Local and Other Matter.

ANNAPOLIS, S. S.
In the Municipal Council,
Special Session, 1888.

Pursuant to notice a Special Session of the Council of the Municipality of Annapolis convened at the Court House Annapolis Royal, on Tuesday the 11th day of September, 1888 at ten o' clock a. m.

All the Councillors of the said Municipality present, except Councillors Jacques and Ritchie.

The Warden explained the object to be the appointment of Local and General Assessors under Chap. 2, Local Acts, 1888.

Resolved, That the Council proceed to the appointment of Local Assessors.

Resolved, That the following be the Local Assessors for the Wards set opposite their respective names, viz:—

Ward
1 William Spinney, Robert Morse.
2 George Roach, Robie Morton.
3 Freeman Fitch, Leonard Elliott.
4 Charles B. Cornwall, J. Worden Beckwith.
5 John M. Troop, Andrew Walker.
6 John E. Bath, James E. Shaffner.
7 Fred W. Thorne, Sr., Gilbert F. Shaffner.
8 William C. Shaw, George Vroom.
9 Geo. W. Brown, John E. Berry.
10 William. W. Bailey, B. B. Hardwick.
11 Norman Longley, Chas Piggott.
12 Miles Chipman, Robert Longley.
13 Albert Oakes, Boyd McNayr.
14 Adelbert Thomas, John Lewis.
15 Norman Buckler, George Clarke.

Resolved, That the Council proceed to appoint General Assessors.

The following were appointed General Assessors for the County, viz.: B. Hardy Parker, Nicteaux; Robert E. FitzRandolph, Bridgetown; and Solomon Bowlby, Clementsport.

Resolved, That the Clerk notify each of the Assessors by Post Card of their appointment.

Ordered, That the Assessors hold their meetings at Bridgetown.

Minutes read and approved.

Adjourned *sine die*.

O. T. DANIELS,
Municipal Clerk.

A Letter From Boston.

MY DEAR EDITOR,—

In a recent issue you have given your readers a very clear interpretation of President Cleveland's last message to Congress and when the smoke of our political battle is cleared away retaliation soldiers will be very scarce. That our chief Executive has placed himself in a very undignified position cannot be denied and this attempt to gain political advantage has been at the sacrifice of much of the respect he had gained among many of his political opponents. Without entering into any discussion of the merits of the treaty it is plainly seen that if said treaty were just towards our people then Mr. Cleveland has been very inconsistent. But, as you have stated, the whole affair is one of politics and for political effect only. If, however, any kind of political warfare will bring the question before the people, thereby educating them to a better understanding of our relations with Canada the sooner we may expect that long hoped-for measure—reciprocity.

The clerk of the weather seems to be at considerable variance with our calender and has let loose all the dogs in Christendom, giving us one of the most disagreeable August dog-days of the season and with all the damp, sticky heat one wonders if some mistake has not been made in the division of our seasons. The railway stations, steamer wharfs and express wagons are crowded with the baggage of the runaways and to-morrow will see additional life in our deserted homes. Did you ever see the transformation scene that can be given in long rows of brick houses? For two long weary months I have seen from my window that heated mass of bricks across the street. The closed blinds, untidy steps and walks and neglected vines, reminding one of that Russian "City of Fairs." Occasionally to be sure a window here and there can be seen in the second story with curtain half drawn, one blind closed, the other left free to swing and slam in the summer breeze, and what a tell-tale thing is that window so unlike its lifeless neighbor, and how my sympathies go out to the poor deserted wretch whose hand is thrust so stealthily beneath the curtain to fasten back the blind. The tips of the fingers just touch the slats, and the blind slips beyond the hand, then comes the arm bared to the elbow and then the curtain flies to the ceiling and while I gaze on my heated neighbor I hear a faint swear, the bang of the blind and I know that my fellow sufferer has come home for the night. I truly sympathize with him for we are both "Summer-widowers," but to-morrow sees the end, and our bitter freedom is over for ten long happy months, and when in the evening I shall return to my home that row of brick houses will be on one broad grin to welcome me. Windows thrown open to light and air, blinds thrown back and fastened and the steps as bright and clean as brush and water can make them. My neighbor's boy will call to mine in one grand yell and we know that the summer vacation is over.

