

**JUNE**







## CHIGNECTO POST AND BORDERER

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## TO OUR SUBSCRIBERS.

We are sending out accounts against subscribers who have been receiving the Post for some years and have not paid for it. It is a notorious fact that many people who would not hesitate about paying a store bill on presentation, will pay no attention to a newspaper bill although they get the paper every week, and are liable for its payment. The persons to whom these accounts are addressed are earnestly requested to settle them at once.

## BETWEEN LIFE AND DEATH.

Sir John Macdonald Near Death's Door.

A Wonderful Struggle For Life.

On Thursday last Sir John A. Macdonald was compelled to take a complete rest owing to an attack of nervous prostration. On Friday his condition became critical and on Saturday the doctors said there was no hope for his recovery. Since then hourly bulletins have announced his gradual sinking and the wonder is that he has not succumbed before this. Parliament has been adjourned as far as public business goes and the whole Dominion is breathlessly awaiting the result. On Sunday bulletins read in the churches said he was dying and since then that he was gradually growing weaker. His speech is gone though he is conscious at times.

This morning there appears to be a change for the better. From a pulse of 138 yesterday his heart beat at 106 this morning.

The latest bulletin issued by the C. P. R. at 9:05 a. m. reads:—

Sir John passed the night without any change to record. He took his nourishment at the usual intervals and slept a good deal between times yesterday. Respiration 30, pulse 106 and having the same character as during the past two days.

## THE TARTE-MCGREEVY CASE.

The committee on elections and privileges at Ottawa are busy taking evidence on the charges preferred by Mr. Tarte, M. P., against Mr. McGreevy, M. P., for Quebec West. The charges are mainly that Mr. McGreevy has been so working matters in the Department of Public Works that the firm of Larkin, Connolly & Co., of which his brother has an interest, have every chance to get their tenders accepted for various public contracts either by a low bid with a chance for extras or by having favorable conditions given them for finishing the work. Mr. Tarte the member preferring the charges is an independent Conservative, a new member of the house, and made his presence known one of the platforms in his campaign. He has had placed before the proper committee in the House, evidence which he claims will substantiate his charges, has as his counsel a prominent Liberal, Mr. Collier, whose professional hatred for Conservatives will prompt him to put forth his best efforts to bring Mr. McGreevy out guilty. So far nothing directly substantiating the charges has been brought out. Numerous letters written by Mr. McGreevy to his brother and government contractors have been read but they have produced no other impression than that if the member for Quebec West is really the rascal Mr. Tarte says he is, he sadly lacks the usual accompaniments of a politician, namely caution and cleverness. These epistles touch upon contracts and one says he induced the department to award a contract to a firm not making the lowest tender and another that he could induce the department to do certain things in regard to the appointment of an engineer. These are things that few members would care to state so glibly, as Mr. McGreevy did on paper, unless he wished to use pretended influence to deceive a party. So far, no one can say what the verdict. The charges are of such a serious nature that one of the two members will have to resign. If Mr. Tarte proves his assertion there will be a vacancy in Quebec West, if not Mr. Tarte will find the climate of the capital too ungenial for him.

## TRADE WITH CHINA.

Says *Donalds*. A rather interesting statement was made by Sir John Macdonald, the Canadian premier, in reply to a deputation from a committee of the Trades and Labor Congress which urged the stoppage of assisted immigration and the prohibition of Chinese immigration. Mr. Macdonald, in his reply, said that he thought that the former system of assisted passage had interfered with the citizens of Canada, and said that the government had come to this view and abolished the practice. Regarding the Chinese question, he said that it must be considered from various standpoints. As yet, he said, there were few Celestians in older Canada, and even in British Columbia the overflow of Chinese was very small, the great proportion of the Mongolian race there only being an opportunity to cross the border in to the United States. The premier agreed with those who were opposed to taking off the existing tax on Chinese immigration, but he thought that restriction enough for the present, and that Canada, owing to its situation and the facilities afforded by its great continental railway, might expect to get the trade which the Chinese men of business had declined to send to the United States.

## MOUNT ALLISON.

Closing Exercises.

During the past week Sackville has been unusually lively owing to the large number of visitors to the closing exercises at Mt. Allison. The weather has been perfect and the heads of the different departments have occasion to congratulate themselves upon the pronounced success of the proceedings from beginning to end.

The University Election competition, the first of the closing exercises at Mt. Allison came off in Lingley Hall on Friday evening last. Rev. Mr. Brecken, acted as chairman and introduced the competitors.

The Freshmen were represented by Jas. F. Barber, Castin, Indoe, Pierce, Smith and Warman, and the Sophomores by Messrs. Bonnell, Holmes, Moshier, Rice and Woodworth. The Judges, Messrs H. A. Powell, M. P. P., Edward Cogswell, and Rev. Mr. Warren, awarded the prizes as follows: Freshman—1st, Indoe; 2nd, Barber, 3rd, Smith. Sophomore—1st, Woodworth, 2nd, Rice. Mr. Barber, although not winning first prize, won golden opinions for his rendition of "Roger and I." His articulation and gesture throughout was perfect.

