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Stole Seven Thousand. MONTREAL, Aug. 15.—Seven thousand dollars in bank bills were stolen from the Canadian Pacific railway station at Joliette, Que., last night. The money had been sent by the Banque Nationale to its local branch there. It arrived late in the evening and as the express company's safe was out of order the agent hid the money in the cellar of the station. This morning it was gone. This is the third time inside of three years the station has been robbed. On the first occasion the safe was cracked and \$6,000 stolen. The second time \$3,200 was taken and the station burned to cover the crime. Now \$7,000 more is missing. The thieves in the first two robberies were never caught.

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The Son was Badly Fooled. LONDON, August 10.—Some people are not satisfied with making themselves objectionable during life, but must needs contrive to leave behind them such plans as will, when carried out, cause further suffering or annoyance.

Minister in Trouble. Rev. Mr. Colter of this city occupied the pulpit of the Methodist church at Marysville yesterday in place of the pastor, Rev. W. W. Brewer, who at the suggestion of the Quarterly Board of the church did not preach. Many rumors concerning Mr. Brewer of conduct unbecoming a clergyman have been rife for some time, and it is understood that the charge of drunkenness is to be formally preferred against the pastor of the Marysville church before the chairman of the district, Rev. G. M. Campbell.

A Charge Preferred. A former charge of drunkenness has been preferred against Rev. W. W. Brewer, of Marysville, by Rev. E. C. Turner, of Gibson before the chairman of the District, Rev. G. M. Campbell, of this city. The chairman is appointing a committee of clergymen to investigate the charge, and the committee will meet at an early date as possible, probably about Aug. 28th.—Gleaner.

Story of a Slave. To be bound hand and foot for years by the chains of disease is the worst form of slavery. George D. Williams, of Manchester, Mich., tells how such a slave was made free. He says: "My wife has been so helpless for five years that she could not turn over in bed alone. After using two bottles of Electric Bitters, she is wonderfully improved and able to do her own work." This supreme remedy for female diseases quickly cures nervousness, sleeplessness, indigestion, headache, backache, fainting and dizzy spells. This miracle-working medicine is a godsend to weak, sickly, run-down people. Every bottle guaranteed. Only 50 cents. Sold by all Druggists.

Attacked by a Rooster. HANOVER, Ont., Aug. 11.—A little child of scarcely two years, daughter of Mr. F. Wise, a farmer living near Allan Park, wandered off to the barnyard on Saturday and was attacked by a game rooster. When the child was found the rooster was standing over her and striking at her with his spurs. The poor little thing was covered with blood and so exhausted that it could not cry out. She was brought to Hanover and a physician found that the rooster had driven his spurs into her head in several places one just above one of her eyes.

Torn by Hounds. INDIAN HEAD, N. W. T., Aug. 13.—While herding cattle on a farm adjoining the railway near here a little German boy named Fell was set upon by six or seven hounds owned by parties in town. The boy was literally torn to pieces. He was rescued by sectionmen who happened along on a hand car, among whom was the boy's father, who was horrified by the discovery of his son on the ground being slowly worried to death.

Remarkable Rescue. Mrs. Michael Curtin, Plainfield, Ill., makes the statement that she caught cold, which settled on her lungs; she was treated for a month by her family physician, but grew worse. He told her she was a hopeless victim of consumption and that no medicine could cure her. Her druggist suggested Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption; she bought a copy for her husband and she found herself benefited from first dose. She continued its use and after taking six bottles, found herself sound and well; now does her own household work, and is as well as she ever was. Sold by all Druggists, large bottles 50 cents and \$1.00.

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A WOMAN'S SUFFERING. Was Troubled With Palpitation of the Heart, Extreme Weakness and Nervous Headaches. In the little hamlet of Montrose, Welland County, resides a lady who gives much praise to the curative power of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. The subject of this testimony is Mrs. Richard Hanna, an estimable lady who has resided in that locality for many years. A reporter seeking an interview with Mrs. Hanna found her willing to give full details, which are given in her own words. Five years ago I was taken ill. I attributed the trouble at the time to an injury sustained by a fall. Time went on and I did not really consider my cure complete. I can reach food better, sleep soundly, and stand more fatigue than I could for years previous. Although I have passed the meridian of life I feel as healthy as when I was in my twenties. With great pleasure and a grateful heart I give this testimony.

The Lumber Trade. Throughout the country the lumber trade is reported in a highly prosperous condition. Prices in Chicago in a wholesale way are from 50 cents to \$1 per 1,000 higher than a week ago. At other distributive centres even greater advances have been made. Discussing lumber trade conditions, the Chicago Tribune says: "It is not difficult to discover the reason why prices are going up. Statements are frequently heard to the effect that the high cost of building material, labor, etc., is interfering seriously with building operations throughout the country, but nevertheless the demand indicates that there is more building being done this season than has been the case for a number of years. The manufacturers and wholesalers are all loaded up with orders, most of them having a sufficient number booked to keep them busy for 30 to 60 days if not another order was taken during that time. This is true in practically every line of the lumber business. Such a condition alone might not be sufficient to force a general advance in prices during July, but on top of the goods demand there is a shortage of stocks all over the country. Stumpage has advanced in all sections, and there has also been a material increase in the cost of manufacture, owing to the higher wages and the greater cost of repairs and supplies about the mill. It is owing to these conditions that manufacturers are forced to advance their prices, and even at that they are not getting much benefit out of the advance. And the wholesaler is not much better off. Prices at the mill have been advancing so rapidly that he has not been able to keep selling prices above the point where he could replace the stock sold and leave any margin for profit in the transaction. The retailer is in about the same situation. His prices to the consumer have not advanced as rapidly as have prices at wholesale. However, none of these seem disposed to complain greatly over existing conditions, even though they are not altogether ideal."

Drowned at Ottawa. OTTAWA, Aug. 17.—A soldier of the Royal Canadian regiment of infantry en camped at Rockhill, Private Robert S. Dunn of No. 2 company, Fredericton, N. B., was drowned this afternoon while bathing in the Ottawa river. He dived under a raft of logs and failed to come to the surface on the other side. Several companions were with him at the time but were unable to render any assistance. The body has not yet been recovered. Dunn was a young man, unmarried, and has two brothers in the imperial army in Ireland.

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## Rise up ye Women that are at Ease

A MOTHER IN JAIL.

"Did you put my mother in jail," asked a little tot of a girl while she pushed her sun-bonnet back and looked from one officer to another, as she stood in the police station. She was so young that she could hardly speak plainly, and so small that a policeman had to help her up the steps of the station-house.

