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May 13.-Moosehead n opend today. A sportsmen were on first fishing of the onstantly during the

## ST. JOHN SEMI-WEEKLY SUN

# FOUGHT TO THE DEATH ON CARTWRIGHT OFFERS PLAN

In Love With the Same Girl, Two Young Men of Should Have More Power and be More Equally Divided Church of England Minister Nipigon, Ont., Engaged in Hand to Hand Struggle After Paddling Out Into Lake --- Fisherman and Daughter Watched Combat.

sult of a feud which had its inception in Nipigon, a small town sixty miles strong and Isadore Bouchard, formerin Helen Lake on the north shore of combat, capsizing the craft. Undaunt- sessed. ed, they climbed to the top of the up-

(Special to the Sun.)

FORT WILLIAM, May 7—As the regon last Monday Armstrong publicly threatened Bouchard, notwithstanding that on the day following they left for east of Fort William, W. A. Arm- the north with a party of surveyors. They proceeded about five miles, ly employed on the projected line of the transcontinental railway, are dead companions and returned to Nipigon, where they called on the woman they Lake Superior. Armstrong and Bou-chard were drowned last Tuesday and ing the two men put off in a canoe, ostheir deaths were without exception tensibly to rejoin the surveyors, and it the most tragic that ever occurred in this district. While in a canoe half a mile from shore the men engaged in a fighting with all the strength they pos-

A fisherman and his daughter stand turned cance and engaged in a hand ing on the shore-half a mile away were to hand struggle lasting nearly thirty the only ones to witness the death minutes, when, their strength spent, struggle. Bouchard was first to go they slipped into the water and sank. down. A minute later Armstrong ne weeks ago Armstrong and Bou- toppled from the canoe and disappear chard became involved in a quarrel ed from view. Their bodies have not over a girl, and ever since "bad blood" been recovered.

### GRADUATING CLASS NUMBERS 31: U. N. B. FINAL EXAMINATIONS ON.

3 p. m.—Distribution of medals, prizes

4 p. m.-Valedictory address by Edmund H. Cochrane.

A. Wilmer Duff, D. Sc., Polytechnic In-The graduating class number thirtyone, and include twenty-eight males al Military College. Capt. Nagle will and three females. The personnel of command the depot until Lt. Col. Chin-

(Special to the Sun.)

FREDERICTON, May 17.—The encounts of the university will be held in the college library on Thursday, May 31st, comencing at 2.30 o'clock. The senant and faculty have arranged the programme as follows:

10 a. m.—Meeting of the senate.
11 a. m.—Inspection of the equipment of departments in the new Engineering and Physics building.
2 p. m.—Academical procession formed in Dr. Bailey's lecture room.
2.30 p. m.—Chair taken by his honor the lieutenant governor. Address in 2.30 p. m.—Chair taken by his honor the lieutenant governor. Address in praise of the founders by Prof. Macson, Robert K. Winslow, Carey P.

3 p. m.—Distribution of medals, prizes The honorary degrees of LL D. will and honor certificates, and conferring be conferred on Prof, Roberts and Bliss Carman and that of M. A. upon Samuel Kain of St. John. The regular examinations begin tomorrow and will close

4.20 p. m.-Alumni oration by Prof. on the 29th. evening for Kingston, Ont., to take an examination for promotion at the Roy-

#### NO HOPE HELD OUT FOR MISSING CHILDREN

SACKVILLE, N. B., May 17 .- No Mr. and Mrs. Creamer of Bayfield. Westmorland county, who so mysteriously disappeared Sunday night, and all hope has been abandoned. Neednearly crazed with grief. Men and women, practically all the neighbors for miles around, have kept up a con-

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., May 17.—Seth
Ward of Texas was elected bishop today on the third ballet.

