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WOODS ARE AFIRE BACK OF GRAND BAY

Blaze Started on Sunday, Supposedly by Careless Fisherman

DRIVES BACK THE FIRE FIGHTERS

Crew to Be Sent Out This Morning to Make Another Effort to Beat the Fire — Property Affected is the Stetson - Cutler Lands Between Grand Bay and Musquash.

The woods are afire between Grand Bay and what is known as Stetson Cutler & Co.'s big lake back of Musquash. Douglas W. Clinch drove into the city last evening from that vicinity with the news of the conflagration. He said it evidently started Sunday morning in what is known as Cairn's camp and was caused, he believed, by the actions of careless fishermen.

Under the influence of the high wind on Sunday he said the fire had spread to within half a mile of the lake and in a number of camps along the shore preparations were being made yesterday to move out in case of danger. The property affected belongs to the Stetson Cutler Co., and Mr. Sheppard, their walking boss, with a number of men attempted to put out the fire yesterday, but were driven back by the heat and had to desist.

It is the intention to send out a large crew to the scene this morning to endeavor to beat out the fire. Mr. Clinch is secretary of the New Brunswick Fish, Forest and Game Preservation Association and as such he said that efforts will be made to find out who was responsible for the fire as the prevention of such occurrences is one of the objects of the organization.

MRS. JENNIE A. AKERLEY DEAD IN NEW YORK

Widow of Former St. John Captain and Sister of Mrs. D. J. McLaughlin.

A despatch to D. J. McLaughlin last evening brought news of the death of Mrs. McLaughlin's sister, Mrs. Jennie A. Akerley, who passed away there yesterday. She was the widow of Captain Moses A. Akerley, a well known St. John captain, who was for years in the St. John river service. He died about six years ago, and since then Mrs. Akerley had been living most of the time in Fredericton, but went to New York last fall on a visit. While there she contracted pneumonia and that was the cause of her death. Mrs. Akerley was the youngest daughter of George M. Smith, formerly of St. John. She is survived by one brother, H. R. Smith, of New York and three sisters, Mrs. D. J. McLaughlin, Sr., Mrs. D. J. McLaughlin, Jr., and Mrs. Vernon Hanson, of New York. Her body will be brought here and the funeral will be held on Thursday afternoon next at 3 o'clock from Mrs. McLaughlin's residence, 105 Leinster street.

MANY ST. JOHN PEOPLE VISITING IN LONDON

There have been a large number of St. John people visiting London of late. The registry at the Canadian government offices there for the week ended May 12 shows the following from this city:—Ven. Archdeacon and Mrs. Raymond, Miss Ethel Hazen Jarvis, Colonel and Mrs. M. B. Edwards and Miss Christian Edwards, Miss A. L. Brock, Mrs. Stratton and Miss Phyllis Stratton, Miss Bayard, Miss M. Sidney Smith, Mrs. H. C. Rankine, Miss Zillah G. Rankine, Miss S. McAvity, E. C. Jones, Miss N. L. Jones, Miss E. Alison Jones, G. Bruce Burpee, Mr. and Mrs. James D. Seely, of St. John; also Mrs. Mackey, Norman E. Mackey, James D. Irving, Mrs. John F. Eric, Mrs. James W. Stairs, of Halifax; Mr. and Mrs. N. Curry, Mr. and Mrs. V. G. Curry and N. R. Curry, of Amherst; James Paton and Miss Isabel Paton, of Charlottetown; and Thomas Cantley, of New Glasgow.

More Blackmail in Ottawa.

(Montreal Gazette.)

Ottawa is being troubled with social blackmailers again. Of the various kinds of robbers that modern society has developed, the person who makes use of knowledge of another's weakness to extort money is the most cowardly and often the most ravenous. He should be hunted down without regard to expense or who the proceeding may appear to injure. He is bad when his victim is guilty of some offence; he is worse when the sufferer is innocent, and the innocent are as likely to suffer as the guilty.

WATCHES STOLEN AT CHIPMAN

Gold and Silver Timepieces, Rings and Other Jewelry Taken

SEARCH MADE FOR ITALIAN SUSPECTS

King Lumbering Company's Store Entered on Sunday Evening—St. John Police Seek Suspects on River But They Have Taken Another Route.

Deputy Chief Jenkins and Detective Killen were at Indiantown yesterday afternoon on the lookout for two Italians who were suspected of being concerned in a robbery from the King Lumber Company's store at Chipman on Sunday evening. The men were reported to have boarded the steamer May Queen at Chipman. No parties, however, answering the description sent down were on the steamer on arrival, and it is supposed the Italians are still in the neighborhood of Grand Lake.

