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WEATHER...Fine and cool tonight; winds westerly.

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ROBBERY THE CHARGE.

CONSIDERING CASE OF ALLEGED PICK-POCKETS.

Important Witnesses from St. John and Montreal...Government in Session...Wedding of Post Office Clerk.

Fredericton, N. B., Oct. 4.—(Special).—The October term of the York County Court opened this morning, Judge Wilson presiding. The attendance of barristers and spectators was large.

The most important case is that of the King vs. Charles J. Grant, John Williams and James Howard, charged with robbing visitors to the Champlain celebration while travelling on a C. P. R. train from St. John. Hon. H. A. McKeown and H. F. McLeod appeared for the defence and J. H. Barry and Fred R. Taylor for the prosecution.

In presenting the indictment his honor instructed the grand jury as to their duties. His charge was rather against the prisoners.

The only witnesses present were D. Russell, Jack and Jeremiah Shea, of St. John, and after hearing their story the grand jury adjourned until 2.30 o'clock. Some think it doubtful if a bill be found against the accused.

Baron DeHalewy of Ottawa and Prof. Ami of Ottawa important crown witnesses in the case, arrived at noon.

Other Cases.

John M. Scott vs. W. G. Hatch-Phinney and Crocket file record. Non jurys. Alex. Graham vs. Fawcett—J. D. Phinney files record. Sarah A. Long vs. Thomas Nodden—A. J. Gregory files record.

George Howland vs. T. W. Purvis—J. H. Barry files record. The civil docket is:—

Jury causes.

John MacPherson vs. Gilbert Smith and George Fulton.—J. H. Barry files record.

J. F. Vanbuskirk vs. Wesley Hickey—J. V. Magee files record.

Jas Vanbuskirk vs. Charles Nevers—Judgment was entered for deft on motion of Alex. W. Baird.

The local government met this morning with Messrs. Pugsley, Labillois and Sweeney in attendance. only business of a routine nature was transacted.

George H. McKee clerk in the post-office, and Miss Daveda Mamzer, adopted daughter of the late Rev. W. D. Manzer were married here this morning by Rev. J. H. McDonald. They left on a trip to St. John, Sussex and Moncton.

A party of I. C. R. officials composed J. E. Price, General Supt. Evan Price, Dist. Supt., and members of the audit staff are here on a tour of inspection of the newly acquired branch.

James Maxwell Supt. Phoenix Mill had two fingers taken off in a circular saw this morning.

MARRIES MONTREAL GIRL.

Son of Former Fredericton Clergyman to Wed This Evening...Will Leave For China.

Montreal, Oct. 4.—(Special).Miss Arminde Stevenson is to be married this evening to Rev. J. A. Mowatt, a son of Rev. Dr. Mowatt, pastor of Erskine Presbyterian church this city, and formerly of Fredericton, (N. B.).

The ceremony will be performed by Dr. Mowatt, assisted by Rev. Mr. Scott. After the marriage, Mr. and Mrs. Mowatt will leave for Winnipeg and North Dakota, en route to Vancouver, whence they will sail on October 31 for Honan, China where they will reside.

New Yorkers Buy a Volcano.

Mexico City, Oct. 4.—The final papers of the transfer of Popocatapetl has been signed by New York parties for the acquisition of the volcano and its immense sulphur deposits. General Gasper S. Ochoak a veteran Mexican officer, one of the principal owners of the property received $300-000 in gold and will be given 200.-000 shares in an American company which is to be organized with a capital of $5,000,000.

Stuffed Lists In Algoma.

Sault Ste Marie, Ont., Oct. 4.—(Special)—The revision of Appeals on voters' list for the unorganized portions of West Algoma was completed yesterday by Judge O'Connor and Police Magistrate Quibell.

On nine of the 22 bush polls the lists as made out by the enumerators were reduced from 542 to 255 or, more than half. On the whole nine lists only 17 names were those of settlers. All the rest were lumbermen.

LADY CURZON IMPROVING.

Walmer Castle, Oct. 4.—Lady Curzon continues to make good progress. Her mother, Mrs. L. Z. Leiter, of Chicago, who arrived yesterday, has been permitted to see her.

Village Destroyed.

