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OUR COUNTRY CORRESPONDENCE.

FREDERICTON.

Fredericton, Aug. 30—(Special)—Mrs. Phoebe Babbitt, of Gagetown, died at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Thos. Hoben, Gibson, today, aged eighty-three years. Her remains will be taken to Gagetown tomorrow for interment.

Richard Kelley died quite suddenly at his home at Oromocto Friday evening. Mr. Kelley had been around apparently in good health during the day, but shortly after entering the house complained of feeling unwell, and died in a few minutes. Mr. Kelley was seventy-three years of age, and leaves three sons, James, Allen and William. Two daughters, Mrs. Shaw and Mrs. John Barry, reside at Oromocto, and a number of daughters in the States.

The death occurred at Marysville Friday evening of Mabel A., the eighteen months old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Lee Meehan.

Henry Braithwaite, the well known guide, leaves this week for his hunting grounds. His first moose hunting party will be Dr. and Mrs. Wheeler, of New York, who will be out five weeks and who are already on the ground, having gone out Tuesday.

John Gilman, of Kingsclear, who is by far the largest apple grower in this vicinity, if not in the province, states that the output for his orchard this year will not equal one-quarter of last year's crop, which was an exceptionally good one.

Herbert and Frank Jewett, of Keswick, who went out west with the Maunsell party last fall, returned home on Friday. They state that very few of the original party are now with Maunsell, but they are getting along prosperously. The crops are looking well and indications point to a good harvest.

Donald Fraser, sr., arrived in the city Friday evening, after an extended trip to Montreal, Quebec, Temiscouta and Tobique river countries. Mr. Fraser was accompanied by Rev. David Beaton and Mrs. Beaton, of Chicago, and the two latter were especially impressed with the beauties of New Brunswick scenery.

Rev. F. C. Hartley, of the Free Baptist church, and Mr. Brehant returned Friday evening from a two weeks' vacation trip through Nova Scotia.

The prospects point to the Black Knights taking a good number on the excursion to St. John on Labor day.

City Clerk Beckwith is in receipt of a letter from F. L. Morrison, secretary of the Fredericton Gaslight Company, formally accepting on behalf of the company the city council's offer for the purchase of the street lighting plant. The price to be paid by the city for the plant is in the neighborhood of $13,800. The present street lighting contract expires in October.

BLOOMFIELD.

Bloomfield Station, Aug. 28.—The garden party held on the grounds of F. L. Titus, under the auspices of the Baptist Sunday school, was in every way a success. The Hampton Cornet Band furnished music. A good sum was realized. A large delegation of Norton's fair ones were present.

Four of our boys, H. D. Titus, Kenneth Raymond, John and Chas. Iddiols, took advantage of the harvest excursion.

Miss Amelia Hayes and Miss Lena Davis, trained nurses of Boston, are spending their vacation with their parents.

Mrs. I. B. Wetmore and Mrs. Corey Wetmore, who have been spending the summer here, returned to their home in Boston this week.

The public schools have re-opened. Amasa Ryder continues in charge of the advanced department, while Miss Floyd has charge of the primary department.

The Misses Marvens are in town again and will re-open their dressmaking establishment.

Another band concert is to be held on the grounds of James Gilchrist on Saturday, 29th inst. The Hampton band will furnish the music. Ice cream will be served; proceeds to go towards home missions.

Miss Ada Wetmore left on Tuesday to take charge of her school at Havelock and Miss Lue Chapman to her school at Hillsdale.

APOHAQUI.

Apohaqui, Kings Co., Aug. 28.—Harley Jones, who has been ill the past week, is able to be out again.

Miss Gertie Veysey, who has been visiting friends in St. John, has returned home.

John P. McAuley, of Lower Millstream, has moved into Hon. Geo. E. Foster's residence.

On last Tuesday evening the young people of this place had a driving party out to Pleasant Lake and there spent a very pleasant time, dancing music being furnished by Arthur Pearson.

