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Want Tariff Revision.

Manufacturers' Association Urging Support to Candidates Who Pledge Themselves to This.

MONTREAL, Sept. 22.—The Manufacturers' Association in private session this morning adopted the report of a tariff committee.

"C. That we recommend the establishment in Canada by the dominion government of a permanent tariff commission of experts who shall have constant supervision of the tariff policy and changes, and shall follow closely the workings of the Canadian tariff with a view to making such recommendations to the government as best conserve and advance the interests of the dominion.

Attendance at the Exhibition Thursday Was Seventeen and a Half Thousand, the Largest Crowd Ever Seen at a Fair in New Brunswick.

Thursday's Attendance at the Exhibition Was 17,450.

Table with columns for Day, Attendance, and Total Attendance. Rows include 1st Day (19,000), 2nd Day (12,273), 3rd Day (15,437), 4th Day (17,480), 5th Day (18,568), 6th Day (7,825), 7th Day (8,675), 8th Day (8,177), 9th Day (2,531).

Once more the exhibition management has cause to rejoice over a large attendance, Thursday's figures being fully as high as were expected.

Yesterday, possibly because a wild man of some sort is not a novelty to the average New Brunswick woman and child.

A word about the restaurant and the feeding of the many tens of thousands who have patronized the exposition.

NOTES. G. W. Ganong, M. P. for Charlotte, visited the exhibition yesterday.

OUT ON BAIL. Herbert Leaman Released—Conscience Money for the I. C. R.—Golf League Organized.

There Has Been No Big Fight. Japanese Army is Steadily Advancing on Mukden, but the Fighting Has Been Only Outpost Skirmishing.

While the Japanese are reported to be slowly advancing upon Mukden, there has been no fighting worthy of note between the opposing armies under Gen. Kuropatkin and Marquis Oyama.

Mukden continues slowly, according to information received by the authorities here. Both official reports and press despatches place Marquis Oyama's advance guard thirty miles south of Mukden, while stories printed in the foreign press that a great battle at Mukden has already begun are disproved by the actual development of the scene of operations.

UNKNOWN MAN KILLED. OTTAWA, Sept. 22.—The mangled body of an unknown man was found early this morning beside the C. P. R. trestle, a short distance from Ottawa east.

CRIPPLED FOR LIFE. Robert Dennett Kicked in the Knee by a Horse.

NEWCASTLE, N. B., Sept. 20.—A dog was responsible for a serious accident near here yesterday. Robert Dennett of Northesk was driving two men to Newcastle when a dog sprang from the side of the road and attacked the horse.

First Aid in the Home. For the home there is no other "first aid" so useful as Pond's Extract.

OCEAN RATE WAR. LONDON, Sept. 22.—The American line, which yesterday announced an increase from \$7.50 to \$12.50 in the case of steamer rates to Philadelphia, today raised its steamer rates to the United States by way of Southampton from \$10 to \$15.

FLY TIME Is Coming.

To help you we have: Window Screens, Screen Doors, Green Wire Cloth, Dragon Fly Killer, Sprayers.

W.H. Thorne & Co., Ltd. Market Square, St. John.

A DINNER LAST EVENING. One of the pleasantest incidents at the exhibition yesterday was the complimentary dinner tendered by W. Hodgson, dominion secretary, and his staff of stock judges.

PRETTY COLD WEATHER. The observatory thermometer registered 34 yesterday morning, accompanied by clear weather and high northerly wind.

FAILED TO LOCATE THE GOLD. The St. John's Nfld., Herald says the schooner Thistle, which was purchased at St. John and fitted out here for a gold hunting expedition to Labrador under the guidance of W. Strong, has reached St. John's, Nfld.

HELD THE ELECTION VALID. HALIFAX, N. S., Sept. 21.—The executive of the Diocesan Synod of Nova Scotia has considered the question that has been raised regarding the election of the election of Archbishop Worrell as Bishop of Nova Scotia.

BLINDED WITH HEADACHE. People often get blinding headaches the suffer from constipation. Slight relief may be obtained by the use of Mandrake and Butternut. They are mild, certain and safe.

BURGLARIES IN ST. ANDREWS. Several Houses Have Been Entered During the Past Few Nights.

ST. ANDREWS, Sept. 21.—A number of burglaries have been effected within the past four days in the suburbs of St. Andrews. On the night of Friday last entry was made in the premises of David McRoberts, the owner of the town hall.

KINGS COUNTY INSTITUTE. Delegates at Hampton Had an Excursion—Public Meeting Held Last Evening.

HAMPTON, Kings Co., Sept. 22.—Kings County Teachers' Institute was opened at 10 o'clock in Emith's hall, with about seventy teachers and school officers present.

BABY BRUTALLY MURDERED. MONTREAL, Que., Sept. 22.—A revolting case of infanticide has just been discovered, the victim being a two months old girl, whose body was found in an outhouse at St. Louis Demidoff.

GREATLY EXCITED. ST. PETERSBURG, Sept. 21, 12.45 p.m.—It is significant that the success of the British expedition to Tibet and the protest of Russia against the British-Tibetan treaty some of the Russian papers have suddenly become greatly disturbed over the importance of the Buddhist pilgrimage to Mouren in February.

Orange Meat. A new product for your grocery.

Bloomfield, N. B.; 3rd, E. L. Colpitts, Pettodiac, N. B. Sec. 5, rye, 1 bushel, 4 entries—1st, Donald Innes, Tobique River, N. B.; 2nd, Samuel Harrison, Maccan, N. S.; 3rd, Jas. H. MacAlpine, Lower Cambridge, N. B.

Sec. 6, oats, white, 1 bushel, 12 entries—1st, A. R. Gorham, Grey's Mills, N. B.; 2nd, J. H. MacAlpine, Lower Cambridge, N. B.; 3rd, Donald Innes, Tobique River, N. B.

Sec. 7, oats, black, 1 bushel, 4 entries—1st, Donald Innes, Tobique River, N. B.; 2nd, Boyd A. Wetmore, Bloomfield, N. B.

Sec. 8, buckwheat, 1 bushel, 9 entries—1st, W. N. Sterritt, Grey's Mills, N. B.; 2nd, Jas. H. MacAlpine, Lower Cambridge, N. B.; 3rd, Eben Scribner, White's Cove, N. B.

Sec. 9, buckwheat, 1 bushel, 7 entries—1st, Samuel Harrison, Maccan, N. S.; 2nd, Boyd A. Wetmore, Bloomfield, N. B.; 3rd, F. C. Colpitts, Pleasant Vale, N. B.

Sec. 10, peas, small field, 1 bushel, 4 entries—1st, Donald Innes, Tobique River, N. B.; 2nd, Boyd A. Wetmore, Bloomfield, N. B.; 3rd, F. C. Colpitts, Pleasant Vale, N. B.

Sec. 11, peas, marrowfat, 1 bushel, 3 entries—1st, Donald Innes, Tobique River, N. B.; 2nd, Boyd A. Wetmore, Bloomfield, N. B.; 3rd, F. C. Colpitts, Pleasant Vale, N. B.

Sec. 12, peas, large field, 1 bushel, 2 entries—1st, Samuel Harrison, Maccan, N. S.; 2nd, Jas. H. MacAlpine, Lower Cambridge, N. B.

Sec. 13, beans, yelloweye, 2 entries—1st, Boyd A. Wetmore, Bloomfield, N. B.; 2nd, Eben Scribner, White's Cove, N. B.