## Pupils Recital and Election Competition.

The pupils recital and election competition of the Ladies College, was held in the capacious Conservatory Hall, on Saturday afternoon, and was attended by a large concourse of friends. Without exception the numbers were well given and the students acquitted themselves to the satisfaction of all the branches. The musical part of the programme was well presented and although all did well the selections by Misses Flo Fraser, Agnes Hicks, Maud Trites, and the duet with two pianos by Misses Nellie Palmer and Mary Large, were noticeably pleasing. The recital showed the results of Miss Landers' training, being especially good. An improvement might have been made in the selection of the pieces, however. With one exception, all of the 8 selections given bore too strong a flavor of death and sickness to be really entertaining. The programme was as follows: Owing to the lateness of the hour, piano solos by Misses Edith Smith, Minnie Hall and Mr. Joseph Layton, were omitted.

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Social Religion or Grand Reception as it is more commonly called was held in the Ladies College and Conservatory Hall on Saturday evening. To the young friends of the institutions this was a most enjoyable evening. A lengthy programme of literary and musical selections was given by the ladies, and the guests promenade the college room and attended the concert as fancy suited. The programme given was as follows: Piano solo—Miss May Ryan. Piano solo—Miss Florrie Burchell. Piano duet—Misses Bessie and Gertie Matthews. Vocal solo—Miss Maud McKewen. Piano solo—Miss Maud Duffy. Recitation—Miss Annie Nicholson. Piano solo—Miss Flo Fraser. Vocal duet—Misses Susan Hughes and Alice McEwen. Piano solo—Miss Jennie Fawcett. Recitation—Miss Grace Thompson. Vocal solo—Miss Helen Sutcliffe. Piano solo—Miss Greta Ogden. Piano duet—Misses Jennie Fawcett and Mabel Thompson. Recitation—Miss Robena Hay. Vocal solo—Miss Nettie Tweedie. Piano solo—Miss Jennie Butcher. Piano solo—Miss Susan Hughes. Vocal solo—Miss Helen Sutcliffe. Piano solo—Miss Gertie Ogden. Vocal solo—Miss Ollie Dobson. Violin, Mr. A. Curry. Mazurka—Miss Winnie Harper.

## Sunday Services.

Rev. T. W. Smith, President of the Nova Scotia conference, preached the morning sermon, more particularly to the theological students. He took as his subject, The Direct Witness of the Holy Spirit. The music was especially grand. Mrs. Harrison sang in her usually pleasing manner, the "Influences" from Rossini's *Stabat Mater* and "I will extol Thee O Lord" from the oratorio of Eli.

A social religion service was held in Memorial Hall at 3 o'clock in the afternoon at which a large number took part.

In the evening Rev. Dr. Pickles, of Worcester, Mass., a former student of the College delivered the baccalaureate sermon. He took as his text, II Timothy 2:19. "Nevertheless the foundation of God standeth sure, having this seal, The Lord knoweth them that are his. And let every one that nameth the name of Christ depart from iniquity." And for an hour and a quarter he addressed the congregation by his pleasing eloquence and utterances. At the close he addressed his remarks particularly to the graduating class, which will be expected of them and what they should do in after life.

The musical part of the service was excellently given by the students and the school orchestra besides a solo number by Miss Mack. The "Te Deum" by Tours and the quartette from "Elihu" were well sung and Miss Mack's number "With Verdure Clad," from Haydn's Creation was a fine interpretation of that beautiful air.

## Academy Anniversary.

Lingley Hall was crowded on Monday morning, the occasion being the anniversary of the Wesleyan Male Academy. Principal Harrison, introduced the different numbers as follows:

## Devotional Exercises—Rev Charles Stewart, D. D.

Organ solo—Joseph E. Layton. (Accompanied, Miss Minnie Hall.)

Dialogue—James M. Brown and E. A. Harris. Piano solo—Miss Maud Trites. Recitation—Japanese translation of "Ye Mariners of England," Reitoro Okuro. Violon solo—T. D. Archibald. (Accompanied, Miss Minnie Hall.) Debate: Should the right to vote in Parliamentary Elections be extended to Women? Affirmative—Fred B. Day, and B. Saboyer. Negative—David J. Allen and Arthur Johnson. Recitation—Stafford Harvey. Organ solo Joseph E. Layton.

The debate and Mr. Okuro's recitation excited considerable enthusiasm, and in the former the speakers brought out many new and amusing arguments both for and against extending the franchise to women.

Principal Harrison announced the prize winners as follows: Two prizes of \$25.00 were given by the Alumni Society. That for classics had been won by Fred B. Day, and for Mathematics by T. D. Archibald. During the year there have been 84 students on the roll, and about 60 of these were Adequately students proper, not taking classes in the college, 12 students are expected to matriculate to the college. There were some additions needed to the building repairs, etc., and in the future more attention would be given to commercial branches.

Dr. Inch in a neat speech congratulated Principal Harrison upon his success during the past year.