The officers stood at the little wail. They had arrested a plump-haired woman who spoke four languages in her rage, and fought the officers like a fury. They did not dream that this was her child.

The little thing seemed so innocent and pure that they did not want her to see her mother caged like a wild beast behind iron bars, but the mother heard her voice and called her, and so they swung open the corridor door and let the little creature in. She went to the cell, looked in and cried, "Why mother, are you in jail!"

The mother shrunk back aghast. The child dropped on her knees on the stone floor, clung to the iron bars of the door, and prayed, "Now I lay me down to sleep, and I hope my mother will be let out of jail!"

The strong men had a strange moisture about their eyes as they gazedly led the little thing away. When the case came into court, His Honor whispered to the woman to go home, and for her child's sake to behave as a mother should. Perhaps she will do so—unless she meets with some one licensed to deal out, for the "public good," that which makes fathers act like brutes, and mothers forgive the sucking child. Perhaps she will prove a true mother, unless some honorable and respectable citizen gets her away on a dram on which he makes a profit of a few cents. Strange things are done in this world, but few are more strange than the wonders wrought by the devil's draught, which in an hour turns love to hate, calmness to frenzy, quiet to confusion, and a mother to a fiend.—Selected.

## LIBERTY.

The policeman interfered with the personal liberties of a man dog on the streets the other day, and shot its life out, just because it went mad. The dog couldn't help going mad, any more than the liquor seller can help the people from becoming drunkards, and wrecks and vagabonds, when they drink the liquor he is authorized to sell. Why, then, kill the dog? Because his madman endangers human life. But all the lives lost by mad dog bites since Cain slew Abel have never done the human man race as much harm as one saloon can do in a single generation. Yes, kill the mad dog, but kill the saloon too. Of all the mad things that ever poisoned human life and happiness, it is by far the most deadly.—The Week Advance.

## AN EARNEST APPEAL.

At a recent annual convention of the Catholic Total Abstinence Union of the United States, held at Boston, a rousing speech was delivered by Rev. Father James R. Cleary, of Minneapolis, president of the organization. Among other forcible statements in his address, were the following:

"I wish to emphasize that it is upon our harmonious organization that we depend very largely for ability to cope with the powerful liquor traffic of the country.

"There are two factors that we have to deal with principally, the appetite of the drinker, which often comes to be a disease, and the appetite of the liquor seller. The appetites and passions of men cannot be controlled by laws; they require higher and holier influences than any legislative body can enact; they must receive the influence of conscience, religious teachings and supernatural motives. The aversion of the dealer, however, seldom yields to appeals of religion; it requires the strong arm of the law to make it yield.

"The kingdom of heaven even has no place for the drunkard, says sacred, inspired Scripture, and certainly the church of Christ on earth has no more place for him. Our Union seeks no opposition to any good movement or rightful occupation, but it seeks the good, the uplifting, ment of mankind."

## PRACTICAL PROHIBITION.

The benefits that have come to Scotland by the law prohibiting the sale of liquor on Sunday were pointed out in a forcible speech recently made in Glasgow, by Ex-Battle Lewis, in which he said:

"The consumption of spirits in Scotland seven years before the operation of the Forbes-McKenzie Act stood at 47,338, 802 gallons, while seven years after the passing of the Act it had fallen to 37,745, 976 gallons. We took away one-seventh of the publican's working time, and it is a remarkable coincidence that it reduced his trade by more than one-seventh.

Look now at its effects on drunkenness and crime. In Glasgow in three years under the old law 24,972 were convicted. In three years under the new law 19,370 were convicted. Under the old law 4,082

were convicted and under the new law 1,406 were convicted for Sunday drunkenness.

"In Edinburgh for drunkenness and crime during three years under the old law 29,905 were convicted, and in three years under the new law 23,903 were convicted. For Sunday drunkenness in three years under the old law 2,009 were convicted, and in three years under the new law 488.

"I might go on and take every town in Scotland. In the seventeen leading towns in Scotland for drunkenness on the Sundays during three years before the operation of the Act 11,471 were convicted, and three years after its operation 4,377—a decrease of 7,172, or nearly two-thirds."

## Humorous.

### Disapproving an Idiom.

"Ma," remarked the small boy, "ain't it funny that everybody calls little brother a bousing baby?"

"Why do you think it is funny, William?" returned his mother.

"Because when I dropped him off the porch this morning he didn't bounce a bit. He just holered."

"When I grow up," said Ethel, with a dreamy, imaginative look, "I'm going to be a school teacher."

"Well, I'm going to be a mamma and have six children," said Edna.

"Well, when they come to school to me I'm going to whip 'em, whip 'em, whip 'em!" (With crescendo intonation.)

"You mean thing," exclaimed Edna, as the tears came into her eyes, "what have my poor children ever done to you?"

### Making the Most of it.

In Hall recently a little girl was invited to a party at a friend's house. After tea different games were engaged in until it was time to go home. As the guests were leaving the hostess offered the little girl a bun.

"No, thank you, ma'am," said the girl, "I could not eat any more."

The hostess then told her to put it in her pocket.

"I can't," replied the mite; "it's full already; but the next time I come I will bring a basket."

### Had No Use for a Speaking Tube.

A solemn looking Irishman entered a business house the other day and, walking up to one of the men employed on the lower floor, asked:

"Is there anny chanst for a mon t' get a job av wur-rk here?"

"I don't know," answered the man addressed, "you'll have to see Mr. Hobart."

An' pfwere is he?" asked the Irishman.

"Up on the second floor," was the answer.

"Shall Oi walk up and talk t' him?" queried the seeker for employment.

"No need of that," replied the man. "Just whistle in that tube and he'll speak to you," pointing at the same time to a speaking tube.

The old Irishman walked over to the tube and blew a mighty blast in. Mr. Hobart heard the whistle, came to the tube and inquired:

"What's wanted down there?"

"The Paddy Flynn!" answered the Irishman. "Ar' ye th' boss?"

"I am," replied Mr. Hobart.

"Well, thin," yelled Flynn, "whick yer head av at th' second sthory windy whole Oi shup out on th' sidewalk! Oi want to talk t' ye!"

### It Did not Freeze Her.

A freckle-faced girl stopped at the post-office and yelled out:

"Anything for the Murphys?"

"No, there is not."

"Anything for Jane Murphy?"

"Nothing."

"Anything for Ann Murphy?"

"No."

"Anything for Tom Murphy?"

"No."

"Anything for Bob Murphy?"

"No, not a bit."

"Anything for Terry Murphy?"