Sec. 14, beans, small field, 1 bushel, 1 entry—1st, Jas. H. MacAlpine, Lower Cambridge, N. B.

Sec. 15, beans, large field, 1 bushel, 2 entries—1st, Samuel Harrison, Maccan, N. S.; 2nd, Jas. H. MacAlpine, Lower Cambridge, N. B.

Sec. 16, beans, yelloweye, 2 entries—1st, Boyd A. Wetmore, Bloomfield, N. B.; 2nd, Eben Scribner, White's Cove, N. B.

Advertisement for Stanfield's Underwear. Features an illustration of a man in a suit and the text: 'Stanfield's Underwear can't shrink. We've seen to that for you. Every fibre of the wool is tested for strength. Then we take the shrink out of it. After the wool is woven, we again try to shrink it. And when the Underwear is completely finished, the third trial for shrinkage is made. Every garment goes through the same process.'

Class 55—Apples and Pears. Sec. 1, Apples and Pears, barrels ready for shipment (4 entries)—1st, Frank Lawrence, Falmouth, N. S.; 2nd, C. R. Harris, Church Street, N. S.; 3rd, H. O. Harris, N. S.

Class 56—Apples and Pears. Sec. 1, Apples and Pears, barrels ready for shipment (4 entries)—1st, Frank Lawrence, Falmouth, N. S.; 2nd, C. R. Harris, Church Street, N. S.; 3rd, H. O. Harris, N. S.

Class 57—Plums, Peaches, Grapes, Etc. Sec. 1, Collection of fruits grown in Kings Co. and exhibited by the grower (1 entry)—1st, A. R. Gorham, Grey's Mills, N. B.

Class 58—Fruits. Sec. 1, Collection of fruits grown in Kings Co. and exhibited by the grower (3 entries)—1st, Geo. MacAlpine, Lower Gagetown, N. B.; 2nd, James P. Belyea, Lower Gagetown, N. B.; 3rd, S. L. Peters, Queenstown, N. B.

Class 59—Improved Yorkshires. Sec. 1, Boar, over 2 years (4 entries)—1st, S. J. Goodlife, Sussex, N. B.; 2nd, Holmes Bros., Amherst, N. S.

Class 60—Field Grains. Sec. 3, best bushel of wheat grown in Northumberland Co. and exhibited by the grower (1 entry)—1st, Geo. E. Fisher, Chatham, N. B.

Class 61—Field Roots. Sec. 1, Potatoes, Early, 1 bushel (2 entries)—1st, W. N. Sterritt, Grey's Mills, N. S.; 2nd, C. W. Wetmore, Clifton, Kings Co., N. B.

Class 62—Special Prizes offered by Dominion Sherborn Breeders' Association. Sec. 1, Herd, Bull and 4 Females, any age (3 entries)—1st, C. A. Archibald, Bellevue, Truro, N. S.

grower (1 entry)—1st, Donald Innes, Tobique River, N. B. Sec. 18, Apples, best 10 varieties grown in New Brunswick (5 entries)—1st, Geo. MacAlpine, Lower Gagetown, N. B.; 2nd, Jas. P. Belyea, Lower Gagetown, N. B.; 3rd, W. Cecil Peters, Queenstown, N. B.; 4th, S. L. Peters, Queenstown, N. B.

Class 63—Apples and Pears. Sec. 1, Apples and Pears, barrels ready for shipment (4 entries)—1st, Frank Lawrence, Falmouth, N. S.; 2nd, C. R. Harris, Church Street, N. S.; 3rd, H. O. Harris, N. S.

Class 64—Apples and Pears. Sec. 1, Apples and Pears, barrels ready for shipment (4 entries)—1st, Frank Lawrence, Falmouth, N. S.; 2nd, C. R. Harris, Church Street, N. S.; 3rd, H. O. Harris, N. S.

Class 65—Apples and Pears. Sec. 1, Apples and Pears, barrels ready for shipment (4 entries)—1st, Frank Lawrence, Falmouth, N. S.; 2nd, C. R. Harris, Church Street, N. S.; 3rd, H. O. Harris, N. S.

Class 66—Apples and Pears. Sec. 1, Apples and Pears, barrels ready for shipment (4 entries)—1st, Frank Lawrence, Falmouth, N. S.; 2nd, C. R. Harris, Church Street, N. S.; 3rd, H. O. Harris, N. S.

Class 67—Apples and Pears. Sec. 1, Apples and Pears, barrels ready for shipment (4 entries)—1st, Frank Lawrence, Falmouth, N. S.; 2nd, C. R. Harris, Church Street, N. S.; 3rd, H. O. Harris, N. S.

Class 68—Apples and Pears. Sec. 1, Apples and Pears, barrels ready for shipment (4 entries)—1st, Frank Lawrence, Falmouth, N. S.; 2nd, C. R. Harris, Church Street, N. S.; 3rd, H. O. Harris, N. S.

Class 69—Apples and Pears. Sec. 1, Apples and Pears, barrels ready for shipment (4 entries)—1st, Frank Lawrence, Falmouth, N. S.; 2nd, C. R. Harris, Church Street, N. S.; 3rd, H. O. Harris, N. S.

Class 70—Apples and Pears. Sec. 1, Apples and Pears, barrels ready for shipment (4 entries)—1st, Frank Lawrence, Falmouth, N. S.; 2nd, C. R. Harris, Church Street, N. S.; 3rd, H. O. Harris, N. S.

Advertisement for Dr. Fowler's Wild Strawberry. Features an illustration of a woman and the text: 'Has been in use for nearly sixty years. It is nature's specific for Diarrhoea and Adults. It cures DIARRHOEA, DYSENTERY, CHOLERA, CHOLERA INFANTUM, COLIC, CRAMPS, SEASICKNESS, SUMMER COMPLAINT, AND ALL FLUXES OF THE BOWELS. Its action is Harmless, Reliable and Efficacious. Relief is almost Instantaneous.'

Advertisement for Wilson's Fly Pads. Features an illustration of a house and the text: 'Wilson's Fly Pads. 10c per package. Will rid your house of flies in a few hours.'

Advertisement for Baby's Own Soap. Features an illustration of a baby and the text: 'BABY'S OWN SOAP. Prevents roughness of the skin and chapping. Best for toilet and nursery use. See ALBERT TOLLEY 551 1/2 St. MONTREAL.'

Sec. 1, Potatoes, Early, 1 bushel (2 entries)—1st, W. N. Sterritt, Grey's Mills, N. S.; 2nd, C. W. Wetmore, Clifton, Kings Co., N. B.

Sec. 2, Potatoes, Early, 1 bushel (2 entries)—1st, W. N. Sterritt, Grey's Mills, N. S.; 2nd, C. W. Wetmore, Clifton, Kings Co., N. B.

Sec. 3, Potatoes, Early, 1 bushel (2 entries)—1st, W. N. Sterritt, Grey's Mills, N. S.; 2nd, C. W. Wetmore, Clifton, Kings Co., N. B.

Sec. 4, Potatoes, Early, 1 bushel (2 entries)—1st, W. N. Sterritt, Grey's Mills, N. S.; 2nd, C. W. Wetmore, Clifton, Kings Co., N. B.

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ST. JOHN, N. B., SEPT. 24, 1904.

UTTERLY DISGRACEFUL AND HUMILIATING.

The disgraceful revelations of the Ontario election courts move the Halifax Chronicle to some plain speaking. This is a part of what it says:

"We may add that Canadian liberalism has the best of reasons for its indignation and resentment because of the disgrace which the conduct of a section of the party in Ontario has brought upon it. The very name of Canada itself has been grossly besmirched.

