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ROMANCE OF WEALTH FOLLOWS CAVE FIND

Discovery Near Andover Causes a Sensation in Wales

"John Long," the Name on the Ring, Thought to Be That of a Wandering Welshman Who is Reputed Immensely Wealthy—Inquiries Are Now Being Made Here by Cardiff Lawyers.

From far off Wales comes a sequel to the Andover cave mystery. Welsh family, reading of the New Brunswick discovery, is fired with the belief that "John Long," whose name was on the ring said to have been found by Stevens in the cave, was a relative who disappeared more than 200 years ago and who somehow was reputed immensely wealthy.

Hidden wealth! It is odd how men and women will follow such a lure to the ends of the earth, often spending real money in the chase. It appears from the Western Mail, of Cardiff, that lawyers have been engaged there by the family who believe they see hints to the long lost Long and that inquiries are now being instituted in this country. The story of the cave find as related by the Mail does not agree altogether with the facts as they have been understood here. But—does not the cave finder now tell of other caves in which John Long may have buried the money of the hatching or whatever you like? A poor family in Wales feels rich for a time anyway, and here is that family's story:

wealth have been circulated among them and have been the family mystery. Long was reputed to know something of this mysterious emigrant, but, if so, he maintained silence. Once, it was said, he gave some seals which were reputed to contain the key to the mystery to another relative, a ship's captain, but the captain was drowned at sea, and the seals were lost with him. Now this strange story from New Brunswick has revived hope, and the missing man's friends in Cardiff and Swansea mean to do all in their power to establish a claim to any wealth which may be discovered.

Cardiff Woman's Story. A Cardiff woman, Mrs. Davies, of Donald street, came to the Western Mail office, full of excitement, and asked for more details of the discovery. She carried with her the Evening Express, in which she first saw the news of the romantic discovery in New Brunswick. She said there had been a tradition in her family for many years that a missing relative had amassed wealth abroad.

SCENE IN CITY WHERE SLAUGHTER OF JEWS HAS BEGUN



Troops Driving Back the Mobs in Odessa

ST. JOHN RIVER CLAIMS ANOTHER

Sunday Drowning at Woodstock Followed by Second on Monday

WM. CRAIG TAKEN TO DEATH BY HORSE

Animal Went Into Deep Hole and Rider Could Not Swim—Body to Be Taken Today to Sussex Where Deceased's Family Reside.

(Special to The Telegraph.) Woodstock, N. B., July 30.—Following the fatal drowning accident of yesterday came another late this afternoon. William Craig, aged eighteen years, employed by W. F. Giddens in his livery stable, was engaged wading the horses in the river near the stable. One animal slipped in a hole about fifteen feet deep and Craig was swept into the water and, not being able to swim, almost immediately sank, the horse swimming to shore.

DAVID RUSSELL SOON TO BE ABSOLUTE OWNER OF LA PRESSE

Montreal, July 30.—The Montreal Gazette has the following: "Mr. David Russell when interviewed at the Windsor Hotel last evening regarding 'La Presse' rumors, stated that he made Messrs. Mackenzie, Mann & Co., an offer for their interest in 'La Presse' last February, and that the offer had been accepted and the transfer is to be made to him at an early date.

DEAD AT THE AGE OF 112 YEARS WINNIPEG HAS TWICE AS MANY

Woman Remembered Seeing Napoleon When He Invaded Russia.

(Special to The Telegraph.) Ottawa, July 30.—The first bulletin of the recent census taken in the Canadian west was issued today by Commissioner Blue. It is for Manitoba during the past five years. The population of Winnipeg has more than doubled. In 1901 it had 42,340, and now it has 90,216, an increase of 47,876. The other towns have had a substantial increase with the exception of Regina, which remains about stationary.

OKU SUCCEEDS KODOMA AS CHIEF OF STAFF

Tokyo, July 30.—General Oku has been appointed chief of the general staff of the Japanese army in succession to General Baron Kodoma, who died July 22.

CHANCES AGAINST SAVING THE STEAMER

Some Coal Taken Off the Pors, But Hard to Get Alongside.

Halifax, July 30.—(Special.)—The only word received from the steamer Pors today came to M. R. Morrow, agent of the Dominion Coal Company, that the tide was rising faster out side than in the hold of the stranded steamer. The weather was very thick and there was a heavy roll, making it hard to get alongside.

JOHN JACOB ASTOR SAVES TROOPER'S LIFE

Gallantly Dived in Midstream and Rescued Drowning Soldier.

Windsor, Ont., July 30.—Second Lieut. John Jacob Astor, son of William Waldorf Astor, today gallantly rescued a trooper of his regiment, the First Life Guards, from drowning in the river Thames.

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(From Our Own Correspondent.)

New York, July 30.—It developed today that Wm. H. Belcher, the mayor of Paterson (N. J.), who disappeared a year ago and for whom the police have been looking all over the world, sequestered himself safely for a considerable part of the time in St. John (N. B.). He says the police in St. John wear very beautiful uniforms and are so wealthy that they do not need any part of the large rewards that have been offered for his apprehension.

Belcher is a tall good-looking man with iron gray hair and a flowing gray moustache. His only disguise was shaving off his moustache.

Belcher disappeared just a year ago. He had been the most popular man in Paterson, wielded great influence, and was universally liked. After he disappeared it was found that he had raked pretty nearly every body, and had \$100,000 from the Paterson banks. Not a sign was heard of him until last night. He walked to the door of the Paterson jail at 1 o'clock this morning and gave himself up, saying that the last year of his life had been "a hell."

Late last night two newspaper men found Belcher at the Grand Union Hotel here. Determined to avoid daylight capture and the consequent publicity, Belcher, leaving his one little handbag behind, took a subway train to the Brooklyn bridge, went to Jersey city, and then to Paterson. He alighted from the office of the car, plunged into the darkness through a heavy rain, took a tortuous course around freight cars and reached the open gate of the jail. He rang the bell, and Dan Bergen, brother of the sheriff, answered.

Run Down by Two Newspaper Men. "I want to go in," Belcher said. "You can't," the guard replied. "I'm William H. Belcher, former mayor. I'm a forger and an embezzler and I surrender."

"Come in," said Bergen. And as the door slammed the tragic year of uncertainty ended for the man who had robbed rich and poor alike. The two reporters went to the hotel and without sending up cards, reached room C-30, on the door of which they knocked. There was an answering "come in" in a voice that belied energy and bespoke hesitancy. Entering, the reporters closed the door behind them and said: "Mr. Williams, how do you do?" The man looked like a hunted animal. He was sitting on the edge of the bed in a dejected attitude, but he straightened up and gazed nervously at the door, then at the window, and finally at the transom. One of the visitors closed the transom, while the other said: "Mayor Belcher, we would like to have you tell us something about yourself—where you have been, what you have been doing, and when you are going back to Paterson."

Belcher arose wearily. His eyes looked strange and he seemed like one ready to face an ordeal. He smoothed out the frayed trousers he wore, buttoned the blue bedgown underneath at his neck and said: "Who are you, gentlemen?"

PRISONERS ON CHIMNEY TOP

Two Men Unravel Clothing to Get Rescue Line from Friends Below.

New York, July 30.—Two workmen, Conrad Breen and Harry Kline, went through a remarkable experience today, being kept prisoners for hours near the top of a towering smokestack at a plant being constructed at Gardiner's Harbor, Staten Island. They were rescued only after repeated efforts, by the expedient of unravelling their clothing so as to form a long string and thus bring a rope within their grasp. When they eventually reached the ground they were stark naked, all of their garments having been utilized to form the string. But they did not suffer greatly except from thirst.

The stack is 170 feet high. Scaffolding had been erected inside it and this was being removed by a force of men, including Breen and Kline. By some mishap all of the woodwork collapsed except one beam to which they hurried when they heard the crash of the falling timbers. This left them well nigh helpless a dozen feet from the top of the stack.

Follow workers and firemen made strenuous attempts to release them from their perilous predicament, but without success. Then the fire battalion chief hit upon the idea of their tearing their clothing. This was shouted to them up the stack which served as a huge speaking tube.

The firemen standing on the topmost round of a ladder tied a ball of twine to the improvised string, and to this was attached a clothline. A ball was fastened to the clothline. The ball, after numerous failures, was tossed by the two men over the edge of the chimney stack. This was the most thrilling part of their enforced stay, for each time one of them essayed it he had to be steadied on the narrow beam by his companion. When the ball had been thrown outside the chimney and had reached the ground a rope was fastened to it and the two men slid down to safety.

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"We are newspaper men, Mr. Belcher," was the answer. "We are not detectives, we are not policemen and we assure you that your only savior in New York knows of your presence here."

Fugitive Talks of His "Year of Hell." No sooner had the visitors shown their credentials than Belcher, raising his left leg, raked by rheumatism on a chair, said: "Well, I am Belcher. I am sorry you found me."

"What have you been doing during the past year?" "I have spent most of the time in bed. Rheumatism has attacked me and my left knee is swollen so that I can scarcely walk. See, I use a cane always."

Seeing that an ordeal of questioning was before him, Belcher became nervous. He scratched his long fingers, his features moved spasmodically, and his face, florid and apparently bloated, assumed a more vivid hue. He looked ruefully at his trousers, threadbare clothes and at the little handbag thrown in a corner that constituted his entire baggage.

"What are you doing in New York?" the mayor was asked. "I am on my way to Paterson," he replied. "I am going to give myself up, boys. I tell you, it's been a year of hell. Every vice behind me scolded like that of some one I knew. Every footstep seemed to be that of an officer. From dawn until sundown, from night until morning there was the pall of guilt hanging over me all the time. It ruined me physically—it has almost shattered me mentally."

"How about financially?" the reporters asked. Belcher cast the hunted look on his questioners, he moistened his lips in his agitation. There was a regretful timbre in his tones when he answered: "Well, I have enough money to take me back to Paterson."

When Belcher got to the jail he had in his pockets \$17.40 and a gold watch. His counsel says he has lost none of the money, he stole.

It was said at the time he decamped that Belcher had \$25,000 cash in his pants. The outraged and outraged victims wanted to know what had become of the remainder. As is generally the case with absconding officers, the stock market was blamed. It was asserted that Belcher had had an underground connection with Wall street during the period of his embezzlement. Heavy transactions were put through, it is said, with a prominent brokerage house here and a few days before he took to the woods a big drop in the market took place and Belcher lost heavily.

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WIDOWS AND POOR AMONG HIS VICTIMS.

As the story of Belcher's transactions grew and it was found that they had been desperate—that needy widows and poor persons who had intrusted their savings to him, were the chief sufferers—indignation against the absconding officer grew, and the people demanded his arrest and punishment.

The trusting and gullible authorities had waited too long, however. Belcher had lifted effectively out of their savings, presented himself at the jail in the small hours this morning he remained in confinement.

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Appeal in Two Former Cases—One Man Says If the Order Holds Good He Will Close Up Promptly—Investigating Liquor Thefts from I. C. R.

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TOOK ISSUE WITH ARCHBISHOP

Soldier in Odessa Cathedral Causes Sensation by Denying Statements from Pulpit.

Odessa, July 30.—A common soldier caused a remarkable sensation in the cathedral here today by arising in the body of the church during service and contradicting certain political statements of the Archbishop uttered from the pulpit.