As is usual with us in July and August, business is very quiet but with the return of families, the preparation for school and the many changes that come with September, our merchants are looking forward to a busy season. Should no accident befall our promising grain crop we shall undoubtedly be able to supply a large share of the expected deficiency in the European grain market.

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Sept. 1st, 1888.

—Friday last the steamer New Brunswick took 272 passengers to Boston from Annapolis and Digby.

—Steamer Yarmouth arrived at Boston at 1 p. m. Sunday, with 275 passengers.

HALIFAX MARKETS.—The following quotations are dated Sept. 7th, and are furnished us by Messrs. Mumford Bros., Argyle St. Butter, choice dairy, per lb.,—to 19; butter in rolls, in boxes, per lb., —; eggs per doz., 16 to —; hams and bacon, per lb., 8 to 10; beef, quarters, 6 to 7; mutton, by carcass, 5 to 6; lamb, by carcass, 6 to —; veal, by carcass, 4; turkeys, $1.00 to $1.25; fowls and chickens, 45 to 50; Apples, bbl., $80 to $1.00; oats, bush., 50 to 55; hay, ton, $12.00 to 13.

—It looks now as if the Chignecto Ship Railway were soon to become an assured fact. The contract for building it has been signed in England, by Messrs. Dawson, Symes and Usher, contractors of wealth and position. One of the contractors has already arrived at Sackville, and the next steamer from England will bring the others. Ground will be broken for the work almost immediately.

—I have been sick with liver and kidney disease which brought on night sweats and general debility for over two years, most of the time was confined to my bed. A doctor attended me, but failed to cure me. After a while I tried many patent medicines that are recommended for the above diseases which failed also. By advice I procured and took three bottles of Dr. Norton's Dock Blood Purifier and it cured me. I now enjoy the best health I have enjoyed for twenty years.

MRS. S. D. MACOMBER.

Avondale, Hants Co. N. S.

New York, Aug. 30.—The *Times* prints the following from London: 'It now seems to be a fact that the old world needs from seventy to eighty million bushels of wheat more than the harvests of the year will produce. To put it in another way, countries which always have to buy wheat must this year buy some 370,000,000 bushels, while countries raising more than they consume will have about 295,000,000 to sell."

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Ontario is Not the Dominion.

There is a deal too much of the belief among men of small ideas in the west that Ontario comprises pretty nearly the whole Dominion. It is seldom expressed in an offensively open way, but an alleged newspaper printed in Bobcaygeon, of which Toronto is understood to be a suburb, blurts it out in the following fashion:

"Now let us just for a few moments talk "common sense. This is strictly between "you and this journal, and the post. "There is nobody listening. Well, for all "practical purpose Ontario is Canada. The "inhabitants of Quebec are foreigners; "the inhabitants of the Maritime Pro-"vinces are out in the Atlantic and we "never see them, and have not common "interest; whilst Manitoba has only a few "inhabitants and those are Yankees; the "the Northwest has no inhabitants worth "speaking of; and in British Columbia "there is as many inhabitants as there is "in the riding of Peterborough."

The *Bobcaygeon* editor happens to be an Englishman, who, to reach his present position beside the raging canal where he now stagnates, had to pass either through foreign territory or the provinces which he affects to despise. He should know that but for the maritime provinces there would be no Dominion; that we rescued old Canada from political chaos; that but for the maritime provinces, Quebec, with "its population of foreigners," would have still dominated Ontario as before, and the upper Canadians might have still been shrieking in vain for "rep. by pop." But for the maritime provinces President Cleveland's proposed retaliation would shut Ontario up without a railway outlet to the Atlantic; and but for the maritime provinces this blessed Dominion would never be known on the sea where we now rival the great commercial nations of the world. The *Bobcaygeon* man should take a few hours for the study of recent history and he would learn further that it was our fisheries that brought $4,000,000 to the federal treasury in a lump when the treasury was empty. He might also observe that it is the maritime province coal that Ontario must buy or freeze, and our iron and steel that must be looked to if its supply from the United States was cut off.