It was claimed Mr. Burrows, a liberal member, had 177 square miles out of
the 5,000 it is propose dto reserve. The

#### YESTERDAY'S PROCEEDINGS

(Special to the Sun.) OTTAWA, May 17.-In the house the third reading was given a bill authorits of the little children of izing the government to refer to the supreme court for opinion, questions of law and fact. Third reading was given an exchequer amendment respect-ing the crown's right of appeal. The minister of marine moved a resolution authorizing the governor in council to advance to the harbor commission \$150,000 to complete the deep water wharf at the Louise embankment.



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# TOP OF OVERTURNED CANOE FOR REFORM OF SENATE

--- Provinces Should Choose 48 Members and Government 24 — Commons and Whole Political System Needs Reform.

(Special to the Sun.) OTTAWA, Ont., May 17.-The sen- change in the population by death and ate furnished the feature of today's ly spent a great deal of time and thought. He advised the reform of the whole political system, both house

The charges against the senate, he said, were varied, but the chief complaints were that the senate was an expensive and not altogether necessary body. A careful examination, Sir Richard thought, might show that there were other parts of the constitutional machinery that stood as much in need of oiling and repairing as did the

affirm that whatever the senate's capacity for good was there was no doubt ing had experience in a governmen with a hostile senate majority against im, he could testify as to this. The uestion of senate reform was largely icademic. That was the way in which he had proposed to discuss it. He wanted it understood that he was speaking not for the government, but for himself, and that he reserved the right to change or modify the opinion that he was about to utter. It was a frankly.

THE SE TATE'S USES.

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the senate was that it was a place for ing. There was also another feeling the representation of certain, bodies growing that he did not like to see. that were not able to obtain proper representation in the lower house. The than the other, that neither was as Ontario Roman Catholics were an il- good as it should be, which meant that lustration of this. They had only six both were worse than they ought to be. representatives in the commons. A He declared that politics, like religion. of the population were able to elect only a thirteenth of the represent- one of the meanest trades. He con-

HOW TO REFORM IT.

The question involved in the motion was two-fold. In the first place did the senate need reforming. In the sec place how should it be reformed. There was no doubt the liberals favored sen-ate reform. Since confederation the liberals had been in power for fifteen years, and during ten of those fifteen years they had been embarrassed by an adverse majority in the senate When the liberals came to power in 1896 they had one of the twenty-four sena-tors from Ontario, two of the twenty-four from Quebec and one of the eigh-teen from Nova Scotla. That was an

When the conservatives came to power, unless there were some change made in the senate, they would find themselves in the same position as the liberals had. Sir Richard said that his reading. belief was that each party should have an adequate representation in the sen-

SHOULD HAVE MORE POWER. If it was to reach proper usefulnes the senate should have a certain por tion of the legislative work assigned to it and it should have more power. siderable, the practical power was small. If the age limit was changed | Nature. it should be changed in both directions. If eighty was too old for senatorial senatorial discretion. As to the reform in the character of the representation, Sir Richard thought that at least a third of the membership should be men who had experience as cabinet go with it, some raw or cooked fruit, ministers in either government as lieutenant governors, as provincial pre- wheat bread, and not more than one miers, as judges, and if these sources cup of Postum Food Coffee, to be did not furnish enough men, from the "food cure" is the method intended by ters. They are James, Ezekiel and membership of the house of commons.

These men should be enforced with a Let one meal in the day consist of special legal element. He could see no an abundance of good meat, potato, John Reid of Lorneville, N. B. and reason why the senate should not be and one other vegetable.

SUSPENSORY POWERS.

He recommended that suspensory powers be given the senate so that bills which came down from the commons late in the session could be taken up by the senate the following session. As a limit to this power he would advise that where the house passes a measure three times, the senate would be compelled to pass it. The senate was not constituted to thwart the will of the people, but to find and give ex-pression to it. The house of commons does not always represent the people.

change of conditions and of opinions left the house hardly representative of parliamentary proceedings. Sir Rich- the country. At such time the power ard Cartwright made a speech on the of suspension in the senate might preparation of which he had evident- prove useful. It would give the people the opportunity to express at the polls their opinion of the measure.

