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MILLINERY OPENING.

Milliners From All Parts of the Province in the City—The Styles. The wholesale millinery openings are now in progress, lasting today and tomorrow. Though a week later than last year, the attendance is fully as large. Purchases are being made freely, and it is noticed that a better class of goods is being used all through. Outing hats have been strong in favor and are made in some quite expensive styles. The styles this season are broad and flat, and blacks are most commonly worn. Many of the hats are much turned up on the left side. For trimmings black sequins are used and breast effects. Paisley ribbon and black and white are also in favor, but as a rule the colors are quiet and nothing gaudy is worn. The favorite materials are chenille, panne velvet and Paisley ribbons. The leading hat of the season is the Lady Devonshire, which is a large Gainsborough made in velvet, with fur or feather trimmings and large wings, and faced with silver white satin. Another popular thing is a large toque with tan crown, made of long beaver fur or of feathers, with soft facing of velvet, trimmed with sweep crepe. The wholesale houses will open up some new goods tonight for tomorrow's display. A partial list of those in attendance this morning from various parts of the province is as follows:— Mrs. F. J. McCausland, Oxford; Miss C. Dobson, Tatamagouche; Miss Palm-

er (H. D. Woodbury) Kingston, N. S.; Mrs. W. E. Piquot, Kingston, N. S.; Mrs. W. E. Herkinds, Lockport, N. S.; J. B. Holland, Miss Holland, Annapolis; Miss L. E. Fitzgerald, Centreville; Mrs. A. S. Baldwin, St. George; Miss Belliveau (W. F. J. J. J.), Weymouth, N. S.; Mrs. E. E. Comeau, Weymouth, N. S.; Miss S. C. Kelley, Fredericton, N. B.; O. McCarthy, Dartmouth; Mrs. G. W. Silver, Lunenburg; Miss B. A. Moore, North Sydney; Miss Clements, Yarmouth; Miss Chisholm, Digby, N. S.; Mrs. S. J. B. Tilley, Yarmouth; Miss M. J. Anderson, Port Elgin; Mrs. S. Bancroft, Grand Manan; Miss McLeod, Miss Kelly, (Sussex Mercantile Co.), Sussex, N. B.; Mrs. D. F. Miller, Mahone Bay; Miss Cullen (Sinclair & Stewart), Summerside, P. E. I.; Miss McLaughlin (E. T. R. Harris), Aylesford; Miss Morse (Matthews & McLean), Souris, P. E. I.; Miss McEachern (Gas. Faxon & Co.) Charlottetown; Mrs. A. E. Keith, Hillsboro, N. B.; Miss F. M. Bishop, Hillsboro, N. B.; Miss L. B. Bishop, Albert, N. B.; Miss G. Veness, Fredericton, N. B.; Miss L. S. Simpson, Digby, N. S.; Miss Sinclair (A. McQuarrie) Glace Bay; Miss A. Cunningham, Antigonish, N. S.; Miss N. G. Denton, Westport, N. S.; Mrs. E. S. Campbell, Hampton, N. B.; Mrs. E. C. Bowers, Westport, N. S.; Miss C. Steadman, Miss B. Stewart, Dalhousie; Miss S. G. McDonald, Fredericton; Miss Fitzmaurice (the Misses Young) St. Stephen; Miss K. Kelly (A. Kirk & Co.) Antigonish. Read the Star's Want ad. columns. They may contain something of value to you.

STARVING INDIANS.

Whisky Peddlers Add to the Horrors of Nome. PORT TOWNSEND, Wn., Sept. 25.—According to reports from Nome, brought by the steamer Oregon, the Indians in that section are threatened with starvation. During the past few months about 500 natives have visited Nome, bringing furs to trade for supplies. As soon as their goods were disposed of, however, whisky peddlers got among them and they changed the proceeds of their sales for liquor. The Indians have again camped on the beach, generally in a drunken stupor, allowing the season to pass in which they could lay in supplies of fish for use during the winter period. Unless they are assisted by the government it is said suffering and starvation will surely follow. Destitute miners from outlying districts are arriving at Nome. The United States steamer Bear on August 31 landed 13 men at Nome. These men were found on the beach at Kotzebue Sound, penniless and out of supplies. They had for some months been depending on what fish they could catch and game they could shoot. This party joined the rush to Kotzebue in 1898 and have been there ever since. They report that during these years they failed to find more than a few colors of gold. The Nome banks estimate the output of gold for that district for the season at \$5,000,000, half a million more than last year. PORT TOWNSEND, Wn., Sept. 25.—The passengers returning on the steamer Oregon, report that the cable between St. Michael and Cape Nome is a failure. It has been ascertained that there are nine breaks, due mostly to ice. A surveying party has been in the field surveying a land route for a telegraph line.

MONCTON.

Burglars Get a Large haul at Middleton—Wedding Bells.

MONCTON, Sept. 25.—Scott H. Dickie's store at Middleton, Dorchester, was burglarized last night and goods to the value of seven hundred dollars taken away. The safe was not disturbed, but a large lot of clothing of different kinds, silks, tobaccos, etc., were taken, indicating that the thieves were preparing for a long, cold winter. Wagon tracks showed how the goods were taken away. Ex-convicts, a number of whom have been lingering about, are suspected, and officers are in pursuit. Miss Cora Cammon, formerly of the Western Union staff here, and R. Perry Dickson, of the Sumner company's establishment well known at the bride's house, River John, Pictou today. Miss Etzel Lockhart and Alfred Gorbell of the I. C. R. offices will be married here this evening.