Ontario forsooth! Where man or woman never smelt a salt sea breeze in a life time, never saw a full rigged ship or an ocean steamer—where the fall wheat winter kills and the spring wheat dies in the drought; where the summer is so dry that they have to repeal the Scott Act, while the barges run aground in the canals; where the asylums cannot be built fast enough and they put lunatics in jail, with the *Babcaygeon* editor still at large—a pretty Dominion this would be if for practical purposes Ontario was all. Sing "Ontayreo Ontayreo," if you will, ye helpless islanders, but it is about time you learned that the maritime provinces make the Dominion what it is. Why, they have not yet got beyond the semi-barbarism of toll gates in Ontario. It is painful to think that we have been for twenty years associated with these people in confederation without having taught them something more than they now appear to know. Ontario, where they let the Yanks come in 1812, sack their capital and carry off the mace of their Barebones parliament for a trophy; where they couldn't get rid of the family compact or obtain responsible government without a rebellion; surely that is not the Canada of to-day! And yet they think up there in Bobcaygeon, and other small places like Toronto, that Ontario is the Dominion! Well, such ignorance would ridiculous if only it were not too pitiful.—*St. John Telegraph.*

A Thrilling Experience.

SYDNEY, C. B., AUG. 28.—Dr. McKay, M. P. P., while driving from Bridgeport to Reserve mines last night, during the storm, was struck by lightning and severely injured.

The North Sydney *Herald* gives the following particulars:—

The doctor in returning from Glace Bay that Monday evening wished to take in Gardiner mines, so accordingly proceeded by way of Bridgeport. Before reaching Gardiner he was called in from the road by a Mrs. Bryan to see a sick child. While there the storm became so violent that he waited for the shower to pass. The house door and windows were shut, and the doctor was watching his horse from one of the latter fearing the animal might take fright, leaning against the window casing when there came a crash and the following two hours are a blank to him, but from Mrs Bryan it was learned that all in the house became unconscious and it was nearly half an hour before she regained her senses. She then found that her house had been badly shattered, and had taken fire, and the doctor was, as she supposed, dead. However, alone and in the dark, she put out the fire that had caught her house and then turned to the man lying motionless on the floor. For two hours she applied such remedies as her knowledge of nursing suggested and there can be no doubt that to her perseverance was due the returning signs of life which at last rewarded her efforts. After a while complete consciousness returned but on attempting to rise the doctor found his lower limbs were paralyzed. Pain soon set in and became intense but by the morning he was able to get to his carriage and drive home. He was assisted into his house and to bed where he has since remained suffering most excruciating pain at times in his legs and back. He is convalescing. An examination of the house where the accident happened makes it appear almost incredible that all escaped alive. The lightning entered by the roof, split up seven posts and three rafters, tore things up generally and the window case against which the doctor was leaning, was split into matchwood. Of the two children in the house at the time, one was knocked out of Mrs. Bryan's arms and under the table, the other had its hair singed. They all soon recovered and have not suffered since. An examination of the doctor's clothing worn at the time, resulted in finding a small hole in size and shape like one made by a pistol ball, in the back of his overcoat collar. A similar one in the under coat collar a little lower down and a very small one in the vest collar still lower down. From this down the spine the skin was slightly burned, leaving a somewhat zig-zag shaped mark—thence down the leg scorching it slightly and to the foot there is also a burn. The shoe string was completely cut on this foot. One can hardly realize how a person could run such a narrow chance and yet escape alive, but this is a plain statement of facts.