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TO EQUALIZE PARTY REPRESEN-

He thought the remedy for failure to give the minority proper representation in the house might be found in grouping constituencies and having what were now three, four or five constituencies return representatives applying the principle of one man, one rote to the groups. Sir Richard had been forty years in public life, but did not think conditions had improved or that they would improve until there the steamer Victoria was compelled to was a fair representation of both parties on both floors of parliament. The best political system would not bring prosperity unless accompanied by a modicum of patriotism and intelligence. He would not advise a violent change in the political system. A beginning might be made with the senate and then the reforms could be extended to the house.

CHOOSING SENATORS.

The senate was the protection of the smaller provinces against the majorities of the larger provinces in the house. The consert of the smaller provinces would have to be obtained to any change in the constitution senate as he proposed would be chosen by the maritime provinces, twelve for Outsto, twelve for Quebec, twelve a very active liberal, and a wife and be very active liberal, and a wife and a good and faithful or ficer, discharging his duties in a way that gave general satisfaction. He was a very active liberal, and a good and faithful or ficer, discharging his duties in a way that gave general satisfaction. He was a very active liberal, and a good and faithful or ficer, discharging his duties in a way that gave general satisfaction. He was a very active liberal, and a work in the constitution of the majorities of the larger provinces in the formation or ficer, discharging his duties in a way that gave general satisfaction. He was a very active liberal, and a work in the majorities of the west, and twenty-four to be appointed by the federal government.

This would give a house of 72. Such a several children survive.

a change. There was no doubt there Another reason for the retention of was a hostile feeling to the senate grow-This was that one side was no better was one of the ablest professions or cluded by advising both parties to set themselves to solving the existing dif-

Senator Ferguson adjourned the de-Mr. Speaker Dandurand read a letter from Mr. Justice Sedgewick, in which he affirmed that the report he had insisted on sitting on the throne when giving assent to bills as deputy governor was incorrect. Justice Sedgewick said he was willing to accept whatever arrangement the senate thought proper for the deputy governor. He was supported by Senator Lougheed.

The secretary of state introduced a bill regarding the manufacture of arti-cles of gold and silver. It fixes standards of fineness and marks which shall

A FINE MENU One That Can be Used in "Food

A man may try all sorts of drugs to help him to get well, but, after all, the

"food cure" is the method intended by Anyone can prove the efficacy of the or twenty days:

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the lost tissue which is destroyed every day and must be made up, or disease f some sort enters in. This is an age of specialists, and the above suggestions are given by a specialist in food

NORTH SYDNEY, May 17.-The American fishing schooner Raymah, which was seized off Cape George by the cruiser Canada, was released on bonds this afternoon.

values, dietetics and hygiene.

### CELEBRATE 50TH ANNIVERSARY.

Sub-Dean's Long Career as

Rural Deanery of Fredericton Meeting

FREDERICTON, N. B., May 17.— Rev. Thos. W. Street, sub-dean of the Cathedral, will tomorrow celebrate the fiftieth anniversary of his entry into In honor of the event the rural deanery of Fredericton are meeting today and tomorrow at the residence of the sub-dean. This evening Mr. Street entertained the members of the deanery at supper and will also be the host at breakfast and dinner tomorrow. Holy Communion, at which the sub-dean will be the celebrant, will be observed at the Cathedral at 8 o'clock in the morning. The deanery is also transacting its usual business today; routine work was all that was done, but tomorrow the deanery will probably pass a resolution of congratulation and in other ways extend their best wishes to

remove to her low-water wharf.

The first schooner of the season, Ada M. Barton, arrived tonight, loaded with coal for Patrick Farrell.

RECENT DEATHS

ROBERT MORISON.