"No, nor for Pat Murphy, nor Dennis Murphy, nor Pete Murphy, nor Paul Murphy, nor for any Murphy—dead, living, unborn, native or foreign, civilized or uncivilized, savage or barbarous, male or female, black or white, franchised or disfranchised, naturalized or otherwise. No; there is positively nothing for any of the Murphys, neither individually, jointly severally, now and forever, one and inseparable."

The girl looked at the postmaster in astonishment, and said: "Please to look if there is anything for Clarence Murphy."

Old Lady (on ocean steamer)—Mercy me! Is this all one ship?

Traveler's Granddaughter—Why, yes, grandma, and we haven't walked a quarter the length of it yet.

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50 PIECES BLACK FIGURED DRESS GOODS, 20c. PER YARD.

AMERICAN PLAID DRESS GOODS, (double width), 10c.

WHITE COTTON, 36 inches wide, 5c.

APRON GINGHAM, with Border, 8c.

OXFORD SHIRTING, 50 pieces to select from, 8c.

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LADIES' HOSE, 7c. PER PAIR.

## BARGAINS FOR MEN

A MAN'S SUIT, Canadian Tweed, ONLY \$3 75.

PANTS, made of good cloth, 85c.

PANTS, made of Canadian Tweed, 1 25.

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Crushed to Death.  
About half past four yesterday afternoon, three cars of a gravel train left the track at Lawlor's Lake, and Thomas H. Hourihan of 289 City Road, was thrown under the wheels and crushed to death.

A gravel train leaves the city twice every day, carrying car loads of stone and dirt from the excavations at the new I. C. R. works. On the first trip in the morning, the train carries, besides the shovellers, among whom Mr. Hourihan worked, a gang of men who are employed ballasting the road with the material brought out by the train. On the second return trip in the evening, these men are picked up and taken into the city.

About three o'clock yesterday afternoon the gravel train of ten loaded cars, went out on its second trip in charge of Conductor Reuben Hunter and Engineer Theodore Wilkins.

After discharging its load it started on its homeward journey, with the crew aboard, the engine pushing the cars. As the train neared Lawlor's Lake speed was reduced to about six miles an hour, and it has reached a point slightly above the bridge when the second, third and fourth flat cars from the end left the rails. Conductor Hunter, who was standing on one of the cars near the engine, saw the train leave the track and immediately gave the order "down brakes," shutting down the brake nearest himself at the same time and running to the next one to do the same thing, but before he had reached the second brake the train had been brought to a standstill.

But the shock of the train leaving the track must have thrown Mr. Hourihan off his balance and down between the wheels, which passed over his body,

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Local Happenings.

Items of Local Interest Carefully Prepared by the Gazette's "Man About Town."

SCHOOL BLANKS.—Mr. Angus Daigle Chipman, has for sale District School Assessment Lists and School Tax Notices.

COMMENCED WORK.—Work has been commenced upon the construction of a trotting park at Young's Cove.

IMPROVING.—We are glad to see Mr. J. W. Dickie has so far improved from his recent illness to be out again on Tuesday.

NOTICE.—Probate Court, Queens County, will be held on the 2nd Wednesday in each month until further notice.

BIKES.—I have on hand one ladies and one gent's wheel, (Massey-Harris), Laminated Rims, Dunlop Tires, slightly second hand, which I will sell cheap. Please call and examine or write to, C. L. SCOTT, Gagetown, N. B.

CHURCH MEETING.—The parishioners of St. John's church, Gagetown, will hold a meeting in Guild Hall, on Thursday evening, the 24th inst. at 7:30 p. m. The purpose of the meeting is the choosing of a new rector.

Buy a pound of Union Blend, You'll find a key placed in the end Of each and every pound of tea. It may prove sticky one to be.

LED THE CLASS.—Mr. Leo Ebbett, son of Mr. C. H. Ebbett, of Lower Gagetown, and a recent student at the Grammar School has led the class at a Matriculation examination for McGill College, Montreal.

PROBATE COURT.—Before Judge Ebbett on Monday letters of administration was granted to David M. Pearson in J. Joslin estate. Letters testamentary were granted to G. W. Perry in the estate of Henry A. Perry and Mary C. Perry.

UNITED THE COAL MINES.—Mr. Wm. Irvine of Millidgeville, who visited Grand Lake coal mines a few weeks ago, states that it is his opinion that if there was a railroad into the mines they would pay better than the Klondike gold mines, and says it is a great wonder that a railroad was not put there long ago.

DANGEROUSLY ILL.—We have been requested to state that Miss Annie Fleming is dangerously ill with neuralgia of the head and heart. Miss Fleming had this same disease last year, but recovered after a long illness. Her many friends will be sorry to hear of her dangerous condition.

DEATH AT MAUGERVILLE.—Chas. A. Parley, a well known resident of Mauger-ville, died Monday of diabetes, aged 53. He leaves a widow, one son, Chas. F. Parley, and three daughters, Mrs. W. A. McLean, Mrs. Jas. Upton, and one unmarried at home. The funeral took place at 1 p. m. Wednesday.

FOUND NAPPING.—A young man after driving a young lady home, was seen napping in his carriage near Filling Mill Hill very early on the morning following the Gagetown party. Another young gentleman finding the horse feeding by the side of the road started him for home without awakening the sleeping occupant. He was aroused when the horse, on entering the yard was brought to a standstill by coming in contact with the gate-post. This should be a warning to others.

SUNDAY SCHOOL TEACHERS MEETING.—The annual meeting of the Sunday School Teachers' Union of Kingston Deanery, will meet at Cady's Station, Queen's Co., on Aug. 30th at 11 a. m. All Sunday school teachers and others interested in the work are requested to be present. Arrangements have been made with the I. C. R. and Central Railway for the first class single fare. Entertainment will be provided for those signifying their intention of attending by addressing C. A. S. Warnford, Lawson's Post Office, Queens Co., on or before the 23rd inst.

ONE HUNDRED AND SEVEN YEARS OLD.—Friends and relatives of Mrs. Amy Blizzard, probably the oldest resident of New Brunswick, gathered at her home, McDonald's Point, Tuesday evening to celebrate her 107th birthday. Mrs. Blizzard, even at this remarkable age, is in the full possession of her faculties, and is said to be much brighter than at any time for the last three or four years. Altogether about one hundred guests were present, and among the party were seven children, five grandchildren, and five great grandchildren of the aged lady. About seventy sat down to a splendid tea served on the lawn in front of Mrs. Blizzard's home, and during the evening solos were rendered by Miss Ethel Sprague and John Salmon. Twenty-four of the party remained all night at the house, and at six o'clock in the morning Mrs. Blizzard, despite the weight of her 107 years, was up and dressed to bid good bye to her guests for another year. Before leaving her children made her a present of a well filled purse.—Sun.