"But there is one good thing about it, no liberal will attempt to palliate much less to defend such impudent rascality. If liberals of standing in Ontario have contented by even one personally, must abide the consequences. If the local liberal party in Ontario can be fairly held responsible for it, so much the worse for the liberal party in that province.

"Such language would have been more applicable at the time of the West Elgin exposures, before the Ontario government and the liberal party had over and over again sought and obtained the benefit of this 'impudent rascality.' The West Elgin disclosures were made some six years ago.

PREPARING TO REPEAT THE CRIME.

The story of the Sault Ste Marie scandal is not all connected with the provincial elections. Before the historic cruise of the Minnie M. and the Philadelphia could be effective, it was necessary to prepare the voters' list and pad it with the names of absentees. It is pointed out that the scheme could not be successful if the polls were not held in suitable places, and if suitable officials were not ap-

pointed. It was necessary to send advance agents to prepare the way, and to change the route of the boat, so that she could evade detection. Another boat chartered by the conservatives to go to the scene of action and warn the opposition scrutineers had to be stopped by the action of a government official. Some of the agents who managed these things were federal officers. Others have been made federal officers since.

But it is important to notice that these same districts must soon vote for federal candidates. For this contest special lists are now in preparation. By special order, believed to be illegal, the government at Ottawa has cut down the period during which an appeal against the lists as prepared may be made. The persons by whom the registration has been made include several of the now disreputable managers who arranged the cruise of the Minnie M. Complaint is made that the electoral roll is loaded down with bogus names. Hundreds of false names are on the roll in places where personation can be carried out as it was in the election just investigated. The same preliminary preparations are made in the same places by the same people, paid by the same governments, and serving the same ministers. In short, the same sort of steal is contemplated and all the arrangements are carried on under the auspices of the party organizations at Ottawa and Toronto.

Whatever doubts on the union question may be at the beginning of clerical conference of the Free Baptist Church have taken possession of some minds were overcome before the conference closed. The union basis as it stood on the close of the Baptist convention at Truro has been adopted unanimously by the Free Baptists. So far as the assemblies of the two bodies can commit to union on these terms. The congregational system leaves these conferences and conventions without formal authority. Yet whatever may be the technical position, there is no doubt that in fact these bodies have spoken the mind of the two churches. They are sure of the endorsement of the congregations.

There remains, however, much to be accomplished. The various business interests of the two churches must be placed on a new basis. They must take up missionary work and educational work together. In some places where each has an organization and there is neither work nor income sufficient for two churches, it will be necessary to bring about a local union. Funds for aged ministers and for other purposes connected with church polity must be re-adjusted. In fact, most of the problems remaining to be settled are purely business questions.

A liberal convention for the constitution of Kings and Albert has been called to meet at Hampton in a week from today. The St. John Gazette forestalls the action of the convention by the intimation that Hon. A. S. White will be the candidate. This leads the Transcript to make remonstrance. The Transcript says that the voice of Albert must be heard and that in the meantime nothing definite must be counted upon. It is pointed out that the question is a rather delicate one, and that premature announcements are not in the interests of the party. There is a persistent report that the minister of railways may contest Kings-Albert, and also that Hon. A. R. McClellan is the choice of the Albert delegation. G. G. Scott, M. P., is also to be considered.

It is constantly charged that the protectionists of Canada must in the nature of things be opposed to the closer commercial organization of the Empire. Lord Rosebery and other opponents of the Chamberlain programme insist that an effective Canadian or Australian preference to British products is inconsistent with the policy of protection to local industries.

This is not the view of most Canadian manufacturers. It is not the opinion of the Canada Manufacturers' Association. Two years ago at Halifax the association laid down this tariff platform which was reaffirmed yesterday:

"Resolved, That in the opinion of this association the changed conditions which now obtain in Canada demand the immediate and thorough revision of the tariff upon lines which will more effectively transfer to the workshops of our Dominion the manufacture of many of the goods which we now import from other countries;

"That in any such revision the interests of all sections of the community, whether of agriculture, mining, fishing or manufacturing, should be fully considered, with a view not only to the preservation, but to the further development of all these great natural industries.

"That while such a tariff should primarily be framed for Canadian interests, it should nevertheless give a substantial preference to the mother country, and also to any other part of the British Empire with which reciprocal preferential trade can be arranged, recognizing always that under any conditions the minimum tariff must afford adequate protection to all Canadian producers."

Mr. George E. Drummond, retiring president of the Canadian Manufacturers' Association, in his address at the annual meeting now in progress in Montreal, quoted this statement, and declared that the association stood today on exactly the same ground as when the creed was pronounced. He pointed out that there are only two great markets open for Canadian products today, first the home market, second,

the British market. The Halifax policy, as he neatly describes it, has a double purpose: "To conserve as much as possible these two markets to the Canadian people, and in the case of the British market, to transfer orders for our surplus requirements to our own country."

Mr. Drummond contends that there are strong and pressing reasons for tariff revision in the interest of Canadian producers, who are suffering from unfair United States competition. He shows that the main feature of our trade in the last year has been the enormous increase in the imports from the United States, and the main feature of these imports is the fact that they consist largely of goods that might be made in Canada.

But if Mr. Drummond is an uncompromising protectionist, he is none the less an imperialist and a supporter of an imperial preference. He says: "With regard to the question of preferential trade between the United Kingdom and her colonies, we have placed ourselves unreservedly on record as favorably disposed to an arrangement that, while encouraging the development of industries in Canada, will nevertheless give a substantial preference to the mother country, and also to any other part of the British Empire with which reciprocal preferential trade can be arranged.

"A preferential arrangement giving Canadians an advantage in the markets of Great Britain will be immensely to the interest of our agriculturists. Moreover, it will be to the advantage of our national and imperial interests in that it will make the Dominion of Canada more attractive than ever to desirable immigrants from Great Britain and elsewhere.

"For these reasons, if for nothing else, the policy must command our earnest support, yet the motive that has above everything influenced us in endorsing the policy has been an earnest desire for the union of the British race, for the firm and effective federation of our people in all quarters of the globe."

This platform is endorsed by the great body of Canadian protectionists. It has the support of the conservative party, and at least the nominal approval of many liberals, though it does not find adequate expression in the legislation controlled by the government.

A PERIL TO THE NATION.

The fifth provincial election petition in Ontario has been tried. This time Hon. E. J. Davis, commissioner of crown lands, has been unseated. He is the third ministerialist to lose his seat, while the two petitions against conservatives have both failed for want of evidence. Mr. Ross has now no majority except such as may be obtained from the casting vote of Speaker Charlton.

Reference was made yesterday to the demand by the Halifax Chronicle that the liberal party should clear itself of complicity in these Ontario scandals. A comment on the demand is found in this North York case, where a minister and a party leader is shown to have chosen for his personal agent a man who had been reported by the judges for previous corrupt practices. This is one more illustration of the close personal connection between the leaders of the party and the perpetrators of the election crimes which have shocked the moral sense of the whole country.

The other day the chief liberal organ at Toronto used strong words in condemnation of "Cap" Sullivan, who was mentioned in contemptuous terms. Sullivan and his son thereupon spoke their minds, observing that the Ontario government owed its continued existence to the persons and the offences so denounced, and intimating that the two had found the members of the government and the leaders of the party rather glad to see them at critical times.

