

CRUSHED TO DEATH.

Three Men Buried in the Ruins of Jewett's Mill Chimney.

Terrible Accident at Millidgeville Yesterday Bereaves Three Families—Miraculous Escape of Three Other Workmen.

The collapse of the large chimney of E. D. Jewett & Co.'s saw mill at Millidgeville on Friday was the cause of the loss of three young lives, the bread-winners of three families, and necessitates the recording of one of the saddest tragedies in the industrial history of St. John.

The accident occurred about half-past three in the afternoon, and the report, more or less garbled, rapidly spread over the town. The evening papers issued extra editions with fragmentary reports and many excited citizens flocked toward the scene of the fatality by every available method of transportation.

When a Sun reporter reached the quiet little village, which for years has known little more than the whirr of saws and the occasional flurry of a yacht race, the stunning sorrow which had come so suddenly over its people had spread its mournful influence like a pall over the whole place.

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BABY LAUGH

It belongs to health, for a baby, to eat and sleep, to laugh and grow fat.

But fat comes first; don't ask a scrawny baby to laugh; why, even his smile is pitiful! Fat comes first.

The way to be fat is the way to be healthy. Scott's emulsion of cod-liver oil is the proper food, if he needs it; but only a little at first.

We'll send you a little to try if you like. SCOTT & BOWNE, Chemists, Toronto.

Dragging himself, bewildered, from his shelter, and seeing none of his companions, he at once gave the alarm, which was hardly necessary, for crowds were already hurrying toward the scene.

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ENGLISH VISITORS DINED

Dinner to Capt. Edward Partington, President of the Cushing Sulphite Fibre Co.

Clever Speeches and Valuable Suggestions for St. John Manufacturers—Success of Pulp Industry Assured.

A dinner was given in the Royal hotel Saturday evening in honor of Captain Edward Partington of Glasgow, England, president of the Cushing Sulphite Fibre company, and Edward Platt, his associate, who are visiting this city for the first time.

Dr. Sayard, of St. John, was One of the Speakers in New York. (New York Herald, 16th.)

In the Hotel Majestic gathered yesterday the second annual American Congress of Tuberculosis, the object of which is to prevent the spread of consumption, especially by obtaining legislation against it.

The elaborate bill of fare prepared in the best style of the Royal hotel was printed in dainty menu booklets containing handsome views of the city and vicinity.

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shaped the great success of the pulp industry here. St. John, in common with the rest of Canada, had been growing rapidly, but would progress more in the next decade than in any thirty previous years.

Hon. C. N. Skinner proposed James Manchester, president of the Bank of New Brunswick, which was responded to by J. W. Merritt, president of the Board of Trade, responding to his health, proposed by the mayor.

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The Semi-Weekly Sun AND The Co-operative Farmer ONE YEAR FOR ONLY \$1.20.

This great combination offer is only open to new subscribers or to old subscribers who pay all arrearsages at the regular rate, and one year in advance.

THE CO-OPERATIVE FARMER is a Semi-Monthly Journal, exclusively devoted to the interests of the farmers of the Maritime Provinces. It is the official organ of the Farmers' and Dairymen's Association of New Brunswick; the Nova Scotia Farmers' Association, and the Maritime Stock Breeders' Association.

THE ST. JOHN SEMI-WEEKLY SUN is the best newspaper a Maritime farmer can take. It is published on Wednesdays and Saturdays, eight large pages every issue, containing all the provincial as well as foreign news it has.

THE MOST COMPLETE WAR SERVICE of any paper in Eastern Canada, and its frequency of issue makes it of especial interest during the strife in South Africa.

Advertisement for Sun Printing Company, St. John, N. B. featuring an image of a bicycle and text: \$30.00 EAGLE BICYCLE. Cut this ad out and send it to the Sun Printing Co. for a \$1.00 discount.

THE MARRIAGE NULL Having Some Resemblance to Deloit Case

The Parties Were French-Canadian Roman Catholics Who Went to the United States to Get Married.

A marriage between two Catholics before a Protestant minister was declared null and void by the court of justice this morning. The judgment was unanimous, being rendered by Justices Mathieu, Curran and Lemieux.

THE GAINSBOROUGH HAT. It is surprising what an effect widespread interest or importance left upon the millinery fashions. Within the last fifteen days there has been a remarkable revival of the Gainsborough or picture hat.

BOTH WISH TO BE PARTED. Neither of them is now willing to resume married life.

CASTORIA For Infants and Children. Dr. J. C. Ayer & Co., Lowell, Mass.

Advertisement for Dental Powder featuring an image of a person and text: DENTAL POWDER. PUREST, STRONGEST, BEST. E. W. CHILLET, Toronto, Ont.

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Rev. Mr. Raymond on the tablet was proved to the great work had done as a pioneer of St. John and the province.

WOODSTOCK. Visiting a Friend Quietly Runs Away.

He and Taking Three Hundred of His Friend's Money—Mrs. John Balloch.

At Your Ask For. For any of Dr. Chase's... for his portrait and the box otherwise you will be obliged to return it to me.

ON OF HOSTILITIES. On May 19, The British Captain Stranger, which has been reported to be the vessel of the Colombian government, was negotiating to sail from St. John.

OP OF MAINE. Mr. O'Connell, formerly American College in Rome, and a history of Portland, Me., was in the city on Monday.