BAPTIST CONVENTION.—A full report of the Baptist Convention being held at Fredericton will appear in our next issue.

FOR MOOSE KILLING.—A Brunswick, Queens county man, against whom there was an information for killing moose during the close season in March last, surrendered himself to Game Commissioner Knight at St. John, August 10, night. Magistrate Ritchie accepted \$100 bail, and Humphrey forfeited it.

ACKERMAN vs. BOYD.—Judgment in the case of Ackerman vs. Boyd—an appeal from the decision of the magistrate in Queens county, under the provisions of sec. 22, Cap. 83, of the Consolidated Statutes, Landlord and tenant act, was delivered by Judge Wilson in chambers Wednesday, setting aside the order of the justice's, with costs. John R. Dunn, for plaintiff, Mont. McDonald, for defendant. The case will be repleaded to the Supreme Court.

MARRIAGE AT ST. MARTIN'S.—Mr. Chas. H. Brown of this place, was married on the 18th inst., to Miss Sadie Mannett, of St. Martin's. The ceremony was performed in Holy Trinity Church at St. Martin's, by the Rector, Rev. A. Barham. Mr. and Mrs. Brown arrived here by steamer on Friday. They will reside at the residence of Mr. Brown's uncle, Mr. John Fox. Mrs. Brown will receive her friends on Thursday and Friday of this week.

GARDEN PARTY AND CONCERT.—A very successful garden party and concert under the auspices of the Ladies Aid Society, of St. John's church, Gagetown, was held on the delightful grounds of Mr. H. B. Hall, Rossmore, on Wednesday evening last the 18th inst. The lawn and garden was beautifully lighted with Chinese lanterns and tastefully decorated with flags. The programme, which was quite lengthy, consisted of vocal and instrumental music, readings, etc. Miss Jacobs, who is visiting Mrs. N. Otty, rendered valuable assistance. The entertainment was concluded with a "cake walk" which received loud applause. Ice cream and other refreshments were sold on the grounds during the evening. The proceeds, which are in the vicinity of \$30.00, go toward paying off the debt on the painting of St. John's church.

LITTLE GIRL DROWNED.—At Green Head, Tuesday evening, Dorothy, the twelve year old daughter of Mr. James Armstrong, bookkeeper in Mr. J. Sealy's was drowned. At about seven o'clock Dorothy went down with a man named John Emery to the lime kiln, where he was to attend the fires. While Emery was at his work the little girl must have fallen over the pier, for when Emery returned he saw her floating in the water. He at once raised an alarm and grappling irons were speedily secured. After about half an hour's work the body was brought to the surface by James Lanney. Mrs. Armstrong and her family have been spending the summer at Green Head, where Mr. Armstrong's family reside. Dorothy was a bright little girl, a great favorite with her companions and her death will be sincerely regretted.

PERSONAL.

Mrs. Bulyea, sr., we are pleased to state, continues to improve. She was able to be removed to the residence of her daughter, Mrs. A. S. Corey, on Saturday last.

Mr. R. DeB. Scott, who has been confined to the house for the past few weeks continues about the same.

Mr. Blake Purdy of St. John spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Purdy, of Jemas.

Mrs. Wm. Edwards, of St. John, is spending a few days in town.

Miss Bessie J. Dungee is visiting friends in St. John.

Miss Jenny Sweeney, of Boston, is visiting Miss May Scott.

Mrs. Sweeney, of Boston, is visiting Mrs. C. L. Scott.

Miss Kate Palmer of Mount Allison Academy spent Sunday with her sister, Mrs. J. P. Bulyea.

Mrs. Starkey and family, of St. John were guests of Mrs. W. H. Bulyea on Thursday last. Mrs. Starkey is visiting her sister Mrs. James Gilchrist.

Messrs. Hazen and Belyea of St. John were in Gagetown on Monday attending Probate Court.

Dr. McFarlane of St. John is in town. Mr. Ackerman, the Plaintiff in the Ackerman vs. Boyd case, was here on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Thorne, of Johnson, were here on Monday attending Probate Court.

Messrs. Wesley T., and Simon Hamilton, of Boston, are visiting friends here.

Mrs. Hugh McLean, of Briggs Corner, was in town on Tuesday.

Messrs. A. W. Baird, L. A. Curry and A. W. Ebbett are in town.

OROMOTO.

Aug. 21.—We are having very fine weather of late, and the farmers are getting along nicely with their haying.

Mr. John E. Steer has returned from England where he was visiting his parents and friends.

Miss Bridgella Rutledge has returned from the Boston City Hospital, where she was under treatment for a few weeks.

Mrs. Burton Robertson is visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Rutledge.

West Smith, George Lockhart, and Arthur White, have just returned from spending a few days down river where they were tenting out fishing. The catch was very small.

Team loads of people go blueberrying since haying has finished. The blueberries are wonderful thick on the Shank's road, Emery Lindsay of Shirley, and Miss Annie and Lizzie Currier of this place, were out Saturday and by some means rambled too far into the woods and did not get back to the village till 9

o'clock in the evening. They brought back an immense lot of berries. George Bryson has returned from Eschamps, Mich. His many friends are glad to see him.

W. N. Parlee, schoolmaster of Oromoto, is erecting a very fine house. The Rectory is being shingled. Albars Gravel has the contract. John Gilmore, of St. John, is having his house in this place renovated. It looks well.

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At Jerusalem, on August 10th, to the wife of Rev. Frank Fritzie, a daughter.

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BROWN-HUGHES.—At Northfield, Sunbury County, on the 16th inst., by Rev. W. E. McIntyre, Jas. W. Brown, of Hardwood Ridge to Maude B. Higgins, of Salmon Creek, Chippewan.

BROWN-MANNETT.—On the 16th inst., at Holy Trinity church, St. Martin's, St. John Co., N. B., by the Rev. Alfred Barham, Rector, Mr. Charles H. Brown of Gagetown, Queens county, N. B., to Miss Sadie, eldest daughter of George Mannett, Esq., of St. Martin's, N. B.

DIED.

BELL.—At Coote Hill, Queens Co., N. B., on August 14th, after a short illness, James Bell, aged 71 years.

Picnic at Headline.

The Presbyterians of Headline intend holding their Picnic

NO. 4 ORANGE HALL.

Wednesday, August 30th, if fine. Should the day prove stormy, the picnic will be held the first fine day following.

A good time may be expected.