A thanksgiving service for the dissolution of the lower house of parliament was being held in the cathedral. It was attended by all the local authorities. The Archbishop arose and declared among other things that the members of the opposition were anarchists and enemies of the state. When he had finished, a soldier got up and began to make a speech. He said it was not the opposition, but men like the Archbishop who were the real enemies of the state. A scene of great confusion ensued amid which the soldier was arrested and taken to prison.

Warsaw, Russian Poland, July 30.—M. Banago, the leading official of the Socialist district, and a policeman who was escorting him, were shot dead by revolutionists near here today in revenge for the part they had taken in the repression of the Agrarian strike movement.

Washington, July 30.—Ambassador Meyer, at St. Petersburg, sent a despatch to the state department today, in which he says there seems no probability of a general strike of laborers at this time.

St. Petersburg, July 30.—The last official telegram from Bulgaria, Little Russia, where a serious outbreak occurred July 28, at the first battalion of the Sevastopol Regiment, says that order has been restored. The affair is still shrouded in considerable mystery, but it is known to establish the fact that the loyal troops used machine guns against their mutinous comrades, which alone is enough to create a deep impression in the army generally.

Kiev, Russia, July 30.—The Brudskii grain elevators here have been destroyed by fire, involving a loss of \$1,500,000.

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The colonial marriage bill has passed its second reading in the house of commons.

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FROM ALL OVER THE MARITIME PROVINCES

ROTHESAY.

Rothsay, July 26.—Flagship Scandola, with Commodore Thomson and party on board, returned from the R. K. Y. C. cruise on Sunday evening.

Mrs. John Magee, of St. John, accompanied by her little daughter Frances, is spending this week with her sister, Mrs. Daniel, at the rectory.

Mrs. John H. Thomson went to Chipman on Saturday, spending a few days at the home of Rev. Mr. and Mrs. Clarke. Mrs. James Donville and Miss Donville arrived home from England on Friday last.

Mrs. Grier will leave this week to visit friends at Oranmore. Dr. Inches spent part of Friday last in Rothsay.

Mrs. S. S. P. is confined to her home with a bad cold. Mr. and Mrs. Willard Mitchell are spending this week with Mr. Mitchell's parents, "Fern Dale."

Mrs. Anderson and family, who have been absent some weeks in Woodstock, returned home this week. The quarterly meeting of the managing committee of the Elmhurst Home Farm was held on Tuesday afternoon at the residence of the secretary, Mrs. J. S. Armstrong. Miss Dunn, the superintendent of the home, was present, and reported all going on well.

Mrs. Hyke, of New York, has been the guest of Mrs. Calhoun and left on Monday for St. John. The Misses Robertson, of London (Eng.), arrived on Friday last and are visiting at the home of Mr. Almon, "The Grove."

Mrs. Mabel Thomson is entertaining a few lady friends on a three days' trip up the St. John river on board the Scandola. Attorney-General and Mrs. Pugsley are at the Belle View hotel, having arrived last week from an extended trip. Master Donnie West entertained some of his little friends at a birthday party last Friday.

HILLSBORO.

Hillsboro, July 26.—Miss Martha J. Avar, of Salem (Mass.), was the guest of Dr. and Mrs. B. A. Marven on Tuesday last. Miss Eva Duffy, of Lunenburg, is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. W. H. Duffy.

Miss Jessie Dobson is visiting her little friend Miss Jennie Prescott, of Albert. Miss Laura Marven is the guest of Dr. and Mrs. G. H. Melvin, St. John, at their summer cottage at Westfield.

Miss Ella Rowe, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. J. T. Steeves, left on Wednesday for St. John. Miss Sadie Dobson and her sister, Gladys, have returned to Moncton after spending a week with Dr. and Mrs. B. A. Marven.

Miss Nellie Wallace has returned after visiting friends in Amherst. Mrs. W. G. Calhoun, of Amherst (N. S.), is the guest of Miss Emma Wallace. Master Jack Marr and his sister, Helen, of Moncton, are visiting Dr. and Mrs. J. Lewis.

Frank, the youngest son of W. B. Dickson, has gone on a visit to Manchester (Eng.), on the steamship Tangara, one of the Battal liners. Mr. John McCallan, merchant of Riverside, is in Hillsboro on Monday.

Miss Helen Irving, graduate nurse of Lawrence (Mass.), is visiting her sister, Mrs. Burne Bishop, of Weldon. Rev. I. N. Parker and Mrs. Parker have returned after enjoying a pleasant visit in Coquetown.

Mr. and Mrs. D. I. Welch, of Moncton, spent Sunday in Hillsboro. Mrs. Nellie McNaughton, of Salisbury, has been spending a portion of her week here with Mrs. Harriet Steeves, of Salem. Miss Mary McLaughlin has returned from a visit to Moncton.

Mr. Charles W. Hecox, of Ottawa, is the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Steeves, of Salem. Mr. E. A. Grew, of Surrey, is visiting the Canadian West. He expects to go as far as Calgary before returning.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kinnear and little daughter, Kathleen, of Moncton, are visiting Mrs. W. J. McLaughlin. Rev. Mr. Woods of Tompville (N. Y.), has been spending a few days in Hillsboro, guest at Ward's Hotel. Mr. Woods is an enthusiastic angler and has enjoyed whumping the streams in Hillsboro and vicinity.

Rev. Harry Burns, B. A., spent his summer vacation at Cabana, Quebec. Mrs. E. R. Anderson and family, and Mrs. C. Hart and family, of St. John's Island (N. Y.), are spending the hot weather in Hillsboro at the Prince Albert Hotel.

Mr. W. S. Hall, postal clerk, has returned from his holiday and will reside at Albert. L. W. Carter, who has been postal clerk on the Salisbury and Harvey Railway during the absence of Mr. Hall, has been transferred to the section on the I. C. R. between Truro and St. John.

Mrs. B. Dixon, barrister, of Riverside, is visiting Hillsboro on Monday. Miss Jessie M. McNally, M. A., of Fredericton, a former teacher in the Hillsboro school, but now a teacher in the girls' high school, Brookfield (N. Y.), is spending a portion of her vacation here renewing acquaintances with friends.

Miss Hattie Dickson has returned from a visit to St. John. Miss Estabrook, of St. John, is spending a few days here the guest of Miss Hattie Dickson. Mr. Miller Steeves has returned to his home in Kansas, after a month's stay in Hillsboro visiting his old home.

Miss Dora Duffy, of Moncton, was the guest of Miss Mary McLaughlin this week. She had a very pleasant visit. Mrs. W. A. Russell is visiting friends in Newswade. Mrs. Russell is accompanied by her niece, Miss McKinnay, and Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Dickie have returned home from spending some weeks in Wolfville.

Misses Nellie and Jean Henderson, of Moncton, spent Tuesday at the Point. Mr. and Mrs. Richards and Miss Stewart, of Brookfield, are spending some time in town, guests of the Weldon. Mr. and Mrs. E. Weldon, who have been visiting relatives in Shelburne, left recently for their home in Shelburne, Canada, via St. John.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Goggin, of Pictouville, and Dr. and Mrs. F. A. Taylor, of Moncton, spent Sunday at the Weldon. Mr. and Mrs. C. Carlyle returned on Tuesday from spending a few days with her sister, Mrs. H. S. Bell, Moncton. Mr. and Mrs. A. McLaughlin, of Sussex, who, accompanied by their little son and daughter, have been visiting relatives in town for the past week, returned home on Monday.

Miss Hilda Allen, of Port Elgin, is the guest of her friend, Miss Laura Dickie, Main street, east. Mrs. H. Wood, of Sackville, is the guest of her mother, Mrs. F. W. Sumner, Shelburne Cape. Mrs. E. McDonald, of Halifax, is visiting friends at P. du Chene.

Mr. and Mrs. Hewson, of Moncton, were guests at the Cape for over Sunday. Mrs. Douglas, who has been spending a fortnight at the Weldon, returned on Monday to her home in Amherst. Miss M. Ibbel, who is spending the summer in Shelburne, spent part of the week in Moncton.

Mrs. W. Irving, of Bouchouche, accompanied by her guest, Miss Edith James, of Richibouctou, spent the day recently with Mr. and Mrs. Weldon, Mrs. and Miss Vincent, and Miss Stewart spent last Saturday in Moncton. Miss Pearl Brown also was in Moncton on Saturday last.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Dixon, of Sackville, were in Sackville recently. Mrs. H. Wood, of Sackville, spent Sunday at Shelburne Cape. Mrs. C. Davidson, of Moncton, was in town on Monday. Mrs. M. White, who has been visiting friends in Shelburne, returns this week to Lynn.

Miss Mabel McGowan, of Moncton, is the guest of her friend, Miss Frances Burt, "The Rectory," Shelburne Cape. Mrs. Nichol, of Wainfeld, who has been visiting her parents, Senator and Mrs. Wood, Sackville, was the guest of Mrs. J. J. Morrison, of New York, visited Brookfield recently and the home of Mrs. F. Tenant.

Mr. F. Schwanitz is spending some time with his parents at their P. du Chene summer cottage. Mrs. J. Patrick, of Memramouc, and Mrs. J. Schwanitz, of Coaticook, were in Shelburne recently on their way to Moncton. Mr. J. A. Murray is suffering from a bad cold and is unable to attend to his duties.

Mr. F. Woodbury, Bank of Montreal, spent part of the week in Moncton. The Misses Evans and guest, Miss Ferguson, of Wainfeld, spent Saturday of last week in Moncton. Mr. H. McDonald, who has been spending a short time in town, returned last week to his home in Sackville. Miss Agnes Marks, of Moncton, arrived this week at the summer cottage, Shelburne Cape, for the coming few weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Lyons, of Moncton, are spending some time at the Canadian West. Miss Annie MacNeil, the guest of her sister, Mrs. James White, Main street. Miss Leda Arsenault, who has been visiting friends in Sackville, is spending this week with her sister, Mrs. J. Dougler, who will remain some time in Sackville, before returning to her home.

The Messrs MacLaren, of Moncton, are at P. du Chene. Mr. Bradshaw, of Moncton, accompanied by his daughter, is also at the Point this week. Mr. Harrel Magee, of St. John, is visiting friends at Shelburne. Mrs. W. G. Calhoun, of Amherst, is accompanied by her two little grandchildren, is spending some time at Idyle Wyde.

Misses E. Wilson, of Sackville, and Mrs. E. G. Coombs were in Moncton Saturday. Mrs. Stephen, July 25.—On Monday afternoon a large party of ladies were entertained at "Bide a Wee" cottage, at the Lodge, by Mrs. Almon I. Teed and her daughter, Mrs. George Wilson. Bridge whist was the chief feature of the entertainment. The arrival of the guests. A dainty picnic supper was served at 6 o'clock. The ladies returned to town about 8 30 o'clock.

Misses E. Wilson, Annie Young and Alice Crilly, who have been in Woodstock, have returned home. Mrs. F. H. Eaton and Mrs. Frank P. Woods were pleasantly and gracefully served tea at the golf club house last Friday afternoon. Mr. Blair, of the finance department at Ottawa, is in town visiting his brother, Dr. Frank I. Blair.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles B. Lowell have been recent guests at Oak Bay, at the cottage of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Dexter. Mr. Thomas Laffin, of Portland (Me.), is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Albert A. Laffin this week. Mrs. Ralph T. Horton is in Denver (Col.), visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Munroe.