St. Petersburg, Oct. 4:—The village of Glousk, in Southern Russia has been wiped out by fire. Five hundred families are without shelter or food and an appeal has been made to St. Petersburg for immediate help.

Bartholdi Dead.

Paris, Oct. 4:—Frederick Anguste Bartholdi, designer of the statue of liberty in New York harbor, died at 8 o'clock this morning.

GRAND TRUNK SHOULD GIVE MEN MORE REST.

Jury Suggests This...Brakeman 36 Hours on Duty though by own choice.

Woodstock, Ont., Oct. 4.—(Special).—After sitting nearly all night the jury investigating the wreck on the G. T. R. at Eastwood, where five trainmen were killed, returned a verdict which mentioned no man as being responsible. The jury, however, commented on the fact that the lights were shining false and asked that the Grand Trunk be compelled to see that its employees took more rest.

The evidence of the surviving trainmen was to the effect that the dead brakeman, Benedick, and the dead conductor, Fallis, of the way freight, were responsible for having left the switch open and so caused the collision. Two men who reached the scene of the wreck early testified that the switch fork containing the lamp was loose and caused the lights to show a clear track even when the switch was open.

The brakemen on the way freight said they had been on duty for 36 hours, although of their own choice.

USE MORE LIQUOR IN CANADA NOW.

Inland Revenue Report Shows Consumption of Spirits and Tobacco Increased.

Ottawa, Oct. 4.—(Special)—The annual report of the inland revenue department will show that Canadians are consuming more liquor and smoking more tobacco than in the past.

The consumption of spirits last fiscal year was 5,343,954 gallons, or 952 gallons a head of the population. This is the largest consumption on record since 1885. In that year it reached 1.126 gallons a head. The consumption in some years has fallen as low as 53 gallons a head, up to 1898 the average consumption of spirits a head per annum since 1869 was 97 gallons.

Last year the consumption of beer was 27,688,518 gallons, an average of 6.918 gallons a head of the population. The use of beer has been steadily on the increase since 1869. The consumption last year was the largest on record except in 1902 when it reached 5,102 gallons a head. The average since 1869 was 3,182 gallons.

The consumption of wines remains about the same .096 per head. The average quantity of tobacco used per head per year has been 2,178 lbs. for 35 years. Last year it reached 2,765, the largest on record.

JUDGE LANDRY FOR VICTORIA?

Said he will be Conservative Candidate there....Laurier's Campaign Dates.

Grand Falls, Oct. 4.—(Special.)—The latest political rumor is that Judge Landry will resign and be the liberal-conservative candidate for Victoria and Madawaska.

Toronto, Oct. 4.—(Special.)—The Globe announces that Sir Wilfrid Laurier will speak in Ontario at the following places:—Hamilton, Monday, October 10; Guelph, October 12; Toronto, October 14; Chatham, Saturday October 15; Lucknow, Monday, October 17; Orillia, October 19; Peterboro, October 20; Cornwall, October 21.

Political excitement runs high in Truro this afternoon. Hon. F. A. Laurence, nominated by the liberals sometime ago to oppose S. E. Gourley, M. P., asked a week to consider and has not yet given a reply. The town is crowded from all sections to hear Ministers Fielding and Emmerson speak tonight. It is thought Laurence must answer at the meeting tonight and that the answer will be favorable.

An important criminal case in the supreme court is to come up this week against S. G. A. Morrison, formerly magistrate of Londonderry, through alleged criminal negligence 62 conservatives were disfranchised.

NEW RAIL MILL AT SYDNEY, C. B.

The Work Is Being Rushed...A Strike Settled...Campaign Opens.

Sydney, N. S., Oct. 4.—(Special).—The Louisburg Club house was destroyed by fire last night. The building valued at $2,000 and was insured for $1,400. The foundation structure of the rail mill of the Dominion Iron and Steel Co. is completed, and installation of machinery is now going on as speedily as it can be delivered by the Cincinnati makers.

The strike of laborers employed on the ore pier of the Nova Scotia Steel Co., at North Sydney, has been settled. The men have gone to work on the cut which was from $1.38 to $1.30.