## The Faculty Concert.

The principal event of interest to lovers of high class music was the concert given by the musical faculty, assisted by Miss L. Jean Landers, the talented elocutionist, in the Conservatory Hall on Monday afternoon. The programme was well presented and although all did well the selections by Misses Flo Fraser, Agnes Hicks, Maud Trites, and the duet with two pianos by Misses Nellie Palmer and Mary Large, were noticeably pleasing. The recital showed the results of Miss Landers' training, being especially good. An improvement might have been made in the selection of the pieces, however. With one exception, all of the 8 selections given bore too strong a flavor of death and sickness to be really entertaining. The programme was as follows: Owing to the lateness of the hour, piano solos by Misses Edith Smith, Minnie Hall and Mr. Joseph Layton, were omitted.

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The degree M. L. A. was then conferred on, Ethel Jane Lovitt Cann, Yarmouth. Edith Ray Smith, Halifax. Margaret Elizabeth Whitney, Moncton.

Graduates in Music: Alice Anderson, Upper Sackville. Joseph Layton, Musquodoboit, N. S. The following prizes were then awarded: Highest average in three subjects for year '90, Miss Nellie Fletcher.—2nd Miss Cora Simpson.

"Natural Science Prize \$10 Miss Margaret Whitney. "Prize for best essay, \$10 Miss Elsie Stockton. 1st "for Elocution, Miss Winnie Harcourt. 2nd "for Elocution, Miss Florence Harcourt. 3rd "for Elocution, Miss Ethel Smith.

On Tuesday afternoon the Calisthenic competition of the Ladies College students was witnessed by a very select audience in the Conservatory Hall. The young ladies showed themselves to be well up in the drill, and in the pretty regulations set looked particularly entraining. The programme as follows was given: Fancy steps—Miss E. Smith, leader. Short Wands—Miss Titus, leader. Wooden Dumb Bells—Miss Lovitt. Indian Clubs—Miss E. Smith, leader. Long Wands—Miss Butcher, leader. Indian Clubs—Misses Graham and E. Smith.

The exhibition in the gymnasium of the University was held at the same hour. The prizes won were as follows: Best all round work—Gold medal, 1st H. E. Heurtis, 2nd, C. Rice, 3rd, H. Sprague. Double parallel bars—1st, Barber, 2nd, Aubrey Smith. Single parallel bars—1st, Beer, 2nd, Sprague. Horizontal—1st, Beer, 2nd, Williams. High parallel bars—1st, Bonnell, Rings, Aubrey Smith, Calisthenics—1st, Bonnell, 2nd, Dore, 3rd, Bell.

The judges were Dr. Smith, of Moncton, White of Shediac, and Mr. F. McDougall.

The University Convocation. Old Lingley was taxed to its utmost on Tuesday evening to witness the convocation of the University, and many went away unable to gain even standing room. The ladies Cavalry Band was present and while the hall was filling and through the evening enlivened the proceedings with selections.

Dr. Inch spoke for a few minutes upon the work of the term. Of the 11 graduates of '91, 5 are of parents in the ministry and 5 are intending to take the ministry as their life work. Degrees were then awarded as follows:

B. A. Sarah Elizabeth Beharrell, Amherst. Oscar Gronlund, Abo, Finland. Edgar Ellis Hewson, Oxford. Horton, John, St. John's, Nfld. Melara LeNor King, Tryon, P. E. I. Laura Alicia Lathern, Halifax. Alfred Alex. Lefurgy, Summerside. James Wesley McConnell, St. John's. James Archibald McDougall, Oxford. Ernest Fraser Moore, Halifax. Frank Brettle Scott, Stellarton, N.S.

Rev. W. W. Andrews, B. A., '87, Vice President. M. A. Hedley Hallet, B. A., '85, Hamilton, Ber. George C. Lockwood, M. B. B. A., '81, St. John's, Nfld. James S. Tait, M. D., M. H. A., B. S., '71, St. John's, Nfld. Rev. W. W. Andrews, B. A., '87, Vice President. C. W. Harrison, M. A., Vic, '71, Sackville.

GRADUATE IN DIVINITY. Rev. Arthur C. Borden, B. A., '84, Shelburne. HONORARY CAUSA. D. D. Rev. T. Watson Smith, Halifax. Rev. Ralph Brecken, B. A., '71, Sackville. D. C. L. Josiah Wood, M. P., B. A., '63, Sackville.

The following programme was given: Reading Scriptures and prayer. "Guide Me Oh Thou Great God," by Rev. T. Watson Smith. Anglo-Saxon Union. Frank B. Scott. Music—Sackville Cornet Band. Violon solo—Miss Edith Smith. Violon solo—"Martha."—Miss Minnie Hall.

Romance: Quartet and chorus from "Rosalinda." Miss D. Lewis, Miss M. Black and E. Troy and Messrs T. Murray and J. McDougall, (the singing class, school orchestra, Piano: Misses M. Vroom and U. Damon; Violon: Miss A. Ogden.

Addresses by Rev. T. W. Smith, Pres. of N. S. Conf., Rev. Howard Sprague, D. D., President N. B. and P. E. I. Conference. Chorus: (a) Five times by the tape's light; (b) The Foot Traveller—The Singing Class.