From information received from Chipman it appears that the King Lumber Company's store was broken into Sunday evening and two gold and two silver watches, a number of rings and other articles were stolen. Suspicion fell on two Italians who had been working on the railway. They left their boarding house Sunday night with their grips, leaving word that they would come back but they failed to return. Later it was discovered that they had gone on board the May Queen and taken tickets for St. John.

An effort to intercept them was made by telephoning to Gagetown. John R Dann was communicated with and in company with Constable A. M. Belyea Mr. Dunn crossed the river from Gagetown and awaited the arrival of the May Queen at Upper Jemseg. A hurried search among the passengers failed to discover the men although several people remembered seeing them come aboard. The steamer proceeded on her way and Mr. Dunn telephoned to Chief Clark to have a more thorough search made in St. John. This was done but without success, and it is now supposed the men left the steamer soon after she started and may be making for St. John by some other route.

One man is described as short and stout and wearing a light cap. His companion is said to be taller. As their grips have also disappeared it is supposed they still have them in their possession.

St. Martin's News.

St. Martins, May 25.—Miss Elsie Wishart of North river, P.E.I., is the guest of Mrs. Silas Vaughan.

E. Vernon McCumber of St. John arrived here on Saturday to spend a few weeks.

Arthur Baisley of St. John is visiting friends here.

Miss Florence Vail, teacher of Loch Lomond, is spending the holiday at her home here.

Dr. Harry Moran of St. John is the guest of his parents, Capt. and Mrs. W. H. Moran.

Allison Wishart of St. John is spending a few days here.

Miss Florrie Halpin of St. John is the guest of Mrs. Robert Welsh.

Miss Ruth Bradshaw of St. John is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Bradshaw, Orange hill.

Mr. and Mrs. Philip McIntyre, who have been visiting friends at Apohaqui, returned home on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Long, of Apohaqui, are visiting Mrs. Long's sister, Mrs. Manford Schoales.

Schooner Pandora, Capt. H. Carter, of Waterside, arrived here on Saturday and will go on DeLong's blocks for repairs.

Schooner Effie Maude, Capt. F. Gough, arrived here on Friday from St. John with freight.

Miss Hazel Green and Miss Reid of Upham, are spending a few days with relatives here.

David Donald of St. John is visiting friends here for a short time.

The holiday was generally observed here, and the large number of excursionists spent the time in fishing and other amusements.

Harcourt News.

Harcourt, May 25.—Among the many who took advantage of the excursion on Saturday were: Miss Bessie Ingram, Thos. Delancy, Mr. and Mrs. MacMichael and son, Morton, and Mrs. E. B. Buckerfield.

Mrs. Thos. Ingram has returned from Nova Scotia.

Miss Robina Dunn is in Sackville attending the Ladies' College closing.

Miss Grace Bailey spent Sunday in Grangeville.

Misses Mary Murphy and Bessie Whalen of the Daily Times and Transcript staffs, Moncton, spent the twenty-fourth at their homes in Bass river.

Harry Miller of Campbellton spent Sunday here.

COOL.

"I understand that you have your wife's father and mother living with you."

"Yes, the old couple seem loth to give up their home."

BISHOP CASEY AT ST. JOSEPH'S COLLEGE

St. Joseph, N. B., May 25.—The students are today enjoying Empire Day by a general holiday. Last evening in Lefebvre Memorial Hall the following programme was presented before a large and enthusiastic audience:

Overture.—Fanfare.

Debat Francais.—Washington comme homme d'etat et comme genie militaire est aussi grand que Napoleon. Defense de Napoleon, Leonce Plante; Declamation: "Asleep at the Switch," W. D. Ryan; Defense de Washington, Camile Gaudet.

Selection.—Fanfare.

English Debate.—Prohibition is more efficient than high license in lessening the evils of intemperance. Affirmative, Jos. LeBlanc; Declamation francaise, F. Bourgeois; Negative, Allison Dysart.

The judges were Rev. L. Guertin, C. S. C., President; Rev. F. Tessier, C. S. C., vice-president, and Narcisse Gastonguay, '87, of Halifax. The participants were warmly congratulated and the decision was given in favor of Mr. Plante, who defended Napoleon and Joe. LeBlanc, who argued in favor of Prohibition.