The political campaign opens in the south riding of Cape Breton tonight, when the liberals will hold a public meeting at Glace Bay and the conservatives at Sydney.

JURY DISAGREES IN THE J. J. HALL CASE.

Bank Had Brought Suit For Large Sum...Priest to Be Transferred From Grand Falls.

Grand Falls, N. B., Oct. 4.—(Special).—The jury in the case of Royal Bank Versus J. J. Hall, where the bank sued to recover $12,588.30 disagreed and the circuit court adjourned sine die.

It is reported that Rev. M. A. O'Keefe, Catholic priest here for the past ten years, will preach his farewell sermon next Sunday. He expects to be transferred to a parish in the vicinity of Chatham and Father Joyner has it is said, been appointed to succeed him in the pastorate. General regret is expressed at Father O'Keefe's expected departure.

Thomas Lawson judge of probate pro hac vice will hold a session of the probate court in Andover this afternoon William Pirie a creditor has petitioned for letters of administration in the estate of William Forbes deceased J. J. Gallagher is proctor for the petitioner and W. Fred Kerston for the next of kin.

S. S. Rubins of St. John has opened a gentlemen's furnishing and dry goods store in the Esty building Broadway.

Wm. McIntyre, J. D. Palmer, A. G. Golding, W. Hatfield, P. L. Onsman and E. W. Sealy, St. John registered at Curless Hotel today.

WED DAUGHTER OF LORD MOUNT STEPHEN.

Son of a Halifax Woman Married at Montreal Today.

Montreal, Oct. 4.—(Special— In St. Mathews Church to-day Miss Kathleen Stephen, niece of Lord Mount Stephen was married to Frederick William D. Moore of the Bank of Montreal here, and son of Mrs. J. J. Moore of Halifax. After a reception at the home of the bride the happy couple left for New York.

Amherst Fire.

Amherst, N. S., Oct. 4:—(Special)—Fire this morning seriously damaged the large building in Havelock street occupied by Archibald and Chisholm as a feed livery stable. The building, which is owned by Robert Pugsley, was uninsured. The horses and equipment were all removed.

BRODEUR IN MONTREAL

Montreal, Oct. 4.—(Special).—Hon. L. P. Brodeur, Minister of Inland Revenue, has established his headquarters in Montreal and will not return to Ottawa during the campaign. He will accompany Sir Wilfrid Laurier on his visit to Ontario from the 9th to the 15th of this month.

C. M. A's President.

Toronto, Oct. 4.—(Special).—Mr. W. J. George, was yesterday made the recipient by his employees of the Standard Silver Company and of Simpson, Hall, Miller & Co., of this city, of a handsome illuminated address, congratulating him on attaining the presidency of the Canadian Manufacturers' Association, Mr. George made a fitting reply to the address.

Canon Oulette Dead.

St. Hyacinthe, Ont., Oct. 4.—(Special).—Canon Oulette, superior of the Seminary of St. Hyacinthe died suddenly early today. He was in his usual health yesterday but was taken ill about midnight and died an hour and a half later. Syncope is given as the cause.

Canon Oulette was elected superior of the Seminary for the fifth time last June. He was in his 74th year.

GREETINGS TO ALMA MATER.

Jubilee of Mt. Allison Ladies' College Finds Many Former Students Present.

Sackville, N. B., Oct. 4.—(Special).—The Jubilee celebration of Mt. Allison Ladies' college will open at 4.30 o'clock this afternoon with an informal reception and 5 o'clock tea in the Owens Art Gallery.

Quite a number of guests have arrived, among them Mrs. Edward Hart, New York, (Harriet Frances Cunningham); one of the students of the first year; Mrs. J. Colter, Mrs. A. P. Crocker (Alma Gibson), Fredericton; Mrs. Turnbull, nee Titus, Yarmouth; Mrs. H. Weatherspoon, (Susan Mills), Granville Ferry; Mrs. Willard Clarke (Annie Marshall), Bear River, Mrs. Adelia McDonald, Antigonish, Mrs. Lydia Killam, Yarmouth.