The Ontario situation is full of interest to people in all parts of the country. But it is a matter of deeper interest that in the federal election now approaching the same persons and the same methods will be employed as were used in the provincial elections. History shows that the same unsavory gang of criminals have worked in elections for the legislature and for the house of commons. The preliminary steps have already been taken for a repetition of the Sault Ste Marie outrage. It appears that the arrangement of a list similar to that which was used by the foreign passengers of the Minnie M. is in the hands of persons who figured in that expedition. The Laurier government has ready to its hand the whole mechanism whereby these Ontario seats were stolen. We leave it to those who know the connection between the Laurier government and the Ross government to judge whether this machinery will be used.

The engagement is announced of Miss A. H. Boardman of Calais and Dr. H. Allen of Cambridge, Mass.

W. R. Harris, who has been doing business in Calais for some years, is moving to Truro, N. S.

It is reported that citizens of St. George are seriously considering the advisability of incorporating the village. The "granite town" is one of our most enterprising and progressive communities, and if the change is decided on it will give Charlotte county by the foreign passengers of the Minnie M. is in the hands of persons who figured in that expedition.

MANAGED AT OTTAWA. The minister of railways was in Ottawa on Tuesday and Wednesday of this week.

So was Hon. A. S. White of Sussex. Announcement came from Ottawa and was published yesterday that the convention for the nomination of the liberal candidate for Kings and Albert would be held next Thursday at Hampton.

Meanwhile it had been stated in one of the government organs of this city that Mr. White would be the candidate. It remains to be seen whether the party in Kings and Albert has anything to say about it.

The other day Mr. Cowan, M. P. for Essex, told a newspaper that the conservative majority in Ontario would be no more than twelve. But he has himself concluded to take his reward for the Grand Trunk Pacific and go out of politics. A few weeks ago T. O. Davis, M. P. for Saskatchewan, told the Montreal papers that the west was solid for Laurier. Now we find Mr. Davis declining renomination. He will be made a senator.

Now we have the finally final announcement that the Canada Eastern purchase has been completed. The public may therefore expect that Mr. Emmerson will speedily bring about the condition for which he bought the property. They have Mr. Emmerson's own statement that the chief advantage of the transaction will be that goods from the North Shore destined for the west will be headed off from the Canada Eastern route.

Some friends of Mr. Blair are worried over the suggestion that Mr. Blair may have changed his political views. It will probably be found that he has the same opinions that he had a year ago. He still believes that the Grand Trunk Pacific is a sheer unjustifiable waste of public money. He still holds that this contract was made because Senator Cox could not wait.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier proposes that the people shall pay nine-tenths of the cost of the Grand Trunk Pacific and then give the road away. Mr. Borden prefers that the people should pay the other tenth and keep the railway themselves.

"We have lost" Dundonald and retained Hon. Sydney Fisher. I doubt if we have gained very much by the bargain."—R. L. Borden at Windsor, Ont.

The Woodstock Press says that "the return of Mr. Hale from the West 'has given our good old friends a feeling of decided unrest.'"

St. Stephen.

ST. STEPHEN, Sept. 21.—The steamer Viking, after her arrival here on Monday, made a special trip away down to Digdeguash River for the purpose of towing a raft of logs from there to the Magaguadavic River. To reach the logs she had to pass a draw in the government bridge over the Digdeguash, but when an attempt was made to open the draw it was found that the machinery was out of order and the draw could not be opened. The Viking had to return over a twenty mile course and leave the logs where they were.

Three colliery puppies from S. McCurdy's kennels were disposed of by Harold Beak, J. R. Sedgewick and J. Bert Polley. Mr. McCurdy still has a number of his thoroughbred beauties for sale.

Washington County railway is to run an excursion from Calais to Princeton on Sunday, leaving Calais at 10.50 and returning leaving Princeton at 6.

Rev. Thomas A. Mitchell of Montreal will preach in the Presbyterian church on the next two Sundays.

The funds of Chipman Memorial Hospital have been increased by \$2,000 received from collections in the Church of the Holy Rosary and \$15,400 collected in Christ church.

Prince Edward Island has again sent its quota of students to McGill. The list includes Coleridge Ellis of O'Leary; John Gillis of Misouche; A. R. McLeod of Wigg; R. H. McDonald of Beauséjour; and Stewart McLeod of Arthur of Summerside; R. A. Donahue of Cardigan; Edwin and Ivan Reddin of Charlottetown; J. M. McKenzie and Norman Gillis of Hartsville; Ernest Bowness and Cecil Walker of Kensington.

Among the distinguished visitors to P. E. Island this year was Dr. Cornell Gould Schurman, president of Cornell University, to whom our people always look with admiration. He was accompanied by his brother, George W. Schurman, a member of a leading law firm in New York. They were visiting their old home in Fredericton and left on return only a few days ago.

The question of consolidated schools is becoming a live one in this province. The idea is becoming more popular in consequence of the splendid work being done in the rural gardens. The schools are amalgamated and where the children are driven in specially built vans to and from school by contractors.

There the system is giving every satisfaction. The following teachers have gone to Guelph to take a course in rural school work: Samuel Ackland, Maud Hayes, Christine Long, Lizzie Noonan, Annie Clark, M.A., and Henry McLean.

The nuptial knots this week include: Rev. W. B. Siam, rector of Summerside, and Miss Annet, daughter of Rev. W. B. Annet of Halifax; Gordon Clark of Tatamagouche, N. S., and Ella Carruthers of Mill River; James A. Stewart and Annie McKay, both of Charlottetown; John Alexander (captain) of Quince, Mass., and Marie Ferguson of Tignish; Frederick G. Connor of St. Eleanors and Marie Munro of Georgetown; Major Noy of Emmore River and Etta Campbell of Mount Pleasant; Lemuel Winchester of Lot 10 and Ida May Ferrage of Stanley Bridge; James Younkes and Louise McEwen, both of Charlottetown; Stanley W. Keefe of Lot 56 and Catherine A. Mansfield of Lot 59; John J. Duff and Henrietta May McDonald, both of Fort Augustus; Captain Winnifred M. Cowan and Ensign Alex. H. Fleming, the former of the Salvation Army corps in this city, and the latter of the maritime headquarters staff of St. John.

INSANE OVER FATHER'S SUICIDE. ALBERT, N. S., Sept. 21.—The eighteen-year-old son of Abel Smith, who committed suicide last week, was by his physicians, been pronounced insane and will be sent to the institution at Dartmouth, brooding over his father's rash act, is supposed to have unbalanced his mind.

Orange Meat An Ideal Breakfast

P. E. ISLAND.

Consolidated Schools Are Arousing Much Interest.

Two Accidents Recently—Death of Hon. Benjamin Davies—Lots of Marriages.

CHARLOTTETOWN, Sept. 22.—Two painful accidents occurred here during the last few days. A man named James Murphy, about fifty years of age, fell from the roof of a house he was painting to the ground, a distance of seventeen feet. He struck upon his shoulders and head and sustained severe injuries, particularly about the back. The other unfortunate is Percy Crockett, son of John T. Crockett, who lost three fingers of his left hand while at work in the railway shops. The accident was caused by his hand catching in the cog wheel of a machine and being badly mangled.

In the death of Hon. Benj. Davies, which occurred here on Friday morning, this province loses one of its oldest and ablest statesmen. He was in his 81st year. One of his sons is Sir Louis H. Davies, now of the supreme bench of Canada. He had filled many important positions in our government and the army with integrity and ability. His remains were interred on Sunday afternoon. The pall bearers were Lt. Governor McIntyre, Chief Justice Sullivan, Senator J. E. Elias, Mr. J. H. Beazley, James Barrett, John H. Gates.