A painful accident happened Thursday at noon. Mr. Leiper and Mr. Gaunce, of Carsonville, came out with a load of lumber, and after unloading it put their horses in Sinnott's shed, and while Mr. Gaunce was eating his dinner one of his horses took sick. Mr. Leiper went alongside of the sick horse to separate them. As he did so the horse struck him, dislocating his knee.

GRAND FALLS.

Grand Falls, N. B., Aug. 26.—The case of the King on the complaint of Josephine Dee against Herbert Montgomery and Moses Parks, charged with assault and unlawfully disturbing the inmates of a dwelling house, which has occupied the attention of the police magistrate for several days, was adjourned until Tuesday, Sept. 1. J. J. Gallagher was counsel for the prosecution and T. J. Carter conducted the defence.

A subordinate court of the Canadian Order of Foresters was organized here on Friday evening with twenty-four charter members. G. E. Barter, general organizer for the order, initiated the members and installed the officers.

The worthy mayor of Grand Falls, Charles McCluskey, has been seriously ill for several weeks and Dr. Puddington has been in constant attendance.

Guide George Price, who has erected a number of sporting camps along Salmon River, has portaged all his provisions to the main camp and permanently installed Geo. Rioux as cook. Mr. Price has been compelled to refuse to entertain a number of New York sportsmen, since his whole time and that of his assistants and all accommodations have been engaged until the end of the hunting season. His first party will enter the woods in ten days and prospect a week before game season opens.

The town schools re-opened today with a full attendance. Miss O'Brien, Fredericton, has been appointed to the vacancy in the primary department caused by the resignation of Miss Allen.

The Curleer Hotel is crowded with tourists who are lavish in their expressions of delight with the picturesque scenery and romantic surroundings. Since it has accommodations for upwards of 100 guests its present crowded condition speaks volumes for the attractions of the eastern Niagara.

HOPEWELL HILL.

Hopewell Hill, Aug. 27.—The sad intelligence was received here by telegram today that Charles E. Tingley, formerly of this place, had been killed in New York, where he had been working with a street building company for some years. The unfortunate young man was about twenty-years of age and was a son of Mariner M. Tingley, a prominent resident of this village. No particulars of the accident have yet been received. The deceased was a fine young man, temperate and industrious, and was expert at the work in connection with the erection of steel buildings. He leaves a wife and young child who, as well as his father and other relatives, will have the sincere sympathy of the community.

HARTLAND.

Hartland, Aug. 29.—Sawyer's mill has been shut down on account of the Becaguimac stream being so low, leaving fifty men out of employment.

Harry Chase, son of Reid Chase, is very low with typhoid fever at his father's home.

Mrs. W. F. Watson returned from Fredericton today, where she had gone to visit Mrs. McCarthy, who is critically ill.

George Cooper with his sisters, Misses Ottie and Bessie, from Smyrna Mills (Me.) have been visiting their old home in Hartland the past week.

Mitchell Buchanan, of Hamilton (Ont.) arrived in town on Thursday with a carload of Clyde horses and Short Horn Durham cattle. One two-year-old colt was sold to Beecher Stewart, Pole Hill, for $500.

HARVEY STATION.

Harvey Station, Aug. 31—William McCulloch has purchased another threshing machine from a firm in Woodstock, and intends to run it by steam power. It has a capacity of 400 bushels per day. Mr. McCulloch and his sons will operate two threshing machines this season. Thomas A. Speedy has also got a new threshing machine and will operate it here. Two other threshing machines have also been purchased by parties at Wilmot.

Thomas Robinson has just threshed out 204 bushels of oats, which he raised on three acres of ground.

Miss Bessie E. Scott, of the I. O. F., has been here for the past three days endeavoring to organize a companion court of Foresters. She has already received a number of names and is likely to succeed in getting up a court.

A. H. Baker, of Fredericton, is spending a few days visiting at the residence of Mrs. W. C. Smith.

William E. Little, who was reported as having been badly injured by a runaway team on Wednesday last, was not so badly injured as was at first supposed, and is recovering rapidly.

RIVERSIDE.