Miss Edwina Ganong gave a very pleasant card party at her residence on Tuesday evening for the pleasure of her guest, Miss Carol Jewett, who is visiting by invitation. Mr. Grimmer has gone to St. Andrews to spend a month with her mother, Mrs. C. M. Gove. Colonel and Mrs. Blaine, of Ramford Falls (Me.), were recent visitors in Calais.

Rev. Dr. Sprague was a recent guest of Mr. E. G. Vroom, and most cordially welcomed by his friends. Mr. and Mrs. Fred P. Abbot have returned to their home in Saco (Me.). On Tuesday afternoon Rev. J. A. Winfield baptised the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. Ganong, and gave her the pretty name of Jean Webb.

This afternoon Mrs. Harris D. Eaton was given a 4 o'clock tea at her home in Calais, at which Mrs. Gates Barnard and Miss Carol Jewett are guests of honor. Mr. Wadsworth Harris, the distinguished Shakespearean actor, will leave this evening for New York city. Mr. Harris has been spending part of the summer in Calais with his mother, Mrs. B. B. Murray.

Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Daniel expect to occupy their pretty new home lately erected on Prince William street, St. Stephen, at an early date. Mr. Guy W. Chapman, of the Coburn Classical Institute, Waterville (Me.), has been spending a few days in Calais. Letters have been received this week by friends of Mrs. Arthur S. Barette, announcing the safe arrival of herself and daughter, Miss Edith Barette, in San Jose, Costa Rica. They expect to remain there until the autumn, when Miss Barette will return to the Edgemoor school. Duffy, Bertha Kelly, Christina Inch, Grace West, Mayme Fleming, Aggie Mallen, Ellie Gibson, Mayme Perry, Sadie Price and Messrs. J. Landry, N. Boudreau, Wallace, Louis Duffy, Chester Taylor, George Taylor and Walter Taylor. On Thursday evening, July 26, a pretty ball was held at Limestone. A large number from here attended, among them were: Mrs. George West and Mrs. Orrin Davis, chaperones; Misses Bessie Fraser, Annie Fraser, Bertha Kelly, Lydia White, Sadie Taylor, Aggie Mallen, Grace West, Ellie Gibson, Christina Luck and Messrs. Ned Smith, Fred McCusker, Harry Wade, Jack Landry, Peter Luck, Tom Eaton, Brooks and George Bell. The buckboard

returned home Friday morning at 6 o'clock. Grand Falls, July 25.—A meeting of the creditors of the estate of Alexander Beizer was held at the court house, in Amherst, yesterday afternoon. A. King Kelly, barrister, St. John; A. J. King Kelly, barrister, Edmundston, and J. J. Gallagher, barrister, Grand Falls, were present, and a number of various creditors. Thomas Lawson represented the assignor, and Alex. Stratton the assignee. Sheriff Gallagher, secretary, Sheriff Tibbitts' appointment as assignee was confirmed, and Aaron A. Lawson and J. K. Kelley were appointed inspectors. On motion the assignor was empowered to sell the stock at public auction, private contract or tender, either in bulk or separate parcels, and with the advice hereof to withdraw the goods at public auction or bid in the interest of the estate. It was also resolved that the assignee be empowered by and with the advice hereof, the content of the inspectors to institute criminal proceedings against the assignor under sections 388 and 389 of the Criminal Code, and that the estate be placed in the hands of the inspectors. The meeting was adjourned until Wednesday, Oct. 31st, prox, at 4 P. M.

The Victoria County Court adjourned sine die on Thursday afternoon. The case of Thomas Cox vs. John E. Stewart was concluded on Wednesday, and the verdict for plaintiff for \$100. T. J. Carter, attorney for plaintiff; Thomas Lawson, attorney for defendant. The case of C. C. Tompkins vs. Frank Stevens in action on warranty on sale of a horse, was taken up on Thursday morning and in the afternoon the jury awarded the plaintiff the costs of such proceedings. The meeting was adjourned until Wednesday, Oct. 31st, prox, at 4 P. M.

Mrs. F. Haycock, Caloway, New Brunswick, is visiting her sister-in-law, Mrs. Lewis Rivers, Aroostook Junction, left on Friday for St. John, where she will visit relatives for several weeks before returning to her sister-in-law, Mrs. Kelly and Mrs. McLaughlin, who have been visiting Mr. B. Kilburn in Kilburn for the past week, returned home on Friday. F. Turner, Aroostook Junction, is critically ill, and his friends have abandoned all hope of his recovery. Mrs. Dr. Adams and Miss Adair, of Dalou, are visiting relatives in Victoria county. Henry Watson, who has been visiting to his home in Andover on Tuesday.

F. E. Winslow, Fredericton, and J. N. C. Winslow, Woodville, are respectively in the former's automobile on Wednesday, and intend to remain for several days. Mrs. Guy L. Cronkite and Earl Cronkite, Portland (Me.), arrived here this summer with the former's aunt, Mrs. Eliza Brown, at Aroostook Junction. Grand Falls, July 27.—The Presbyterian Church held a luncheon on the Knoll adjoining the Presbyterian church yesterday afternoon. The tables, laden with all the delicacies the season provided, were laid on the green, and were prettily decorated with flowers and ferns. Only a few invited guests outside the members of the church were present. Miss Mary Hayden, Woodstock, is visiting her cousins the Misses McCusker here. J. J. Gallagher went to Andover today on professional business. Mrs. Annie Day, Drummond, is visiting Mrs. Sirovage here. Mrs. Coffin, Eagle Lake (Me.), who has been visiting her father, Fred Howard, at "the Commercial," has returned home. Mrs. Arthur G. McGibbon, Woodstock, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Dyer, at St. John. Mr. and Mrs. G. A. James, Jr., are receiving the congratulations of friends on the happening of a recent domestic event—a girl.

Miss Marie Poirie is visiting relatives in Gladwyn. A special meeting of the Liquor License Commissioners for Victoria county will be held in Beveridge Hall in Andover on the 4th of August next, to consider the application of N. Leroy Gaudin for a license for tavern license at the boundary line for the remainder of the current license year. The July term of the Victoria County Court opened at Andover on Tuesday. Judge Curran presiding. Judgment was delivered in two reversals, versus Colquhoun C. Rogers. The convictions were sustained in both cases against Rogers, and the appeal of Rogers was dismissed. The following comprised the docket. John W. West versus William Pirie, action of trespass for damages by fire to the goods of plaintiff caused by fire originating and spreading from defendant's lands. S. C. Tompkins versus Fred Stevens—action of warranty on sale of a horse. Edw. Cox versus J. E. Stewart, action of assumpsit for wages, due the plaintiff. The case of West versus Pirie occupied the court all day Tuesday, and resulted in a verdict in favor of the defendant. W. Fred Kerfoot, attorney, and A. B. Connell, C. C. counsel for plaintiff, Thomas Lawson, attorney and counsel for defendant. The trial of Cox versus Stewart began on Wednesday morning and is still before the court.

It is rumored that the fish wardens have laid seven complaints before the police magistrate against several persons residing in Andover, for illegally spearing salmon at night in the St. John river. The cases have already caused considerable excitement. Miss Norah Judge, who has been visiting from here, returned to Woodstock on Wednesday. SACKVILLE. Sackville, July 25.—Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Fullerton are enjoying a vacation in Albert county. Mr. and Mrs. Angus Avar spent Sunday at Idishad. Mrs. Gertrude Hamilton, who has been the guest of her aunt, Mrs. James I. Wheaton, the past two weeks, will leave today to visit relatives at Baie Verte. Mrs. Chesley Wells and Mrs. Edward Wells are spending the week at Baie Verte. Mrs. F. L. Rowarth returned to her home at Bayfield on Monday, after spending a week in town, the guest of Mrs. Hiram Copp. Mr. and Mrs. Amos Trueman, of Point du Bois, spent Sunday in town. Mrs. Indoe left on Saturday for her home in Hants (N. S.), after a pleasant visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Black. Mr. Allan Sprague, of the Royal Bank, Calais, is in town. Mr. Kenneth Pickard, son of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Pickard, has taken a position with the Royal Bank here. Miss Lyle Miller entertained a few friends very pleasantly last evening. Mrs. Thos. Estabrook and Miss Lila Estabrook are spending a few days at Port Elgin. Messrs. Roy and R. D. Harper left today for Bonny River, Charlotte county. Mr. John Lurman, of Truro, is the guest of Mr. Norman Fawcett. Mr. and Mrs. Benji Town and Miss Millie Town spent Sunday at Rockport. Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Bowser, of Rockland (Mass.), are visiting friends in this vicinity. Mr. Burgess Fullerton, of Parrabrook (N. S.), is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. B. M. Fawcett, returned on Monday from a two weeks' visit at Moncton.