Recent departures from this province include John McLean of Wiltshire, on a trip to the Canadian Northwest; Mrs. Lagerwood, returning to Texas after visiting her old home at Stratigraphy; Mrs. T. B. Alcorn and son George, on a trip to Chicago; Louisa Carver of Pownal, and Kate McLeod of Wiltshire, to Winnipeg; O. S. Gordon on a trip to the open seas; Mrs. H. McQuarrie of Crapaud, on a visit to Cincinnati; W. E. Cameron, to attend Oxford University; Robert Harris, C. M. G., his sister and Mrs. Harris, returning to Montreal; Helen Anderson on a trip to Kingston; Catherine B. McLeod, to Enderby, B. C. Arthur Howatt of Humboldt, Col., is home on a visit to his brother and sister, viz., Nelson Howatt of North St. Stephen, aged 40; J. H. Bell of Summerside, Mrs. John Morton, formerly of West River, but now of Pine Ridge, N. B., is here on a visit after an absence of over 30 years.

It is pleasing to remember that at the fifteenth annual meeting of the Scottish Club of Boston, held a few days ago, one of our boys, James Pendergast, formerly of Kensington, carried off several of the honors in the open games. He took first place for putting the 16-pound shot, second for throwing the 16-pound hammer, and first for tossing the mallet. There were about twelve thousand spectators.

Recent deaths in P. E. Island include Archibald Blue of Selkirk Road, aged 73; Mrs. James E. McLeod of Murray River, aged 41; John B. McCurdy of St. John's, aged 83; Mrs. David Brown of York, aged 83; Mrs. John A. White of Rollo Bay Cross, aged 33. Deaths of Islanders residing elsewhere include: At Amherst, Elizabeth Cole, aged 40; at Fredericton, Mrs. Miss Rachael Isabella Jardine, of Orwell. She died suddenly of appendicitis while visiting her sister in Fredericton.

Rev. D. Davies, formerly of Alberton, has accepted the rectory of Christ church, Edinburgh, at a salary of \$2,000 a year.

J. Preston Tuplin, C. E., has been visiting his parents, James and John, of New Minas. Mr. Tuplin is dated from McGill in 1889. He followed his profession in Minneapolis and Pittsburgh, but is now located in New York.

Prince Edward Island has again sent its quota of students to McGill. The list includes Coleridge Ellis of O'Leary; John Gillis of Misouche; A. R. McLeod of Wigg; R. H. McDonald of Beauséjour; and Stewart McLeod of Arthur of Summerside; R. A. Donahue of Cardigan; Edwin and Ivan Reddin of Charlottetown; J. M. McKenzie and Norman Gillis of Hartsville; Ernest Bowness and Cecil Walker of Kensington.

Among the distinguished visitors to P. E. Island this year was Dr. Cornell Gould Schurman, president of Cornell University, to whom our people always look with admiration. He was accompanied by his brother, George W. Schurman, a member of a leading law firm in New York. They were visiting their old home in Fredericton and left on return only a few days ago.

The question of consolidated schools is becoming a live one in this province. The idea is becoming more popular in consequence of the splendid work being done in the rural gardens. The schools are amalgamated and where the children are driven in specially built vans to and from school by contractors.

There the system is giving every satisfaction. The following teachers have gone to Guelph to take a course in rural school work: Samuel Ackland, Maud Hayes, Christine Long, Lizzie Noonan, Annie Clark, M.A., and Henry McLean.

The nuptial knots this week include: Rev. W. B. Siam, rector of Summerside, and Miss Annet, daughter of Rev. W. B. Annet of Halifax; Gordon Clark of Tatamagouche, N. S., and Ella Carruthers of Mill River; James A. Stewart and Annie McKay, both of Charlottetown; John Alexander (captain) of Quince, Mass., and Marie Ferguson of Tignish; Frederick G. Connor of St. Eleanors and Marie Munro of Georgetown; Major Noy of Emmore River and Etta Campbell of Mount Pleasant; Lemuel Winchester of Lot 10 and Ida May Ferrage of Stanley Bridge; James Younkes and Louise McEwen, both of Charlottetown; Stanley W. Keefe of Lot 56 and Catherine A. Mansfield of Lot 59; John J. Duff and Henrietta May McDonald, both of Fort Augustus; Captain Winnifred M. Cowan and Ensign Alex. H. Fleming, the former of the Salvation Army corps in this city, and the latter of the maritime headquarters staff of St. John.

INSANE OVER FATHER'S SUICIDE. ALBERT, N. S., Sept. 21.—The eighteen-year-old son of Abel Smith, who committed suicide last week, was by his physicians, been pronounced insane and will be sent to the institution at Dartmouth, brooding over his father's rash act, is supposed to have unbalanced his mind.

Orange Meat An Ideal Breakfast

BIBLE SOCIETY.

Report of Constitutional Changes. An important conference of the friends of the British and Foreign Bible Society was held in Toronto at the request of the parent society on the 14th and 15th inst.

Representatives were present from Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, Quebec, Montreal, Ottawa, London, Perth and Upper Canadian Bible societies. The following draft of the constitution was agreed upon and was sent down to the auxiliaries for their approval.

1. The formation of a Canadian Bible Society for the entire Dominion of Canada, to embrace all the existing auxiliaries of the British and Foreign Bible Society in the Dominion, the said Canadian Bible Society to be itself an auxiliary to the British and Foreign Bible Society, and to be called "The Canadian Bible Society Auxiliary to the British and Foreign Bible Society."

2. That the auxiliaries of the British and Foreign Bible Society of Canada, entering into this arrangement, shall in the meantime carry on the work at present under their care.

3. That the general board shall be composed of members elected annually by the auxiliaries in the following proportion: One member for each auxiliary having between fifty and one hundred branches; one additional member for each additional hundred branches or fraction of a hundred, such fraction to exceed fifty. The calculation to be based on efficient and contributing branches. The honorary general treasurer shall be ex-officio member of the board and the general secretary shall be a corresponding member.

4. The board shall meet annually in such place as they may decide.

5. The board shall elect their officers as they may require, including the honorary treasurer general.

6. That the headquarters of the organization shall be in Toronto.

7. There shall be an executive committee appointed by the general board, composed of the officers of the board, and seven members, which shall meet quarterly, or at such times as may be deemed necessary.

8. That all future appointments of district secretaries shall be made by the general board, with the approval of the auxiliaries concerned.

9. A general secretary shall be appointed by the British and Foreign Bible Society, after consultation with and approval by the general board. He shall have no authority over the work in the Dominion of Canada, except what may be accorded him by the general board. His duties shall be decided upon by the parent society.

10. Auxiliaries shall contribute such portions of their revenue as they may need for colportage within their territory and other local Bible Society work, and report thereon to the general board, they shall remit the balance to the general treasurer, which balances shall be used for the extension of the work in Canada and free grants of the parent society, due regard being had to the request of the local branch contributors.

11. The general board shall administer such moneys as may come to their hand from auxiliaries and otherwise, and use the same for the extension of the work in Canada and for free grants to the parent society.

12. The secretaries of this conference shall send a copy of the scheme adopted by this conference to all auxiliaries for their consideration, and that they signify their concurrence on or before the first day of February, 1905. When a majority of the auxiliaries, together with the Upper Canada Bible Society, shall signify their concurrence, the chairman of this conference shall request such auxiliaries to appoint their representatives to the general board and shall summon the first meeting of the general board.

