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**ONE ON MULOCK.**  
Good Story On Canada's Postmaster General When in London.  
(Exchange.)  
Sir William Mulock, postmaster general of Canada was recently walking along the Strand in company with a Londoner, who was dilating upon the growing fondness of the mother country for her colonies, especially Canada. Sir William laughed.  
"Let us ask the first three persons we meet," he suggested, "if they know anything about Canada."  
The first man accented knew that Canada was "a colony across the Atlantic," but thought that it was not quite as large as the British Islands. As to

its population, he knew absolutely nothing. The second, a laborer, had never even heard of Canada. The third individual approached was a flower girl, who appeared as though she might have passed through a board school. To her the Canadian minister addressed himself thus:  
"My good girl, are you at all familiar with Canada?"  
"Familiar with who?" she snapped.  
"You go about your business or I'll smack your nasty face."  
Sir William's companion admitted that the case against him had been fairly well established.  
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St. John, October 2, 1902.

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## FOOLISH DAVID WILLIS.

Didn't Know Gun Was Loaded and Nearly Killed Two Women Charged With Wanting to Poison His Mother.

(Special to the Star.)  
FREDERICTON, Oct. 2.—Mrs. David Willis and Mrs. Frank Bailey of Nashwaakias were injured at two o'clock this afternoon by the discharge of a shot gun in the hands of the husband of Mrs. Willis. He, not knowing the weapon was loaded, pointed it at them and pulled the trigger when the gun went off. One shot lodged in Mrs. Willis' breast. No serious results are anticipated.

## LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE.

**THE TELEGRAPH'S IMPERTINENCE.**  
To the Editor of the Star:—  
Sir,—If I were a clergyman, especially a divinity student, I would get admission, if I could, to the Telegraph Divinity School.  
There must be an exceedingly clever Professor in the Divinity chair of that institution when he can lecture the clergyman of this city on their pulpits and other work. How is this for pertinent advice in this morning's issue, in an editorial note with the legend, "The Clergymen and the Boys?"  
"This is the advice given to the simple (?) clergymen:  
"Of course the reverend gentlemen who are moving in this matter, when they begin actual work, will abandon sermonizing on the subject, and treat the boys as friends rather than outcasts."  
Again, "The clergymen, we assume," that "we assume" is exceedingly amusing—"will sink denominational questions and refrain from addressing the small boy as if he were a political meeting."  
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## AN EARTHQUAKE

Does Great Damage to a Town in Mexico.  
AN FRANCISCO, Calif., Oct. 2.—The steamer City of Sydney, which arrived from Mexican ports, brings news of a disastrous earthquake at Tapachula, near the southern boundary of Mexico. Particulars of the event, which occurred on September 24, are not available, the only account having been learned at Mazatlan on the following day, where a telegram had been received containing notes on the statement that a great earthquake had demolished several buildings and inflicted other damage in the community. Tapachula was seriously damaged by the big earthquake of last spring at the time Quetzaltenango and many other towns of Guatemala were almost ruined.

## BISHOP COADJUTOR.

UTICA, N. Y., Oct. 2.—Charles Tyler Olmsted, until recently the vicar of St. Agnes chapel, New York, was consecrated bishop coadjutor of the Episcopal Church in the diocese of Central New York, in Grace church this city today. The consecration service was the most imposing one. The venerable Bishop Huntington, of Syracuse, presided and the sermon was preached by Bishop Potter of New York. Over 300 prominent clergymen from different sections of the country were in attendance.

## A BIBLE SELLER'S EXPERIENCES

Says That Religious Persecution Exists in New Brunswick.  
(Montréal Witness.)  
Religious persecution is not, according to the Rev. Br. Blouin, extinct, even in the enlightened province of New Brunswick and the civilized State of Maine. Mr. Blouin had some experiences of it in his work as a colporteur, selling Bibles for the Bible Society the past summer. He started in Edmundston, N. B., and had only been at work a short time, when he was arrested without a warrant, and brought before Mr. Nadeau, J. P., who sentenced him to a fine for peddling without a license. He refused to pay, telling the justice that Judge Forbes, of St. John, N. B., had given his opinion that colportage was legally not peddling, but missionary work. The J. P. was somewhat staggered at this, and put off the case for three days, when Judge Forbes went to Edmundston and expounded the law to him. Mr. Blouin was released, but Judge Forbes explained to him that while he could not be made to pay a license, he could be taken to any court and made to give his reasons for not having one. For this reason Mr. Blouin crossed the boundary into Maine. Here it was not long before both Mr. Blouin and his companion, Mr. Pierre Labelle, were arrested at the complaint of a parish priest, the Rev. Father Gorie, of Ste. Agathe, Me., on the same charge as before, and under a law very similar to the New Brunswick one. The justice of the peace, Arthur Daigle, asked him to settle the case by paying \$20, or even \$15, but Mr. Blouin refused to pay, and demanded a fair trial. Mr. Daigle merely asked the priest to swear to his complaint, and then, without giving Mr. Blouin a chance to say anything, sentenced him to \$60 fine and \$200 costs or stay in jail for two months, and then stand his trial in the County Court. He said he would stay in jail. The next morning the J. P., having consulted with the legal authorities at Fort Kent, reversed his decision, and released Mr. Blouin, the parish paying the costs of the case. Mr. Blouin says the village people were not pleased at having to pay the costs of such a case.