Mrs. A. H. McCready and son have returned from a visit to St. John and Sussex. Mrs. Chas. Siddall is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Scott, Amherst (N. S.). The members of the tennis club enjoyed a nut tea on Friday evening, at which Miss Hester Wood presided, assisted by her sister, Mrs. E. Nicol, of Winnipeg. Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Siddall, of Port Elgin, spent Sunday in town. Miss Jessie Killam, of Moncton, is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Hiram Road. Mr. R. Baimie, of St. John, is spending a few days in town. Mrs. Atkinson returned to Nappan yesterday, after spending two weeks with her sister, Mrs. Amos Ogden. Mr. R. Dobson and daughter, of Los Angeles (Cal.), spent Sunday with Mrs. J. W. McDonald. Mr. H. E. Avar, of Melrose (N. B.), spent Sunday in town. Mr. M. Atkinson and Miss Jessie Atkinson, of Fredericton, are visiting friends here. Mr. Arthur Sanders, of the Anglo-American Telegraph Company, is enjoying a vacation at Charlottetown. Mrs. J. L. Estabrook, of Middle Sackville, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Steeves, Hillsboro. Mrs. Joseph Wilson and Miss Clara Wilson, of Somerville (Mass.), are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Wilson. Mrs. Simpson, of St. John, is the guest of Mrs. E. L. Andrew. Rev. and Mrs. B. N. Nobles will leave tomorrow for a four weeks' vacation in St. John and Campbellton. Mrs. Joseph Dobson and children are enjoying a vacation at Rockport, the guests of Captain and Mrs. Caleb Read. Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Pickard and Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Dixon were in Nappan on Friday. Mr. George Somers, of Port Elgin, spent Sunday with Mr. B. B. Barnes. Mr. R. E. Estabrook, of Woodstock, is the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. David Estabrook. Mrs. E. H. Fowler spent Sunday in Amherst. Mr. E. D. Latta is spending a week in St. John. Mr. Walter Copp has returned from Glace Bay (C. B.). The Misses Lee, of St. John, are the guests of their sister, Mrs. A. W. Atkinson, Weldon street. Mrs. Fanny Carter, of Moncton, is spending a few days with her sister, Mrs. J. J. Dixon. Mr. A. C. Smith returned on Saturday from a two weeks' vacation at Cape Tormentine. Master Thomas Murray is a guest at Seaside hotel, Cape Tormentine. Mrs. Mariner Hicks arrived in town Friday last, having spent the past six months at East Orange (N. J.). Mrs. Hicks will spend the remainder of the summer here, and purposes spending the winter in Brookfield (N. Y.). Miss Alice McAffey returned to Readville (Mass.) on Saturday, after a pleasant vacation with her parents, Captain and Mrs. McAffey. Mr. George Campbell, of Middle Sackville, is critically ill. Mrs. Bedford Turner, of Baie Verte, spent Sunday with her sister, Mrs. Harvey Copp, Bridge street. Miss Catherine Hickey, of Fall River (Mass.), is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Silas Copp, Square street. Mrs. C. T. Ayer, of Moncton, is the guest of Mrs. E. T. Blenkinson. Mrs. Chas. R. Scott is visiting in Chatham, the guest of her sister, Mrs. Robert Dumbear. Misses Cassie and Martha Kaye are enjoying a vacation in Albert county. The strawberry festival and fancy sale given by the ladies of the Presbyterian church on Friday evening was an unqualified success. The candy table was in charge of Miss Elsie Turner and Miss Dorothy Johnson. A lemonade fountain was in charge of Miss Margaret Cameron and Miss Beattie Ford. Mrs. C. C. Avar and Miss Duncan presided at the fancy table. Mrs. H. Dixon, Mrs. Charters and Mrs. C. Doull served ice cream and strawberries. An excellent programme of music was rendered. Miss Mabel Read, Mr. McBride cornet. The hall was tastefully decorated for the occasion. The proceeds amounted to \$75. Mrs. Samuel Smith, of Springhill, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Wm. Beane, Middle Sackville. Mrs. Chas. B. Rowarth and Mrs. T. Denoux, of Cape Tormentine, spent Sunday with Miss Jennie Fawcett, Upper Sackville. Mr. Albert Carter, of Bathurst, is visiting friends in this vicinity. Dr. R. E. Bell, of Lowell (Mass.), and Messrs. T. W. and S. Bell, of Moncton, were here on Friday attending the funeral of their mother, the late Mrs. Robert Bell. Mrs. Wm. Prescott, of Baie Verte, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. George Thos. Kinnear. Mrs. Estlin and daughter, of Boston, are the guests of Mrs. Estlin's sister, Mrs. C. Cook, Cookville. Mrs. George Dwyer, of Boston, is the guest of her mother, Mrs. Allen Eaton, Brook. Miss Nellie Turner returned on Monday from a four weeks' visit at St. John and P. du Chene. Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Dixon spent Sunday at Idishad. Mrs. S. Lawson and Miss Lawson, of Bayfield, are the guests of Mrs. S. Jamon, Square street. Miss Georgiana Ayer is spending a few days at Amherst Beach. Mr. Hamil Dobson, of Smerville (Mass.), is visiting friends here. Mrs. W. R. Rodd received her friends on Wednesday and Thursday of last week at her home, Priddyhook, York street. She was prettily attired in white silk. Miss Rodd and Miss Faulkner assisted her mother, Mrs. J. P. Faulkner, and Mrs. W. Cahill assisted in the tea room. Miss Louise Sharp, of Milton, is the guest of her brother, Mr. Milton Sharpe, Middle Sackville. Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Bennett returned yesterday from a trip to Albert county. They were accompanied by their niece, Miss Villa Jones, of New York. Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Copp and Miss Louisa Ford are enjoying a few days at St. Andrews (N. B.). Mrs. Fulton McDougall, of Moncton, is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Black. Mrs. C. A. Wells, of Moncton, and granddaughter, of Rhode Island, were in town yesterday en route to Baie Verte. Miss Sarah Dobson, of Bayfield (N. B.), is the guest of Mrs. Frank Dobson. Miss Hester Wood and Miss Moore spent Sunday at Cape Tormentine. Mr. S. B. Anderson, of Alberton school, is the guest of Mrs. Ernest Dobson. Mrs. Hilson, of Bridgeport (Conn.), left yesterday for Truro, after spending some days in town the guest of her son, Mr. John Hillan. Mrs. Newton Lee returned to her home in Truro yesterday, after an extended visit here with her daughter, Mrs. Fred Turner. Sackville, July 27.—The death of Mrs. Francis Terris occurred on Tuesday at the

home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fillmore, Middle. Deceased was seventy-three years old. Her husband and one child survive her. The funeral took place on Wednesday afternoon and was largely attended. Rev. E. Steeves conducted the service, and interment was in the Midgie cemetery. The funeral of the late Clarence Wheaton was held yesterday afternoon, a large number assembling to pay their last tribute of respect. Rev. E. L. Steeves conducted the service, assisted by Rev. Dr. Paslay. The pallbearers were Harold Milton, Wesley Wheaton, Gilbert Hicks and Fred Babcock. The floral tributes were numerous and beautiful. Interment was in Upper Sackville cemetery. C. Fleming, of the Royal Bank, has been promoted and transferred to the Royal Bank at Sydney. Mr. Fleming will leave today for Sydney. A supper was tendered him last evening by his friends. B. C. Rowarth presided, with the guest of honor at his right. After disposing of the good things provided, speeches and toasts were in order. The happy gathering dispersed with the singing of Auld Lang Syne. A successful service was held at 10:30 a.m. last evening in the Methodist church, under the auspices of the W. F. M. S. Mr. F. T. Tingley presided. Mr. I. Hart gave an interesting address on missions. Miss Stewart gave a talk on The Rest Fund for Missions. Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Estabrook, of Hillsboro, were the guests of James Estabrook, Upper Sackville. Rev. Dr. Watson returned yesterday from a visit to St. John. Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Black are spending a few days in Fredericton. Mrs. David Allison and son will leave today for a visit to Chipman (N. B.). Miss Anderson returned to her home in St. John today, after spending a week with Miss Margaret George. Mrs. Bedford Harper is visiting friends at Baie Verte. Schooner Walter Miller, 118 tons, of St. John, cleared Wednesday for Salem (Mass.) for orders, with spruce lumber valued at \$1,845. Chas. Eckard was the skipper. Schooner Hattie C, 100 tons, of St. John, Captain Thomas W. W. W. S. J. sailed yesterday for Eatonville (N. S.).

ST. ANDREWS.

St. Andrews, July 25.—August is the month in St. Andrews that the difficult chores hold their annual sales of fancy needle work and high teas. The work is beautiful and the many summer visitors are eager purchasers of the lovely articles displayed. The ladies of All Saints church are the guests of their sister who is announced for Thursday of next week. Mrs. William Van Horn came from Montreal and spent a few days here, en route to her summer residence, "Covenhoven," Ministers Island. Mrs. Greta Stinson is the guest from Lynn (Mass.), and is the guest of her mother, Mrs. Harry Stinson. Miss Marion Mowatt, of Edmonds (Wash.), is visiting her friends in New Brunswick. Mrs. Edwards, of Portland, St. John, is the guest of Mrs. King, Greenfield, for a few weeks. The young people of the Presbyterian Sunday school, with their parents, enjoyed a delightful picnic at Joe's Point recently. Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Alexander, of Toronto, are among the recent visitors at the Algonquin. Mr. H. Jones, of Ottawa, was in town last week. Mr. and Mrs. Herbert C. Tilly, who were guests of Lady Tilly, returned to St. John last week, having returned to St. John.

Dr. N. G. D. Parker was in St. Andrews last week for a short time. Mr. S. A. Worrell, of St. John, has accepted the position of principal of the Grammar school. Mr. Worrell's home is in St. Andrews and his many friends will welcome him with Mrs. Worrell most cordially. Mr. Henry Joseph, Mr. R. Woodhouse and Mr. O. B. Gordon, of Montreal, have been recent guests at the Algonquin. Mrs. R. M. Hazen, of St. John, is with Mr. Fred Anderson for the summer. Mr. Joseph Lamb and her son, Mr. Bert Lamb, of Boston, are enjoying a short holiday in St. Andrews, and are guests of Mrs. Robert Elliott, of Baie Verte. Mr. L. B. Chase is taking a trip to his old home, Baie Verte. Mrs. Dusan and Mrs. T. T. O'Dell, of Baie Verte, are the guests of Mrs. T. O'Dell. The members of the Methodist, Sabbath school have announced a picnic to be held at Joe's Point on Tuesday. The picnic will be a party of young people are having a delightful time camping out at Chamoock Lake. Among the number are Misses Nellie, Robt. Elliott, of Baie Verte, Mr. Joseph Hillard, Messrs. Charles Richardson, Skiff Grimmer and George Cookburn. Mrs. Sadie Douglas, of St. Stephen, who has been visiting Miss Rigby, has returned home. Mrs. McFarlan, of St. John, is the guest of Mrs. Merritt.

Mr. Robert Clark is home again after a few days very pleasantly spent in St. Stephen. Mr. M. Young and Mrs. Young, of St. Stephen, were in town recently. Professor Harrison, of Fredericton, is enjoying his vacation in town. Mrs. Robt. Elliott, of Boston, is spending a few weeks very pleasantly as guest of Mr. and Mrs. E. O'Dell, "Sunny Bank," St. John. Mr. John E. Algar, of St. Stephen, was in town for a few days lately. Dr. Bayard, of St. John, was a recent guest of Lady Tilly, "Linden Grange." Mr. A. J. Dechue, of New York, is registered at the Algonquin. Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Anderson, of Woodstock, and Mr. and Mrs. Andrew for a few weeks' vacation. Mr. and Mrs. Henry F. Harbut and Mrs. E. B. Jones, of Boston, came from Boston by automobile recently and spent a few days in town, guests at the Algonquin. Miss Stella Brit was in Calais a few days last week. Miss Gladys Forster, of St. John, is enjoying her vacation with friends in town. H. 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SAGE'S WILL

The story that no part of Russell Sage's millions is to go to charity is exploded by the will, particulars of which were made public Friday.

The will is a monument to the life of the late Mr. Sage. It is a monument to his life, to his character, to his industry, to his generosity.

MONCTON'S SENSATION

Moncton is sitting up and taking notice because of a sudden change of front by Magistrate Kay. Scott Act violators in the railway town have been accustomed to "walk up to the captain's office and settle."

CANADIAN CANNED MEATS

An examination of the canned meat industry of Canada, made by the Department of Agriculture, has been completed. An advance summary of the report, contained in our despatches this morning, is generally most favorable in tenor.

POETRY AND POLITICS

Not since Alfred Austin celebrated the Jameson Raid in verse has there been anything like Kipling's "South Africa," portions of which were published in our despatches on Saturday and the entire text of which is supplied by the Canadian Associated Press.

AN UNHOLY ALLIANCE

New York is in the shadow of a political shadow, black even for a city so great and so accustomed to corruption. There is a threat that Murphy, of Tammany Hall, and Hearst, apostle of discontent, are going to join forces.

meanness, turpitude, or treachery is too base for Tammany leaders, provided they see their profit in it. Murphy's talk about its not being impossible for Hearst to be taken up by Tammany, after all, suggests nothing so much as Mrs. Pizzini's phrase to describe the coming perfection of the race, when Vice will take refuge in the arms of impossibility.

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"COLONIAL HIGH-HEADEDNESS"

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HUNTING, SHOOTING, AND PREACHING

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FOR THE BOARD OF WORKS

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Unfortunately, my father, who was the captain of one of the Bristol boats, was drowned, about 30 years ago, and the seals were lost with him. Father was named John Long in order to keep alive the memory of this missing relative, and everything was made on the identity of the skeleton in New Brunswick with him. I believe that there is now a large amount of property in Chancery belonging to us, but I have no money to employ a solicitor. About twenty years ago there was a lot of bother about it by my people at Swansea, and if I remember aright a local solicitor, named Charles Norton, had the matter in hand. I don't know what became of it all. Dr. Long was buried at St. Mary's Church, Swansea, where his tombstone can still be seen.