H. B. HETHERINGTON, Barrister-at-Law, Etc.,

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In the Probate Court of Queens County.

To the Sheriff of the County of Queens or any Constable within the said County.

GREETING: Whereas J. Samuel Vanwart hath prayed that Letters of Administration of the estate and effects of O'Dell Vanwart, late of the Parish of Hempstead, in said County, trader, deceased, may be granted to him in due form of law. You are therefore required to cite the heirs next of kin, and all others interested in said estate to appear before me at a Court of Probate to be held at my office at Gagetown, within and for the said County of Queens on Wednesday, the Thirtieth day of September next, at the hour of two o'clock in the afternoon, to show cause why Letters of Administration of the said estate should not be granted to the said J. Samuel Vanwart as prayed for.

Given under my hand and the Seal of the said Court, this 19th day of August, A. D. 1899.

A. W. EBBETT, Judge of Probate in and for Queens County

JOHN W. DICKIE, Registrar of Probates.

In the Probate Court of Queens County.

To the Sheriff of the County of Queens or any Constable within the said County.

GREETING: Whereas Idora E. McDonald, of the Parish of Wickham, Queens County, wife of Mansford H. McDonald, M. D. hath prayed that Letters of Administration De Bonis Non Cum Testamento Annexo of the Estate of Leonard S. Vanwart who died on or about the 18th day of March, A. D. 1898, at the Parish of Wickham aforesaid, may be granted to her.

You are therefore required to cite the heirs, next of kin, and all others interested in the said estate to appear before me at a Court of Probate to be held at my office in Gagetown within and for the said County of Queens on Wednesday the Eleventh day of October next at Two o'clock in the afternoon, to show cause if any they have why the same should not be granted.

Given under my hand and the Seal of the said Court this twenty-second day of August, A. D. 1899.

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We have marked every yard of Black Dress Goods down in price. They are Black caduques, merinos, lustrous plain and figured. Any lady wishing a black dress should see this lot. From 20c. yd. up.

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25 pieces fancy dress goods that were 40c. yard, we have cut the price during this sale to 27c. yd. See them.

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About 50 remnants laid out from 2 yds. to 6 yds. All at half price to clear.

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Why pay more for your linings when the same class of goods can be bought here at half the price? See our fine grey Oxford at 34c. 35c. 40c. 45c. yd. All wool.

Shirting Gingham

A lady asked us the other day if we got our shirting for nothing, and how could we afford to sell them so cheap. We must say we have to pay for them but at the same time we are satisfied with a small profit. We have them at 5c. 9c. 10c. 12c. yd. 27c. each.

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We bought three hundred pairs of Ladies long waist corsets at a Big Reduction in price for Cash, and will offer the whole lot while they last at the small price of 35c. pair. They are worth 50c.

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20 pieces of pretty Flannellette suitable for wrappers; they come in scroll patterns and fancy weaves, 12c. quality, sale price only 9c. yd.

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Ten Bales good strong grey cotton to be sold at 24 and 5c. yd. This will be found a great bargain at the price, one yard wide.

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One thousand yards towling extra heavy 20 inches wide only 5c.

Sale of Hosiery

50 dozen good strong hose fast black, worth 20c. pair, two pairs for 25c.

See our Men's Regatta Shirts 60c. each.

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# POOR DOCUMENT

## Literature.

### THE DISAPPOINTMENT OF LADY WOODRUFF.

"Her ladyship and Miss Woodruff are out, sir. They drove to Elston House after luncheon."

Moncrief's face fell. Earlier in the day he had discovered that his departure from town could be put off until a late hour; and though he had hidden his sweetheart "good bye" the night before, he could not resist the opportunity of another glance at Betty's bewildering blue eyes. He had thrown himself into a hansom with hope high in his breast, to be met with the intelligence that his Betty was off merry-making, when he has imagined her overcast with grief.

The old butler stole a commiserating look at the downcast face. Moncrief's life affair was a favorite topic in the kitchen.

"Oh, well, Saunders, it can't be helped," he said, at length. "I'll just see the little girls before I go. Are they fit?"

"Yes, sir. The little ladies are just as fit as a fiddle."

"Never mind. I'll go to them myself. I think I know my way to the schoolroom."

"Yes, sir."

When Moncrief opened the schoolroom door there was a delighted shriek from the two little fair-haired occupants. They darted up from the table and flung themselves upon him, almost frantic with their joy.

"Oh, Terry, darling, aren't you going away after all?"

"I am, my pets, worse luck; but I found I had an extra hour or two, and I came off to see Betty; but she's out, and I couldn't go away without a peep at my little girls again."

"No, of course not, Terry. It was lovely of you to come, and you'll have tea with us, won't you? But we've got nothing very nice," and Molly surveyed the table with great disfavor.

"But we will ring for anything you'd like, Terry," put in Sue, promptly.

But Terry assured them that cake and toast was the fare he most desired. And Sue seated herself with great dignity behind the tea tray, and Molly got out another cup and saucer.

"And where is Miss Mathews that she is not here to chaperone us, Sue?"

"Oh, she's gone to her sister's wedding. Isn't it jolly? Moll and I wanted to be bridesmaids, but Gran flew out at us and asked if we wanted to completely disgrace her."

"But we are glad now, for if we had been bridesmaids, we would have missed you," and Molly smiled lovingly up at him.

"So you would, old woman; her ladyship did us a good turn that time. But cheer up, Betty will be requiring your professional services before very long, I hope."

The little girls bent forward with deeply interested faces.

"And you, too, Terry?"

"Of course, Molly."

"Oh, that will be splendid! But will it be soon, Terry?"

"Well, I must get back from Jamaica, first," said the young man laughing.

Then he looked down at his plate with a sigh.

It seemed very far off, his marriage with Betty—further off than he dared to let himself think sometimes.

Lady Woodruff was the obstacle. From the very first she has set her stiff old face against it. She had more ambitious views for beautiful Betty. She could not prevent them loving each other, but she had refused to permit a formal engagement.

"Why are you going to Jamaica, at all, Terry?" asked Sue, anxiously. "I think you ought to stay at home and look after Betty. Gran puts such things into her head. Sometimes she does not seem to be our Betty at all. She's either dressing or dancing or going somewhere."

"I wish I could, Sue dear, but my affairs in Jamaica are all jumbled up, and it is necessary for me to go and look after them. There is a chance that I have been cheated, and I may be a richer man than I thought."

"Oh, Terry, I hope so! It would please Gran if you were richer, wouldn't it? And it takes an awful lot of money to buy Betty's frocks now."