Telegrams and cablegrams are coming in from old students, who are unable to be present. Among those whose greetings have so far been received are: Mrs. Keating, Toronto; (Mary Blanchard, Truro); Mrs. O'Neil, Glasgow, Scotland; Mrs. Woodbury (Jessie Troop); Mrs. Humbert (Blanche Kennedy), Niagara Falls; Mrs. Boyle, Carbonear, Nfld; (Sophie Maddock).

About 250 old students are expected to be present.

BIG CROWDS AT SUSSEX.

FROM EAST AND WEST MANY ARRIVE FOR THE EXHIBITION.

Hotel Accommodations Taxed and Restaurant Does Big Business...Results of Judging of Art Exhibits.

Sussex, N. B., Oct. 4.—(Special)—The second day of the Sussex exhibition was marked by very fine weather. Large crowds came into the town from St. John both on the special and the regular trains. These with the people who came from Moncton way, taxed the hotel accommodations to their utmost and the restuarant at the exhibition building, run by the ladies of the Methodist Church, did an immense business. The races which will be called at 2 o'clock promise to be of the usual interest.

The paintings and drawings were judged this morning by John C. Miles R. C. A. Speaking of the exhibit Mr. Miles said it was highly creditable one and showed painstaking effort on the part of Miss Howes, the teacher, as well as great aptitude in the pupils and as a whole was distinctly superior to the display in St. John exhibition.

The prize winners were:—

Oil painting in frame:—1st Mrs. F. G. Lansdowne; 2nd—Mrs. Charles Short.

Best art collection:—1st—Mrs. Charles Short; 2nd—Miss Lottie Maggs.

Model drawing from natural objects 1st—Gertrude Dole; 2nd—Grace Aiton; 3rd—Wilfred Hazen.

Crayon drawing from the flat—1st—Gertrude Dole; 2nd—Grace Aiton; 3rd—Annie Huestis.

China painting:—1st—Mrs. Daly; Miss Howes has a number of oil paintings and enlargements from photographs which are very creditable indeed.

WEDDED AT CHATHAM.

Nuptials of Popular Couple in St Luke's Church...Generous Check as Wedding Gift.

Chatham, N. B., Oct. 4.—(Special)—One of Chatham's most esteemed young ladies, Miss Susan Whittaker, daughter of James Nicol, and James King were married in St. Luke's church this afternoon by Rev. James Strothard. The bride wore an elegant suit of green broadcloth and large velvet hat of the same shade. Her sister, Miss Mamie Nicol was bridesmaid and wore navy blue voile, and champagne colored hat. The groom was supported by his brother William King of Marysville. The church was beautifully decorated. Over the organ were the words "Nicol, King" in large letters formed of leaves and berries and an immense bell of moss and berries hung just above where the contracting parties stood.

As the bride walked up the aisle with her father the choir sang "The voice that breathes o'er Eden." Miss Josephine Strothard presided at the organ and played the wedding march. There were no invited guests but many friends witnessed the ceremony.

Mr. and Mrs. King left for Winnipeg where Mr. King has been appointed to a lucrative position.

They have the kindest wishes of innumerable friends who regret their removal from Chatham. Among other valuable gifts the bride received a check for $1,000 from her father and a morocco travelling case from St. Luke's congregation and choir of which she was organist, and choir leader.

Montreal Postmaster Dead.

Montreal, Oct. 4.—(Special).—Clephas Beausoleil, postmaster of Montreal, died this morning after a protracted illness. He represented Berthier in the commons for some years after the general election of 1888. Prior to that he was prominent in public affairs of this city having been an alderman for several years. He was called to the bar in 1880, prior to which he occupied a prominent place in the French Canadian journalism. He was a law partner of Honore Mercier. He was born at St. Felix de Valois in 1845.

I. C. R. Conductor no More.

Moncton, N. B. Oct. 4.—(Special).—The death of Lewis Hicks, I. C. R. conductor, occurred at his home here last evening. He has been ill for some months and death was due to aneurism. He was about forty years old and leaves a widow. He has been on the I. C. R. for twenty years.

A DISTINGUISHED VISITOR.

Montreal, Oct. 4.—(Special)—A distinguished visitor in the person of Marcom Count Von Ballestrem, son of the President of the German Reichstag is in the city today. He is on his way home to Germany after an extended tour of Canada and the United States.