## THE COAL STRIKE.

Conference May End Strike—Troops Called Out and Strikers Arrested.

WILKESBARRE, Oct. 2.—President Mitchell was busy today getting ready for his trip to Washington. He will leave here for Philadelphia late this afternoon and from there he will go direct to the national capital. All interests are now of the opinion that the conference to be held at the White House will bring about a settlement of the strike.  
Angry mobs gathered in the vicinity of the Sterling and the North American washeries at Plymouth this morning. The sheriff tried to disperse the crowds, but several of his deputies were in danger of their lives. Col Dougherty of the Ninth Regiment, was then called on for aid. He sent a company of soldiers to the scene and eleven men were arrested, charged with disorderly conduct and refusal to obey the proclamation issued by the sheriff and disperse. The prisoners were brought to this city and given a hearing. They were held in ball for court.

## TRADE WITH FRANCE

(Special to the Star.)  
MONTREAL, Que., Oct. 1.—Sir Wilfrid Laurier has written a letter to the board of trade here, stating that as a result of his visit to the French capital he has reason to hope that pending the establishment of a direct steamship line between Canada and France, Canadian products destined for France will escape the special duties at French ports, provided they are taken to France from United States ports, for instance, Portland.  
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## THE MUSIC FESTIVAL.

To the Editor of the Star:—  
Sir,—I wish to thank you on behalf of the New Brunswick Music Festival Association for the excellent criticisms you published in your paper.  
It is certainly gratifying to know that the efforts of the chorus and committee are appreciated.  
I remain yours truly,  
E. HARRISON, Pres.

## PERSONAL.

H. H. Dean returned yesterday from Boston.  
Mrs. Bourke and daughter Chrissie, of Charlotte street, West End, left yesterday for South Carolina, where they will spend the winter.  
William Greig, of St. John, N. B., manager of the Maritime Province branch of the Massey-Harris Company is in Toronto for a couple of weeks' holiday.—Toronto Star.  
Mr. and Mrs. John Smith, of Sussex, will leave on Saturday on an extended trip through a part of the United States. Miss Nellie Godsoe left last evening for New York en route for Florida, where she will spend the winter.  
Doctor and Mrs. Neville, of London (Eng.) are the guests of Doctor and Mrs. Silas Alward.  
Miss Ida King Tarbox has been unavoidably detained and will not be able to come to St. John this week. She will arrive next week and assume her duties as soprano soloist in German street Baptist church a week from next Sunday.  
The marriage of Miss Minnie Sealick, of Acadia street, and Simon Jacobson, son of Joseph Jacobson, will take place at six o'clock Tuesday afternoon, October 14. The ceremony will be held at Union Hall, Main street.

## TO PLAY FOOTBALL AT ST. JOHN.

It is more than probable that the Fredericton football team will try conclusions with the winter port boys on the gridiron at St. John during the grand carnival week there this month, says yesterday's Gleaner. This morning C. H. Allen, secretary of the B. and B. Club football team, received a communication from the St. John team asking for a game there on October 10, and offering a substantial guarantee to cover expenses. The invitation will be accepted, and this means that the Fredericton boys will have to do some hustling on the gridiron during the next ten days if they expect to make any sort of a showing against the strong combination the winter port will put up against them.

## TWO AGED CITIZENS DEAD.

The death is reported of John Duffy, formerly a well-known resident of Main street, which occurred yesterday afternoon in the Mater Misericordiae home. Mr. Duffy was seventy-nine years of age and had been in poor health for some years. He leaves no family.  
Another death occurred at the Mater Misericordiae home this morning. Charles McCarthy, also a North End citizen, passed away. Mr. McCarthy was eighty-one years of age and leaves one son, John P. McCarthy, living in Montana.