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J. H. Hipplegate, Supt. of Public Works, 61 West 6th St., Lexington, Ky., writes: "I find that Peruna is an excellent medicine especially for catarrhal affections and all diseases leading to consumption, bronchial troubles or stomach troubles. It also acts as a preventive and keeps the system in a healthy condition so that it excels tonic and great appetizer and as a large number of those who have been using it speak very highly of its curative powers, I am satisfied that my opinion of it is correct, and that it is deserving of high praise."

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Address Dr. Hartman, President of The Hartman Sanitarium, Columbus, O.

COOLNESS OF A BURGLAR. Owner of Paris House Found Him Taking a Bath.

PARIS, Sept. 20.—Returning to fetch some papers from his rooms in the Boulevard Beaumarchais, M. Wellfrank, a business man, found that they had been ransacked. On entering the bathroom an extraordinary sight greeted him.

A young man was taking a bath, with a cigarette in his mouth and a novel in his hand, while beside him stood a bottle of hair oil and a plate of biscuits. Without showing any surprise, the burglar, a well known criminal named Gomme, remarked, "caught again, my luck. Let me dress and I will go with you."

At the same time he handed to his captor, says the Matin, a bundle containing the valuable articles that he had appropriated from the flat.

ELLIS-SPEAR. SUSSEX, Sept. 21.—In the Presbyterian church at 3 o'clock this afternoon the marriage of Miss Alice Spear, eldest daughter of Mrs. Joseph Spear of this place, to Geo. Ellis of Bathurst, was performed by Rev. Mr. Bird. The bride was attired in a navy blue suit, with hat to match, and carried a bouquet of white carnations. The choir sang The Voice that Breathed Our Eden. The bride entered the church on the arm of her brother, and Mr. Sherwood rendered Mendelssohn's Wedding March at the close. The church was prettily decorated with potted plants, cut flowers and bouquets, and was filled with friends of the bride, Mr. and Mrs. Ellis left for the C. P. R. to take in the St. John exhibition before going to their home in Bathurst.

WALL-ROSS. ST. STEPHEN, Sept. 21.—The residence of Mr. and Mrs. James Ross at Milltown was the scene of a party given by their children, in which the principals were their daughter, Miss Evelyn, and John Nason Wall, a popular young merchant and optician of St. Stephen. Only immediate relatives were present. The bride, a pretty blonde, was charming in a costume of pearl crepe de chene over silk, and was attended by her little niece, Ruth Harmon, as flower girl. The groom was unattended. The ceremony was performed by Rev. J. Buchanan, pastor of the Congregational church, and at its close a dainty repast was partaken of. The happy couple left for St. John, Monday, and other friends of the bride's travelling suit was of brown Venetian, with white silk blouse and brown hat.

NERVOUSNESS A CALAMITY. Many who don't realize what it beyond treat an attack of "nerves" with indifference. Others consider it will soon pass away. But in every case nervousness is a calamity, beyond remedy in prospect a future full of dread. One remedy will cure nervousness, Ferrozone—a nerve strengthener that acts through the blood. First light appetite—you eat plenty. This purifies the blood, with nourishment for the inner nerve cells. Energy and strength is instilled into every part of the system. You get well-keep well, nervousness forever departs, because you are on six boxes for \$2.50, at all dealers or Faxon & Co., Kingston, Ont., and Hartford, Conn., U. S. A.

WILL SPEAK HERE. Hon. T. C. Casgrain, M. P., and E. F. Clarke, M. P., are expected to arrive here from Annapolis Monday afternoon, the third of October. It is understood that they will speak here on Tuesday, at Woodstock Wednesday, at Moncton, Thursday, and probably at Campbellton on Friday.

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CITY NEWS.

Recent Events in and Around St. John, Together With Country Items From Correspondents and Exchanges.

To cure Headache in ten minutes use Kumfort Headache Powders, 10 cents.

A. M. MacLure of MacLure & Langley, Ltd., Toronto, has appointed W. A. Simonds as agent in New Brunswick for Collier's Swiss Chocolate.

Before leaving Canada Lord Minto will present banners prepared by the imperial authorities to the regiments which participated in the South African war.

About two weeks ago a young lad, "Eh" Robinson, Campbellton, stepped on a rusty spike which penetrated his foot to the bone. Lockjaw developed and the young fellow died Sunday.

The wedding is announced for October 19th of James Trent Duxton, chief draughtsman in the I. C. R. at Moncton, formerly of Halifax, to Ada Ellen, daughter of Rev. William Penna, pastor of Wesley Memorial, Moncton.

ONE HUNDRED MILLION bottles of Pinkettes used since Perry Davis made the first. Billions of stomach-aches and other aches cured; what a record in 60 years. Have a bottle always handy—you will not regret it.

Joseph Stackhouse, a Loch Lomond farmer, has lately lost four cows in a very mysterious way. Saturday evening he found three of the animals dead in the pasture, and on Sunday he was astounded to find a fourth dead. Mr. Stackhouse thinks that the cows were maliciously poisoned.

Rev. C. D. Schofield, at present rector at Hampton, was unanimously elected rector of Christ's church, Sydney, at a largely attended parish meeting Tuesday evening. He is to succeed Rev. S. J. Woodroffe, who has accepted a call to Charlottetown. Rev. C. D. Schofield is a young man and a graduate of King's College. He also took a post-graduate course at Edinburgh after which he served a seven year term as curate at Portsea.

PREFERRED TO DIE.

Wife Murderer Gave Up His One Chance For Life.

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 21.—With every prospect of gaining a reprieve and eventually a commutation to a short term of imprisonment, James Webb, under death sentence for the murder of his wife and mother-in-law, has declared in his cell at Moyamensing prison that he wishes to die, by his own act has cut out of his one chance of escaping the gallows. When his attorney went to the prison with the documents needing the convicted man's signature, Webb refused to sign and said he wanted to die on the gallows.

WORK ON THE SHORE LINE.

By the middle of November the managers of the Shore Line railway will be in a position to go ahead with the work of putting the road into proper shape. Matthew Nelson, who was here a few days ago, stated that the steel bridges which it had been decided to put in were nearing completion and would be delivered early in November.

A NEW SCHOONER.

G. N. Pearson, the veteran master builder of Hantsport, is with his assistants rapidly pushing the new schooner of the Avon line to a finish. This new schooner will be known as the King of Avon and is finer built schooner never went from old Fundy, being thoroughly fastened with yellow metal and galvanized iron, with oak, hard pine and other woods for hull.

CORNS KILL PLEASURE.

No fun in walking with corns. To cure in 24 hours, apply Putnam's Corn and Wart Extractor. It's painless—doesn't burn—takes out the corn, roots and all. Use only Putnam's; it's the best.

The Brooklyn Eagle editorially says: "The biggest building in Halifax, some of them nearly three stories high, had to be dynamited to save them from the flames on Thursday. These buildings were the most animating that Halifax has been permitted to enjoy in years and years."

CHAPMAN-DUNN. A fashionable wedding took place at the Unitarian church, Houlton, Me., at three o'clock yesterday afternoon. The contracting parties were Miss Deborah C. Dunn, second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Bancroft Dunn, and granddaughter of E. G. Dunn of St. John, and Dr. Henry Milton Chapman, E.