"But it wouldn't matter if you came home as poor as a sweep," said Molly, tenderly. "We'd love you just the same."

"Well, I should think so," said Sue, loftily. "You needn't tell Terry what he knows."

"I'm afraid if that were the case your grandmother would show me the door in earnest," said Teddy, grimly.

"Tell me, what made Betty go to Elston house to-day?" was Teddy's next question.

"She didn't want to go one bit," said Sue, "but you know Gran's way; when she put her foot down we all crawl. And Betty was a fright, for her nose and her eyes were as red as anything with crying all night about you going away, you know."

"My poor little love," said Moncrief, tenderly.

"And Gran was as cross as two sticks,"

Molly said, mournfully.

"I'll tell you what I think," said Sue, leaning her chin on her palm and looking across the table, solemnly. "Gran's setting her cap at old Lord Elston. Oh, you needn't laugh, Terry," she went on, with a shake of her wise young head. "I'm sure she wants to marry him."

Terry stopped laughing and looked suddenly grave.

Could it be that Lady Woodruff was thinking of Lord Elston as a possible husband for Betty? That old man! His heart grew cold at the very thought. He did not doubt his Betty's fidelity. But he knew only too well the ambitious eyes and the indomitable will of the perverse old woman in whose hands he left his treasure. But there was no time to brood over this now; he looked at his watch and started up in a hurry, and said he must be off.

Molly burst into stormy tears, and Sue's face got so white that Terry felt he had been selfish to come near them again. They clung to him and followed him down to the hall for a last kiss, a last embrace.

When he had broken from their clinging arms he looked back at Sue's strong young face.

"Sue," he said, pleadingly, "take care of Betty."

"Yes, Terry."

"Give her my love—"

Sue nodded.

"And don't let her forget me, dear Sue!"

"I won't, Terry—Terry darling."

Sue's mouth quivered, and for the first time the tears sprang into her brilliant eyes and Terry bolted down the steps without another word, for Sue's tear-drowned eyes bore too strong a resemblance to Betty's to be contemplated calmly at such a moment.

When that suspicion flashed into Terry's mind that it would not be at all improbable if Lady Woodruff with her worldly views had some idea of securing the rich old nobleman as a husband for Betty, he had been nearer the truth than he imagined.

This scheme had been maturing in her ladyship's mind for some time, and no sooner was poor Terry out of the way than she set about driving him out of Betty's head.

She went to work with some diplomacy. And Betty grieved very honestly after her absent lover, and liked nothing better than to get Miss Mathews out of the way and the two little girls to herself that she might talk of Terry to such sympathetic listeners.

But after that Lady Woodruff filled up Betty's days from morning until night with such brilliant gaieties that the girl had no time to fret; and Betty was young and this was her first season, and her uncommon style of beauty brought her admiration that might have turned the head of a wiser and older woman.

And whenever Betty went she met Lord Elston. He undoubtedly admired the pretty, fresh-matured girl, and Lady Woodruff fostered his admiration and encouraged him with diplomatic skillfulness.

Betty treated the old man with a merry defiance she might have accorded to a father or uncle.

And when at last he made her a stately proposal of marriage the girl was dismayed, and as first promptly repulsed him. But at this period Lady Woodruff interposed, and speedily brought poor Betty to a state of subjection. The haughty old woman scolded, entreated, commanded. And finally, for very sickness of heart, Betty gave way.

When the engagement was announced the little girls were thunder-struck. They utterly refused to believe it. They put forward Terry's claim, they argued and expostulated—Molly tearfully, Sue with blazing eyes. And when at last they insisted that it must be Gran whom Lord Elston wanted to marry, Lady Woodruff flew into a furious passion and ordered them back to the schoolroom.

But when Betty was dressing for a dinner party that evening, Sue burst into the room with a determined face. Betty was sitting before the glass, listlessly buttoning her gloves.

The bright color that was one of her charms had faded from her cheeks. The satin of her gown was not whiter or softer than her skin. And clasping that snowy throat and descending to her waist were pearls that a queen might have coveted—the betrothal gift of Lord Elston.

Sue pointed to the pearls with a contemptuous finger.

"Betty, is that why you are going to marry that old man?"

"Sue!"

Petty started, and the blood rushed hotly into her face. She frowned at Sue over the bent head of her maid, who was kneeling on the floor arranging her skirt.

Sue shut her mouth with a snap, and waited until the woman had left the room; then she said, impetuously—

"Is it because Terry can't give you those things that you have broken your word to him?"

"Sue, darling, you don't know what you are saying."

"I do," flashed out Sue, wrathfully. "You are behaving horribly. You are going to marry that dressed-up old Lord Elston because he is richer than Terry."

"Oh, Sue! No! No! No! Don't say that."

"But I will, and I must speak, Betty. It doesn't matter if Gran is angry. You can't love him—he's as old as Gran. It

is because he is rich. Oh, Betty, what shall we say to Terry when he comes back?"

"Sue, hush!" Betty bent forward and covered her face with her hands. "Don't add to my misery."

Sue's stern young face softened.

"Betty you couldn't be cruel to poor Terry, who loves you so! Send Lord Elston away, Betty. Tell him you can't be untrue to Terry."

"Sue, I cannot. It's too late."

"Then you don't love Terry. You told him lies."

"Sue!" said Betty, haughtily, her eyes for an instant flashing with their old spirit. "Does Miss Mathews permit you to use such expressions?"

"It doesn't matter two pins what Miss Mathews permits or doesn't permit. I'll say it again; Betty. You told Terry lies."

"Sue, you forget yourself."

"Do you love Terry?"

"You shall not take me to task in this way. Go back to the schoolroom."

"I'm going. But I'm ashamed of you, and I'm ashamed of Gran. You aren't my Betty a bit, and the best thing that Terry can do is to stop loving you as fast as he can."

Sue took her departure with an angry bang of the door, but almost instantly she was back again and flung her arms around Betty's neck.

"Oh, Betty, I'm horrid to you," she said, remorsefully. "But everything's horrid. Betty darling, you do love Terry, don't you? It is Gran who is making you marry that old man."

But just then Lady Woodruff's voice was heard calling, "Betty!" and Betty started and lifted her head from Sue's friendly shoulder.

"Go away, my darling," said Betty, hoarsely. "Don't make it harder for me, dear Sue."

And Sue with a downcast face went obediently out of the room.

The two little girls discussed the subject when they were supposed to be preparing their lessons. But it was hard to give their attention to German grammar when their minds were distracted with thoughts of poor Betty and poor Terry.

"She does love him, you know," observed Sue, gloomily. "This is all Gran's doing."