WAS A TRURO MAN.

Truro, N. S., Oct. 4.—(Special)—A Winnipeg telegram says it was Guy Hawkins, son of John Hawkins of Truro, who fell into a thresher at Carievale, N. W. T. and was badly hurt.

Payne's Condition Grave.

Washington, Oct. 4.—After a consultation the physicians attending U S. Postmaster Payne issued the following bulletin at 9.30 a. m. "The postmaster general has again rallied. Heart action very feeble. Condition grave."

"PAPA, LET ME OUT," CRIED BURNING NEGRO BOY.

Negro "Voodoo" Doctor Burns Down His House with Son a Prisoner Within.

Norfolk, Va., Oct. 4.—Haywood Lenaire, a negro "voodoo" doctor, set fire to his house, and ,unheeding the appeals of his 10 year old son, sprang through a window and left his child to perish in the flames and fled. Lenaire was arrested later and committed to jail to await examination. The negro made no statement whatever concerning his crime or motive.

Lenaire has lived for many years in the house that he destroyed, it being his property. His house contained many firearms and one of his practices was to fire his rifle down the well at midnight and early in the morning hours.

The neighbors aroused by the bright glare of the fire, reached the scene in time to see Lenaire spring through the window make his escape to the road, down which he ran, with the cries of "Papa let me out" ringing from the son in the house. The fire had gained such headway that soon the building was a mass of ashes. As soon as possible a search was made for the remains of the child and his blackened body, burned to a crisp was found in one corner.

HAMILTON MEN.

They're Objecting to the New Customs Regulations.

Hamilton, Ont. Oct. 4.—(Special)—At a meeting of the board of trade yesterday a committee was appointed to gather information about changes in the Canadian customs regulations which went into effect October 1. Some members feared the regulations would operate against Canadian importers.

A regulation to which objection is made is that which requires that invoices be furnished in triplicate. The opinion was expressed that rather than bother with such red tape some of the English manufacturers and wholesale houses would cease doing business with Canadian firms.

YOUNGHUSBAND'S MEN SUFFERING.

Lhassa Expedition Undergoing Hardships on March to India.

London, Oct. 4.— Despatches from the Lhassa expedition state that the Chinese Amban signed the Anglo-Thibetan treaty without having received the necessary permission from the Chinese government.

The expedition, these advices say, is undergoing great hardships in its march towards India.

Ernest Friars who keeps a saloon on Mill street has been reported for keeping open after midnight on Saturday and allowing games of chance to be carried on in his saloon.

BRUSH OF JAP SCOUTS WITH ENEMY'S HORSE.

No Change at Japanese Army Front...Story of Attempted Assassination of Czar Denied.

Tokio, Oct. 4.—4 p. m.—The following official report has been issued; "The Manchurian headquarters reports by telegraph that a body of scouts sent by our advance detachment on Oct. 2, consisting of a company of infantry and a troop of cavalry, attacked and routed a detachment of the enemy's cavalry sixty strong, occupying Pac Sing Tan, thirteen miles north of Liao Yang and nine miles west of the Mukden road. While further reconnoitring in the vicinity, a force of Russian cavalry 230 strong, attacked the Japanese scouts. After fighting for some time the Japanese returned. The enemy's loss was about 30. We sustained no casualties. The state of affairs at the front of our army remains unchanged."

St. Petersburg, Oct. 4.—The authorities of the police department absolute denial of the story published in Vienna on the authority of Polish newspapers that an attempt was made to blow up the train on which Emperor Nicholas was travelling during his recent visit to Southern Russia.

Pekin, Oct. 4:—Further information regarding the unrest in the northwestern part of Shan Tung province is of a reassuring nature. The British legation is of the opinion that there is no cause for anxiety.

New York, Oct. 4:—Two hundred and twenty-two miles of the Seoul. Fusan railway has been laid, leaving 50 miles for completion, says a Times despatch from Tokio. The Seoul-Wi Ju railway is progressing rapidly as also is the Decoliville from Ku Lin Cheng to Fen Wang Cheng, whence it will be prolonged next spring to Liao Yang.

Montreal Bank Clearings.