On Friday last Bishop Casey was the guest of the faculty and students. A reception was held in his honor at which Louis McDonald read an address. His Lordship replied in his usual happy manner and encouraged the students to pursue diligently the attainment of sound, practical knowledge by means of which the world's greatest achievements have been accomplished.

On Saturday morning in the college chapel, Rev. Dismas LeBlanc was raised to the Diaconate. Minor orders were conferred on N. Papineau, C. S. C., and D. Robichaud. His Lordship was attended by Rev. L. Guertin, C. S. C., and Rev. B. Lecavalier. Rev. L. Broughall, C. S. C., acted as master of ceremonies assisted by George Flood, John Nugent, candle-bearer, Leo Doherty, book-bearer, Albert LaBillois, mitre-bearer, Frank Hagerty, crosier-bearer, Jude LeBlanc and Roderick LeBlanc, acolytes.

His Lordship, accompanied by Rev. B. Lecavalier, C. S. C., left for Halifax by the Maritime Express.

Newcastle Happenings.

Newcastle, May 25.—Price's drive came out of "The Sisters" on the 20th. Dungarm's drives were then all below the Falls. Taxis drives reached Boiestown on the 23rd. Prospects are bright for all getting out in good time. No lumber is hung up.

There is a boom about thirteen miles west of Boiestown, owing to preparations for constructing the G. T. P., which will cross the I. C. R. at that point. About a dozen engineers are now on the ground, and soon there will be hundreds of workmen. John Barry, of Nashwaak, arrived there Saturday to begin a boarding house, and with him came Mrs. Frank Dinsmore, of Gibson, who will superintend it. Mr. Dinsmore follows in a few days.

Miss Alice O'Donnell went to St. John Saturday accompanied by her brother James.

Mrs. D. Wm. Stothart and little son are visiting the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Black, Richibucto.

Rev. J. G. A. Colquhoun, of Millerton, has gone for a rest to Pittsfield in the Pennsylvanian mountains, where he will for five or six weeks visit his sister.

Mrs. Calhoun accompanied her husband as far as Fredericton and spent the remainder of the week visiting in York county, returning on Saturday.

Jas. Robinson, ex-M.P., went to Montreal on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Pedolin, of Ingersoll, Ontario, are spending their honeymoon with the former's father, Dr. F. L. Pedolin.

Misses Lily and Evelyn Williamson are visiting their sister, Miss Olive, in Moncton.

Perley Morton, of Campbellton, is spending his vacation with his uncle, D. K. Cool.

Miss Agnes Corbett, of St. John, spent the 24th and today with her parents here.

Miss Dunnett, of Bathurst, visited friends here this week.

Charles Robinson, of St. John, manager of the Anderson Co. there, came today to visit his mother, Mrs. John Robinson, Sr.

Miss Annie Burke, of Chatham, was the guest this week of her aunt, Mrs. John Rae.

Mrs. D. Morrison and Miss Jean returned from Fredericton on Saturday.

Hon. John Morrissy and Hon. Donald Morrison spent the holiday at their homes here.

Allison and Miss Edith Clarke, of Jacquet River, spent the holiday here with their parents.

John H. Bell, of Amherst, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Bell.

Miss Lucy Lingley is spending the holiday in Chatham.

Master Walter Macarthur has gone to Bedeque, P. E. I., to spend the summer.

Lawrence Smallwood, of Amherst, spent the 24th with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cameron Smallwood.

Miss Mary Simpson, of Douglastown, is the guest this week of Miss Marion Macarthur at the Manse.

Hopewell Hill Notes.

Hopewell Hill, May 25.—John Beaumont, a well known and highly respected resident of Curryville, died on Saturday, at his home there, after a lingering illness of heart trouble. The deceased, who was about fifty-five years of age, leaves a widow, who was formerly Miss Sophia Horsman, of Moncton, and six children, besides an aged mother, and one brother, Botsford Beaumont, of Moncton; and four sisters, Mrs. Charles Cochrane, and Mrs. Norman Morrison, of Curryville, and Mrs. William Wilson and Mrs. Susan Steeves, of Demoiselle Creek; besides a large circle of relatives and friends.

Miss Alberta Ryan, of Coverdale, spent Sunday with friends in the village.

Mrs. Harry Hosea, who with her children spent several months with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John M. Tingley, left on Saturday for her home in Woburn, Mass.