ASBESTOS.—The Windsor *Tribune* says: We were shown this week by Mr. John A. McCallum, mining expert formerly of Halifax, but now of Clementsport, specimens of asbestos or cotton rock which has been lately discovered by Mr. McCallum at the latter place. Only boulders have so far been found but there is a good show for a lead from the fact that the boulders are very plenty. This is the first time that asbestos has been discovered in Nova Scotia and the discovery gives promise of being a very valuable one, the mineral being worth when got in leads of 6 inches wide $1.00 per pound. It is used for the manufacture of firemen's clothes, and other things where a fire proof material is needed as it absolutely resists the action of fire. Mr. McCallum also informs us that he has struck galena silver rich in the same locality, and they are now working 3 leads measuring respectively 3 feet, 6 feet and 10 inches. It is found in lime rock. The test shows from $50 to $300 per ton. Mr. W. C. Shaw is interested with Mr. McCallum in developing these mines.

THE ENGINE OF THE FUTURE.—The British Association for the Advancement of Science is in session at Bath. Sir Frederick Bramwell, the president, delivered an address, in which he said that he anticipated that steam engines would some day be seen only in museums as curiosities. Engines in the future would probably be worked by a condensable vapor made from petroleum.

Prompt Results.
"I was very sick with bowel complaint last summer. I tried other medicines but all was no use until I tried Dr. Fowler's Wild Strawberry. The next day I was like a different man." GEO. H. Peacock, Stroud, Ont.

General News.

A BIG BERRY BUSINESS.—T. A. Fisher, of Fort Fairfield, Me., has bought and shipped from Edmunston, 327 tons of strawberries, blueberries and raspberries this season, paying therefor the round sum of $30,000.

Ottawa, Sept, 10.—The imperial government sometime ago asked the Dominion authorities for information as to the condition of temperance legislation in Canada, and the various local governments have been asked to furnish copies of provincial statutes dealing with the liquor traffic.

—At Barrie, Ont., on Saturday, James Glennie, a 19 year old boy, received six of the twelve lashes he was sentenced to receive for committing an indecent assault on a girl aged six.

—Owing to the continued high price of raw sugar the market for refined has been steadily advancing during the past week. The refinery advanced the price of granulated one quarter of a cent per pound on Saturday.—*Chronicle.*

—A cablegram states that the *St. James Gazette* warns the Dominion Government that the difficulty between itself and the Government at Washington cannot be settled in the end by a judicious compromise.

—A Pennsylvania judge decided not long since that no legal marriage can be solemnized on Sunday; marriage being a civil contract, and therefore not lawful to be entered into on that day.

—Reports to the fisheries department shows that fourteen million salmon fry have been distributed from the Dominion hatcheries this year. Of this amount, three millions were supplied from Bedford and Sydney, and two and a half millions from the Miramichi, Restigouche and St. John river hatcheries.

Dennison, Ohio., Sept, 7.—Mrs. Anderson, wife of the Rev. T. W. Anderson, of Uhricksville, attempted to pass in front of a passenger train on the Pan Handle Railway last evening and was instantly killed. The tragedy was witnessed by the agonized husband and little son.

—The Toronto Globe's editorial on the passing of the retaliation bill says:' From the skulking conduct of the reptiliacans in the house it may be surmised that the senate will pass the measure, but we do not think that will happen. Surely public opinion in the states is not so degraded that the country can be carried into a course of wanton aggression by two sets of contemptible politicans competing for the hoodlum vote.'

—In two quarters of the world Great Britain is now engaged in actual warfare on a small scale. One of these is Zululand, where a battle was fought with Dinizulu, son of Cetewayo. The other scene of hostilities is on the northern border of India, where the Thibetans have crossed in hostile array, and a force of 3,000 men has been sent against them. Serious complications may result, as China claims the sovereignty of Thibet.

BUSINESS FAILURES.—*New York*, Aug, 31.—Dun, Wiman & Co.'s review of trade says:—The business failures occurring throughout the country last week number for the United States 202 and for Canada 24, or a total of 226, as compared with a total of 214 last week and 219 the week previous to the last. For the corresponding week of last year the figures were 199, made up of 175 in the United States and 24 in Canada. In August the failures reported in the United States numbered 972 against 777 last year.