"Have you any documents or photos which would help you in your search?"

"No, I am sorry to say. An old great aunt of mine used always to say in a mysterious way that she knew a great deal which would surprise us if she desired to speak. She was a peculiar old woman, and it was very wicked of her to die without imparting her secret."

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As Joaquin Miller Saw It

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Such darkness, as when Jesus died! Then sudden dawn drove all before, As he of Patmos sang of old. Flashed through my open cottage door; Then instant out and off again! And left a stillness like to pain— Such stillness, darkness, sudden dawn I never knew or looked upon!

This silent, Occidental dusk! Dusted San Francisco's streets with gold; Just gold and gold to walk upon, As he of Patmos sang of old. And still, so still, her streets, her steep, As when some great soul slept; And, oh, that gold, that gold that lay Beyond, above the town, brown lay!

And then a bolt, a jet, a chill, And Mother Earth seemed as afraid; Then instant all again was still. Save that a stiller, fiercer light, Where they had sought firm, robed clay, Came forth and loosed, dead and gray, Knee-deep in grasses to rejoice That all was well, with trumpet voice.

Not so you city—darkness, dust! The martial men in every array, Then smoke, then flames, then great gun thuds, Then smoke, then flames, then great gun thuds.

To heaven, as if of pain of play— Cathedral, temple, palace, tower— An hundred ways in one wild hour! And still the smoke, the flame, the gun, The piston, the cross, the cross, the cross.

The vast flame climbed the costly steep; But man, man, man, the flames, the flames, What battles where the towers kept! West tower, the tower in God's name! What some of giants—giants, ye— Of heroes, the heroes, the heroes, the heroes! Not Marathon nor Waterloo, Know man so daring, dangers, true.

Three days, three nights, three fearful days Of death, of flame, of dynamite, Of God's house through a thousand ways! Bows cast by day, bows cast by night— By night! There was no light, Nay, nay, No ghoul, there, the night, the night, The ghoul, the ghoul, the ghoul, the ghoul! I say these nights were burned away!

And jailhouses were burned away, And burned were city streets, Till all, white, crenellating the bay, Were one harmonious level sea. Behold the bravest battle won! The City that began to burn, One old San Francisco, one, The fairest sight beneath the sun.

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MRS. RUSSELL SAGE

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

New York, July 27—A childless old lady, whose school days were over half a century ago, with gentle old-fashioned manners and a kind, generous heart, today came into the absolute control of one of the greatest fortunes of this age of money.

It is probable that the estate left by Russell Sage is worth \$100,000,000. The man who had been Sage's confidential manager for many years, says its value is more than \$80,000,000.

With the exception of some trifling bequests to relatives, every cent of this colossal fortune is absolutely at the disposal of Mrs. Margaret Olivia Sage.

It was a much more charitable thing for her to do," said this man, "than if she had left an enormous amount to found some Russell Sage institute or other.

She provided in her will that each of her heirs at law (he had about 25 nephews and nieces) should receive \$25,000 each.

She was never intimate with any of them and most of them he did not even know.

The will provides that any one considering it shall forfeit his legacy. Most of the beneficiaries will be mighty glad to get the \$25,000 and let it go at that, and talk of content as dissolved into thin air.

The probability is that when in the natural course of a few years she passes away it will be found that she has made some further substantial provision for them and that the great bulk of the Sage millions will revert to the public in the form of bequests to worthy charities.

Mrs. Sage is 70. The woman who has this tremendous power in her hands to do with as she likes is now in her 77th year. She married Russell Sage when she was 40 years old and was his second wife. She had been a school girl friend of his first wife. Nearly sixty years ago she was graduated from the Emma Willard Seminary in Troy and for some years she worked as a school

TO UNITE TWO SUSSEX CHURCHES

Church Avenue and Main Street Congregations to Be One in New \$25,000 Building.

Sussex, N. B., July 29—Last evening, at a meeting of the committees of Church Avenue and Main Street Baptist churches, who were thoroughly represented and had power to make arrangements for union or secession, a resolution was passed and unanimously carried that union take place immediately, and the two congregations unite at the Main Street Baptist church under the present pastor, Rev. W. G. Kennedy, on Aug. 7, and remain until the new proposed church is built.

A committee was also appointed from both churches to draft a constitution to govern the union and which will be submitted to both congregations for approval. The site known as the Dr. Burnett lot has been purchased for the construction of the new church, which will cost not less than \$25,000. The Church Avenue church has been sold to the Central Telephone Company, who will make it their headquarters for general offices and exchange.

The funeral of Mrs. Wm. Taskie took place this afternoon from the residence of her son-in-law, Dr. Burnett. Interment was in Kirk Hill cemetery. Rev. W. G. Kennedy officiating. The funeral was largely attended, showing the respect and esteem in which deceased was held by all classes. She was a devoted member of the United Baptist church.

Frederick Fisher, of Philadelphia, Herbert Hammett, Lansdale (Pa.), Walter E. Hill, Cambridge, N. S., John Fogarty, Haverford (Pa.), J. Starkey, Philadelphia, Jerry Donohue, Philadelphia, Unknown man.

Missing. Samuel Loder, Woodbury (N. Y.) The two yachts were the ship yacht Nova, which had on board Captain Herbert Shivers, his mate and thirty passengers, and the ship Alvin B., with a party of twelve.

When the wind began to freshen, Captain Shivers decided to make port. A heavy squall struck the Nova, the craft heeled over and was fired by a huge wave, and the yacht turned over, throwing the thirty occupants into the sea. As the boat capsized the man on the yacht turned turtle, but it was quickly seen, when nearly all the victims disappeared beneath the water.

The waves were so rough that the upturned yacht was tossed about, thus uncovering the struggling victims who were underneath. The English parliament, which was held by the English parliament, was held by the English parliament.

Shortly after the survivors were brought ashore, another yacht, the Alvin B., was seen to capsize. There were several boats in the vicinity at the time, and all but one person was saved.

Her Charities Broad. She believes in industrial training as the solution of the problem of the vast army of the poor and carries her theories into active practice whenever possible. She has made many charitable gifts.

Her giving, however, has always been quiet. Last New Year's Day 200 laborers in the East Park, who were working along each of the West drives, received \$3 each from Mrs. Sage. She was interested in the park and was gratified to see the excellent condition in which the laborers had kept the drives. This was typical of her gifts. Her devotion to religion has turned many of her gifts into missionary channels.

Mrs. Sage once said that there were two things of which she was proud—her ancestry and the fact that she was connected with the Woman's Hospital, the Working Women's Exchange and the movement generally for the higher education of her sex. She is a loyal woman suffragist and has spent much energy and time in behalf of the cause.

When the Woman Suffrage campaign was launched in 1884 it is said that Mrs. Sage gave liberally to its support. Mrs. Sage and the late Mrs. Elizabeth Cady Stanton, the pioneer woman suffragist, were intimates in the Emma Willard Seminary.

Mrs. Sage's ancestors were active in the revolution. Major John Jermain, her grandfather, being prominent in several battles. She attended school in her childhood at a little red school house at Sag Harbor, Long Island, which figured in one of the revolutionary campaigns.

In appearance Mrs. Sage is above the medium height and retains the erect bearing of youth. Her features are clear cut and her face is expressive of humor and kindness. Her manner is always graceful and composed. She is well informed on all topics of the day and is easily one of the best speakers among women.

Kingston, Ont., July 29—(Special)—Announcement of the appointment of Col. George Kirkpatrick, son of the late Sir George A. Kirkpatrick, formerly lieutenant governor of Ontario, to be quarter master general for India, is made here.

General Kitchener selected Col. Kirkpatrick for the position. He is a graduate of the Royal Military College.

NEW SALT WORKS (Sussex Record.) The work on the new salt works building erected by Messrs. Buchanan and others on the old Hendrick property on the road to Penobscus is well under way, the framework now being all in place. The new plant for operation of the same will shortly be installed, and the product which is considered the best salt in America, will be on the market.

Canadian Immigration Statistics Ottawa, Ont., July 28—(Special)—The total immigration from the U. S. to Canada for the last fiscal year was 37,898. The figures for ocean ports have not yet been made out, but the total immigration from all quarters to Canada for the year ended June 30 last will be over 185,000.

Death of a Writer. Boston, July 28—Miss Elizabeth Porter Gould, author, died today at her home in New York. She was a well known club woman in Massachusetts, and was the author of several works.

CANNIAN CANNED MEATS PASS TEST

Report of Analyst Put to Work by Agriculture Department

TOOK 27 SAMPLES FROM NEW BRUNSWICK

Smaller Proportion of Packages in Which Borax Was Found Than Was the Case in 1903—Adulterated Potted Goods in Future Report.

Ottawa, July 29—When Hon. Sydney Fisher asked his department to investigate and report upon the sanitary condition of the canned meat industries and slaughter houses in Canada, he was the same time arranged with the minister of inland revenue to have an analysis of samples as put up by manufacturers in the Dominion.

The report of the department of agriculture is not yet completed but the analysis by the chief analyst, Thomas McFarlane, is finished. Mr. McFarlane's report, which will appear as bulletin 123, under the head of "Canned Meats," has been placed in the hands of the printer. He reports as follows:

"In accordance with your instructions of 11th and 12th of June last, a collection of canned meats was made as they are offered for sale in the Dominion. These included not only goods packed in Canada, but also about an equal number imported from the United States. The latter were, of course, obtained from dealers in Canada, but, as regards Canadian products, they were taken not only from retailers and wholesale merchants, but also at the factories. The samples were obtained in the months of June and July, the number collected being 128 in all.

As follows: Nova Scotia, 32; Prince Edward Island, 16; New Brunswick, 27; Quebec, 31; St. Hyacinthe, 32; Montreal, 32; Ottawa, 22; Kingston, 22; Toronto, 32; London, 20; Manitoba, 10; British Columbia, 32; total, 322.

"With reference to their examination for borax, it may be stated that the manner of testing them was the same as applied previously. On opening the tins it was noted as to whether the meats appeared to be fresh and desirable of any disagreeable odor, and they were tested as to whether any preservatives had been used in packing them. Only 322 collected or 128 per cent. The results were found to give evidence of decomposition, a proportion amounting to 14 per cent. The preservatives sought for were salicylic, benzoic, sulphurous and borax acids, but only the last named was detected in a comparatively small number of samples, and in quantity not exceeding the limit fixed by the English parliament, or any commission, of 0.5 per cent, and probably added in the shape of borax. There were 51 such samples among the 322 packages, or 15.8 per cent. This proportion is less than in the collection of 1903, when the proportion of samples containing borax amounted to 21.2 per cent.

"Full details regarding the nature and origin of the samples for borax are given in the tabular statement appended to this report. Since its completion, however, my attention has been called to the number for June, 1904, of the English parliament of the state board of health of Massachusetts in which there is a report on canned meats with the following statement:

"In general it may be said that the results are favorable to the manufacturers, both in the west and in the east, but certain preparations, the manufacture of which involves comminution or grinding, are very largely fraudulent in character, in that they are not what they purport to be. These preparations include the various potted tongues, chicken, beef and ham and devilled chicken, turkey, ham and tongue."