D. C. STILLWELL DEAD. The death of Daniel Coburn Stillwell occurred at his home in Scotchtown, Queens Co., N. B., on Sept. 17, 1904, after a lingering illness, by which he had been kept from active service for up to this last fifteen years of his life. The deceased, who had reached the advanced age of eighty-eight years, was born at the place of his death. His wife, whose maiden name was Denton, had preceded her husband in death about four years. He is mourned by one daughter and five grandchildren, two daughters having preceded him in death. The departed had confessed conversion at an early age and united with the Scotchtown Baptist church, of which he was a faithful, consistent and useful member. While a comparatively young man he was ordained deacon of the same church and at middle age was licensed by the church to preach the gospel. As a local preacher he had been of much good and profit to the Scotchtown and adjoining settlements, and by such he had won not only the highest respect of his neighbors, but also fame as a student of God's word and a most helpful exponent of its truths. To the writer he was spoken of in the highest terms by his oldest acquaintances. The funeral services were conducted on Monday, Sept. 19, at the residence of Wm. Smith of Maugerville, as preacher.

HEAVY FROST IN VERMONT. CHESTER, Vt., Sept. 22.—Unripe corn and green produce in Windsor and Windham counties, suffered this morning by a falling of the temperature of four degrees below freezing point. In Windham county there was a genuine snow squall lasting ten minutes. The ploughed fields in this vicinity were covered with a quarter inch crust and still water froze to an equal thickness.

Orange Meat. The Nation's Cereal.

NOTICE.

The Canvassers and Collectors for the SEMI-WEEKLY SUN are now making their rounds as mentioned below. The Manager hopes that all subscribers in arrears will pay when called on.

EDGAR CANNING in Albert and Estmorland counties, N. B. W. F. S. CHAPMAN in Kings Co. N. B.

WM. H. ANDERSON DEAD.

FREDERICTON, Sept. 21.—The death occurred at ten o'clock this morning of ex-Adm. Wm. H. Anderson, one of Fredericton's best known and most highly esteemed citizens. Mr. Anderson had been confined to his house for some months past, and his death was not unexpected. The deceased was born in St. John eighty-one years ago on the site of the present exhibition buildings. About sixty years ago he removed to this city, where he has with an active interest. For four years he was an alderman of the city, and for twenty-two years he filled the combined offices of roadmaster and chief engineer of the department, in both of which capacities he proved himself most efficient. Since 1844 he has been a member of the Orange order, and up to the time of his late illness always took an active interest in its organization. At the time of his death he held the position of past county master as well as past grand master. In religion Mr. Anderson was an Episcopalian, and his wife has been one of the most active members of St. Ann's church. His wife died some seven years ago, and the surviving family include three daughters, Mrs. Thos. Ashburnham, Mrs. A. S. Thompson and Miss Lucy Anderson, and four sons, John M. of Somerville, Mass., Hamilton of Montana, James of Madawaska and Henry of this city. The funeral will take place Friday afternoon and will be held under the auspices of the Orange order. Rev. Canon Roberts will officiate.

WONDERFUL INTELLIGENCE. At the beginning of the horse show yesterday, James McClay, shepherd of the Chamcook Farms, gave an exhibition of the wonderful intelligence of the collie dog. He turned loose in the field a dozen sheep which quickly scattered about. In the centre was a small pen not more than fifteen feet square, to which he gave the dog to understand the sheep were to be kept in that pen. In less than five minutes the dog had led all the sheep together and drove them into the pen. Every time they attempted to start in a wrong direction the dog would head them back, and in a very short time had all the sheep together and drove them into the pen. Every time they attempted to start in a wrong direction the dog would head them back, and in a very short time had all the sheep together and drove them into the pen.

NO MORE OPERATIONS. The day of operations for piles is past for all who know of the efficacy of Dr. Chase's Ointment as a cure for this horrible ailment. It doesn't matter what time of day you have it, so long as you use Dr. Chase's Ointment carefully and plentifully, it will soothe, bring relief and cure. Ask your friends and neighbors what they know about this preparation.

GOLDEN WEDDING. Pleasant Occasion at Greenwick Last Monday.

At Greenwick, Kings County, on Monday evening, the home of Mr. and Mrs. Isaac W. Pitt was the scene of a most pleasant event when four generations of their descendants assembled to celebrate the golden anniversary of their wedding. The children, grandchildren, great grand children and friends of the elderly couple present numbered about fifty and it only needed the presence of the host and hostess to complete the list. Dinner and tea were served in the Orange Hall, which was tastefully decorated for the occasion. Mr. Pitt presented his wife with a gold watch, and Mrs. Pitt presented Mr. Hatch with a gold watch, and Mrs. Hatch with a gold watch.

TRIED TO RUN NEWCASTLE. Two American Sports Attempted to Show Off.

NEWCASTLE, Sept. 20.—Two sportsmen who subsequently gave their names as Hale and Morris, started to take possession of Newcastle on their arrival here by the Ocean Limited last Friday afternoon.

GOOD ORDER IN THE STATION. I. C. R. Police Have Kept the Thousands of Visitors in Perfect Control.

With the thousands of people who are thronging the depot every day this week it is remarkable that there has been no disorders or trouble of any kind. Since Saturday last every train has brought large numbers to the city and each outgoing train has taken away a correspondingly large crowd. Of course there has been a certain amount of drunkenness, but in no case has it been necessary for police interference. I. C. R. Police Officer John Collins has had charge of the depot and has succeeded in giving all a cordial welcome and sending them away on their right train. At the gate, Mr. Stevens has had a steady job punching tickets and answering questions. The management of the I. C. R. must have an excellent opinion of St. John as they have not sent an extra officer here.

LADY CURZON ILL. LONDON, Sept. 22.—A bulletin issued this morning by the physicians attending Lady Curzon, of Kedleston, wife of the Viceroy of India, says her ladyship's condition is improving. It was stated that Lady Curzon was indisposed, but that her illness gave no immediate cause for anxiety.

IN OUR GRANDFATHER'S YOUTH. Paralysis was almost unheard of in the youth of our grandparents, and now nearly every newspaper contains a record of someone being stricken with this dreaded form of helplessness. Paralysis is in reality starvation of the nerves, and can always be prevented by the timely use of Dr. Chase's Nerve Food, a preparation which is not rival as a creator of nerve force.

PHEON W. BROKE TRACK RECORD A MOOSEPATH.

In the Free For All the Mile Was Trotted in 2.17 1-4 Beating the Time Made by Nelson Nine Years Ago.

Nearly two thousand spectators saw Pheon W. lower the Moosepath Track record yesterday afternoon in one of the hardest and closest finishes of the meet. The track was in the best possible condition, the rain of the previous night rather aiding in the rolling and clearing up of the course after the first day's events, and before the races were called the wind and sun had completely dried up all moisture. The favorite of the wind was across the track and interfered but little with the work of the horses.

The list of entries for yesterday's events gave promise of fast time being made, and the crowd looked forward to some hard contests between the leaders. Nor were they disappointed. The heats in the 2.40 class and Pheon W.'s record time of 2.17 1-4 was made, and the crowd looked forward to some hard contests between the leaders. Nor were they disappointed. The heats in the 2.40 class and Pheon W.'s record time of 2.17 1-4 was made, and the crowd looked forward to some hard contests between the leaders. Nor were they disappointed.

The 2.40 and the free-for-all were the only events during this second day of the meet. The 2.40 was run off first. Nine had entered for this event, but Miss Arrowwood, owned by Fred Duncan, of Parrville, Alaska, was owned by Ned Gowan, Espinola, owned by L. B. C. Phair, and Regal Pandect, owned by D. C. Clinch, did not start. That left the field to Ruth Wilkes, Dell Estelle, Lady Bingen, Brown Hal and Pearle Edison.

