Five and Ten Cent Store and Dowling Bros. the Heaviest Losers.

Blaze Started in Cellar of E. P. Charlton & Co, and Spread With Alarming Rapidity-Gallant Fight Made by the Firemen Before Control Was Secured--Two Men and Two Boys Cut Of in Upper Story by Smoke-Statement of Losses and Insurance.

Charles Nealis, manager of E. P. Charlton & Co., can give no explanation for the
fire except it be that the blaze started
from the furnace in the cellar. He had
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Fought from Market Street, Too.

The shop runs back to market street and there it branches out, jutting past the rear of Dowling Bros.' dry goods store. On the other hand it adjoins the rear of F. A. Dykeman & Co.'s dry goods establishment which fronts on Charlotte

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Chief Kerr stationed No. 1 engine at the corner of King and Charlotte streets, No. 2 near the Dufferin Hotel, No. 3 at the Y. M. C. A. building, Charlotte street, and No. 4 on Germain street, near the market entrance. From these eight or ten vigorous streams of water were soon being poured into the fiery furnace. Two lines of hose were taken up Market street and fighting of the fire from the rear was begun and kept up with vigor. The aerial ladder truck was sent around to the rear and the sky scraping ladder was run up. Access was thus gained to the roof and a deluge of water poured down the light shaft to the seat of the fire. Hose was also run in by the rear door of the Charlton shop and streams from Charlotte street also were placed in action.

Tons of water were shot into the place where the fire was worst and care was also taken to keep the adjening walls saturated.

A Stubborn Fighter.

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Cut Off by Smoke. Cut Off by Smoke.

Chas. Conlon, photographer, has \$600 insurance in the British American. His loss is not yet known. When he reached the scene Mr. Conlon went up to his studio and his two sons, Frank and Charles followed. Fireman William Barlow also went up. When they started down again, however, they couldn't get through the smoke. They raised a window and, with heads out for pure air, called for aid. A ladder was sent up and all came safely down.

Some electric wires over Market street had to be out to facilitate the firemen's work. The firemen complained again about no rubber gloves and said they had

about no rubber gloves and said they had been loaned to a company.

One fireman was overcome by smoke in the Charlton store and was carried out by his fellow workers. He recovered in a couple of minutes.

A number of the Carleton hosemen and hook and ladder men lent their aid in battling with the flames.

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The mercury showed about 20 above zero and it wasn't comfortable for those who watched the fire. It was rough on the fire-fighters, too, for they were iced up by the water freezing their clothing. the business houses—just when stocks.

The old ladder truck was out last night

ONTARIO CROP REPORT.

Great Crowds Attracted.

The fire called together a monster crowd of people. They stood many tiers deep along King and Charlotte streets, but were kept by the Salvage Corps Police from breaking in on the work of the firemen. One teamster did drive through the lanes, but a Salvage Corps of ficial promptly showed him his error and a police officer backed him up.

Another crowd gathered at the head of Market street and there watched the fight in progress at the rear of the burn-

ore 14.4.

Buckwheat, 95,487 acres; 2,049,169 bushels; or 21.5 per acre.

Beans, 53,039 acres; 978,246 bushels; or 13.4 per acre. The yield for 1902 was 670,633 bushels.

Potatoes, 139,011 acres; 16,676,447 bushels; or 120 bushels per acre. The yield of 1902 was 12,942,502.

Mangel worzels, 30,918 acres; 41,768,239 bushels; or 516 bushels per acre. The rop for 1902 was 39,140,934 bushels.

Carrotis, 7,805 acres; 2,612,778 bushels; or 35 bushels per acre. The yield of 1902 was 8,227,161 bushels.

Turnips, 134,469 acres; 69,316,341 bushels; or 515 bushels per acre. The yield of 1902 was 7,1740,304.

Corn for husking, (in the ear), 878,924 acres; 29,287,838 bushels; or 77.3 bushels per acre. The crop of 1902 was 20,512,194 bushels.

Corn for silo and fodder, (green), 209,727 acres; 2,564,400 tons; or 12.33 tons per acre. Hay and clover, 2,788,565 acres; 4,336,562 tons; or 156 tons per acre. The crop of 1902 was 2,511,334 tons.

Apples, 43,655,438 tons.

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Apples, 43,655,438 bushels; or 6.16 bushels per tree of bearing age.

Tobacco, 2,423,031 pounds. The yield of 1902 was 3,070,717 pounds.