During the rendition of the programme Principal Borden delivered an address dedicating the conservatory, and an excellent paper on the past work of the institution. Mrs. W. D. Johnson, president of the Alumni Society, was read. Principal Borden spoke on the work of the past term. Each year he had said that the year had been the most prosperous until it got to be an old story. He would not say so any more but would allow the students themselves to speak of the efficiency of the work. He spoke feeling of the teachers who would sever their connection with the college this year, and who have done the college good service in the physical training department, goes to her home. Miss Damon and Miss Hall, both efficient teachers in the musical department leave also.

During the year there were 187 students enrolled, 110 resident pupils, 97 was the highest number in attendance at one time. He apologized for the small class this year, but while he had not the quantity to show he had the quality.

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you have shown us, on every occasion and may all succeeding classes be rendered happily the same kindly courtesies which you have so generously extended to the class of '91.—Citizens of Sackville; farewell!

To the Professors, students of the Ladies College a pathetic adieu was given. To the members of the class of '61 Miss Beharrell said:

"To-day we meet for the last time, the four sweet years' our path has led by tracts that pleased us well" and we now come to the parting. Let us still go on "following hope" and may the reminiscences of our old associations and work together be an inspiration.

"To all how vain; on onward strain In light in darkness too. Through winds and tide on compass true. To that and your own selves be true." Once more to all, to president and professors, to citizens, to the ladies, to these students and classmates—farewell.

The Paintings. were one of the chief points of attraction to visitors. It was found necessary to arrange the Paintings in the Conservatory Hall, and in many cases were not shown to best advantage. It would be invidious to criticize any of the pieces as all were truly meritorious. Miss Bessie Alcorn won first prize, a basket of flowers and \$25.00 donated by Mr. R. W. McDonald, Halifax, on an oil painting of some flowers from nature. The 2nd prize for drawing was won by Miss Robena Hay on a charcoal drawing of a basket of onions. This was a well executed piece of work. Among other pieces of note were the heads and flowers of Miss Black. Her time sketches of heads in charcoal were in good drawing. Miss McDonald's studies from nature in still life were good and showed talent and hard work.

Mrs. H. A. Powell shows some fine heads in oil. Miss Stilliker has a landscape which is a well executed piece of art and very commendable. In general the pictures show correct training in execution, in value and in quality of value and reflect great credit upon Miss Crocker's ability. Miss Crocker follows the system of instruction followed by leading masters in Europe.

THE SHEDIA CAPE TORMENTINE RAILWAY.

Meeting at Shediac. Delegates to be sent to Ottawa.

A large meeting of those interested in the construction of a railway from Shediac to Cape Tormentine, was held in the former town—on Wednesday, May 27. Mr. James Friar, chairman, said that the object of the meeting was to take steps towards furthering the scheme, and seek necessary assistance in the form of a Dominion subsidy.

Mr. W. A. Russell said the provincial and Dominion subsidies would be nearly large enough to build the road, and the balance should be made up by the purchase of the land to be benefited by the construction of the line.

Mr. O. Melanson, M. P. P., said he had a strong interest in the road. He believed that if a railway or other communication were established between the Island and Cape Tormentine, the local government would make a grant to enable the road to be continued from Shemogue to the Cape.

Mr. J. A. McQueen, M. P. P., thought that it might be expected that since the road was not subsidised for the whole length and for only \$2500 per mile no company would take hold of it. But he had talked with many railway contractors and said that the Dominion Government subsidy the road could be built. He believed that Mr. Wood, M. P., could not refuse to obtain for the road the grant from the Dominion Government. As this road and the highway act placed a debt of \$800,000 on the province with an annual amount of interest to pay of \$35,000 it would be a loss to the province if we were to build a railway in this province again.

Mr. E. J. Smith hoped the supporters of the Dominion Government would use their influence in obtaining the grant necessary to build the road. Councillor Hebert said the road could be built for half the amount the Sackville people had offered. A liberal reward will be given to finder, leaving same at Mr. Michael Cole's.

It was moved that a delegation consisting of W. A. Russell, Napoleon Lettice, and Dr. Fulton proceed to Ottawa to secure a grant to the road.

The lumber boycott in New York is beginning to be felt at this port. All the lumber concerns in this city and in Maine have decided to help the (to) boycott association in their endeavors to stop the boycott. Within this past couple of days an arrangement has been arrived at among the lumber concerns and lumberjacks of this city and those of Maine. It has been agreed that no lumber will be shipped to New York until the boycott is raised. The agreement will be given effect by the coasting trade, especially from this port.—St. John Ex.

The Seattle (Wash.) Telegraph is responsible for the following: Few people know that at Port Blakely, only twelve miles from Seattle, is the largest lumber mill in the world. The huge machinery of this mill occupies a building 162 by 449 feet, while there is a fire room 160 by 65 feet and a shop 170 by 50 feet. And army of about 300 men live in and about the mill, while squads of loggers toil in the woods and on the logging roads and among the rafts and tows to keep it a-going. During 1890 the product of this mill has been 1,100,000 feet of lumber, and the mill ran but two-thirds of the time. Geared up and in trim, it could increase its great production to 2,000,000 feet of lumber in 1891. The only difficulty would be in getting to it. This would be a real problem. It takes immense wharves and ships at hand to keep such a monster running.