Riverside, Albert Co., Aug. 31.—Rev. Harley Newcomb and wife, of Yarmouth (N. S.) are visiting relatives in this locality. On Sunday morning Mr. Newcomb occupied the pulpit of the Presbyterian church.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. T. Fullerton, Boston, who have been spending a few weeks with relatives at Albert, left for their home on Friday.

Hon. A. R. and Mrs. McClelan visited Fredericton last week.

Mrs. Lena P. Wilband left for St. John on Monday, accompanied by Miss Hunter. Mrs. Wilband will visit Boston before returning.

Mrs. H. A. Turner went to Moncton on Friday with her daughter Mary, who will attend school there.

Mrs. Frank Gillespie, of Hillsboro, arrived on Saturday to visit relatives.

Invitations are out for the marriage on the 15th inst. of Miss May Steeves, of Chester, to Miles Geldard, of Albert.

CHATHAM.

Chatham, N. B., Aug. 29.—The amount realized at the Roman Catholic bazaar, which closed this week, was nearly $2,500. This will be added to the cathedral fund.

The new agricultural exhibition building, which was blown down in last Saturday's storm, is being rebuilt and it has been decided to hold an exhibition this fall. A meeting of the association was held last evening, when the final arrangements for Labor day sports were made.

Mrs. P. H. C. Benson and family, who have been spending the summer at Church Point, returned home today.

Miss Olive Russell expects to leave for New Glasgow (N. S.) tomorrow, where she will enter the hospital to train as nurse.

SUSSEX.

Sussex, N. B., Aug. 31—At the Sussex firemen's sports, to be held here on Labor day, arrangements have been made to give the public an opportunity of witnessing a race between two automobiles, between James Queen, of St. John, and C. D. Mills, of Sussex, who will try the speed of their runabouts on the race track at 2.30, starting from opposite sides of the track. A great race is expected. The committee in charge are determined to do all in their power to make the events of the day a decided success, and have secured entries of teams from St. John, Moncton, Sackville and other parts of the province.

The machinery for the Sussex Packing Company has arrived and will be put in place in their factory at once.

The examination of Alice Whitbred, an immigrant domestic, who was charged with larceny, was concluded this afternoon before Stipendary Magistrate R. Morrison. Several articles of clothing were found in her possession, which belonged to Mrs. W. W. Stockton. The prisoner was committed to stand trial at the county court, and was sent back to jail.

LONG ISLAND.

Long Island, Kings Co., Aug. 28.—Miss Swan, of Boston, has been spending the summer on Gordon Island.

Miss Jennie F. Breen, trained nurse of one of the Boston hospitals, is now here on her vacation at her old home at Breen's Cove.

Miss Edith Breen is now in the city visiting friends.

The school opened here on Thursday last, Miss Williams taking charge.

A large bull moose was seen wandering around the open fields.

Berries of all kinds have been plentiful this summer, especially raspberries and black berries.

A monument has been placed in the burying ground at White Head in memory of the late John Hornbrook by his sons.

Miss Lucy Kingston spent a few days with her aunt at the Hillside farm.

Mrs. Peacock and family are visiting her aunt, Mrs. John Jordan sr.

The steamer Clifton stopped here yesterday bringing several ladies. Among them was Mrs. William Breen and Mrs. Heans, of the city; Mrs. Capathorn, of Somerville (Mass.), who were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Kingston. The former and latter are cousins of Mr. Kingston.

Mortie G. Breen and his sister, Mrs. McCarthy, and little son left here on Saturday to take the Calvin Austin for Boston, where they now live.

Geo. Stewart spent Sunday with his friend, Harry Breen.

Mrs. Sherman Rankin, of Chipman, has been here for a few days with parents.

Mrs. John D. Breen and her daughter spent a day of last week with Miss Prince, of Perry Point.

Mrs. Till and family are boarding at the Willow farm. Mr. Till was here on Sunday but returned to the city again.

A birthday party in honor of Miss Muriel Likely was held at her mother's cottage on Tuesday evening at Breen's Cove.

Miss Ina Delong arrived home on Wednesday to spend a week with her mother. She will leave shortly for New York.

