the county council. The returns are:—

turns from other polls, however, bring the

The April sitting of the Equity Court

an imbecile, on motion of A. W. Bair

ranged by counsel.

In the case of Isaac C. Burden vs. Lorenzo R. Howard, M. G. Teed, K. C., and Lionel C. Hanington appeared on behalf

spray mixture should be of brass and this meant that from \$15 to \$40 must be invested to get a good outfit.

\$50 Per Acre Gained by Spraying.

In an orchard that he knew of there had been a gain in the sales of the crop of \$50 per acre by careful spraying, over the output of the orchard before spraying was solved. Argument was heard during the and wished to have the injunction dissolved. Argument was heard during the
afternoon and his honor reserved judgment until April 25th.

In the case of King vs. Miller judgment
was given in favor of the plaintiff, and an
application for extension of time to an

of John Sumpson was continued Tuesday morning. A. C. Fairweather, one of

The biggest wheat field in the world i

DEATH OF MRS. A. J. SHARP. Wife of Well-known Business Man of Buf-

falo Passes Away After Brief Illness-longed in New Brunswick.

Mrs. Margaret S. Sharp, the estimab Mrs. Margaret S. Sharp, the estimate wife of Arthur J. Sharp, manager of the New England Wool and Dressed Beef Co., died at 5.20 o'clock last evening, after at illness of 10 days. Mrs. Sharp was one of the city's most estimable women and had a host of friends who will sincerely moura

her untimely death.

Mrs. Sharp was born Oct. 23rd, 1859, in
Boiestown (N. B.), and was educated in
the public schools. She was married August 2nd, 1886, at Fredericton (N. B.)
Her parents lived at Boiestown. Both are

dead.

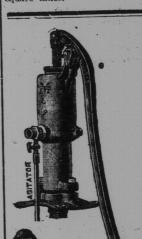
Besides her husband, Mrs. Sharp is survived by three children, Frederick, Margaret and Charles Sharp. Mrs. Sharp attended St. Vincent's church and the funeral services will be held there at 10 o'clock tomorrow morning. The burial will be in Holy Cross cemetery on Limestone Hill.

The Sharp Home is at 50 Vernon place, a sister from New York, a brother from a sister from New York, a brother from West Superior (Wis.), and another brother from Boiestown (N. B.), will be among the relatives that will attend the funeral tomorrow. Mrs. Sharp was a woman of splendid character, most amiable and lovable disposition, devoted to her husband and family, and deeply interested in church and charitable work. A host of friends were greviously shocked to learn of her sad and untimely death.—Buffalo Evening Times, April 13.

Lumbering in Kent County.

The lumber cut in Kent county this account of the lumber in that section being small, it does not command as high a price in the market as that cut in other sections, the price paid per 1,000 feet for round timber being only about \$6.

mill was burned last fall, are erecting a new one, which will have a cutting capacity of about 50,000 feet per day. This mill will be fitted with a double cutting machines for cutting up small stuff. It will probably be ready for operation by nidsummer. Notices calling for tenders for the mail out, the contract to be awarded July 1.



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Disordered Liver and

Impaired Diges

At the residence of William Wilson arleton street, at 7 o'clock Wednesday

side on the Sandy Point road.

At St. Andrews on Wednesday evening last. Miss Georgia Hartford, daughter

dednesday morning, in Trinity church feet. Mr. MacDonald united in marriage Miss Susie Earle, daughter of Mrs. George Earle, of this city, and Walter J. Mit-chell, formerly of St. John, but now of Cambridge (Mass.). Cambridge (Mass.). Miss Main Swanton, cousin of the bride, was bridesmaid, and Harry Mitchell, brother of the groom, acted as best man. Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell left by the boat for Boston.

10.15 a m.—Child study and religious padagogy. Adolescence—The Middle Stage—Prof. E. P. St. John.

11 15 a. m.—Outlines of Old Testament History—Rev. C. H. Paisley, D. D.

12.00 m.—Intermission.

2.00 p. m.—The gradation of the Sunday school—Prof. E. P. St. John.

2.45 p. m.—Lesson for the next Sunday taught—Miss M. K. Lawson.

2.30 p. m.—Personal work? The Value of Organization in Senior Classes—Stuart Muirhead.

floored him. Portland vs. St. John.

Then it was that the cops rose up

ackle-ations.

away from port within two weeks.