A pair of diamond earrings which once belonged to Marie Antoinette are now on sale in a Bond street shop in London, where they are held at \$65,000. They have been owned in past days by Prince Potemkin and by Mehmet Ali.

It is possible that the marriage of Mr. Parnell and Mrs. O'Shea may be delayed for a time, owing to the death of Lady Wood, wife of General Evelyn Wood, brother of Mrs. O'Shea.

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Between COAST'S Mill and Bay-Vier, one light OCEANIC, *Satin Lind*, finder will be rewarded by leaving same at Lushy & Steele's, Amherst, or sending by express to N. B. STEELE, June 4. 2w Amherst, N. S.

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### Around Town

**Morie's Carding Mill** is now running. **M. P. P.**, and **A. A. Stockton M. P. P.**, attended the closing exercises at St. Allison.

**PROFESSIONAL.**—Dr. J. O. Calkin has secured the office of the Sackville Dispensary and he shortly will open an office in connection with his profession.

**METHODIST SERVICE.**—June 7th, 11 a. m., F. W. Harrison; 7 p. m., Rev. Mr. Lavers; Upper Sackville, 3 p. m., F. W. Harrison.

**MISSIONARY MEETING.**—A Public missionary meeting will be held at the Upper Sackville Methodist Church, on Sunday evening next. Miss F. E. Palmer, of St. John is expected to be present. All are invited.

**RESOLUTION OF CONDOLENCE.**—The Baie Verte Auxiliary W. M. S., have passed a resolution of condolence to Rev. L. S. Johnson, upon the loss he has sustained in the death of his wife.

**THE AGROSY.**—The May number of the *Argosy* contains a photo-gravure of the late Harry Sheffield, B. A., '88, and a short sketch of his life at Mt. Allison and since. Engravings are also produced of Editor Scott of the *Sun* and T. B. Flint M. P. of Yarmouth, both Mr. Allison graduates.

**THE C. P. R.**—The C. P. R. Telegraph Co., and Mr. Archibald, the representative, have merited the thanks of the citizens of Sackville for their courtesy in issuing bulletins concerning the Premier's condition. The bulletins posted in Sackville a few minutes after appearing in Ottawa.

**PERSONAL.**—Says the St. John *Globe*, J. A. Snowdon, the champion roller skater of America, who is a native of Sackville, N. B., is now in London. He recently defeated Wm. Curtis in a two mile race at the Olympia Rink for £200 a side. Mr. Snowdon is a brother of Mr. Albert Snowdon leader of the Cornet Band, and John Snowdon cutter in T. J. Hordley's clothing establishment.

**STOCK NOTES.**—Dr. Trueman's Frenchman mare Bass dropped a Nutwood filly on Sunday. It's markings are perfect, solid bay with star on forehead.

**Mr. Stephen Ayer's** Saharan mare Gypsy, dropped a fine Deborn filly on Tuesday. It will be bay with black points and promises to make a fine animal. Last year Gypsy presented Mr. Ayer with a Deborn filly also.

**SHIPWRECK.**—Sackville, May 30th. Cleared schooner *Treva*, 60 tons, bound for St. John, 85,000 dols. Baie Verte, Entered, June 1st, Bk. Faynand, 655, Fayn from Bristol for W. M. Mackay. Entered June 2nd, Bk. Haidarm, 661, Anderson from Russia, W. M. Mackay. Cleared, Entered, June 28, Antietam, can schooner, Grace Cushing, Richardson, from Nova in ballast.

**RECLAIMED.**—On Friday, to morrow evening, the popular comedian Wallace Hopper will produce the drama "Reclaimed" in Music Hall. Judging by the very flattering press notices which have attended the production of "Reclaimed" by Mr. Hopper, it is a masterpiece of dramatic art. The Farmington, Me., *Chronicle* says: Farmington has been visited by very many theatrical companies, and we doubt if any ever came to the place leaving behind so pleasant memories of their visit as did the Wallace Hopper Co., who presented the popular comedy-drama "Reclaimed" in Music Hall on Friday and Saturday evenings.

### Elegant Prizes for the Ladies.

The publishers of "The Canadian Queen," Toronto, Canada, are offering two new prize competitions, with leading prizes consisting of a pair of Shetland Ponies, carriage and harness, a free trip to Europe, first class upright piano, two weeks vacation to any summer resort in Canada or United States, all expenses paid; safety bicycle or tricycle, one hundred dollars in cash, suite of parlor furniture, ladies' gold watches etc. This magazine has become famous on account of its prize competitions. Hundreds of Canadians have won valuable prizes in previous contests. Sample number of *The Queen* with full particulars will be sent by the publishers upon receipt of the address of any lady and four 3 cent stamps. Address, THE QUEEN, Toronto, Canada.

On May 6th, a humble black man, whose name was in every newspaper a few years ago died in Zanzibar. He was Samuel, well known as the faithful servant of Dr. Livingstone, who, during the last years of this man's wandering in Central Africa was ever by his side.