Mr. Sharp is in a critical condition.

William Hornbrook, sr., who has been very low, is somewhat better.

Miss Williams will spend Labor day at her home, Miss Georgia Kingston going with her.

Mrs. Young Swanton and her grandson spent a week with friends here.

John Hornbrook, of St. John, and Miss Saunders spent Sunday with the former's mother.

Master Cliff Merritt was here on Sunday, the guest of Herbert Hornbrook.

Berton L. Geron, B. A., was on the Island trying to dispose of the hay on the Robinson estate.

Several weddings are to take place in the near future.

SYDNEY.

Sydney, N. S., Aug. 28—(Special)—The yacht St. Lawrence, recently purchased in Montreal by E. W. Mosley and other members of the Royal Cape Breton Yacht Club arrived here last night and will be put in sailing trim as soon as possible.

Edward Dillon, who lives in the suburbs of Sydney, narrowly escaped an awful death near his home today. A bull goring him severely. He managed to seize a large stone and struck the animal a stunning blow and thus saved himself from being gored to death. Three of his ribs were broken ad he sustained some internal injuries.

A gang of men commenced work this morning on the construction of the new rod mill of the Dominion Iron and Steel Company.

Last night two Swedes living in a shack near Glace Bay Harbor were robbed, one of $100, the other of $75. Before leaving their shack they secured the doors with padlocks, but on their returning from work found that an entrance had been forced and that all their money they had possessed was gone. They reported the matter to the police. This evening Joseph McIntyre, inspector of sewerage construction noticed a hard looking customer making his way to the shack; he followed and observed the man trying to effect an entrance. The fellow, on being observed, tried to escape, but Mr. McIntyre collared him and threw him down. Then he sent for the police. Officer McQuinn arrived on the spot and took the man in charge and locked him up. He will be examined tomorrow. Robberies have been on the increase of late.

William Harrington, an American, who for the last few years has interested himself in the oil wells of Cape Breton, has formed a company consisting of American capitalists for the purpose of developing the Lake Ainslie wells in Inverness county. The company proposes laying out a town site to be called Sporting Centre. It also proposes to build an electric railway from Invernesstown to Orangedale by the way of Lake Ainslie. The compay is very sanguine of success.

Sydney, N. S., Aug. 30—(Special)—As the date of the Coronation Cup races draws nearer the interest in the contest naturally increases. Each captain and crew have all kinds of confidence in their respective yachts, and each boat is being made fit as can be for the contest.

Capt. Howard Holder and the crew of the St. John challenger Glencairn arrived Friday. They will do their best to bring back the trophy that was captured from St. John in June of last year by the Cibou.

The three yachts so far entered for the contest are the Glencairn, Cibou and St. Lawrence. The entries close tomorrow. The first race will start at 1 o'clock on the 5th and the second on Monday at 11 o'clock. The following are the crews selected:—

Glencairn—Capt. Howard Holder, Fred Heans, Peter Sinclair, E. N. Herrington, George H. Roberts.

Cibou—Capt. Shirley Davidson, G. H. Duggan, F. P. Jones, J. S. McLennan, A. E. Nash.

St. Lawrence—Capt. Victor Johnston, Roy Johnston, Dr. Bruce, Reg. Purves, Jim Kendall.

The course, measuring fourteen miles, will be a three legged one.

W. B. Ross, K. C., secretary of the Dominion Iron & Steel Company, has been at Sydnes Mines the greater part of the week conferring with officials of the Nova Scotia Steel & Coal Company. Mr. Ross will be one of the three commissioners appointed to manage the operations of the Dominion Company.

The work of getting the Hub colliery, at Glace Bay, in shape for producing coal is proceeding satisfactorily. It is believed that hoisting of coal will commence about the middle of September.

The Dominion Iron & Steel Company has commenced the erection of fifty residences for their employes. This, coupled with the fact that work has commenced on the rod mill and that machinery has arrived, has installed new life into Sydney.

The nine-year-old child of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Tobin, of Sydney Mines, fell into a pond of water near their house Saturday afternoon and was drowned before help reached it.