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CASTORIA For Infants and Children.

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The Losses and laurance.

A rough estimate of the loss places it at from \$40,000 to \$50,000. There was about \$150,000 represented in fire insurance rissks in the buildings—Victoria Hotel building, Lawrence building, and the Charlotte street front. The heaviest losens by the conflagration are undoubtedly E. P. Charlton & Co., and Dowling Bros., but Thome Bros. also suffered heavy damage by water and smoke.

Mr. Nealis, manager of the Charlton business, said to had just stocked up for the holiday trade and the insurance would probably not cover more than half the loss. He had \$9,000 insurance so far as could be told last night. There was a \$4,000 poucy with Geo. E. Fairweather & Son; \$2,000 with H. Chubb & Co., in the Atlas; \$2,000 with W. H. White, in the Ottawa, and \$1,000 with Mr. White, in the Manchester.

Messrs. Dowling Bros. had \$15,000 on their stock which they valued at \$25,000. They could not say last night how the insurance was divided, but there is \$2,000 in the Liverpool, London & Globe, and \$2,000 in the Queen Company. Mr. Dowling asked the Telegraph to express the appreciation of the firm for the aid given in removing their goods, and particularly E. N. Abbott, of the Dominion Express Company, also American Express Company.

Messrs. Thorne Bros. had just laid in

ing upwards into the Charlton store and thence through the wall separating this store from Messrs. Dowling's.

For quite a, time the deluge of water did not have apparent effect and stocks were being hurriedly inoved from Miss Gray's bookstore, Dowling's and Thorne Bros.' As the vigorous fight was kept up by the firemen, however, confidence came, but still it was shaken several times as, when apparently under control, the flames would renew their struggle for the master.

Had they been able to get into the cellar, the firemen might have the quicker heaten the flames, but there was difficulty in doing that. Finally the floor of the line was done in the North British. What damage was done was by smoke.

F. A. Dykeman & Co. could not give insurance definitely, but it includes \$7,000 in the Atlas. Mr. Dykeman says when he went to his store he put down the rom shutters between his store and E. P. Charlton & Co.'s, otherwise he would have been burned out. Messrs. Dykeman & Co. suffered quite a bit from smoke.

Sanford Scammell, confectioner, had \$2,000, part of which was with P. A. Clarke. His loss will be in damage by smoke.

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of Chatham (P.E.I.), was celebrated by Rev. Father Scully, in the presence of only immediate friends. The newly married couple will make their future home at 13 Cambden street, North End.

George W. Noble, son of J. I. Noble, of the Custom House staff, and Miss Lena Maud Rivers, only daughter of William M. Rivers, Indiantown, were married at the bride's parents' home, Main street, Tuesday morning, by Rev. R. P. Mc-Kim, rector of St. Luke's Episcopal church. The families of the contracting panties and a few near friends were the only bidden ones. Miss Rivers wore a traveling suit of navy blue cloth, and her hat was brue and grey in effect. There

served after which the happy couple took their departure on the 9.45 train for St. John, where they will make their

The marriage of two deservedly popular young people was solemnized last evening by Rev. G. M. Campbell, pastor of Centenary Methodist church. They are now Mr. and Mrs. Wm. G. Wetmore, though Wednesday Mrs. Wetmore was Miss. Helen Woodside Potts. The groom is of the traveling staff of the O. H. Warwick Company, and his bride is the youngest daughter of Joseph W. Potts, 40 Horsfield street. They were married at the home of the bride's father, and very hearty congratulations were extended the happy outside. Mr. Wetmore was for a mainber of years in the office of T. Maavity & Sons. and that his associates there had kindly remembrances of him was shown by handsome gifts on the happy occasion of yesterday. With his new companione in business, Mr. Wetmore's good fellowship has also been apparent and they, too. showed this by tangible expression of exteem. Many friends will wish Mr. and Mrs. Wetmore every happiness. They will reside at 193 Queen street.

Dunn-Crippe.