**Theodore Deck**, the great ceramist of France, is dead. He died at Seville, in the little pavilion with rooms of gold, satin and velvet, filled with vase painted in manganese violet and red yellow colors, lacquers, necklaces and swords of Japan—so hospitable to American visitors at the Exposition Nationale de Seville, of which he was for fourteen years the administrator. It had been his constant occupation for many years to rediscover the lost process of making enamel transparent, and he was successful. At the exhibitions of decorative arts in Paris in 1884 he attained world-wide celebrity with his vase.

**ADVICE TO MOTHERS.**—Are you disturbed at night and broken of your rest by a sick child suffering and crying with pain of cutting teeth? If so, send at once and get a bottle of *Wm. Wind's Sorely Suffering* for Children Teething. Its use is instantaneous. It will relieve the poor little sufferer immediately. Depend upon it, mothers there is no mistake about it. It cures Dientery, colic, wind colic, regulates the stomach and bowels, cures Wind Colic, cures the Gums, teething, inflammation, and Pains, *Wm. Wind's Sorely Suffering* for Children Teething. It is the best medicine for the prevention of one of the oldest and best female physicians an nurse in the United States, and is for sale by all druggists throughout the world. Price twenty-five cents a bottle. Be sure and ask for *Wm. Wind's Sorely Suffering*, and take no other kind.

### DOMINION PARLIAMENT.

**OTTAWA, May 27.**—In the house of the day the afternoon session was devoted to motions and questions, and at six o'clock the house adjourned to Friday, Thursday being Corpus Christi.

**James Adamson**, assis clerk of the senate, died at midnight last night aged 65.

A large delegation representing the prohibition sentiment of the country waited on the government in regard to a prohibitory measure. The delegation were met by Hon. Messrs. Bowell and Foster. The minister of customs replied briefly, stating that the cabinet was deeply impressed with the magnitude of the question. The government had to consider not only the enactment of the law but the greater question of carrying it out when it should be passed. He would bring the arguments and representations advance to day to the attention of his colleagues.

Mr. Foster spoke to some length to the delegation. He pointed out that although the gain to the country would be considerable, there would be about \$7,000,000 to make up, which would call for a direct tax of some kind. The people should be consulted in the direct question by a prohibition candidate or else a plebiscite.

**Fishery returns for the last year**, given out today, show that the total value of the Canadian catch was \$17,750,000 being a slight increase over 1889. The value by provinces are: Nova Scotia \$6,536,000 or \$289,000 more than the previous year. New Brunswick—\$2,700,000, a falling off of \$366,000. British Columbia—\$3,300,000. Ontario \$2,000,000. Quebec—\$1,600,000. Prince Edward Island—\$1,000,000. Nova Scotia's increase was in cod, herring, squid, and mackerel. New Brunswick's decrease was mainly due to the failure of a large herring fishery. Prince Edward Island's fisheries increased \$154,000. The value of fur seals taken in British Columbia was \$490,000, as compared with \$335,000 in 1889.

**May 29.**—After routine, Hon. Mr. Foster moved the house into committee of the whole to consider the following resolution: Resolved, that it is expedient to provide that the time for the completion of the works of the Chignecto Marine Transport Railway company, Limited, shall, as respects their title to receive the subsidy hereafter authorized be the 1st day of July, 1890, instead of the 1st July, 1889.

Also, that all penalties, forfeitures and deductions incurred by any company for non-compliance with the conditions of the act passed in 1889 be remitted, and that said section 2 be repealed.

Mr. Foster gave an account of what had been done on the railway. \$30,000,000 had been expended and \$2,500,000 will complete it.

Mr. Davies said the work was not popular in the maritime provinces. There had never been any desire for it.

Hon. Mr. Tupper showed that the Baie Verte canal had been asked for which would have cost much more. Mr. Fraser of Guyboro attacked the enterprise, and quod a party whom he called a well informed shipping man, who declared that the work would not pay if every ship plying the neighboring waters should use it.

Mr. Dickey thought members should be careful in view of past history in respect to public enterprises in this country, to pronounce a work of this kind impossible or useless. He cited the evidence of the great authority in the way of shipping (E. J. Lead of the British navy), who was of the opinion that the largest ships could be built 40 feet and carried over marine railways a hundred miles.

**Captain Welsh**, the grit member for Charlottetown, not only denied that the enterprise was feasible, but brought forward the old charges that the Bay of Fundy was dangerous water to navigate, the whole bay being full of fog and beset with dangerous currents.

This led to a discussion of the Bay of Fundy navigation and brought Mr. Hazen to the front. He declared, on the authority of the carefully prepared statistical report of the Bay of Fundy navigation, obtained by the St. John Board of trade, that the greatest danger to ships was lower than the water, and that the proportion of losses in that neighborhood was very light.

Mr. Wood of Westmorland and Mr. Dickey asked Capt. Welsh how it happened that the Bay of Fundy was so dangerous to ships was lower than the water, and that the proportion of losses in that neighborhood was very light.

Mr. Wood contradicted the statement, and a conversation ensued which caused a good deal of amusement, the captain finally admitting that Mr. Wood was right.

The discussion finally got back to the question and the house, having gone into committee, passed the resolution without amendment.

On receipt of the intel igence of the premier's critical condition the House adjourned.