## BURIED TODAY.

The funeral of the late Alexander Austin took place at half-past two o'clock this afternoon from the residence of his son-in-law, George Reed, corner of Gullford and Market Place, Carleton. Services were conducted at the house and grave by the Rev. Henry Penna and the body was interred in Cedar Hill.  
The Custom House baseball nine after having broken even with the newspaper team are now willing to accommodate the ball players from Vassie & Co's. A week from Saturday will suit them.

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## THE WEATHER.

TORONTO, Ont., Oct. 2.—Maritime—Moderate northerly winds clearing Friday; moderate west and southwest winds mostly fair and cooler.  
WASHINGTON, Oct. 2.—Forecast—Eastern States and Northern New York—Partly cloudy tonight and Friday, probably showers Friday in the interior; light to fresh west winds becoming east.  
A DUKE'S SON.  
BELFAST, Ire., Oct. 2.—The Duchess of Manchester, (who was Miss Helena Zimmerman, of Cincinnati, O.), gave birth to a son this morning at Tanderagee Castle, County Armagh. Both the mother and child are doing well.

## LOCOMOTIVE ENGINEERS.

CHICAGO, Oct. 2.—P. M. Arthur, grand master of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, and twenty-five members of that order, held a session behind locked doors at the Sherman Hotel last night. "We are discussing matters pertaining to the order, and do not care to say anything regarding it," was the only statement given out.

## UNDER BRITISH CONTROL.

PARIS, Oct. 2.—A despatch received here from Laignon, capital of French Cochinchina, says: "The Siamese government has just issued a large quantity of paper money with the assistance of the Hong Kong and Shanghai Bank. Siamese credit is thus placed under the control of Great Britain."

## ETRURIA DISABLED.

NEW YORK, Oct. 2.—The Cunard Steamship Company announced today that its steamer Etruria will not sail for Liverpool on Saturday, October 4, as scheduled, a flaw having been found in the vessel's shaft. A new shaft has been ordered and the ship will remain here until November 1, her next regular sailing day.

## JAPANESE LOAN.

LONDON, Oct. 2.—The report that a Japanese loan is to be floated is confirmed. The Baring Bros., the Hong Kong and Shanghai Bank and the Yokohama Specie Bank will issue next week \$25,000,000 Japanese consolidated bonds, bearing interest at five per cent. They will probably be issued at par.

## THE PULP DUTIES.

(Toronto Star.)  
Mr. Hamilton, solicitor for the Lake Superior Consolidated Co., of Sault Ste. Marie, commonly known as the Clergue Company, is in the city. He says the company has not fallen into a panic over the action of the United States government in increasing the duty on pulp from Canada. "It will rest on their own heads," he said to the Star today. "Many of the paper makers in the States cannot very well get along without Canadian pulp, and they will have to pay the increased tariff. They are the ones who will suffer, and it will be their business to try to have the old rates or lower ones restored. Our pulp mills are not dependent on the United States market anyway, because we have a good market in Europe and Japan, and the freight rates permit our dry pulp to reach these far away countries."

## OPPORTUNITY.

(Rabelais.)  
Opportunity has all her hair on her forehead, but when she has passed you cannot call her back. She has not tuff whereby you can lay hold on her, for she is bald on the back part of her head and never returns.



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## REMOVAL

**T. S. Simms & Co., Ltd.**, have removed their office, warehouse and factory to their new premises, Union Street.  
(October 1st, 1902).

## THE LOBSTER FISHERIES.

Illegal Fishing on the Coasts of Col. Tucker's Province.  
Prof. Prince, dominion commissioner of fisheries, has just returned from a trip of inspection in the Maritime provinces. Despite unfavorable weather in the early spring the lobster fishermen and canners had a profitable season, the commission says, the catch being quite up to the average. The special object of Prof. Prince's visit east was to locate suitable sites for the establishment of lobster hatcheries. The one hatchery in Nova Scotia, situated in Pictou county, has for several years been turning out from one to two million small lobsters annually, and fishermen on the shores of Northumberland Strait attribute to this replenishing the comparative abundance of lobsters notwithstanding the exhaustive catches that have been made. All the large canneries have, of course, closed for the season, but illegal fishing for lobsters continues on the New Brunswick coast. The fishery protection steamers are making war upon poachers and thousands of traps have been located and destroyed. The new steamer Ostrera, employed in the service of the oyster culture expert, has been recently pressed into duty, also, and at Cape Bauld and Cape Tormentine confiscated an immense quantity of rope moorings and traps used illegally by the fishermen after the close of the season.

## BAD BOY.

Teacher—Why did you do that?  
Pupil—Oh, just for fun.  
Teacher—Didn't you know it was against the rules?  
Pupil—Sure, that's where the fun of it came in.—Philadelphia Press.  
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