Miss Achsah Howe, of Somerville, Mass., who has been visiting her cousin, Miss Ethel Ryan, of Coverdale, for a couple of weeks, came to the Hill on Saturday to spend a few days with her aunt, Mrs. Jennie E. Rogers.

Mrs. Ellen E. Stuart left on Saturday for Boston, where she will spend some time with relatives.

Miss Annie Mitton, of Coverdale, is spending a few days with her father, A. S. Mitton.

Miss Eva Cochrane of Curryville still continues in poor health.

Arthur Russell of the I. C. R. shops, Moncton, is spending a few days at his home here.

Supply and Demand

'Tis now with interest one sees—
The sight is sad as well as funny—
So many Presidential bees
And such a small supply of honey.

—Washington Star.

RIVERSIDE SCHOOL PUPILS' STANDING

Hopewell Hill, May 24.—Following are the names of the students of the Riverside Consolidated School, making the highest standing in their respective grades for the past quarter:

Grade I.—Horace Colwell, Vivian Hoar.

Grade II.—Hazel Barlow, Weldon Keiver, Isaac Tingley, Hilda Steeves.

Grade III.—Carry Tarris, Charlie Robinson, Eidth Sprague.

Grade IV.—Ada Crawford, Eva Fullerton, Kenneth Barbour.

Grade V.—Christine Crawford, Lena Fullerton, Achsah Mitton.

Grade VI.—Margaret Barbour, Gertrude Fullerton.

Grade VII.—Mina Stiles, Rayworth Peck.

Grade VIII.—Laura Tingley, Susie Kinnie.

Grade IX.—Lena Reid, Mildred Murray, Edith Hoar.

Grade X.—Harold Turner, Bertha Peck, Lerline Crawford.

Grade XI.—James Reid, Nita Fawcett, Francis Downing, Clara Colpitts.

Grade XIII.—Alonzo R. Stiles.

Reports from the school are very satisfactory. Considerable work has been done in the school gardens, and they already present a pleasing appearance. Much of the success in this line is due to Mr. Peacock, who has charge of that branch. The seeds are already sown, and some thirty ornamental shrubs have been set out. Miss McIntyre, teacher of the household science department, will leave at the end of May to take up her duties as demonstrator in a series of lectures inaugurated by the Ontario government. A number of changes are expected to take place in the teaching staff. The resignation of Principal Trueman is the cause of great regret. Miss Bertha Hoar, who has proved a very efficient teacher, will leave at the close of the term to take up her residence in Portland.

HERE'S A PICKEREL STORY

Man Pulled Overboard by Big Fish Saves His Life With Trusty Revolver.

A St. Paul's despatch to the New York Herald says: Arthur E. Kelly, of this city, while fishing in Moose Horn lake, shot a monster pickerel with a revolver in order to save his life under somewhat peculiar circumstances.

After fishing for several hours without obtaining any sport, Kelly commenced to troll in deep water. He was pulling the line into the boat when a monster fish struck the hook. The line was so heavy and the shock so great that he lost his balance and fell overboard. Not being able to swim he went through all the struggles of a drowning man. Finally he gave up hope of ever getting out alive.

At this moment Kelly realized that the fish was towing him towards a ledge of rocks which extended out into the lake eighty feet from where he fell out of the boat. Getting his feet on the rocks, he waded till the water reached his waist.

Fishing tackle was entangled round his body, and on account of the power of the fish, Kelly realized the danger of being once more pulled into deep water. He was about to lose his footing on the ledge when he remembered that he had a revolver in his pocket. He drew it, fired at the fish and shot it dead as it leaped above the surface of the water in its mad efforts to escape.

Mr. Kelly is convinced that the fish saved his life by dragging him to shallow water, and declares that through gratitude he would not have killed it had it not been absolutely necessary. There was, however, no other way. Luck was on his side and fate was against the fish.

The pickerel weighed thirty-one pounds and was the largest caught in Minnesota since the season opened.