News was received yesterday of the death at Sussex of Robert Morison, question that should be discussed the present life members. As they died of probates, Mr. Morison, who was about 40 years of age, was a very

ish parliament would grant an would represent both parties and amendment. If Sir Richard read the signs of the time aright the ple.

Defore the Bit perience; it would have power; it department died early yesterday morning after a lengthy illness. He was in his seventy-fourth year, and had been in the government employ since Septemunder the federal system it would be dangerous to leave legislation to a single chamber. He was inclined to agree with this opinion.

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member of St. Vincent de Paul Society, and in the days of the temperance societies was active in St. Malachi's society. He is survived by his wife and continue much longer, and in the days of the temperance societies was active in St. Malachi's society. He is survived by his wife and doubt there

The remains of Mrs. Hatheway, of Fredericton, arrived on the I. C. R. yesterday and were removed to Fernhill/ The funeral was held yesterday of Miss Helen Kain, Rev. Dr. Sprague conducting the service. The interment took place at Fernhill. MRS. GIRVAN.

HARCOURT, N. B., May 17.—The ody of Mrs. Girvan who died in Nova Scotia on the 11th, arrived here on the 12th and was taken to deceased's home in West Branch next day, where the funeral took place. She was a widow, and sister of John Robertson and Miss Robertson of Harcourt. Edmond Gallant an I C R brake

an, and son of Paul Gallant, of Coal Branch, died of consumption last week and was buried in the Roman Catholic stant. Many members of the Order of Railway Trainmen attended the fun-THOMAS GIRVAN.

REXTON, N. B., May 17 .- Thoma Girvan of Galloway, died this morning after a few hours' illness, aged eightysix years. Mr. Girvan was a brothe of the late Wm. Girvan of the Bank of New Brunswick, St. John. He leaves several sons and daughters, including Wm. T. Girvan of St. John. The body of Frank McLeary, son o

Patrick McLeary, of Main River, who was drowned while stream driving in New Hampshire, will arrive here to-day and be buried in the Catholic cemetery here.

MRS. ELIZA WENN. In the death of Mrs. Eliza Wenn, which occurred yesterday, Musquash loses one of its oldest and most belovwas too old for senatorial food cure by making use of the follow-thirty was too young for ing breakfast each morning for fifteen of the late James Wenn and no person in that community was better known or better thought of. She was always A dish containing not more than or better thought of. She was always four heaping teaspoonfuls of Grapedeath, although she was 89 years of age, is generally regretted. Born in the north of Ireland, she came to this ters. They are James, Ezekiel and Moses at home, George, Aaron and William in the Western States; Mrs. reason why the senate should not be given the monopoly of the greater portion of the private legiciation which was now principally dealt with in the

> PHILIP E. SAWYER. WOLFVILLE, N. S., May 12.-The death occurred last evening af-ter a few months' illness of consumption, of Philip E., second son of E. W Sawyer, principal of Horton Academy He leaves two brothers, Ber al, in the employ of the Bank of Montreal, and Edmund, and one sister, Helen. This is a very sad event, as Philip was a meet promising youth just entering upon his college course and endeared Advertising must be done as sensibly and carefully as any other part of a business.—Lockport, N. Y., Journal.
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BATH, Carleton County, May 14 .-The annual meeting of the village with-in the bounds of corporation for fire and water purposes was held on the 8th instant, at which meeting Patrick Corbett, the retiring commissioner, was reelected for the next ensuing three years. The annual meeting of the Consolidated Telephone Co, was also held in Greene's hall on the 14th inst. This company has now upwards of sixty miles of wire and have connections with all the different places within a radius of twelve miles of here and also have connections with the N. B. and M. Welch Telephone companies.

Harry J. Smith has been for several days laid by and the dector pronounces his ailment appendicitis, and he left today to undergo treatment at a hospital in Boston. instant, at which meeting Patrick Cor-

a hospital in Boston.