"Some of these said to contain corn meal for which no search has been made in the samples described in this report. Since its preparation is desired with all due haste, it is not proposed to delay any longer, but intend to refer to the subject of such adulterated potted goods in a future report."

(Signed) THOMAS MCFARLANE, Chief Analyst.

APPOHQUI WOMAN AND CHILD HAD CLOSE CALL FROM DROWNING

Mrs. Charles Parlee Plunged Into River to Rescue Daughter and Both Dragged Out Unconscious.

Sussex, N. B., July 27—Mrs. Charles Parlee and her thirteen-year-old daughter had a very close call from drowning this afternoon near Apohaqui.

The little girl, with other children, were bathing in the river, and the bridge, when she got beyond footing and fell.

The children became frightened and ran for the little girl's parents, who lived a short distance away. The mother, who was at home (the father being away), ran to her daughter's assistance, plunged into the river, and in endeavoring to save her child almost lost her own life.

The mother and daughter were in the water some little time, and were unconscious when dragged out by some nearby neighbors, who were informed of the accident by the frightened children.

The neighbors had considerable trouble in rousing Mrs. Parlee and daughter, but after extensive rolling and working with them they finally succeeded. Dr. Barnett was immediately called and reports they had a very narrow escape. He also reports that evening that Mrs. Parlee is quite ill from the shock and water.

Mrs. Parlee and daughter are indebted for their lives to Harley S. Jones, I. V. Wright and Brunswick Oaten, who arrived in the nick of time and saved them from a watery grave.

Rec'd on r. n. p. Winnipeg, July 28—Premier Roblin says Manitoba this year will have the best wheat crop in its history, and that the capacity of the railroads and lake transportation will be overtaxed.

ZION CHURCH 48TH ANNIVERSARY TRAGEDY DRAWS CROWDS TO BEAR RIVER

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Rev. Dr. Carman Preached Powerful Sermon Sunday on Beauty in the Church of God.

The 48th anniversary of Zion Methodist church was celebrated Sunday with special and appropriate services. The choir rendered special music both morning and evening. The preachers were Rev. Dr. Carman, general superintendent of the Maritime churches, on 10 o'clock, and Rev. Neil J. McLaughlin at 7.

Before the sermon in the morning Rev. Dr. Carman briefly sketched the history of the church. The congregation, he said, owed its existence to the objection John Owens, a member of one of the North End congregations, congregational use. In order to satisfy his scruples he built Zion church. After a time the church ceased to exist and the building was converted into an art gallery. This in turn failed, and by order of the local legislature it was sold, the Methodist body securing the church and moving the objects of art to Sackville.

The subject of Dr. Carman's sermon was Beauty, and his text Psalms 12: "Out of Zion the perfection of beauty, God hath shined." It has long been a much debated question, the preacher said, whether beauty really exists in the new life, or rose, or in the perspective mind. In the same way men have debated whether the heat is in the stove or in the hand that is held to it, whether the sound is in the creaking avalanche or the ear that hears. But, continued, Dr. Carman, there have been avouches that have come down the mountains without a sound because there was no ear to hear them. A blind man cannot perceive the glories of the firmament or the fragile beauty of the leaves. A man who has no sense of smell can never know the delicate perfume of the flowers.

In the same way, said the preacher, there would have been no use for the eternal God to thunder His moral law unless men could appreciate it. But when God had created a moral being the command "Thou shalt not steal," took on meaning. The man law he meant without God and it has no meaning without Him. It must be filled out and will be filled out either in the glories of heaven or the horrors of hell.

There are several kinds of beauty such as physical beauty and intellectual beauty. The great architectural triumphs of the world were very beautiful. Michael Angelo's genius shines out of St. Peter's at Rome and Sir Christopher Wren's out of St. Paul's, London. No less truly the voice of God in England's great sailor shines out of the Rock of Gibraltar, the immortal Wolfe at Quebec and the majestic Brock at the Heights of Quebec.

But said the preacher, a man may travel among all these things and never see them. He passes among them and he knows nothing of their beauty and grandeur. The same thing is true of a great many people in the church of God. They may not be very important in themselves, but they have a great deal of God's light and God's spirit from shining into the hearts of the people. Is it any wonder that the just God will say to these men "Depart from me ye cursed, for they have proved their capabilities of being cursed, they have wasted their opportunities, they have spurned their mercies. The church which is greater than any human institution and if a man will he can perceive in it greater beauty of living and loving than anywhere else."

MONCTON LIQUOR VIOLATORS ARE DUMB-FOUNDED AT SENTENCE

Moncton, N. B., July 27—One month in jail without the option of a fine was the sentence imposed by Police Magistrate Kay on three parties who pleaded guilty to a violation of the Scott act today. The parties were O. S. Leger, R. Hebert and Wm. McDougall.

The departure of the magistrate from the usual custom was startling in its effect upon the offenders, and created a sensation in the court room. When asked by the magistrate what they had to say in answer to a charge of violating the C. T. A., the parties at once admitted the offence. "The sentence will be one month in jail without the option of a fine," said the magistrate and angrily enquired at the defendant who had dropped in the room it could not have created much greater surprise. The three saloon keepers, who stood ready to pay over \$50 each, looked at each other to see if they had misheard the magistrate, and the clerk dropped his pen to stare in amazement at the court. Finally one of the party, thinking perhaps the sentence had been misheard, stepped forward to tender his \$50, but the magistrate repeated the sentence. Still another remained undecided, and asked the magistrate if he was aware they were prepared to pay up, but the court informed him there was no fine to pay.

FRANCIS EFFORTS TO ESCAPE SENTENCE. The situation at last dawned on the parties, and they started to consult their lawyers and interview members of the city council to see what could be done to evade the sentence passed by the court. Some of the legal gentlemen approached were unaware of the recent amendment to the Canada temperance act, and doubted the magistrate's authority to impose imprisonment without the option of a fine. There was digging up of the law and the amendment was finally discovered. It had been passed by the senate in 1904 and gives a magistrate power to send violators of the C. T. A. to jail for one month for a first offence, and two months for a second offence without the option of a fine. This was the first instance known in the province where the magistrate had exercised the authority given him under the amendment, and the point had been quite overlooked by the lawyers to whom Mr. Kay's decision came almost as a great surprise as those sentenced. Magistrate Kay's stand in the Scott act enforcement created no little sensation throughout the city. One party seen throughout the city, one party seen throughout the city, one party seen throughout the city.

BRITISH MINERS CLAIM BREACH OF CONTRACT Say They Were Hired to Work at Sidney Mines at \$2.40 a Day and Only Got \$1.10—Quit and Are Going West.

Sydney, N. S., July 27—Six old country miners who came to Cape Breton to work for the Dominion Coal Company were in Sydney today seeking transportation to the Northwest. These men claim that they were employed in Yorkshire to work at a wage of \$2.40 per day or nearly double their present wage in England. They arrived here last week and went to work on Tuesday but instead of receiving the expected \$2.40 per day they were told that they would have to work at leading for \$1.10 a day.

Most of the men being experienced and certified miners declined the terms, but afterwards decided to go to work at the lower rate until they would be able to make enough money to go west. The men stated that between 300 and 400 miners are waiting in the coal mines of the country to Cape Breton under similar contracts. The men here say they will telegraph the miners to go west instead of coming here.

Canadian Grain Inquiry. Ottawa, July 28—The enquiry which is to be made into the grain trade of Canada will be of a most comprehensive character. The order-in-council appointing the commissions directs that they are to "consider all matters connected with the grain inspection act and Manitoba grain act, with power to visit the grain growers, the elevators all over the wheat-growing region, to enquire into the methods of handling the grain at the various stations, farmers' elevators as well as company elevators, the distribution of cars, methods of the grain dealers in Winnipeg, Toronto and Montreal, and the system of government inspection and collection of fees, selection of grades, and the methods of handling the grain at Fort William and Port Arthur, at the lake ports, at Montreal, St. John and Halifax; and also the conditions existing as to the manner of handling the grain upon its arrival in England."

The commissioners who are entrusted with this extensive enquiry are Messrs. John Miller, of Indian Head, Saskatchewan, chairman; Wm. J. McNeil, of Vancouver, B. C.; and George E. Goldie, of Ayr, Ont. The secretary has not yet been appointed, but he will be an Alberta man.

AGAIN WE WILL TELL YOU WHAT FOOT ELM CONTAINS. Each box contains an unlimited quantity of some of the best quality of foot elms, in an amount of case for those who are breaking in new shoes—38 doses of foot elms in every box. Foot Elm soothes itching, corns—prevents excessive sweating—gives unbounded satisfaction—18 powders 25 cents.

More Likely to Get Same Sentence. The commitments have not yet been issued, but it is expected they will follow. A number of other cases are coming up tomorrow, and it is expected the same sentences will be imposed on these. Legal minds are busy with the problem of how to avoid carrying out the magistrate's decision, but the general opinion is if the commitments are issued the parties will have to go to jail.

City Pay Roll. At the city hall Friday the usual fortnightly payments were made to employees in the water and sewerage, streets and ferry departments. The pay roll was heavier than usual owing to the large amount of work being carried on. The wages bill was divided as follows:

Table with 2 columns: Employees, Amount. Rows include Water and sewerage, Board works, Ferry service, Total, and Average amount received by each man.

FEARFUL NEWS HARSHLY TOLD TO DAUGHTER

Murder and Suicide Shock Nova Scotia Community—Fearful News Harshly Broken to Daughter While Hurrying Home, Believing Mother Ill.

Digby, N. S., July 29—(Special)—A terrible murder and suicide at Bear River have formed the topic of conversation since Saturday among townspeople and the hundreds of summer tourists in Digby and vicinity. Alford Morine killed his wife and committed suicide early Saturday morning. An inquest was held over the two bodies before Coroner Lovitt, and a verdict returned in accordance with the facts.

It appears that Morine and his handsome wife, Ida, had always lived peacefully. Last winter Morine was attacked with typhoid fever, which left him indisposed. He was thought by many to be mentally unbalanced, but supposed to be perfectly harmless. As the spring and summer advanced he became, without any occasion, jealous of his wife.

At 5.30 yesterday morning, after he had been up and dressed he returned to his room with a hatchet and razor and struck his wife several blows in the head and then cut her throat. A little son five or six years old, took the hatchet away from his father.

Morine then for a moment appeared to realize what he was doing and cut his own throat and rushed for the river, which ran close beside the little one and a half story cottage where the terrible deed had been committed. His brother, Edward Morine, a near neighbor, saw him run and throw himself in the river and hastened to his rescue, but arrived only in time to recover the lifeless body.

In the meantime Mrs. Morine and the little boy gave sufficient alarm to attract the attention of Mrs. John Morine, mother of the murderer. Mrs. Ida Morine told the story of the crime in broken sentences, and finally passed away at 6 o'clock, having lived less than thirty minutes after being wounded. A physician was summoned, but too late to save her life. Yesterday the doctor George L. Captain C. F. Lewis, ran an excursion to Bear River, and upwards of fifty took advantage of the trip to visit the scene of the awful tragedy.