"If Gran likes Lord Elston so much, why doesn't she marry him herself?" asked Molly, distractedly.

Sue shrugged her shoulders.

"I'm sure I wish she would. There is one thing," she added, darkly, "I'm not going to have anything to do with him."

"Neither am I," said Molly, positively.

But they had something to do with him in a few days, as it turned out. For after two or three attempts to propitiate the top-cold but polite young ladies who called his fiancée sister, old Lord Elston invited them both to luncheon.

Lady Woodruff frowned down the obstinate refusal that was framing itself on Sue's lips and the rebellious look on Molly's face, and accepted the invitation for them.

They will be delighted to go. Miss Mathews will go with them, dear Lord Elston. How very good of you to trouble yourself with the children?"

"No, no. Ye won't have that Mathews woman," said the old lord, testily.

"We'll manage without the governess, eh, Susy?"

Sue permitted a stiff smile to fit over her face. She hated to be called "Susy." Molly looked perfectly impassive.

Lady Woodruff felt she could have shaken them both for the wooden way in which they received his lordship's pleasantries. But she said nothing—for the remembrance of their outspokenness on more than one occasion when publicly censured made her shudder.

The little girls' expostulations were of no avail. Lady Woodruff's will was law, and they drove off to Elston house the following day with obstinate little faces that did not argue well for the success of the visit.

After luncheon Lord Elston led them into his library, and, going to a cabinet, he brought out two little morocco cases.

"I wished," he said, "to give you both some small memento to my engagement to your sister. I consulted her as to your taste but she would not assist me; however, I trust these will please you."

He opened the cases, and disclosed in each a small but exquisite gold watch.

On the back of one was "Molly" in rubies; the other bore the word "Sue" in sapphires.

"Oh!" said Molly, round eyed and staring. Then she grew scarlet, and put her hands behind her back and averted her eyes, and gently pushed her watch towards him.

"No, thank you," she said, politely.

He raised his eyebrows in cynical surprise.

"You don't care for such things?"

"Oh, yes—very much; but—but we can't take them, thank you."

"Come; there is no reason for this refusal, I see. Do you think your grandmother would object? I can assure you, with extreme hauteur, she will not object to any gift of mine."

"It's not Gran," said Sue, stoutly, "it's ourselves. If we took them we wouldn't be true to Terry."

"I don't understand. Pray who is Terry?"

"Mr. Moncrief."

"Oh!"

Lord Elston put in his eyeglasses, to bet-

ter examine the two earnest faces before him.

"Young Moncrief—he has gone to Jamaica, hasn't he? I don't quite see what Moncrief has to do with my gifts to you. Come," he said, turning to Molly, "take your watch, child."

But Molly shook her head, and her eyes filled with tears of vexation. It was a struggle to refuse that beautiful watch but loyalty to Terry was the uppermost feeling.

Lord Elston looked puzzled.

"Upon my word, you are a very extraordinary pair of young ladies! Will you be good enough to explain, Susan?"

"We don't mean to be rude," said Sue, desperately, "and we'd love to have the watches if you weren't going to marry Betty—we wouldn't mind if you were going to marry Gran."

"Indeed!" said his lordship, with a satirical curl of his lips. He was really excessively amused. He leaned back in his chair and pulled the waxed end of his grey moustache with his delicate fingers, and peered at the children with supercilious eyes.

"You see," said Sue, bravely, "we have known Terry all our lives, and he has always loved Betty, and they were engaged—though—Gran—"

"Wait!" said the old lord, imperatively. "I don't quite comprehend. Your sister was never engaged to young Moncrief."

"It was the same as an engagement," persisted Sue. "Betty promised to marry him, but Gran wouldn't hear of it in Betty's first season. But Terry loves Betty, and Betty loves Terry."

"She cried for days when Terry went away," put in Molly, conclusively.

"I see," said Lord Elston, icily, then he continued, with an ironical smile, "And because, with—er—better judgment, your sister prefers another you two children agree to oppose the newcomer."

"But she doesn't prefer you," said Sue, impetuously, quite unconscious of the bluntness of her speech in her eagerness. "If she loved you best, that would be different. She loves Terry best. Gran made her give up Terry and promise to marry you."

"That will do," said Lord Elston, uncomfortably. "Your friend Moncrief is fortunate in his champions, but your sister will not thank us for discussing her affairs so freely."

He sat quiet for a few minutes playing with an ivory paper cutter, and watching the children with a queer light in his half-shut eyes. He admired the flower-like loveliness of Betty Woodruff, but he was not blind to the disadvantages of marrying a girl whose heart was in the keeping of a young lover. Lady Woodruff had despised him. She had angled for him and flattered him, and though he had seen through the angling and the flattery, he had believed her when she stated that Betty's heart was free.

He had liked the idea of a gay young girl in the house. It would have added to his glory to have given to his old ancestral home a lovelier mistress than they had ever known before. But he was to be saddled at this late date with a young wife who would grow to hate him and find her bondage irksome? Were his case and a piece of mind to be tampered with? He closed his eyes in horror at the thought. If what these children said was true, and somehow he did not doubt it, he ought to be vastly obliged for the way in which his eyes had been opened.

He would find out for himself and would be quits with that manoeuvring old woman. He smiled maliciously at the thought of her dismay.

Sue's voice broke in anxiously upon his musings.

"Lord Elston, you mustn't be cross with my Betty."

"She can't help loving Terry, you know," said Molly, pleadingly.

"No," said the old lord with unexpected briskness. "I suppose she can't Molly." Then he put his hand on Sue's—such a trembling, delicate old hand it looked, adorned with a priceless cameo.

"I won't be cross with Betty, Sue, and I promise you that Betty shall not do anything against her own will."

"God bless you," said Molly, fervently. And Sue crowned the proceedings with an act that astonished herself and Molly nearly as much as it astonished Lord Elston. She flung her arms around his neck and kissed him as heartily as though he were her own Terry.

And Lord Elston did not marry Betty. He released her from her engagement, and to the joy of her little sisters she blossomed into the old happy Betty again. Lady Woodruff fumed and stormed, but to no purpose. She could not force Lord Elston to marry Betty, and a few caustic words from him effectually silenced her. She bore the return of Moncrief with resignation, and his brighter prospects and the radiant happiness of the young lovers at last reconciled her to her defeat.

On the eve of Betty's wedding day, with the magnificent gift of diamonds that came to the bride from Lord Elston, came also for Sue and Molly two tiny watches that the little girls recognized and screamed over delightedly. But no one but themselves understood the few words in the old lord's writing that accompanied them. They ran, "For the Partisans of Moncrief."

