

## TO START COURTENAY BAY BORINGS AT ONCE

## Ottawa Official Is Here Ready to Begin Work.

## Expects That Boring Machine Has Reached City.

## H. M. Davy Says Work Will Occupy About Two Weeks.

The borings to ascertain the nature of the formation of the bottom off Courtland Bay, which was begun at noon yesterday, will be continued today. H. M. Davy of Ottawa, one of the engineers of the Department of Public Works, arrived in the city yesterday for the purpose of taking charge of the boring operations. His foreman will arrive today. The rest of the workmen will be obtained in the city.

Speaking at the meeting last evening, Mr. Davy said that he had ordered the boring apparatus to be shipped by express to this city about a week since, and expected that it was now in the city. Mr. Davy expects to be in the city for a couple of weeks, and will deliver a full report on the formation of Courtland Bay bottom. As he has never been on the ground before he was unable to estimate the depth of the bottom. The number of borings to be made, their position or depth.

# OLD MAN JUMPS OFF MOVING CAR

John Whelly, an elderly man who resides on City road, met with an accident last night which rendered him unconscious for some time and lay in bed seriously.

The accident occurred about 10.30 p. m. near Grey street, when the man was stepping from a pavement to a road, slowing up at the time and Mr. Whelly carelessly stepped backwards to the pavement. His feet no sooner touched the road than he was thrown violently, his head struck his head with great force against the pavement, rendering him almost unconscious and lay in that condition for some time. Several people applied restoratives, and when revived he was taken to his home.

It is believed that the pavement was worse than was thought at the time of the accident, and being an old man it may go hard with him.

**ANOTHER BAD FIRE  
IN CAMPBELLTON**

**CAMPBELLTON, N. B., July 29.**—  
Fire broke out in the boiler room of  
the Campbellton Steam Laundry at  
1.30 o'clock this morning and before  
it was extinguished had destroyed the  
plant and badly gutted the building.  
The fire started from the furnace and  
had made great headway when the

R. M. Currie, late of the Canadian Oil Company, St. John, assumed control of the property Monday morning, and was proceeding with many improvements to the plant and building. He will make arrangements to continue the business at an early date.

# ALBERT COUNTY MAN FELL TO HIS DEATH

HOWEVELL HILLS, July 29.—E. Cole was known ferrymen of Dorchester Creek. Died on board the Gogovale in the Petticoat River last night as the result of falling overboard. Mr. Cole was descending the river in his boat when he missed his footing and fell into the stream, drifting a considerable distance before he was rescued in an unconscious condition. He was 35 years of age, tall, slender, and a doctor sent for. It was thought he was coming around all night, but about 11 o'clock at night he passed away. It is supposed that he struck his head on the ridge of the boat in the fall. Mr. Cole's son was with him at the time.

## RESOURCES OF THE MARITIME PROVINCES

OTTAWA, Ont., July 28.—The immigration department has issued a most complete new illustrated pamphlet, descriptive of the resources and general characteristics of the provinces of Nova Scotia, New Brunswick and Prince Edward Island. The pamphlet is intended for distribution in Great Britain and the United States, with a view to stimulating immigration to the Maritime Provinces.