A large family of small children are left without parents, and the scene is certainly a sad one. Morine's parents and brothers and sisters are grief stricken, as also are the parents and relatives of Mrs. Morine. The murdered woman was a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Whitman Peck, of Bear River, and was highly respected by all who knew her. She has many relatives residing here, including two sisters—Mrs. Freeman Sandler, of Oulden, and Mrs. Robert Sandler, of Marshfield.

Fearful News Harshly Told to Daughter. A seventeen-year-old daughter, Em By, employed by C. A. Jordan, proprietor of the Dufferin and Columbia hotels here, she was immediately sent home by Manager Smith, of the Columbia. She did not receive the real news of the tragedy until within a half-mile of her home. She thought her mother was ill and when she asked a farmer by the roadside how her mother was, he said: "Your father and mother are both dead; they were murdered this morning."

The poor girl immediately broke down and almost lost her mind. The driver had difficulty in holding her in the carriage until her home was reached. A singular thing in connection with it is that the murderer was a devoted member of the Salvation Army, and it is said he bade his comrades good-bye in an odd manner at the close of the meeting Friday night. He being at times a little strange this was not particularly noticed at the time, but is taken now to show that the awful deed was premeditated.

Funeral arrangements have not yet been completed. Bear River has always been a popular drive with visitors, but this tragedy has given it a lot of advertising and the year being more stable proprietors are having a busy time. It is singular that Bear River has been the scene of more tragedies than any village in the western part of Nova Scotia.

DOOR OPEN FOR ISLAND COLONY—EARL GREY

St. John's, Nfld., July 29—Earl Grey, at the invitation of the Dominion Government has visited Newfoundland, and his visit to Newfoundland was proving a delightful one. He had been previously and agreeably surprised at the natural beauties and the material prosperity of the island.

The earl declared he brought no suggestion of federation from Canada, for he knew that union sentiment did not exist in the colony. He added, however, that if Newfoundland at any future date should decide to seek a union, Canada's door would be found open, and it would not be necessary to knock.

Earl Grey expressed the belief that St. John's is destined ere long to become the western terminus of a great trans-Atlantic steamer service. Governor MacGregor assured Earl Grey that he was a heartily welcome visitor, Premier Bond concurred in this, and said it was the hope of the colony that a trans-Atlantic line would be a splendidly equipped line within a year or two.

Local and Lady Howland and Lady Spyl Grey, on their recent fishing excursion, caught fifty salmon, none under ten pounds, and 120 trout weighing 180 pounds each. Governor MacGregor and Earl Grey started on their fishing trip tonight.

CANADIANS GIVE SUPERB PRESENT TO H. M. S. DOMINION

Portsmouth, Eng., July 27—Canadians resident in the United Kingdom today presented a superb silver centrepiece to the new British battleship Dominion. On the base is inscribed "One life, one flag, one fleet, one throne."

Lord Strathcona made the presentation, and announced that when the ship was in Canadian waters other gifts would be made, including a shield to be shot for by the Dominion's crew.

CASTORIA For Infants and Children. The Kind You Have Always Bought. Bears the Signature of J. C. Watson.

New I. O. G. T. Lodge. Chipman, July 28—James Mercer, D. G. C. T., organized a lodge of the I. O. G. T. at New Zion last week. The following officers were elected and installed: C. T. Robert Corey; V. T. Ivy Corey; sec., D. M. Kierstead; L. D. Wm. Graves; etc., D. M. W. A. Graves; F. S. Harry Corey; M. Minnie Corey; D. M. Julia Corey; chap., Ernest Corey; P. C. T., H. B. Green; S. George Corey; G. Mrs. D. M. Kierstead.

There were fourteen marriages and the same number of births last week. Ten of the newcomers were girls.

WANTED

Agents--The Memorial Volume
SAN FRANCISCO HORROR OF EARTHQUAKE...

BIRTHS

TAYLOR--At Boston (Mass.) on 26th inst., to Dr. and Mrs. Westford M. Taylor, a daughter.

MARRIAGES

WETMORE--WETMORE--At All Saints chapel, Clifton, Kings, July 26, 1906, by Rev. H. Stove-Wainwright...

DEATHS

GRACE--At Sea street, Bay Shore, on the 23rd inst., Katherine M., widow of the late Francis E. Grace.

PERSONAL

WANTED--Gent, aged 27, wants lady correspondent...

FOR SALE

ROLLS INDICATOR locates all mineral lands and buried treasure...

LOBSTER CATCH

North Shore Fishermen Making a \$100 a Day

...ville, July 30--The catch of lobsters along the North Shore...

CANADIAN PORTS

Hillsboro, July 29--Stm Ranzmar, Paulsen, Newton Creek.

CHATHAM NOTES

Chatham, July 30--Mac Snowball was chairman at the Y. M. C. A. meeting yesterday.

ST. MARTIN'S PORTABLE MILL IS PREY TO FLAMES

William Burchill's Outfit at Tynemouth Creek Destroyed Sunday Night.

ST. MARTIN'S MAILS BY TRAIN SOON

Hampton & St. Martins Railway to Carry Them After August 1.

Harvey Station Notes

Harvey Station, July 30--Telephone communication has been established between the station and Manners Sutton and York Mills.

St. Martins Portals

St. Martins, July 30--Dr. Charles D. Pinnard and wife of Providence (R. I.), are spending their vacation here.

Cyclone Sweeps Over Port of Ontario

Waterloo, Ont., July 30--(Special)--A terrific cyclone passed west of here yesterday afternoon.

Death and Disaster from Boiler Explosion

Vincennes, Ind., July 30--Harry Borden and Lafayette Lichey were killed and twenty other workmen were injured by the explosion of a boiler at the plant of the Vincennes Paper Mills Company.

Train Accident at Tracadie, N. S.

Halifax, N. S., July 30--(Special)--A freight train of the track at Tracadie blocked the road, delaying the Sydney flyer so that mails and passengers were not expected here till 1 o'clock. They were transferred.

Train Accident at Tracadie, N. S.

Last Saturday thieves broke into the camp of Fred Clouston and J. Hamm of the Newville. Everything valuable was carried away and the young men had to return to civilization.

Rev. Perry J. Stackhouse has decided not to accept the call to Truro Baptist church, but will remain here for a while longer.

TELEPHONE WAR; COMPANY MOVES FIRST

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Some time ago, application on behalf of the Hampton & St. Martins Railway was made to the post office department, Ottawa, to have the mail carried by the railway. Yesterday, Hon. H. A. McKewen received from the deputy postmaster general a communication to the effect that the Hampton & St. Martins Railway to St. Martins and from St. Martins to St. John would be carried by the Hampton & St. Martins Railway.

The present schedule on the railway makes the train leave St. Martins daily except Sunday and Monday at 9 o'clock, arriving in St. John at 12.50 noon, and returning leaves Hampton on arrival of the express which leaves this city at 1.15 o'clock. On Mondays only the train leaves St. Martins at 5.30 a. m., reaches here at 9 o'clock, and returning to Hampton leaves here for St. Martins on the arrival of the express that leaves here at 5.15 o'clock.

The stage service for the way stations between here and St. Martins will continue as at present.

Harvey Station, July 30--Telephone communication has been established between the station and Manners Sutton and York Mills. Electrician Hunter, of St. John, was here on Saturday and put in the instruments. The poles are up on the line from Manners Sutton to Tweedside and the wire is being put on, and it will likely be open before the end of the week. The total length of the line is about eleven miles. It will probably be extended from York Mills to Brockway at an early date. A handsome new cathedral organ has been placed in the upper church and was used on Sunday for the first time. It was purchased from McMurray & Co., of Fredericton. The old church organ is now being used in the St. Mary's school.

K. J. Robinson, of Boston, who has been spending a school vacation here, returned to Boston Saturday evening.

Miss Ida Glendenning, of Houlton, who has been spending a few days with her parents here, returned this morning.

Dr. J. Orme Green, of Boston, who recently purchased the wood farm at Tweedside, has a very handsome and commodious summer residence almost completed and has gone there to spend the summer months.

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John W. Gossard, of St. John, spent Sunday in the village.

Albert Gossard and George Hamm, of St. John, were in the village.

William Brown and wife, of St. John, are in the village.

Amos Horton, of Parrisho (N. S.), has been the guest of Mr. George Patterson.

Miss Davis, of St. John, spent Sunday in the village.

Mr. and Mrs. McConnell, of St. John, are guests of Mr. George Patterson.

Mrs. Warner, of St. John, spent Sunday in the village.

Miss McConnell, of St. John, is spending a day or two here.

Mr. E. Stollen went to the city on Monday. Horace Babson left for St. John on Monday.

Mrs. W. H. Moran and daughter Marjorie, of St. John, were in the village.

Miss Margaret Wilson, of St. John, is spending a few days here.

The body of the six-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Stewart, of St. John, was brought here for interment on Saturday.

Miss Nellie McCumter went to the city on Monday.

The marriage of Lord Hedd and Mrs. E. S. Cockayne will take place at St. Columba's church, at Southport, Pont street, London, on August 6th at 4 o'clock.

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TELEPHONE WAR; COMPANY MOVES FIRST

N. B. Company Shuts Off Central Messages--New Concern May Take Case to Court, and Meanwhile Promises Rush to Complete Plans--Application to Enter Moncton.

The open war that has long been expected by the Telegraph last night is self-explained by those watching the progress of events, between the New Brunswick and Central Telephone Companies, has at last been inaugurated. Just now for the public will benefit remains to be seen.

The Central Company yesterday made application for leave to enter Moncton and President T. H. Estabrook said that great activity on their part may be looked for soon.

The New Brunswick Company has ordered its agents that in future they must not accept messages offered for the Central Company or transmit messages for them over the N. B. Company's wiring circuit lines. The only exceptions to this order relate to St. John, Fredericton and Moncton and even then the messages will be delivered only to subscribers of the N. B. Company.

To yesterday morning there existed quite a friendly understanding between the companies by which all messages were forwarded by each to points where the other's service was not extended.

It is reported that the Central, according to a reporter that he had been expecting some time ago, is in a position to state officially just what the Central's wiring circuit lines would be if there was inconvenience as a result it would be short lived.

There is a legal agreement, he went on, which binds the N. B. Company to certain services for the Central, who on their side are bound to anything. It is not often, he limited, that agreements are drawn in that manner, but the one referred to is so. The only immediate effect would be to accept messages to or from their work more than they would have done. They are now in communication with their Chicago engineer and he may be expected to arrive soon, "when," said Mr. Estabrook, "there will be something done."

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U. N. B. MATRICULANTS NUMBER MORE THAN 100—ONLY NINE FAILED

Thirteen in First Division, and St. John Well Represented—York County Scholar Leads All—Examiners Consider Results Best Yet Achieved—The List.

Fredericton, July 28—Dr. J. R. Inch, the chief superintendent of education, at noon today gave out the results of the University of New Brunswick matriculation examinations, which are always of interest to everybody throughout the province.

York county carries off the honors of the matriculation. In the list of thirteen candidates who passed in the first division it will be seen that five are from this county, and it will also be observed that Ashley Colter, the leader of all the candidates throughout the province, is also a York county boy. Young Mr. Colter is a son of Hon. George J. Colter, of Kewick, and during his career at the Fredericton High School, from which he has just graduated, he has always been near the head of the class, taking the majority of prizes at the closing exercises in June. St. John is well represented in the list.