Lady Bingen drew the pole, with Ruth Wilkes and Pearle Edison next. After several attempts at scoring, Starter Smith got the race started. Pearle Edison took the pole and was followed by Ruth Wilkes and Brown Hal. Willis gained slightly on the stretch and at the turn was close on Gilchrist's horse. The latter trotting as smoothly as a machine, without a break or hitch, and kept her lead. Meanwhile Estelle was breaking badly and falling. The race was clearly between the two leaders, Lady Bingen, who had crept up dangerously close on the second lap and at the turn the three came down the stretch about even. The race was clearly between the two leaders, Lady Bingen, who had crept up dangerously close on the second lap and at the turn the three came down the stretch about even.

Summary: 2.40 Class, Trot and Pace—Purse \$250. Lady Bingen, F. Warren.....3 1 1 1 Pearle Edison, Dr. J. B. Gilchrist.....1 2 4 2 Ruth Wilkes, E. Purdy.....2 3 2 3 Dell Estelle, W. J. Furbush.....5 4 4 4 Time—2:38, 2:25 1/2, 2:28 1/2, 2:22.

In the free-for-all Simiasse drew the pole with Gilty, Pheon W. and Helen R. Helen R. went ahead. The first quarter was done in 37 seconds, no change in position taking place, and Pheon W. won in 2:17.

Pheon W. held the pole in the second heat, though for a time Helen R. pressed very close. Simiasse had broken badly and lost considerable ground. Pheon W. was put to the test in this heat elicited much admiration, for she not only overtook and passed Helen R. after a severe struggle but closed the gap between her and Pheon W. who all this time had been keeping steadily along with machine like precision. It seemed hopeless for the black mare, but she crept up foot by foot. Pheon W. was put to his limit, however, and he won out, but was compelled to break the track record to secure first place. His time by quarters was 34, 1:07 1/2, 1:44 1/2, 2:17 1/4.

Summary: Free-for-all, Trot and Pace—Purse \$400. Pheon W. W. J. Furbush.....1 1 1 1 Helen R., Springfield stables.....2 3 2 3 Gilty, E. LeRoi Willis.....3 2 4 4 Time—2:19, 2:17 1/4, 2:21.

A Wise Educational Policy.

Mount Allison University and the Progress Which is Being Made Along Modern Lines.

Mr. Allison University is rapidly developing a strong engineering department, in which special attention is given to mechanical engineering. In the effort the colleges are making to meet the demand for technical education several facts have been made very clear. In the first place, unless some unprecedented additions be made to the endowments of the colleges of the maritime provinces, they cannot hope to successfully compete in all branches of engineering with the work which can be done at McGill University, which has become through its enormous endowments the most completely equipped technical school in the world. In the next place it is just as clear that no colleges can equip themselves to give the showwork and drawing, the science and mathematics, the English and modern languages which are common to the first two years in all courses of engineering and architecture. This work can be done as well by smaller colleges as by larger technical universities, and in many cases, even more thoroughly on account of the larger amount of personal attention which can be given to each student. The work of the third and fourth years in engineering is highly specialized and requires the use of costly apparatus and many highly trained professors. This work can therefore be better done by the wealthiest colleges. It seems therefore if a college does what Mt. Allison University has done in arranging affiliation with McGill University, it puts the highest educational advantages within the reach of our young men. Mt. Allison has equipped as an integral part of the university work a set of shops in which the carpentry, forging, lathe work, chipping and filing, mechanical drawing and pattern making can be taught as an engineer should know them if his designs are to conform to economical shop practice.

After several years ago, and it was announced to the students of McGill at the last convocation that as soon as the demand for engineering graduates at every man who received a degree in engineering from McGill should in general scholarship have reached the standing of a graduate in arts. Mt. Allison has thrown herself in line with this policy and has arranged her courses so that a student while taking his arts course may take as options engineering studies more than sufficient to cover the first two years of engineering. A path is marked out for those who wish to study engineering subjects only. Yet the above must be the best course for any young man who can afford the money and the time. One of the finest college residences in the dominion is opened to students at such a rate that a boy in this way may win both degrees in arts and engineering in six years from matriculation at a total cheaper cost than if he had proceeded at first to the large university for engineering alone. An increasing number of students at McGill elect to pursue this double course. As the third and fourth years of the arts course include such electives as political economy, law of contracts, astronomy and additional work in the higher mathematics an arts graduate finds himself well prepared to make the best use of the advanced work at McGill. He gets the best of two colleges.

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Hopewell Hill.

HOPEWELL HILL, Sept. 19.—Stillman Downey, an old and very highly respected resident of Curryville, suffered a stroke of paralysis on Saturday, and remained in an unconscious condition for some time. Yesterday he was reported to be considerably improved.

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KERR & SONS. Oddfellows' Hall.

LOST CHILDREN. Officer Collins had two lost children on his hands last evening. One of them, a little girl, whose parents belonged to Amherst, had been left sleeping in the depot while they went out on an errand. Waking up she found herself in a strange place and when she could not find her father, she began to cry. She became hysterical after a time when he did not appear. In spite of all that friends could do, one of these wanted to place her on the excursion train and let her go to Amherst, but Mr. Collins would not allow this and she was taken to the depot until her father arrived. Not long after this he came back to the depot and was naturally surprised at the way his daughter ran to him, laughing and crying. She was so close to him the rest of the evening that there was no chance of her being lost again.

SUSSEX. SUSSEX, N. S., Sept. 21.—Nelson Evelyigh has bought out Charles Mitchell's grocery business and stock. The store closed today for one week. Mr. Evelyigh will conduct a general grocery, flour and feed business.

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SERMON.

Dr. Louis Albert Banks on the Compassion of Christ.

Dr. Louis Albert Banks preached recently at Brooklyn on "The Christ Who is Touching the Feet of Our Infirmitates." The text was from Hebrews 1:15. "We have not a high priest which cannot be touched with the feeling of our infirmitates, but was on all points tempted as we are, yet without sin." Dr. Banks said: "The last part of this text explains the first. Christ is in sensitive touch with us in the temptations and trials of life because He has personally experienced them. He is not a stranger standing off on the ramparts of heaven, looking down, though it be ever so benevolently, upon sorrows and difficulties which He has never personally known. Such compassion could not mean much to us. But Jesus Christ perfected himself as the captain of our salvation through suffering. For three and thirty years He was touched with the feeling of our infirmitates. How much that ought to mean to us. When we are in any trial or trouble, and we need comfort, it is not to the most joyous and happy, who have never known sorrow, was, to whom we go for sympathy. There was a woman whose little child very suddenly died in her arms. It was her only child, and the very idol of her heart. She was stunned by her grief, and she could not cry. Her heart was broken, and her tears seemed to be frozen. She would not let anybody take the body of her child out of her arms. Her husband lovingly tried to comfort her, and sought to persuade her to give the child to him, but she would not. For hours she held the little body close to her breast, her face full of untold agony. At last, the husband thought of a neighbor down the street who had lost a little child not long before, about the same age as their little one. He went to her, and told her of the awful sorrow that had come to their home and the sad condition of her wife. She begged her of some words, and if she would know how to comfort her. The woman came, and quietly went in, and without a word said down beside the poor grief-stricken mother, put her arms around her, her own tears rolling down on her cheeks, and kissed her, and simply said, "I know all about it, dear." The face of the mother softened in a moment. The refreshing tears came to her eyes; her heart melted in her, and she held the body of the child out to her neighbor, and said: "I can give it to you. I could not give it to anyone else, for they did not know."

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WORLD'S SUPPLY OF COAL.

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