BANNER YEAR AT MT. ALLISON INSTITUTIONS

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stated that during the year 318 students had been enrolled. In residence there were 164. Of the total number 153 were enrolled in the literary department, 5 in oratory, 93 in domestic science, 206 in music, and 53 in art. The attendance of residence pupils, he said, was somewhat in advance of last year, and has been up to the entire limit of our dormitory accommodation, in fact, we are finding ourselves in a constant flux of anxiety for fear on the one hand, we may not get enough students to make a school, and on the other, that we may not be able to take care of those who come. Just now the latter danger is oppressing us. I am receiving more applications for next year than I have received at the same time in other years. We must have more room if we are to meet the educational demands of our country. We are still looking for the man with $50,000 who wants to send his name down to latest posterity fragrant with the gratitude of untold generations of students. I have long had a vision of a reconstructed and enlarged Lingley Hall on the site of the old Allison house, where it could display its chaste doric columns without a rival near. I have been dreaming for years of a new ladies' college of stone that would furnish accommodation for 350 students with a chance for indefinite enlargement. I see such a development of our conservatory as shall make Mount Allison a musical centre of the maritime provinces. I have visions of an enlargement of our splendid art school by the creation of a department for the teaching of the "arts and crafts" such as shall place Mount Allison in the lead in this important branch of technical education. We have taken the first step in this direction by conducting classes this year in modeling, etching, designing, leather tooling, and wood carving. Incidentally I may remind you that a piece of modeling by one of our former students has been accepted by the Royal Academy, London, for exhibition. There is no reason if the necessary accommodation can be given, why, with such a splendid staff of teachers as I have associated with me we should not indefinitely hold our position as the premier ladies' college of Canada. The teacher is the school and if we can only keep such a devoted, earnest body of specialists together as we now have I shall have no fears for the future of our school which has already held so large a place in the educational advancement of Eastern Canada.

FROM THE OUTSIDE.

(Judge.)

Little Margie (after watching her small brother devouring several large sections of chocolate cake): "Mama, isn't it funny how much larger Jimmy really is than he appears to be from the outside."

MARK TWAIN PAYS GLOWING TRIBUTE TO LATE QUEEN VICTORIA

New York, May 25.—King Edward, through his private secretary Lord Knollys, contributed a message of good will, and Mark Twain made a characteristic speech at a dinner given tonight by the British Schools and Universities Club at Delmonico's in honor of the late Queen Victoria's birthday, which since her death, has been celebrated throughout Britain's vast dominions as Empire Day.

Dr. Walter Eyre Lambert, president of the club, which is composed exclusively of English and American alumni of British universities and colleges such as Eton, Harrow and Rugby, presided, with Samuel L. Clemens, the guest of honor and the possessor of the degree of Doctor of Literature, conferred upon him last year by the University of Oxford, at his right.

Mark Twain's Tribute

Dr. Clemens spoke in part as follows:

"You do me high honor indeed in selecting me to speak for my country in this commemoration of the birthday of that noble lady whose life was consecrated to the virtues and the humanities, and to the promotion of lofty ideals and was the model upon which many a humbler life was formed and made beautiful while she lived, and upon which many such lives will still be formed in the generations that are to come—a life which finds its just image in the star which falls out of its place in the sky and out of existence, but whose light still streams with unfaded lustre across the abysses of space—long after its fires have been extinguished at their source.

"As a woman, the Queen was all that the most exacting standards could require. As a far-reaching and effective and beneficent moral force, she had no peer in her time, among either monarchs or commoners. As a monarch she was without reproach in her great office. One may not venture, perhaps, to say so sweeping a thing as this, in cold blood, about any monarch that preceded her, upon either her own throne or any other. It is a colossal eulogy, but it is justified. In those qualities of the heart which beget affection in all sorts and conditions of men she was rich, surpassingly rich, and for this she will still be remembered and revered in the far off ages when the political glories of her reign shall have faded from vital history and fallen to a place in that scrap-heap of unverifiable odds and ends, which we call traditions. Which is to say, in briefer phrase, that her name will live always. And with it her character; a fame rare in the history of thrones, dominions, principalities and powers, since it will not rest upon harvested selfish and solid ambitions, but upon love, earned and freely vouchsafed. She mended broken hearts where she could, but she broke none.

"What she did for us in America in our time of storm and stress we shall not forget, and whenever we call it to mind we shall always remember the wise and righteous mind that guided her in it and sustained and supported her—Prince Albert's. We need not talk any idle talk here tonight about either possible or impossible war between the two countries; there will be no war while we remain sane and the son of Victoria and Albert sits upon the throne. In conclusion, I believe I may justly claim to utter the voice of my country in saying that we hold him in deep honor, and also in cordially wishing him a long life and a happy reign."

POWDERED EGGS.

(American Papers.)

Consul Thomas H. Norton, in a report from Chemnitz, says that much interest is felt among German chemists charged with food investigation over the reported degree of success which has attended efforts to preserve eggs by desiccation. This leads him to furnish the following information:

The process was invented by a chemist of Victoria, Australia. The results obtained have been so satisfactory that the Farmers' and Settlers' Co-operative Society of Sydney has erected an extensive plant for the manufacture, on a large scale, of "egg powder."