In St. Joadhin's church, Silver Falls, Wednesday afternoon, Rev. A. J. O'Neill united in marriage J. J. Dunn, of Chatham, and Miss Annie Cripps, daughter of the late Captain Cripps, daughter of the late Captain Cripps, of Mispec. The late Capt

Wednesday afternoon, Rev. A. J. O'Neill united in marriage J. J. Dunn. of Charl-ham, and Miss Annie Cripps, daughter of the late Captain Cripps, of Mispec. The bride wore a very stylish traveling suit of pale gray, with furs of corresponding shade. She was attended by her sister, Miss Julia Cripps, and J. S. Johnston, of this city, was groomsman. Owing to the this city, was groomsman. Owing to the death of the groom's father, the wedding was quiet. Both Mr. and Mrs. Dunn have hosts of friends and congratulations to them on their marriage will be many and hearty. They left yesterday afternoon on a visit to St. Stephen, Calais and Bos-ton. They will live in St. John for the

A large number of people were present in Main street Baptist church at 6 o'clock Wednesday morning, when S. Walter Mc-Mackin, son of Thomas McMackin, of the North End dry goods firm, Sharp & Mc-Mackin, was united in marriage to Miss Ada B. Cowam, eldest daughter of Edgar Ada B. Cowan, eidest daughter of Edgar Cowan, of his majesty's customs, and a teacher in the Alexandria school, Indiantown, for a number of years. Rev. H. H. Roach officiated, and the bride was given away by her father. Relatives and a few immediate friends of the contracting parties were the only guests. Miss Cowan was attired in a grey cloth traveling suit. was attired in a grey cloth traveling suit, with a hat of grey, and she wore a grey feather boa. Her suit was prettily trimmed in blue. On the Flying Yankee exand other places of interest. Upon return-ing to the city they will reside at 183 The Kind You Have Always Bought

ehurch, when Miss May Hillis Smythe Kenney, daughter of the late Wm. H. Smythe, of Windsor (N. S.), and adopt-ed daughter of John Kenney, was united in marriage to Frank McHiggh, of the I. in marriage to Frank McHugh, of the I. C. P. The bride looked charming in a dress of blue broadcloth and white silk waist. She wore a large picture hat and was attended by Miss Gertie McHugh, nices of the groom, who was attired prettily in green with grey felt hat. The groom was attended by Arthur Owens. groom was attended by Artbur Owens. After the ceremony the bridal party adjourned to the residence of the bride, 3 Pine street, where a wedding repast was spread. They left at 6 o'clock on the C. P. R. for Montreal, on a honeymoon trip of a fortnight's duration. On their return they will reside at 3 Pine street. The bride was well remembered by her numerous friends, as was also the

nuptial mass in the Church of St. John the Baptist Lower Cove, when Miss Mary A. Priddle, of Newfoundland, and John A. Buckley, the well-known St. John plumber, were united in marriage. Rev. W. F. Chapman officiating. The was prettily attired in a fawn suit and wore a white picture hat, while her brides maid. Miss Hanneh Buckley, sister of the groom, wore navy blue, with a grey velvet hat. Thomas J. Buckley, the groom's brother, was best man. The ceremony was perfounded in the presence of only a few friends and relatives. Mr. and Mrs. Buckley will take up their future residence at 220 Charlotte street.

The flags on the city engine houses were flying Wednesday in honor of the wedding of Samuel Ross, a member of No. 2 Company, and Miss Lille Thompson, daughter of John Thompson, of the I. C. R. The wedding took place last evening at 8.30 o'clock at the bride's residence. 258 City road. Rev. Mr. Matthews, of Exmouth street church, officiated. The bride was attended by her sister, Miss Martha. Thompson, while Richard Irwin supported the groom. They will reside on Duke street. Among the presents received by the bride was a dinner set from No. 2 Company.

Campbell Settlement. Excellent music was furnished by the choir under the leader-ship of Frank Theriault. The wedding march rendered by Miss Maud Campbell, who officiated at the organ, was beautifully given, and much appreciated. After the marriage ceremony nuptial mass was celebrated by Rev. Father Byrne.

cester (Mass.) The couple was unattended and the wedding was witnessed by only the immediate relatives.

was married at Toronto at 3.30 o'clock yesterday afternoon to Miss Minnie Hughes, daughter of the late Dr. Hughes of Toronto. The bridegroom is a traveller for a large boot and shoe manufacturing concern and has been making his head-quarters in Toronto for several years. The happy couple will come east on their honeymoon, and will likely spend Christmas with Mr. Vandine's parents.

wedding courtesies, the happy young couple departed for their home in Mont-

was the scene of an interesting event at 6.30 this morning, when Josephine, daugh-ter of the late Michael Couhig, and James Nowlam, mate of the steamboat Alexandra, were united in marriage by Rev. Henry T. Joyner. The bride was becomingly attired in navy blue broadcloth, and large black picture hat, and carried a white prayer book. She was attended by Mrss Lizzie Leonard, who also wore a stylish suit of navy blue broadcloth and blue hat. Joseph Couhig, brother of the brue hat. Joseph Counig, brother of the bride, supported the groom.