TRURO.

Truro, Aug. 28—The family of Mrs. Thomas Murphy is enjoying quite a reunion, as all the children are at home. There are seven sons and daughters, including Mrs. R. M. Browne, Musquodoboit Harbor; Mrs. McGuinnes, New York; Mrs. R. S. Crawford, Yarmouth; Garfield Murphy, South Africa, and the three who are living at home.

Mr. and Mrs. Angus Murray, Pleasant street, have been enjoying a delightful outing in Pictou county, among friends. Mrs. Murray has also been in Halifax this summer for about five weeks.

In the shooting match at Kentville on the 25th, between a Truro team and one from Kentville, victory fell to the Kentville men.

W. P. King has recently returned from Canso, where he has been settling the Whitman fire losses. The loss is not so great as at first feared, but amounts to about $50,000, with $40,000 insurance and salvage. This is the first fire in connection with this business in ninety years, as the Whitman's have for several successive generations been in business in Canso.

Mrs. Fred Henderson and her two children are spending a few weeks in Sydney with friends.

Mrs. Reid, of Musquodboit, is visiting at her son's, R. H. Reid, King street.

Miss Irene Zuckler, Debert, spent Tuesday in town.

Miss Florence Ridlon, of Boston, is spending her vacation with her aunt, Mrs. R. H. Reid.

Mrs. John Conner, with Masters George and Willie, have gone to visit in Parrsboro and Pugwash for a few weeks.

Mrs. Stanley McCulloch, Victoria street, has returned from a visit with friends in Londonderry.

Miss Frances McDonald, daughter of John McDonald, underground manager of the Drummond Mines, is visiting at Robt. Cullen's, King street.

Mrs. C. P. Morgan and daughter are spending a couple of weeks in Wallace.

Miss Mary McDonald, of Amherst, is spending a few weeks with her grandmother, Mrs. Young, Young street.

Miss Ruth E. Miller, of Folly Village, who is now a graduate of Rhode Island Hospital, is a guest with her uncle E. E. McNutt, Dominion street. She is accompanied by another nurse from the same hospital—Miss Mary Keefe.

Miss Chisholm, of the News Publishing Company, is visiting Miss Eliza Snowdon, Sackville.

Mrs. E. E. McNutt and youngest son, Roy, have returned from their visit with friends in Dartmouth.

F. Clifford McGowan, of the Bank of Commerce, is visiting at his home in Shelburne.

The ladies of the First Presbyterian church of this town made over $300 on the 22nd by catering to the large number of visitors who were here to attend the P. W. A. picnic.

Mrs. Keele, Toronto, is visiting Mrs. A. J. Campbell.

Mrs. Williamson, Toronto, is a guest with her aunt, Mrs. W. H. Tremaine, Queen street.

Miss Annie I. Fletcher, Lynn (Mass.), is visiting her aunt, Mrs. A. B. Fletcher, Waddell street. Miss Fletcher is now head nurse in the Lynn Hospital, where she has been for thirteen years.

The friends of W. D. Black, Lower Truro, will regret to lern of his serious illness.

Miss Bertha Stevens, who has been spending her vacation in Windsor, has returned to town.

Mrs. David Linton and Mrs. G. W. Henderson have returned from a visit to Sydney.

Rev. J. N. Aikens and family are home from their outing at Debert Beach.

DIGBY.

Digby, Aug. 28—Samuel Gidney, owner of the Westport and Digby Telephone Co., had placed a new cable across Petite Passage at his own expense and intended to connect the ends the following morning, but discovered that the East Fern end was missing. It had been dragged out in St. Mary's Bay by some passing vessel.

Schooner Genesta, Capt. Holmes, sailed yesterday from DeLap's Cove for Boston.

Schooner S. V. H., Captain John S. Hayden, is in the Raquette waiting for a crew.

Schooner Potter, Capt. Walker, will tow from Tupperville tomorrow with wood for Boston.

Tern schooner Denis Pickup, Captain Roop, sailed today with lumber from Annapolis for Cuba.