Many persons from here attended the revival meetings at Bristol on Sunday last

The funeral of the late Mrs. Daniel Barker took place here on the 9th inst., at which there was an exceptional large attendance. Mrs. Barker, who five daughters—Misses Mary, Agnes, Annie, Tillie and Margaret, and by two Dalbeck and S. W. Bennison, the last named is looking well for his years and spoke with his old time vigor.

Wm. Miles of Muniac was a caller in the yillage today, and Mrs. T. H. Barktr, formerly of this place, but recently settled at Mars Hill, N. B., was also a visitor here this week

Richibucto.

Campbell came over in the new C. P. as of Moncton. A fair attendance of R. steamer Empress of Britain.

Two ladies arrived at the rectory ing at half-past seven o'clock a large

from England on Monday. They were passengers on the new steamer. John Kelly, inspector of lighthouses, was here yesterday.

BENTON, N. B., May 14.-The death Rev. C. N. Barton, former pastor of means of bringing this medicine to the the United Baptist church, of which she was a member, officiated.

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rivals by the C. P. R. yesterday were Senator MacKay, Mrs. MacKay, son and daughter, and Mr. Finlay, of the firm of Finlay and Spence, architects, Montreal. They drove to the senator's cottage. Chauseock provinces are cottage, Chancook, now nearing com-pletion. The party left for Montreal

from St. John; J. F. Dwyer, Montreal Sir W. Van Hornes, coachman, who drove to Sir W's triedence, Cove ven, Minister's Island, Frank R Montreal, W. J. Nagle, St. John registered at Kennedy's, also a yesterday...
W. D. Forster has rented his in here to Fredericton parties for

The river is again falling at this point, having reached a higher point this season than for several years. The drive on the Monquart has all been completed and over a million feet of lumber now awaits rating operations at the mouth of said stream.

Rankine Smith is again around the village after undergoing his operation for appendicitis a few weeks ago, and is improved as well as could be expected in so short a time.

St. Martins.

this | \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\* ST. MARTINS, N. B., May 17.-Geo Melvin met with a painful accident Wednesday at the O'Neil Lumber Co's mill, when he cut his hand very badly. Dr. Gillmour rendered the necessary

> Mrs. Carrie Deavitt of St. John is the guest of Mrs. Jessie Brown.
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> A. W. Fownes is having his dwelling house painted. Charles Bradshaw of Everett, Mass., is the guest of A. O. White.

> > PETITCODIAC.

PETITCODIAC, N. B., May 17 .- In the Methodist church on the 16th instant, the Sabbath school convention of the parish of Salisbury met. Devo-RICHIBUCTO, N. B., May 16.—J. D. tional exercises were conducted by the Phinney, K. C., of Fredericton, is in town.

Mrs. Campbell, sister of H. H. James, barrister, arrived from Ireland on Monday to spend the summer here. Mrs.

Campbell, came exercises were conducted by the Rev. H. Thomas of Moncton. E. H. Taylor, the president, took the chair, after which followed addresses by the Rev. Isaac Howle of Salisbury; Rev. E. Grant of Petitochiac; Rev. H. Thomas of Moncton. congregation attended devotional exer-cises conducted by the Rev. E. Bell, an eloquent address by the Rev. G. M. Campbell of St. John, in the interest of Good catches of herring were made last week. The lobster catch has been small so far.

Several fast horses have been imported lately. An effort is being made to ed lately. An effort is being made to have the trotting park put in racing friends were heartfly entertained by the two churches.

NERVOUS AND WORRIED.

occurred on Thursday morning, at her home, of Mrs. Eliza Dow, relict of the late Ephraim Dow. She had been in failing health for some time, but while engaged at her household duties was stricken with paralysis and lingered in an unconscious condition one weekt. She was 'n her 73rd year and leaves one son, Enos Dow, with whom she lived. The funeral took place on Frichage's Nerve Food, and it has entirelived. The funeral took place on Fri- Chase's Nerve Food, and it has entireday afternoon from her late residence. ly cured me. I shall be glad to be the

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