After the nuptial knot had been tied, breakfast was served at the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. Patrick Murray, after which Mr. and Mrs. Nowlan left on a trip to St. John and Halifax.

Norton Station. Nov. 25—At the Sacred Heart church, on Nov. 23. Frances O'Brien was married to Miss Charlotte McDougall. The groom was assisted by Vincent Hogan, and Miss Mabel O'Brien waited on the bride. Both contracting parties belong to Bloomfield. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Father Byrne, parish priest, after which the bridal party returned to the future home of the happy couple at Bloomfield, where they were met by a large number of guests. by a large number of guests.

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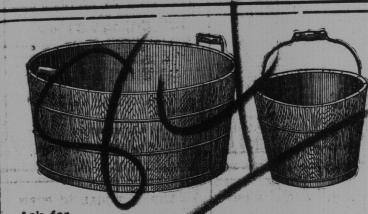
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dence of Mr. and Mrs. John MacDonald, RAILWAY

dence of Mr. and Mrs. John MacDonald, King street, in honor of the marriage of their niece, Miss Bertha MacLean, to Michael Searle, formerly of this place, but now of Fraserville, Quebec, which took place at 8.30 this evening. The drawing room, where the ceremony was held, was elaborately decorated with palms, ferns and cut flowers, the bridal party standing under a white and silver arch from the centre of which a large white and silver bell with tongue of roses was suspended.

was suspended.

The bride was given in marriage by her uncle, John MacDonald, and looked very lovely in an elegant blue cloth travelling suit and champagne colored silk blouse. She wore a very stylish and becoming hat and carried a beautiful bouquet. She had no bridesmaid but little Miss Dorothy Payson, of Fredericton, in a pretty white frock, charmingly performed the duttes of flower girl. After the ceremony, which was performed by Rev. D. Henderson, of St. Andrew's church, a dainty supper was served and Mr. and Mrs. Searle, accompanied by friends, drove to the railway station, where they left by train for Frasetville, their future home.

The groom's present to the bride was an elegant set of silver fox, which she wore travelling. Among the numerous gifts were a solid silver tea set from Mrs. MacDonald, a dainty china set from Mrs. MacDonald, and a solid silver breakfast and dinner set.

OCTOR cures even though all other rem failed. Catarnhozone is very safe and convenient to use.

Alexander Maclean to Be Commer-

cial Agent of Canada.

Ottawa, Nov. 25.—(Special)—Alexander Maclean, of Ottawa, has been appointed commercial agent for Canada, to Japan.

Mr. Maclean is best known as the senior member of the firm of Maclean & Rogers, who published the Ottawa Times, in the early 70's and afterwards became contractors for parliamentary and depart. in the early 70's and afterwards became contractors for parliamentary and departmental printing. Later on they were for a short time at the head of the Montreal Herald. Mr. Maclean is an able writer, and has a thorough knowledge of the trade of the dominion.

We all of us complain of the shortness of t'me and yet have much more than we know what to do with. Our lives are spent either in doing nothing at a l, or in doing nothing to the purpose, or in doing something that we ought not to do. We are always complaining that our days are few, and acting as though there would be no end to them.—
[Hearthstone.]

On and after SUNDAY, Oct. 11, 1902, trains

GEO. CARVILL, C. T. A. ABANDONED BABY CUDDLED BY DOG.

Deserted by Mother, Little One is Found in Vacant Lot and Life Saved by Mongrel. He was only a shabby, mongrel dog, but he lay all night on a windy, open lot, and

kept an abandoned little baby cuddled to John Kormoyle, who lives at 500 Wales avenue, in the Bronx, was crossing to lot, which is at 168th street and Union

avenue, early yesterday morning, when he heard the piping wail of the baby. A' a loss to understand the sound at such a time and place, he looked about until in Both were homeless derelicts, but with the instinct of comradeship in misfortune the animal held the infant close and licked Kormoyle took the infant and started with it for the Morrisiana start on. On the where the child will be cared for the dog followed the poil or in fo block or two and then, evidently satisfithat his companion of the night was good hands, quietly stole away.— New Youngle

When boiling fish it should be put is water when cold, and set to do very gent) or the outside will break before the inn part is done.