**JUNE 2.**—The first on the carpet was an amusing debate between Nicholas Flood Davidson, the witty Irish member of the West and Mr. Minister Dewdney about the latter using his public office to private advantage. David who is no fool for his witty repartee went so far and rather hurt his cause.

A few days ago it was announced that ex-peakers of commons Kirkpatrick and Oimmet had been called to the privy council in accord with British usage. Today the same course was taken in respect to the ex-peakers of tenate who are present, and were not previously in the council. These are senators Botsford of New Brunswick, Miller of Nova Scotia, and Allan of Ontario. The above were sworn in today.

Last October nine women were appointed stations on the elevated railways of Brooklyn. They have been so successful that the management will appoint more.

### Local Matters.

The semi-annual session of the grand Division S. of T. will be held in Moncton on the 8th Wednesday in October.

A seal weighing 500 pounds, was found one day last week by Sylvester Myers, entangled in his herring net, near St. Louis Kent county.

On Monday last Mr. Martin Tremblay, of Fort Lawrence, lost a cow, after having dropped a calf which girthed 2ft 6 inches, and weighed 115 lbs.

Some boys started a car rolling on a grade at Londonderry mines and E. C. Barradale, shipping clerk at the rolling mills, was run over and so badly injured that he died.

**JUNE 15th** has been fixed as the date for the laying of the corner stone of the Methodist church, Moncton, by Grand Master Walker and grand lodge A. F. & A. M., of New Brunswick. Arrangements are being made for the occasion, some ten years ago.

Ex-Inspector Neil L. McDougall has been appointed station master and operator at Springhill, N. S. He will take the place of the late Mr. Fred Ward. Mr. McDougall is an old and faithful railway employee, and will make a good record in the position. He will move his family to Springhill.

**STARBUCKS** the songster minister of Amherst, was married to Mrs. Abbie Cutten at Truro, last week. On Saturday evening he was arrested in Truro, and lodged in Amherst jail at Amherst on the charge of seduction. He will appear for his appearance when the trial comes up.

**Messrs. A. Robb & Sons**, did not allow themselves to be affected by the results of their recent fire, and to-day they again have everything running satisfactorily in their foundry and are turning out a larger amount of work than ever. Of late they have manufactured an unusually large number of engines and boilers a day daily increasing their plant for this class of work. In short it may be said that the firm has established now fitted up in better shape than ever and are better qualified to do a good class of work.

The Steamer "Alameda" has been doing a rushing business for considerable time past in carrying freight and passengers across at the Cape. Her enterprising manager, Mr. Alexander Strang, had made the usual arrangements to forward freight, but owing to the large volume of traffic already attracted to this route, and the intolerable inconvenience caused on this side by the want of pier extension, it was found necessary to make more than ordinary exertions to relieve the blockade.

Our energetic friend, Mr. John D. McLellan machinist, is employed in repairing and improving the machinery of the "Alameda," and hopes to have her in thorough order in a short time. The work could not be in better hands.—Charlottetown Ex.

### Maritime Matters.

The Methodist Conference will meet at St. Stephen on Thursday, the 23rd June.

A man named Porter was drowned at Black River last week by the upsetting of a canoe.

R. H. Armstrong, of Newcastle, N. B. has won a three thousand dollar prize in a Montreal Derby sweepstake.

Mr. S. M. Brookfield has bought at Quebec, for a Halifax syndicate, for \$10,000, the wrecked steamer Barcelona. She will be brought to Halifax and repaired in the dry dock.

At Landsdowne, Pictou county, N. S., within a radius of one and a half miles, there are twenty-three men that are six feet and over in height, the tallest being six feet four inches.

The Fredericton ladies have organized a cricket club. They have played several very creditable matches among themselves and are about to challenge some of the gentlemen to a game.

An Indian was run over by a train near Robbsey the other night on the I. C. R. His body was mangled and an inquest was held afterward. Two or three trains had run over the body before it was discovered.

The Western Chronicle relates that a two year old sow, belonging to the Leonard Ward, of North Annapolis, Kings Co., N. S., a few nights ago obtained entrance to his cow stable, attacked a cow which was lying down, and so badly injured her that she had to be killed.

On the third of June Frank Merritt, the typewriter operator in the cotton mill at Marysville, will lead to the altar Miss Mary Gile, the youngest daughter of Alexander Gibson. Rumor says that it will be one of the grandest weddings ever held in the province.—Fredericton Herald.

An unknown man was killed and the body horribly mutilated on the C. P. R. a few miles from St. John on Monday. The victim men say the man was seen walking the track and it is supposed he laid down voluntarily for destruction as he appeared to be demented.

While Andrew Taylor of Harvey Station was preparing to go shooting last Saturday morning, he was shot by his gun, which was behind a chest, and in pulling it out, the gun in some way or other was discharged. The load of shot struck him on the upper part of the head, shattering the skull. The young man was a very promising lad, and was held in the highest esteem by all who knew him.

The Island Guardian says the will of the late Hon. John Lefebvre was admitted to probate Tuesday. To Dorothea Lefebvre, his wife, he bequeathed his dwelling house, household effects, etc., and the sum of \$20,000. To each of his sons, William, Ephraim and Alfred he bequeathed the income of \$20,000, or either of them to be at liberty to take up a part of the principal, subject to the approval of the trustees. His daughter, Rosa Bennett, to receive the income of \$4,000, and his daughters, Beatrice, Cecilia, and Dorothea, each to receive the income of \$9,000.