S. S. Centreville, Capt. Graham, was in port yesterday loading herring.

Schooner Josephine, Capt. Robinson, sailed from Boston this morning for Tupperville to load wood for a return trip.

Barquentine Hornet, Capt. Churchill, towed to sea yesterday with lumber from Annapolis for Buenos Ayres.

Tern schooner Golden Rule towed from Bridgetown Wednesday and sailed yesterday with brick and apples for Sydney.

Schooner Ray G. has sailed from Point Prim after discharging a cargo of coal from Springhill for the fog alarm station.

Schooner W. Parnell O'Hara, Captain Wm. Snow, is discharging a fare of fish at J. E. Snow's wharf.

Schooners Eddie J., Capt. David Hayden, and Elmir, Capt. D. Ellis, have landed about 25,000 pounds of hake in the Raquette this week purchased by Anderson & Letteney.

A telegram received here announces the sudden death of Julia, wife of Lucius McGehee, which occurred Tuesday at Nortport, Long Island (N. Y.) The deceased was a daughter of the late Rev. W. S. Covert, of this town, and her death at such an early age, following closely that of her father, evokes much sympathy from the friends of the family.

Digby, Aug. 31—Mrs. Eliza Bonnell died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Charles Turnbull, Saturday night, aged eighty-six years. The deceased was highly respected by all her acquaintances. She leaves two sons, A. D. Bonnell and Charles E. Bonnell, of New York, who are both here at present. She also leaves three daughters, Mrs. Lintrom and Mrs. Wardlaw, of the United States, and Mrs. Charles E. Turnbull, of Digby. The funeral will be held this afternoon. Interment in the Episcopal cemetery.

Henry Raymond, son of Joseph Raymond, of this town, met with a painful accident while riding a bicycle Saturday night. His collar bone is broken, but he was resting comfortably this morning.

The Digby artillery company left for Halifax today for annual drill. The company is greatly improved under Capt. M. C. Denton and Lieutenant Jenner, and presents a good showing.

AMHERST.

Amherst, N. S., Aug. 28.—Among those present attending the races are the Honorables W. J. Robinson and F. J. Sweeney, Moncton; J. A. Johnson, Halifax.

Three interesting weddings occurred during the past two days. Newton Campbell, of Brookdale, son of Alex. Campbell, was united by Rev. Arthur Hocken to Miss Isabell R., daughter of Jonathan Riply, Acadia street, Amherst.

Bessie, eldest daughter of Arthur Snowden, Point de Bute, was married on Wednesday at that place by Rev. Thomas Marshall to Fred, son of John Robinson.

The marriage took place last evening at her father's residence of Miss Hattie Boyce to Thos. M. McFadzen, druggist, of Halifax.

Ex-Mayor and Mrs. W. M. Read left last night for Moncton to attend the funeral of Mrs. Read's sister, Mrs. Wm. C. Bulmer.

The death of Mrs. John Stiles, after a week's painful illness, took place yesterday. Mrs. Stiles was a woman of sterling character and her grown up family of nine will greatly miss her. Mr. Stiles died about a year and a half ago.

Laus Mortis.

Nay, why should I fear Death,
Who gives us life, and in exchange takes breath?

He is like cordial Spring
That lifts above the soil each buried thing;

Like Autumn, kind and brief—
The frost that chills the branches frees the leaf;

Like Winter's stormy hours
That spread their fleece of snow to save the flowers;

The lordliest of all things!—
Life lends us only feet, Death gives us wings.

Fearing no covert thrust,
Let me walk onward, armed in valiant trust—

Dreading no unseen knife,
Across Death's threshold step from life to life!

O all ye frightened folk,
Whether ye wear a crown or bear a yoke,

Laid it one equal bed,
When once your coverlet of grass is spread,

What daybreak need you fear?
The Love will rule you there that guides you here.

Where Life, the sower, stands,
Scattering the ages from his swinging hands,

Thou waitest, Reaper lone,
Until the multitudinous grain hath grown.

Scythebearer, when thy blade
Harvests my flesh, let me be unafraid.