The process is as simple a one in principle as that of preserving fruit by sealing in hermetically at a boiling temperature or of pasteurizing milk. Eggs, freed from the shells, are dried at the relatively low temperature of 54.5 degrees Centigrade (130 degrees Fahrenheit). The operation can be rapidly executed in containers kept at this temperature from which the air has been exhausted, and from which likewise the aqueous vapor is withdrawn as fast as given off by evaporation from the eggs.

The advantage of this method consists in the fact that there is no alteration in the chemical composition of the eggs. There is simply a loss of the greater part of the water held mechanically in combination, as when fruit is dried by free exposure to the air and sun or by more rapid artificial methods. When thoroughly desiccated and brought by pulverization in to the state of coarse powder the egg material can be preserved for an indefinite period in ordinary packages, if kept in a dry place.

The eggs are "reconstituted" by the simple addition of water to the dry powder the resultant mass being quite indistinguishable from newly beaten up eggs. Before the method was accepted as a basis for industrial exploitation, it was submitted to exhaustive critical tests by the Victorian Department of agriculture, which demonstrated that purity, ease of digestion, flavor, etc., were entirely unaffected by the operation of desiccation, preservation for a long period and reconstitution by the addition of water, provided that fresh eggs were employed at the outset. This latest novelty in the processes of insuring the inexpensive and healthful preservation of a staple article of popular diet forms a welcome addition to those already so highly valued, such as the freezing of fresh meat, the evaporation of fruits and the desiccation of milk.

From the economic standpoint, it is evident that the cost of eggs as an article of food, will be notably reduced when large tracks in remote regions are utilized for the purposes of poultry raising. An important factor would be the low cost of freight for a compact powdered material as contrasted with the expense of transporting eggs in the natural fragile condition, containing 74 per cent. of water and involving much waste space in packing. Equally important would be the certainty of securing egg meat guaranteed as prepared from absolutely fresh material. The simplicity of preservation and the ease with which a variety of savory dishes can be expeditiously prepared from eggs enhance the value of such a food preparation, not only for the ordinary household, but also for the emergencies of travel.

"He stood at the top of the steps," she said, in telling about it afterwards, "and I mustered up enough courage to say, 'You know, this is leap year.'" "Yes; what then?" "Then he leaped, and I haven't seen him since."

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with Storm Collars, regular $4.50 value,

For $3.39

UNION CLOTHING COMPANY

26-28 Charlotte Street, opp. City Market

ALEX. CORBET, Manager

OBITUARY

James McAvity.

The death of James McAvity, inspector of masonry for the Atlantic division of the C. P. R., arrived Friday morning at his home, 72 High street. Mr. McAvity was well known in the north end. He contracted a heavy cold at Grand Falls about six months ago, tubercular trouble resulting. Mr. McAvity was in his 61st year, and is survived by his wife, who was a Miss McRobbie, sister of Major Miss Robbie, sister of Major McR., and one daughter, Mrs. D. F. Kirkpatrick, both of this city. He was a prominent member of the Oddfellows, being connected with Peerless lodge for 20 years or more; and was a past grand. He was also a Fenian Raid veteran. Two sisters and one brother also survive him. The brother is John McAvity, and the sisters are Mrs. F. S. Thomas and Mrs. Herbert Reynolds.

James Sullivan.

James Sullivan died on Saturday after a lingering illness at his residence, 118 Charlotte street. Mr. Sullivan was in the 84th year of his age. He conducted a shoemaking business for many years in the city, but retired and had been living with his daughters, Misses Katherine and Bridget Sullivan, dressmakers.

David Kirkpatrick.

David Kirkpatrick, an old and well known resident of Gondola Point, Kings county, died at his home there on Wednesday last. Mr. Kirkpatrick, who had lived at the point all his life, is survived by his wife, five sons and three daughters. The daughters are Mrs. Ed. Toole, of Calgary, Mrs. Mackie, of Brookville, and Miss Effie at home. The sons are Alfred, of Sussex, George, Robert, James and Andrew at home and Charles of this city. The funeral took place on Friday.

George F. Cox.

St. Stephen, N. B., May 24.—George F. Cox, who was a harness maker here for many years, died at his home in Calais, Maine, this morning of asthma. He was a prominent mason, being a member of Sussex Lodge, St. Stephen chapter and encampment, an Odd Fellow and a Forester.