The following is the report presented to the Education Office, Fredericton, July 28, 1906. To Dr. J. R. Inch, Chief Superintendent—Dear Sir,—We beg leave to submit our report of the matriculation and leaving examinations for the current year.

There were 110 candidates for the matriculation and eight for the leaving examinations. Of the candidates for matriculation thirteen passed in the first division, fifty-two in the second, nineteen in the third, seventeen in the third conditionally, and nine failed. Of these seven were in engineering and 103 in arts. Of the candidates for leaving one was in the first division, two were in the second, three were in the third, and two failed.

We enclose herewith a detailed list. On the whole, we consider the results the best we have ever had. Respectfully submitted, (Sgd.) W. T. RAYMOND, S. W. HUNTON, JOHN BRITANN, Examiners.

Matriculation examinations, July, 1906. Arranged in order of highest marks—First Division. Ashley A. Colter, Fredericton Grammar School.

Second Division. Florence A. Osborne, Milltown High School. Albert E. MacAuley, St. John Grammar School. Annie L. Tuttle, Moncton Grammar School.

OBITUARY.

Penard M. E. Short. At the home of his aunt, Mrs. Harvey Wheaton, Elmhurst, Kings county, on July 24, after an illness of several months, the death of Penard M. E. Short occurred in the 33rd year of his age.

Patrik McConn, Enniskillen. Patrick McConn, of Enniskillen, Queens county, died that place on Wednesday, aged 66 years. Mr. McConn is survived by his wife, one daughter and six grandchildren.

Capt. James Stewart. Captain James Stewart died at his home, 147 Rodney street, Carleton, Friday evening, aged about sixty years. Deceased was a man who enjoyed the respect and admiration of his community, and his wide circle of friends will hear of his death with real regret.

David D. McLaren. All classes of citizens, but especially perhaps those in the lumber trade, will regret to hear of the death of David D. McLaren, which took place Friday at his mother's residence, 101 G. street. Deceased had been quite ill for several weeks, and in spite of all that could be done, he sank gradually till the end came last night.

Hiam Edgett. Moncton, N. B., July 29—The death of Hiam Edgett, of Moncton's oldest and best known citizens, occurred at the home of his son here last evening after a lengthy illness. Deceased was born in Minard (N. S.), and was nearly 97 years old. He came to Moncton when 15 years old and learned the blacksmith trade with the late James Beatty.

Mrs. Alexander Campbell. Mrs. Antoinette Campbell, widow of Alexander Campbell, died Saturday morning at the home of Morton L. Harrison, aged seventy years. She had lived here for about six months, had spent the greater part of her life in Boston. She was a native of New Scotland, and was the wife of a Mrs. Gammon. She had lived here for the past two or three years. Two children, one a son living in Boston, and Mrs. M. L. Harrison, survive.

Winifred Florence Edwards. The death occurred Saturday morning of Mrs. Winifred F. Edwards, daughter of Mrs. John E. Edwards, at her home, 227 Princess street. She was eighty years of age and is survived by her mother and two brothers.

Mrs. J. Calvin Smith, Formerly of Georgetown. At the residence of her daughter, 2906 University avenue, So. E., Minneapolis, on July 11, Margarette Know, wife of J. Calvin Smith, passed away. Mrs. Smith was born in Georgetown, Queens county, N. B. Mr. Smith in Lincoln, Sanbury county, Mrs. Smith was the last one of her family. She was beloved by all who knew her, and she was held as an example to old and young for piety and was a friend to all.

Henry Wiley, Constable. The death of Henry Wiley, very well known about the city as a constable, occurred at 3 o'clock Monday morning. Mr. Wiley had been ill only a short time and his death comes as a great shock to his friends. He was 65 years of age and leaves one daughter, Mrs. T. V. Erb. He was for many years a well known carpenter in the employ of Mr. Laughlin & Wilson of the west side.

The formation of an I. O. F. lodge at Gouda's Point has been postponed for a week.

WEDDINGS.

Wetmore-Wetmore. A large number of relatives and friends assembled on Thursday afternoon in the chapel of All-Saints, Clifton, which was tastefully adorned for the festive occasion, to witness the nuptials of Boyd A. Wetmore, of Upper New Horton, and Elsie L. Wetmore, one of Clifton's most popular and charming young ladies. The ceremony was performed by Rev. H. S. Wainwright, rector.

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LOCAL NEWS.

Men are now busy excavating at Fort Dufferin for foundations for Coyle & Barker's new apple warehouse.

F. N. Bell Smith, the Ontario artist, is in the city. He has offered to place a number of his pictures in the exhibition.

The anchor given by the dominion government, to be placed on the seaman's lot in Fernhill, has been put in position.

Word has reached the city that smallpox cases have existed for some time at Tappan, and that the disease has also appeared in Prince William and Lower Prince William.

William Grant, a former St. John man, is visiting friends in Truro. Mr. Grant left sixteen years ago for the west, where he is now in the grocery business in Yerkes (Cal.).

A. H. Hobart, until recently foreman of A. Cushing & Co.'s No. 3 mill, was called on by his fellow employes Thursday night, and they presented him a gold ring and dress suit case.

On Saturday morning a street car in Main street struck a wagon owned by a man named Brown. The wagon and two wheels of the vehicle were broken and the horse was cut. Fortunately the driver escaped.

Frank S. Morrison, son of Dr. W. S. Morrison of this city, has been appointed instructor of manual training in the St. Stephen and Milltown schools. He will take up his duties at the commencement of the term.

Frances Lane, the eight-year-old daughter of Wm. Lane, of 29 St. Patrick street, who had been suffering from diphtheria, was taken to the hospital Thursday, and passed away Friday.

Otto Northrup, the five-year-old boy who was seriously injured by falling from an ice wagon on Thursday, was reported Friday to be improving. He is thought to have got over the shock and to be on the way to recovery.

A monster salmon, weighing forty-nine pounds, caught on the upper Coastquada in Canada, was being forwarded to Charles D. Barnes, of Hingham, who is interested in this famous preserve, and by him has been reproduced in plaster, a cast having been taken of the fish.

The little five year old daughter of William J. Lane, of St. Patrick street, died in the Epilepsy hospital last week from diphtheria. Death again visited the household Saturday when another of the children died. Much sympathy will be extended to the bereaved parents in their hour of trial.

Fourteen burial permits were issued in the city last week. The following were the causes of death: Apoplexy, jaundice, meningitis, diphtheria, premature birth, original disease, cholera infantum, general debility, chronic bronchitis, strangulated hernia, inflammation of lungs, organic heart disease and phthisis pulmonalis, one each.

Last Friday Howard Humphreys, a Carleton carman, received a painful accident which will incapacitate him for some time. He was throwing some notes from a wharf into his boat when the notes caught on the railing of his boat and the weight pulled him over into the boat. He struck on his arm, spraining it rather severely.

Yesterday the local police were successful in tracing the whereabouts of Fleming Hewitt, who is being sought by Alfred Wood of the Babineau Hotel, Chatham (N.B.). Fleming Hewitt left Great Yarmouth (Eng.), about eighteen years ago, being accompanied by his two nieces, Janet and Annie Hale. Fleming Hewitt is a former member of the Victoria-Victoria Daily Colonist, July 22.

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MAY INCREASE THE PRICE OF MILK

Dealers Say Enforcement of Recent Board of Health Regulations Will Add Expenses Which Must Be Met by Another Cent a Quart.

Although there is no certainty that the price will be raised, there is a feeling among the local milk dealers that an increase of one cent a quart for milk should be made in order to meet expenses and still have a profit, in view of the recent regulations imposed by the board of health authorities.

Some few months ago, during the typhoid fever cases, when there was reference made to the consumption of unpasteurized milk and to carelessness and uncleanly manner of handling the commodity, the board drew up a set of regulations to govern the milk dealers in their carrying on of the business.

One rule provided that dairy and stable should not be beneath the same roof. Another was that all cans received from the country should be thoroughly cleaned before being sent back.

It is principally in connection with the latter that the shoe pinches the local milkmen. A member of a company doing a large business, in discussing conditions last evening, said that if the law was to be enforced he thought milk might go up one cent. The present rate is six cents retail and five cents wholesale.

"We send back daily from twenty to fifty cans, and are returning them unwashed. Of course, if the board insists that we wash them, why the only thing left is to do so. Others, I believe, are doing the same as we, but if the cans have to be cleaned at this end, it will mean the hiring of a man, and perhaps the fitting up of a special place in which to do the work. This will mean money, and if it is done why the price of milk may go up."

"There is no regular milkman's association, and though the dealers want as good a price as it is possible to get, if the price is put up all may not hold together, and it would likely be some cutting again."

Hopewell Hill News. Hopewell Hill, July 30—Word has been received here of the death of Mrs. Charles Johnson, of Bangor (Me.). The deceased, who was the only child of the late Christopher Rogers, of Hopewell Hill, was about fifty-three years of age, and besides her husband leaves four sons and one daughter by a former marriage, also a large number of relatives and friends in this county.

Little Leproux Notes. Little Leproux, N. B., July 30—The fish this season have been very scarce. Capt. Ellis and Capt. Byrne have been quite busy the last two weeks painting their sloop boats, getting ready for the season's work.

Mrs. Josephine Ellis and Mrs. Fred Ellis have spent two or three days in the haunted camp here.

Mrs. Boyne and daughter, Lizzie, are spending a few days in St. John. Miss Boyne has been sick the greater part of the summer.

The many friends of Capt. Michael Cassidy were glad to see him arrive in the harbor again, after his disaster in the fog last week.

Hon. J. M. Johnson, of Glais, is suing the United States government for expenses incurred in the wool smuggling case which was tried in Bangor in June and decided in his favor.

Robert E. Stewart is visiting friends in Moncton.

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Called Home, Husband Ill. To Monday, no further word had been received here concerning the condition of William Whelpley, of Boston. His wife, who had been spending the summer with her mother at Long Beach, Kings county, left for Boston Saturday evening, for the messages received were very urgent, the last one stating that Mr. Whelpley was worse.

Mrs. Whelpley has a sister living in Adelaide street. The first telegram telling of Mr. Whelpley's illness was received by her, and as the sick man's wife was up river at the long reach, the sister left for the late train and got back to Sydney. The head tax money was given back, and Friday the travellers left by the Halifax express for Sydney. This is the story told by the people themselves.

Little Chap Has His Leg Broken. Quite a serious accident befell five-year-old Johnny Galbraith, son of Fred J. Galbraith, of 18 Clarence street, Sunday afternoon, at Anthony's Cove, which resulted in a bad fracture of the right leg, just above the knee. Sunday morning his father and mother, accompanied by some of their relatives with their families, drove out to the cove for a day's outing.

It was about 3 o'clock in the afternoon when the accident happened. Johnny and some other youngsters were climbing on a tree when all at once a large pole rolled from the top. It fell on the little chap's leg, fracturing it above the knee.

The boy was quickly brought to his feet by his chums, who were some little distance away. As quickly as possible a rig was secured and the little fellow was brought to the hospital.

Shadrach L. Smith. Shadrach L. Smith, eldest son of the late Otis J. and Isabel Smith, formerly of Carleton, died at his home in Ledville (Colo.), on the 28th inst. Mr. Smith was survived by his wife, two daughters and one son. There are also two brothers and four sisters, all in the States. Mrs. Sherman Hoyt, of Waterloo street, this city, is a sister.