### Baie Verte Items.

A very timely shower Saturday has greatly aided nature in putting on her gorgeous robe of summer.

Mrs. James Irvin and Mrs. Albert Wells, have been very low with la grippe, but we are pleased to report them convalescent.

Dr. Black's flower garden is again in excellent shape for damne nature to take hold of, and make a picture grander than art ever dreamed of.

Our enterprising merchant E. C. Gooden, is making extensive improvement to the environments of his handsome residence. The store which he purchased from J. G. Lamb, has been moved across the street, opening up a spacious front yard which is being tastefully laid off and fenced presenting an attractive appearance.

W. J. Mahoney has also made some improvements to his front yard. If more such taste was manifested by our citizens generally, this already pretty little village by the sea, would be rendered far more pleasing to the eye, which is the greater of the five, the eye. The Methodist church would be greatly benefited by a coat of paint, which indeed it rightly deserves as it only had the one during its existence, some ten years. We hope those interested will not allow this humble edifice to crumble and decay, but that it will receive this much needed attention during the present season and besides it is a matter of regret that the school children find it more agreeable to use the church yard for a play ground. The church already has been defaced by stone throwing. We consider it high time for those who have the matter in charge to see that no further depredations are committed.

A. H. Goodwin, D. D. S., arrived on Monday in the train in the afternoon from North Sydney, C. B., where he has been practicing the past winter. He will remain for a few days.

### Dorchester.

County court opened on Tuesday, Judge Landry presiding. There is no criminal business, though the civil docket is a large one, consisting of eighteen cases. Deacon vs. Richard is now engaging the attention of the court. It is said that nineteen barristers were in attendance at the opening yesterday, most of them from Moncton.

Water pipes have been laid through the L. C. station house, from the spring in the rear of Mrs. Kellor's residence to the rear of the station house. The contract for the repairs to the superior school has been given to Mr. J. F. Trott, who will proceed with the work at once. The repairs will amount to between \$1,700 and \$1,800.

Mr. S. W. Tingey is converting the oil of the old gal purchased by him into a large addition to his residence. With the addition of a verandah, etc., it will add greatly to the appearance of his place.

Mrs. J. V. Tait has been seriously ill for some days past but is now improving rapidly.

### Consumption Cured.

An old physician, retired from practice, having had placed in his hands by an East India Mission the formula of a simple vegetable remedy for the speedy and permanent cure of Consumption, Bronchitis, Catarrh, Asthma, and all throat and lung affections, and of all nervous and debilitating diseases, and of all nervous debility and all nervous complaints, he has been enabled to cure many thousands of cases, has felt it his duty to make known to the suffering public. Actuated by this motive and by a desire to relieve human suffering, I will send, free of charge, to all who desire it, a full and complete treatise, in French or English, with directions for preparing and using. Sent by mail by enclosing with stamp, naming this paper.

A. N. NOTES, 320 Power's Block, Rochester, N. Y.

The Queen of Denmark is an expert dressmaker, and a good pastry cook. Her daughters also are all clever needlewomen, and so is the Czarina of Russia.

### BORN.

CARTER—At Point de Bate, on the 27th inst., to the wife of Gilbert Carter, a daughter.

### MARRIED.

LETES-STEVES—At the residence of the bride's parents, Moncton, on 26th of May, by the Rev. W. W. Corey, ALVIN LETES, to LEATHE STEVES, both of Moncton.

BESKIER-TRENNOLM—At Peggush, May 20th, by the Rev. W. Nightingale, LEANDER VAN BESKIER, to BESSIE J. TRENNOLM, daughter of Harvey Trenholm, of Tremontville.

HORTON-SIMPSON—On the 22nd, at the residence of Geo. Mullin, by Rev. Jas. Strothand, JAMES H. HORTON, of Oxford N. S., to LILLIAN SIMPSON of Holliston, Mass.

### DIED.

SEARS—At Middle Sackville, on the 23rd ult., LEZIE, infant daughter of Wilmet and Lezie Sears.

COOK—At British Settlement on the 29 ult., OLIVE, wife of Robt. A. Cook, in the 71st year of her age.

HUMPHREY—At Moncton, on June 1st, ANNE, beloved wife of William Humphrey in the 65th year of her age.

SARR—At Moncton, May 27th, of la grippe, CHARLES H. SMITH, freeman on I. C. R.

FRASER—At Fredericton, on the 17th EDWARD FRASER, age 43 years.

MOORE—At Peggush 23th, inst, MARY A. wife of E. A. Moore, aged 69 years.

TOWER—At Moncton, June 1st, EDWARD aged 6 years, son of Cyrus A. and Mary Tower.

### Public Notice.

ALL PERSONS having any claims against estate of William Byron Atkinson, of Little Shannong, in the parish of Bedford, and County of Westmorland, farmer, are requested to file the same daily attended with the executors within three months from this date and all persons indebted to the estate are requested to pay