FREDERICTON PERSONALS.

(Yesterday's Fredericton papers.) Misses Pauline and Blossom Baine of St. John, who have been visiting Miss Fannie Richards, Brunswick street, returned home by steamer Victoria this morning. Miss Maud Kelly returned to St. John this morning after a pleasant visit among friends in this city. Miss Ria Anderson has returned home after spending a fortnight very pleasantly with her friend, Mrs. Goddard, St. John. Rev. C. Campbell, of Centenary church, St. John, is spending the day here. Miss Pauline Biederman, of St. John, who has been visiting friends here, returned home by steamer this morning. Mrs. W. G. Scovill and son returned to St. John yesterday. The Mayor and Mrs. Crockett leave this afternoon upon a ten-day's trip. They will visit the Pan-American and also Toronto and Niagara before their return. Miss Helen Adam, of St. John, who spent the last two months in Scotland, arrived by steamer Megantic on Thursday last, and is at present visiting at Seaman's.

TODAY'S FUNERALS.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Bridget Flood took place today from her late residence, 25 Clarence street. At half-past two o'clock the body was taken to the cathedral of the Immaculate Conception, where the funeral service was conducted by the Rev. Fr. Coughlan, after which the body was taken for interment to the new Catholic cemetery. The pallbearers were Edward McDonald, Thomas Kitcham, Thomas McGlone, Duncan McInnis, James Lane and Edward Walsh. The body of the late Mrs. Needham, who died yesterday, in the Provincial Lunatic Asylum, was taken by this morning's train to Fredericton, where the funeral will take place this afternoon, Canon Roberts conducting the services. There was a large attendance this afternoon at the funeral of the late Thomas J. Sheffield, which took place at half-past two o'clock from his late residence, on the corner of Foundry lane and Paradise row. The usual services at the house and grave were conducted by the Rev. C. B. Kenrick, and interment was made in Cedar Hill cemetery. There were no pallbearers.

THE ROYAL TOUR.

The Duke and Duchess of Cornwall and York left Ottawa at noon yesterday for Winnipeg. The royal train is divided into two sections. Sir Wilfrid and Lady Laurier, Lady Minto, Major and Mrs. Maude, and the newspaper men went in the first section, and the royal party in the second. An immense crowd assembled to see them off.

SHOT TO DEATH.

Particulars of the Death of Claud Law at Canterbury Station.

CANTERBURY STATION, Sept. 24.—One of the saddest and most pathetic incidents in the history of this village occurred on the afternoon of Saturday, Sept. 22, about a mile from the station, near what is known as Estey Lake. About one o'clock p. m., a resident of the place, Mansfield Grant, by name, taking a Snider-Enfield rifle, started down the C. P. R. track toward the lake, for an afternoon's hunt. From the track he proceeded a short distance through the woods, to a brook flowing from the lake. Here he remained for some minutes. An old unfrequented highway road, now obstructed by fallen trees and alders, crosses this brook about forty feet from where the hunter halted. Shortly after Mr. Grant left the station another hunting party, consisting of John London, Chas. London, his little nephew and Claude Law, the thirteen-year-old son of James S. Law, all residents of the village, started toward the same lake, along the old road, which was Mr. Grant. When about fifty rods from the road the party separated, Mr. London and his nephew leaving the road, and Claude following it toward the lake in quest of ducks. About a minute after the separation Mr. London heard the report of a rifle, and some one shouting, "I'm shot." Hurrying to the spot, he found Mr. Grant crouching the body of the unfortunate little fellow, who was limp and lifeless. Grant says he heard the boy rustling through the trees, and thought that it was a deer; and that, under this false impression, he fired at the moving boughs and thus shot the boy. Monday forenoon an inquest was held, the above statements being chiefly based on evidence then brought forth. The jury brought in a verdict which, so far as the writer's knowledge goes, merely condemns the above narrative, adding that Mr. Grant should not have shot until he saw what he was aiming at. The remains of the poor boy were interred this morning in the cemetery near the village, and in sight of the school which he regularly attended, the school-children, led by their teachers, forming part of the sad procession.

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Rather Than Be Lynched for the Murder of His Sweetheart.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Sept. 25.—A special to the Times from Rome, Mo., says: Surrounded in a barn, but a few blocks from the scene of his crime, Prof. J. S. Crowell, who Monday night murdered his sweetheart, Miss Mollie Powell, a prominent young woman of this city, last night sent a bullet through his own heart, to prevent being lynched by a mob. Ever since the tragedy at the Powell home, Monday evening Crowwell had been hiding from a large posse of citizens and college students that ransacked buildings and searched almost every spot in the city. Crowwell was located last night in a barn near the centre of the town where he had been hiding probably since his flight from the Powell home. When discovered he ran to another barn near by and here stood at bay. Just as the attack was to be made the report of a pistol was heard inside the building, and when the pursuers broke in they found the murderer prone upon the floor. A bullet had pierced his heart.

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