Mr. Cox was sixty-nine years of age, and leaves a widow, one son George, in Portland, Me., and three daughters, Mrs. Brad. Kingston, Calais; Mrs. Howard Dinsmore, St. Stephen; and Alice at home.

Miss Alice McWha.

The funeral of Miss Alice McWha, who died of tuberculosis, took place Monday afternoon. She was a daughter of the George McWha who died about one month ago of the same disease. She is the third member of this family who has died of that dread disease within six months.

Mrs. Susanna Corse Fisher.

Montreal, May 24.—The death occurred here today at the age of 86 years of Mrs. Susanna Corse Fisher, wife of Dr. Arthur Fisher, and mother of Hon. Sydney Fisher, minister of agriculture, and Dr. Roswell Fisher of this city. Mrs. Fisher was the elder daughter of the late Roswell Corse of this city, and was born in Montreal in 1822. She was married to Dr. Fisher in 1843, the latter, who is now in his 93rd year, surviving her, together with her two sons.

Mrs. Caroline Finley.

Mrs. Caroline Finley died Sunday at her home, 40 Adelaide street, in her 91st year. She was the widow of Capt. Augustus Finley, who was lost at sea a number of years ago. Mrs. Finley was a native of Brandy Point, on the St. John River, and was a daughter of the late Shubael Stevens. She is survived by four sons—Capt. George Finley at home, Capt. William Finley in Philadelphia, Stephen in Colorado, and LeBaron in Chatham—also three daughters—Mrs. Hunt in Montana, Mrs. George Johnston of this city, and Miss Carrie at home.

Mrs. W. L. Hayford.

News of the death of Mrs. Ida E. Hayford, wife of Wm. L. Hayford, which occurred on Saturday at Chipman, Queens County, will be read with great regret by many friends here. Mr. and Mrs. Hayford formerly made their home in North End where Mr. Hayford was engaged in the lumber business. Sometime ago they removed to Chipman, where Mr. Hayford is manager of the Sayre lumber interests. Mrs. Hayford had been ill for some time. Besides her husband, she leaves one daughter, Mrs. W. A. Henderson, of this city. Mrs. Henderson was with her mother a short time ago, but contracted illness which prevented her being at Chipman when her mother died. Mrs. Hayford also leaves three sisters: Mrs. T. H. Emerson and Mrs. L. Page of Boston, and Mrs. Arthur Emerson of Hastings on the Hudson. The body was taken to Belfast (Me.), Mrs. Hayford's native place, for interment.

Which is Worse?

The man who takes you aside and tells you

That you are not looking as well as you were, and he wouldn't be surprised if you were coming down with grip, appendicitis, typhoid, pneumonia, or any one of a dozen more.

That he ran across your wife this morning in a department store, buying out the whole place.

That he has inside information that certain investments you have made (of which in a previous burst of confidence you have told him) are shortly to be exposed, and will drop to nothing.

That he knows the builder of the house you have just bought, and if anything was a case of graft, that was.

OR

The other man who takes you aside and asks you

If you are aware that your present diet is certain death, and that you must come around to his idea in a short time or—

If you have heard the story of—

If you care to listen to an account of his auto trip in Europe.

If you have any spare cash about you—

If you mind keeping his cat and dog—he is going away with his family for the summer.

—Thomas L. Masson, in May Bohemian.

MARRIAGES

MARSTERS-LAURSEN—At the house of the bride's parents, Foley Brook, Victoria County, (N. B.), on May 20th., Harry Marsters and Emma Laursen were married by Rev. H. J. Perry, of Grand Falls.

DEATHS

SULLIVAN—In this city on the 23rd inst., James Sullivan, in the 84th year of his age, leaving two daughters to mourn.

AKERLEY—In New York, on Sunday, 24th inst., Jennie A., relict of Captain Moses Akerley.

FINLEY—In this city, on the 24th inst., at her late residence, 40 Adelaide street Caroline, relict of the late Captain Augustus Finley, in the 91st year of her age.

HAYFORD—At Chipman, Queens county, on the 23rd inst., Ida E., wife of Wm. L. Hayford.

CONNERS—At Upperton, on May 18, James Wilfred Conners, aged 26 years, leaving a father, mother, three sisters and three brothers to mourn their sad loss. He was a member of the I. O. F. Lodge.

The near relatives of the late Mrs. Allen Bancroft, of Grand Manan, desire to thank their friends for the many kindnesses which they received—both during the illness of their beloved one, and also at the hour of their bereavement.