COAST DEFENCES.—Ottawa, Sept. 3rd.—The imperial and Dominion governments purpose taking joint action with a view of strengthening the coast defences of British Columbia. The warship Caroline, now on the Pacific coast, has been ordered to harbor of San Juan, to make a survey, with a view of fortifying the place. Mr. Smith, deputy minister of marine, has gone to British Columbia to report upon the cost of making a harbor of refuge for war vessels at San Juan, which point, if properly fortified, will, it is claimed, command the entrance to the Puget Sound and straits of Fuca.

A FORTUNE COMES UNSOUGHT.—Miss Marie Rouleau, a young lady in the employ of J. A. Rolland & Son, Montreal, as a bookfolder, on a salary of $4 a week, has been informed that she been bequeathed over $50,000 by an uncle who died in New York last week. She will go there this week to take means to secure the legacy. She cannot understand English, and had never heard of a wealthy relative until a lawyer hunted her up and informed her of her good fortune. Her mother and brothers and sister are all poor and live in the poorest part of the French quarters in Montreal.

London, Sept.—The terribly mutilated body of a lewd woman was found this morning in a yard attached to a common lodging house in Spitalfields. Her throat was cut from ear to ear and the body was ripped open. This is the fourth murder of a similar character that has been committed recently in this neighborhood. All the victims were women of the lowest character. The author of the atrocities remains undiscovered and the excitement in the immediate vicinity borders on a panic.

Washington, Sept. 9.—President Cleveland's letter of acceptance of the democratic nomination was given to the press to night. It is a very lengthy document devoted mainly to a careful and thorough explanation and defense of the democratic plan of tariff reform as distinguished from the republican plan. The president argues for a reduction of revenue by placing raw materials on the free list, reducing duties somewhat on necessaries and to a less extent on whiskey and tobacco. He expresses the belief that such a revision of the tariff will not endanger the protection system, will increase manufactures by opening up new markets and furnishing free raw material and will greatly relieve the burdens of the laboring classes. Incidentally the president condemns trusts, and expresses the belief that the reduction of the tariff duties will furnish a remedy.

A SINGULARLY TERRIBLY DEATH.—*Chicago*, Sept. 5.—Louis Larsen, a workman for Crane Brothers, this morning crawled into an iron cylinder used for the piston of a hydraulic elevator to clean it. He took with him a lighted candle and built a fire of benzine. In a short time the cylinder was filled with inflammable gas. An explosion followed, and the man was enveloped in flames, which filled the entire cylinder. The workmen were attracted to the spot by his cries, but it was impossible to get at him, and enough water could not at once be procured to quench the flames. His companions were, therefore, compelled to stand helpless and listen to the burning man's cries until they were stilled by death.

THE CENTURY FOR SEPTEMBER.—An unfamiliar face greets the reader in the frontispiece of the September *Century*, that of Edward Thring, the late Head-Master of Uppingham Grammar School, England. This is a compliment paid to an educator pure and simple. Mr. Thring has been said to have been, since Arnold of Rugby, the most highly esteemed educator of England. George R. Parkin's illustrated article on Uppingham describes "an ancient school worked on modern ideas." The pictures are by Joseph Pennell and Irving R. Wiles. This is, in fact, an educational number of *The Century*. Other articles on this subject are 'The University and the Bible," by T. T. Munger; "Women who go to College," by Arthur Gilman; and a profusely illustrated paper on "College Fraternities," an "Open Letter" by President Seelye of Amherst on the same subject of "College Fraternities"; also an "Open Letter" on "Art Education," by W. J. Stillman, and two editorials having to do with teaching.

Among the other articles in this number are a continuation of the Life of Lincoln; George Kennan on "Exile by Administrative Process"; A. C. Gordon on "Hard Times in the Confederacy"; Professor Holden's concluding article on "Sidereal Astronomy", an illustrated article by Mrs. E. S. Starr on "Doves"; and "Bird Music," by S. P. Cheney, father of the poet.

Quite as Strange as Fiction.