Montreal, Oct. 4.—(Special).—Bank clearings in Montreal for September were $87,948,554 compared with $83,783,000 for the corresponding month in 1903. This is an increase this year of $4,165,000. This is the second time this year that the figures have exceeded those of last year. The September figures are somewhat below those of June, July and August which showed clearings of eighty to eighty-nine millions.

For the nine months to date the total clearings are still $87,795,000 behind those of a year ago.

FOR THE CHAMPIONSHIP.

New York, Oct. 4.—President Gordon of the New York American league baseball club has issued a formal challenge for a series of seven games between the American and National leagues for the championship of the world. The challenge contains the proviso that its effectiveness shall depend upon the New York American league team winning the pennant.

Jockey Fatally Hurt.

Rostoff, on the Don, Russia, Oct. 4.—The American Jockey "Joe" Piggott has been fatally injured in the races here.

The Weather.

Washington, Oct. 4.—Eastern States and Northern New York—Fair tonight, warmer in west portion; Wednesday, fair on the coast, showers in the interior, with rising temperature; light variable winds, becoming fresh south.

Moderate—South westerly; fine and cool; Wednesday, increasing westerly winds, fair.

A telephone message to the Times announces that there will be a boat race at 6.20 o'clock this evening between two aspiring young oarsmen, from Water street, west end, across to Warner's mill and back again. The rivals are Walter Craft and S. Elkin.

England and France.

Montreal, Que., Oct. 4.—(Special.)—Monseigneur Cockery, Finance Minister of the French Republic, reached the city today from Quebec. The minister, who is accompanied by his son and secretary has been at the St Louis Exposition, attending the international parliamentary congress there. He says that the rapproachment between France and England is viewed with much favor by the working classes of the Republic. He goes to Ottawa from here.

Government Wins.

Toronto, Oct. 4.—(Special)— Judgmen was given by Justice Meredith this morning dismissing the application made on behalf of A. C. Boyce, conservative candidate in West Agoma, to stop enumerator Jas. Stevenson from making the voters list for that constituency under an order in council of the Dominion government.

The Mutual Reserve.

Ottawa, Ont. Oct. 4.—(Special)—The Mutual Reserve Life Fund Association is applying to the supreme court of Canada to have its case re-argued. This is on account of the recent decision in the House of Lords in the Mutual Reserve and Foster.

The supreme court met today and proceeded with the Quebec list.

The Peace Conference.

Boston, Oct. 4.—Robert Treat Paine, of Boston was today elected president of the International peace congress, Benjamin F. Trueblood of Boston, was chosen secretary.

Lady Curzon Not So Well.

Walmer Castle, Oct. 4.—The morning bulletin announcing Lady Curzon's condition says "Her ladyship passed a disturbed night and is not quite so well today in consequence."

UNCLE SAM'S OPPORTUNITY.

Flood Changes Boundary River Course and Big Land Tract is in Doubt.

New York, Oct. 4.—A despatch to Tribune from Ausin, Texas, says: "It is stated by engineers who have investigated that the new channel of the Rio Grande through the Arroyo Colorado, will probably become the permanent outlet of that stream to the sea, as the volume of water now flowing down the Arroyo is greater than that which is passing down its main channel

This change in the course of the river which marks the boundary between Texas and Mexico means that a territory aggregating more than 600,000 acres of cultivated land is placed on the side of the river and that the question whether it now belongs to Mexico or the United States will have to be determined by the international water boundary commission.

The mouth of the Arroyo Colorado is now about 25 miles north of the old channel.

CAN'T SLEEP ON DUTY.

JUDGE RULES AGAINST OVERWORKED RAILWAY MEN.

Holds Trainmen Responsible for Disaster though Twenty-two Hours without Sleep...Should lose job first.

Morristown, N. J., Oct. 4.—Judge Swartz in the county court has refused to affirm a point in law that when a railroad employee falls asleep from physical weakness, from illness or from weariness from long hours of steady employment, and an accident happens, the employee should be acquitted.

The case was that of John F. Fleischutt an engineer on a Pensylvania Railroad freight train. The freight train and a passenger train collided near Poystown last August, two persons were killed and a dozen injured. The crew of the freight train were held by the coroner's jury for criminal negligence.