Norton Happenings.

Norton, May 25.—Walter J. Lawson returned from Highfield on Wednesday, where he went to attend the funeral of his brother-in-law, the late Geo. L. Hatheway. Since coming here he has been the guest of his brother Arthur and brother-in-law, Geo. Long. He was joined on Saturday by his wife, daughter Lida and son Murray. They all return to St. John tonight.

Hilson Kierstead on Saturday fished the millstream from Benjamin Lester's to Alex Patterson's, and returned to Norton with sixty-three speckled beauties, which weighed in all thirty pounds.

Misses Carrie and Ada Harmer are visiting the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alex Leiman of Salisbury.

Ada C. Sherwood, Walter Robertson, and Geo. Wilson, Moncton, came home on Saturday night and return today.

Miss Etha E. Sherwood is spending a few weeks with relations and friends in Hartford, Conn.

Heber and Oscar Wilcox of Jones Bros., Apohaqui, are spending the holiday at their home here.

A lawn party is in progress this afternoon at Mr. and Mrs. Flynn Marr's.

Wm. Howe of St. John is visiting brother, Chas. W. Howe.

Mr. and Mrs. Walton Keirstead of John are spending their vacation guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lendore Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Harmer and three children are spending today at Clover Hill visiting Mr. and Mrs. John Jamieson.

Miss Laura Loughery is spending a few days at Waterford the guest of Mrs. Jas. Moore.

Percy Fownes of St. Martins is spending the holiday with his chum, Vaughan Weir.

Mrs. Mary Folkins and daughter Helen are visiting the old home at Berwick.

Miss Ethel Wheaton of St. John is visiting Mrs. W. R. Carson.

Crandall Loughery is visiting his sister Mrs. Fred Bonnell of Sussex.

Geo. Mitchell of Highfield came out Saturday and went to Sussex to cons Dr. Burnett. While here he was the gu of his sister Ellen, who is keeping hou for Rev. E. J. Byrne.

Collin Heine, of Moncton, came on the early train this morning and is spending the holiday with his uncle, W. H. Heine.

Dr. Teakles and party, of Sussex, sailed down the river to this point on Saturday. They then transferred to a team and drove to Jacks Lake where they are spending the holiday.

Miss Mary McAuley of Sussex is visiting relations at W. H. Baxter's.

Miss Keith and Mrs. Keith of Moncton are visiting at Mrs. Brand's.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hayes, Mrs. Mary Barton and Miss Jessie Curren, of St. John came on Saturday and return tonight. They were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Peter Branscombe while here.

Mr. and Mrs. Dawson of Moncton, Mr. and Mrs. Richards of Woodstock, and Miss Foster of St. John, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar W. Partriquin.

Patrick Hemsworth came from Amherst this morning to spend the holiday with his brother, John R. Hemsworth.

Miss Alice Byron of St. John has been spending a few days here with her parents. Miss McManus and Miss Sharkey of St. John came out this morning to spend the day with her. They are off fishing.

Warren T. Murphy of Boston, is spending a few weeks vacation here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Murphy.

Miss Minnie McKenna of Verney is visiting her sister, Mrs. J. P. Hemsworth.

Miss Mary Sproul is home for a few days from St. John.

Parents Saw Baby Killed by Train.

Westerly, R. I., May 25.—In full view of her father and mother, who were too far away to save her, however, Bertha Herold, a baby of two years was struck and instantly killed today by a passenger train on the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad. The child had wandered a few hundred feet from her home to the railroad tracks and before her parents could reach her, the train coming rapidly around a curve, ran her down.

TRAVELS OF AN ENGLISH POSTMISTRESS.

(London Globe.)

Miss Trimmingham, postmistress and letter carrier of Fishlake, near Doncaster, has been "postman" for thirty-seven years, and in charge of the post office for twenty-three years. Her journeys total 6,186 miles in twelve months. During the whole of the time she has been off duty for only sever days, and has walked over 200,000 miles.

Feet Like a Lobster

Hundreds of people suffer agonies with their feet in hot weather. Ordinary shoes chafe the skin, and bring blisters. Feet sweat and burn and ache until they are red as a lobster, and walking becomes torture. This is the time to seek the nearest drug store and buy a box of "Foot Elm." (Be careful and do not take the "Just as good" kind). Dust the feet with this antiseptic powder and shake it in your shoes. It gives speedy relief.

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