What a romantic story of a real treasure island is that which the *Japan Weekly Mail* reports! Two millions sterling in doubloons, with no end of jewels and plate, cached somewhere in the Pacific by a piratical English lieutenant, who cut out the brig containing the treasure and stowed away his booty in a safe place on an unnamed island of the Marianne group. The pirates quarrelled; the lieutenant, two officers, and a cabin boy fired the ship and fled in a ship's boat. One of the officers was murdered before reaching land. The cabin boy was clapped into prison as a pirate. The lieutenant and the surviving officers chartered a schooner and went off for the treasure. The officer tipped the lieutenant overboard and then, being threatened with punishment unless he revealed the place of the treasure, the solitary survivor filled his pockets with lead and iron and dropped into the sea, leaving as the only clue a handful of his hair, plucked out in an effort to save him from drowning, and a chart, of the unnamed, unknown treasure island. The Spanish authorities hold the chart, the island holds the treasure, and an effort to discover it made by an English captain, who believes he has a clue to the secret, has just had a mysterious termination. The captain on landing to look for the treasure was deserted by his men, who carried off the ship. The whole story looks like a variant on Mr. Stephenson's story by some Japanese journalist of genius. But it may be true for all that, and, if so, we shall not have long to wait before hearing of a fresh expedition.—*Pall Mall Gazette.*

She was a Kisser.

Frederick Heinzman accused Sarah Kuckner in a New York police court the other day of kissing a double tooth out of his head. In proof of his statement he showed the resulting gap in the teeth of the lower jaw. The sceptical justice elicited this story from the blushing Miss Kuckner She was engaged to Heinzman, who continually complained that she was too indifferent. Sunday evening as they stood alone on a Fulton ferryboat, he reiterated this reproach. She at once threw her arms around his neck, placed her lips to his and kissed him until a loose double tooth came out. Heinzman said that he had Sarah arrested while in anger and would withdraw his charge. Thereupon the two lovers walked away arm in arm.

—Potter's Liniment, for sale at Palfrey's.

—This is the way in which Miss Edie I. Canning, a Maine girl came to write the popular song, 'Rock-a-bye Baby.' She was at Ocean Spray, a summer resort, and was swinging a child in a hammock on the piazza, when she began singing to it, improvising as she sang. The strain finally resolved itself into the nucleus of the 'Rock-a-bye" chorus. Afterwards, while traveling, Miss Canning thought out in a rough way the words which are associated with the tune. Subsequently she tried to play the tune on the banjo. Her teacher recognized the merit of the composition and advised her to have it published, which she did. The song at once became popular. Since then Miss Canning has composed several more and is at work upon an operetta which she hopes to make the most brilliant success of her life.

—An Ottawa despatch to the St. John *Globe* says: It is understood the minister of railways has under his consideration the propriety of going on with the construction of the missing link to connect the Windsor and Annapolis railway to Annapolis with the Western Counties railway at Digby. A subsidy supposed to be sufficient to build the link was voted last session, and the Western Counties railway with the assistance of this subsidy, attempted to float their bonds on the London market. This attempt having been unsuccessful it is now urged that the government should expend the subsidy and retain the constructed line.

Ottawa, Sept 6.—Mrs Grayburn, widow of an ex-official of the marine department, has taken an action for breach of promise against Rev. Marc Ami, pastor of a French Presbyterian congregation. The wedding was to have taken place last night. The church was filled with people, and the clergyman was on hand to officiate, but Rev. Mr. Ami never turned up, and this morning it was announced that he had left for Europe to spend the winter. Mr. Ami is a widower and his sons interfered to prevent the marriage. The affair has created a great sensation.

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Births.

MURDOCH.—At Bridgetown, on the 5th inst., the wife of Mr. John P. Murdoch, of a son.

Deaths.

CHESLEY.—At Bridgetown, on the 5th inst., Mr. Hanson Chesley aged 78 years.

BEALS.—At Middleton, August 29th, of congestion of the brain, Ethel M. Beals, infant daughter of Melbern and Ada Beals.

'Tis hard to break the tender cord
When love has bound the heart,
'Tis hard, so hard, to speak the word
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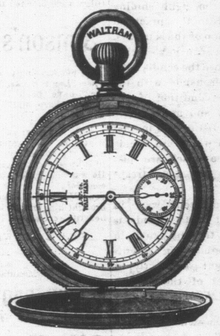

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