God's husbandman thou art,
In His unwithering sheaves O bind my heart!

—Frederic Lawrence Knowles in Harper's.

Tramp 1—"Each man has just about as much to do in this world as he is fit for." Tramp No. 2—"Yes; but you and me don't do nuffin." Tramp No. 1—"Don't we? Don't we do the rest?"

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WIND FAILED RELIANCE.

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Wringe gave his boat a good full and the way she began to walk away from the defender made it look as though she had found herself at last. But this was for a few minutes only. Then he began to pinch into the wind and it was apparent that Reliance was outpointing the challenger and altogether making better work of it. From that time Reliance gained steadily. When off Long Beach at 1.45 the defender was two miles ahead, having added the second mile by literally outpointing the challenger and at the same time maintained an equal speed.

When the mark was reached the British boat was more than two miles alee and coming slowly. The time at the outer mark was:—

Reliance, 3.00.37; Shamrock III, 3.21.00.

Reliance, homeward bound, with wind aft of the beam, mainsheet well in and balooner bellying, made good time and drew away from the challenger until the wind softened.

Reliance was not having more than four miles an hour and Shamrock III was two miles and a half astern of her when the committee boat signalled that the race was off.

The regatta committee of the New York Yacht Club announced tonight that the yachts would race again tomorrow.

ONLY A FEU DE JOIE.

London, Aug. 31—The Sofia correspondent of the Times telegraphs that it is explained that the Beirut affair was merely a wedding party indulging in a feu de joie, and the shots were not directed with design against the United States vice-consul, Mr. Magelssen.

Aunt Hannah (at the funeral of Flynt's wife)—"Well, David, the worst is over." David—"Well, I don't know about that. We have yet to get the bills of the doctor and the undertaker."

BRITISH WAR OFFICE BLAMED.

London, Aug. 31.—The evidence given before the Royal Commission on the South African War has been issued in three blue books, containing over 1,700 pages. Field Marshal Lord Roberts, Lord Kitchener, Field Marshal Lord Wolseley and other generals give various reasons for the failures of the war. Lord Roberts considered the initial error of strategy practically irretrievable. He criticised the war office on the general preparations and equipment, the first plan of campaign, for underestimating the enemy, ignorance as to geography and extent of the country, and lack of artillery and mounted infantry. General Sir Redvers Buller said he was hampered by the refusal of the war office to accept his plans and give him definite instructions and information. Lord Kitchener said the officers in many cases were not qualified, and said the juniors were better than the seniors. He praised the men, but the reservists and volunteers lacked training. Lord Wolseley complains that the commander-in-chief has become the arch wheel to the coach, and that the secretary of state for war is the actual commander-in-chief. Replying to the criticism, Lord Lansdowne, war secretary during the early part of the South African War, and Mr. Brodrick, his successor, suggested that Lord Wolseley was ignorant of many of the powers of a commander-in-chief or failed to use them. The whole publication teems with evidences of mistakes and failures at home and in the field.

I. O. F. Reception at Woodward's Cove.

Castalia, Grand Manan, Aug. 31.—Court Morning Light, No. 4,373 of the Independent Order of Foresters, gave a grand reception at Woodwards Cove Saturday evening, Aug. 29. A very enjoyable evening was witnessed by the many friends present. New and familiar songs were sung and a quartette was admirably rendered by Mr. and Mrs. Forest Small, Miss Berniece Guptill and Percy Richardson.

Much credit is due Mrs. Forest Small, who presided at the organ.

Many interesting games were played, after which a bounteous feast was served, consisting of cake, pie, coffee, etc. Three hearty cheers were then given to the I. O. F. and with happy faces and light hearts the company dispersed to their respective homes.

St. John Horse Show and Carnival,

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Horse Show to be held in Victoria Rink on October 7th and 8th
Athletic Sports on Thursday, October 9th.
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, 1[illegible] yds. handicap—1st Prize, $75; 2nd Prize, $[illegible]
Hurdle Race, 120 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 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 finest months in the year.
Bands of Music and other amusements.
Low Excursion Rates from everywhere.

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