Fleischutt was the first to be tried. It was testified by the fireman that the freight train had been ordered to wait on a siding until four trains had passed. He said the crew had been on duty 22 hours and that while waiting for the trains to pass had fallen asleep. Before the passenger train had passed the men awoke and thinking that the fourth train had gone by, the freight train was taken from the siding.

Before the case went to the jury Fleischutt's attorney made the point above stated. In refusing to affirm it Judge Swartz held that no man had a right to work on a railroad unless in fine physical condition and if he fell asleep no matter from what cause he should discontinue work even though he should loss his position rather than jeopardize human life by continuing on duty. Fleischutt was convicted.

PERSONALS.

Mrs. Col. H. Montgomery Campbell of Apohaqui accompanied by her sister Miss Constance Winslow arrived in the city today on the Maritime Express.

Mrs. George Davidson wife of the Station master at Anagance arrived in town today on the Maritime Express.

Mrs. John S. Harrington of Norton arrived in the city today.

Rev. Mr. Golmer rector of Woodstock N. B., is in town today attending meetings of the Synod Diocesan committees.

His Lordship Bishop Kingdon and Mrs Kingdon, arrived from Fredericton today on the Atlantic express.

S. Chase Casgrain and E. F. Clarke left this morning on the Montreal Express.

Marine Notes.

The tug Lord Kitchener, after her return from Parrsboro, N. S. will go to Boston and tow a 1500 ton barge loaded with tar and pitch to Halifax and will remain at that place until she is discharged and tow her back to Boston.

The bark Pharos, Captain Tonkins which has been lying at anchor at Partridge Island for the past ten days sailed last night for Melbourne, Australia with her cargo of dry lumber.

REPORTS, DISASTERS, ETC.

Digby, Oct. 3.—News of two wrecks reached Digby from Point Prim this morning. The first was the lumbering schooner Mile, 99 tons, bound from Digby for Sydney. She mistayed and went ashore on the east side of Digby Gut. Tug Marina went to her assistance and succeeded in floating her and bringing her to Digby where the vessel's bottom will be examined before proceeding on her voyage.

Later the Liverpool, N. S., schooner Donzella, also 99 tons, bound from Annapolis, went ashore in almost the same place. Tug Mariana left here at 11.30 to go to her assistance.

Steamer Elk, Capt. Fox, is due today from New York, to load apples at Annapolis for London, England.

Schooner W. Parnell O'Harra, Captain Wm. Snow, sailed today for the fishery grounds, after being thoroughly overhauled at the Racquette.

Savannah, Oct. 2.—Tug Wm. F. McCauley, reports 50 miles off shore fell in with schr Marie Palmer, from Savannah for Philadelphia leaking badly and practically waterlogged and with deck cargo shifted. Tug assisted in pumping out vessel and when she left the crew were engaged in stopping the leak and rearranging deck cargo; would probably proceed tomorrow.

London Oct. 1.—While loading today at Tyne Dock, for San Francisco, bark Springbank had a lifeboat smashed and decks extensively damaged part of the hoisting gear having broken.

Mrs. Fred Bagneil of 45 Erin street laid information against her husband for assaulting her in her home today. She has not been living with him for sometime and says that for seven years she was unaware of his real name, and thought that he had been known of late as Alfred Walpole. The case will be heard tomorrow at ten o'clock.

SIDE LIGHTS ON MYTHOLOGY.

Pegasus was boasting to the other horses. "I have carried the great poets," he said, "while you draw the wagons and carriages of every one."

"I suppose," sneered Bucephalus, "you draw none but literary hacks."

Which showed considerable horse sense at that.—Chicago Journal.

HARD LUCK.

"Yes," said Henpeck, "Dundreary called to see us a few days ago and I wish to goodness he hadn't."

"Why?" inquired Askum.

"Why, our baby took such a fancy to his idiotic side whiskers pulling and tugging at 'em, that my wife insists upon my raising the same kind."—Philadelphia Press.

FARMER'S LUCK.

"Did you ever buy a gold brick?"

"Yes," answered Farmer Corntassel. "I did once, but I turned right round an' sold it at a profit before I discovered it wa'n't genuine."—Washington Star.