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### Correspondence.

#### Spicy News Items Gathered by Gazette Correspondents

##### Cumberland Bay.

Aug. 14.—The farmers of this place are taking advantage of the fine weather. Last week many loads of hay were stored in their barns.

The Misses Bernice, Hulda, and Adelia Barton intend going to Fredericton to attend the Normal School in September.

The schools in this place open to-day, the upper school is in charge of Miss Bessie Barton and the lower school will be taught by Mr. Hawz, of Penally.

Miss Mabel Clay is at present visiting her parents.

Miss Levia Barton has gone to Cox's Point where she will have charge of the school for this term.

A. H. Clay is carrying on an extensive business in the blueberry trade.

Miss Elsie Branscombe has gone to Chipman for a short time.

The Misses Brown, of St. John, are still visiting at Mr. Joseph Smyth's, but intend returning home soon.

Miss Ella M. Barton intends going to The Range soon, where she will remain for the rest of the summer.

##### McDonald's Corner.

Aug. 14.—Service was held in memory of the late J. W. Flower last Sunday afternoon conducted by the Rev. A. B. McDonald. The day being fine a large number were present. All the surviving members of the family were present.

Mrs. C. D. Lowery and her daughter, Beatrice are guests of Jas. Flower.

Mrs. Campbell, of St. John and Mrs. Harry Dewar of Providence, R. I., were the guests of Mr. Edward Dewar last week.

Marris Straight came home from St. John, Tuesday.

Wilson Bros. are rapidly putting their new boat up and will have her ready to launch at the end of August.

Rev. John L. Shaw, of St. John, preached to a large and attentive audience Sunday morning and evening.

Albert Green has returned to St. John again after having spent a few days at home.

Mrs. J. W. MacAlary and Miss Cora Coes have returned to St. John.

Mr. Frank Hamm, of St. John, passed by here on his wheel on Thursday morning.

Mac Gilchrist spent Sunday with his

folks.

Bruce Appleby had a narrow escape from drowning Saturday afternoon. Had it not been for the bravery and courage of Samuel Camp, death would have been his portion.

##### Better than the Klondike.

No one who has a bad cough, which has racked their system, and bids fair to hold on through the entire winter, with all its misery and suffering should begrudge 25 cents to have certain relief. That is just what a bottle of Dr. Cook's old time English remedy, Cook's Sure Cough Cure, will do. Sold by all dealers.

##### Salmon Creek.

Aug. 14.—The weather for the past two weeks has been very favorable to the farmers, a good many of them have finished haying, they report the hay a good crop.

Misses Annie Gunter of Whites Cove and Maggie Johnson of Kings Co., were the guests of the Misses Addie and Gusie Williams on Sunday last.

Miss C. Watson who has arrived here from South Bay to spend a few days, intends to start for Portland, Maine, on Monday accompanied by her sister Rebecca.

Miss Maggie Thompson has gone to Lakeville Cor., to spend a few weeks.

Mrs. J. McAllister, of St. John, accompanied by her two daughters, Jennie and Almara and her son Johnnie are spending a few days at Mr. John Harpers.

Mr. and Mrs. John Watson, of Lower Salmon Creek, are receiving congratulations over a domestic event—a girl.

##### Petersville Church.

Aug. 19th.—The exceptionally dry weather of the past two weeks has been a great boon to our farmers who have been rapidly pushing the haying operations, and all in this section have finished except a few. The yield is somewhat better than was at first anticipated, and is about up to the average. It has nearly all been housed in good condition, but the quality is in general a little inferior to that of last year. The oat and other crops are in a thriving condition, and unless rust or blight intervenes there will be a bountiful harvest.

Mr. Wm. White has been awarded the contract for repairing our schoolhouse and began work thereon a few days ago. The exterior of the building is to be papered, clapboarded and painted, and also some other necessary repairs are to be made upon the interior.

Miss Agnes McDonald who so satisfactorily conducted our school last term, has been re-engaged for the present term.

Mr. and Mrs. Cripps, of Boston, see Miss Laura Howe, of this place, have been visiting relatives here.

Miss Blanche Queen, of Boston, is spending the holiday season with her mother Mrs. Ann Queen.

The Presbyterians of this locality intend holding their annual picnic at the Orange Hall, Dunn's Corner, on the 30th inst., and the usual good time is expected.

Mr. Harry Allingham, of St. John, West, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Allingham.

Mr. Thos. Kelley, salesman, for Mr. Roberts of Hoyt Station was in this section yesterday. He carries a large and varied assortment of goods, and prices moderate.

Blueberry parties are the order of the day here at present. Two wagon loads consisting of about thirty-three persons left here yesterday for the Onabog plains. They obtained a large quantity of berries and had a very enjoyable time notwithstanding the excessive heat. Some choice musical selections were rendered by our locals on the way and their singing power is a matter of general comment by the people in the various districts through which they passed.

Miss Augusta S. Mahood leaves here today to take charge of a school at Black's Harbor, Charlotte County.

##### White's Cove.

Mr. Walter Wilson of St. John occupied the Methodist pulpit yesterday morning and evening and at Whites Point in the afternoon. He had good congregations to all services.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred S. White are spending a few days with C. W. White.

Mrs. Seely of Nova Scotia is visiting her sister Mrs. H. E. White.

Fay Scriber of St. John is visiting her grandmother Mrs. Wm. Farris.

Officer Wm. White and wife and Malcolm White and wife of St. John, are visiting their parents Mr. and Mrs. B. L. White.

Eldin Mullin and family passed through here on Saturday on their way to Fredericton.

J. A. Stewart, of the Queens County Gazette, and Sheriff Reid were here on Saturday on their way to Gagetown.

Wallace Farris returned home on Saturday from Woodstock.

Owing to the continued dry weather the squash and cucumbers will be a failure. Onions will be a good crop.

Samuel V. White of St. John is visiting his uncle H. E. White.

Ernest Orchard came home on Saturday to visit his parents and friends.

### Summer Hill.

Aug. 14.—The farmers of this locality are almost done haying as weather for the past has been very fine.

Miss Louisa Stevens who has been visiting her uncle, Mr. John J. Reid, has returned to her home at Patterson Settlement.

Miss Millie E. McKinney of Summer Hill is visiting her sister Mrs. George L. Lyons of Armstrong's Corner.

Mr. and Mrs. William J. Smith of Hillside Farm spent Sunday the 6th with Mrs. and Mrs. J. J. Reid of Spruce Grove.

Mrs. J. Wesley Lowery who has been spending a few weeks with her parents Mr. and Mrs. S. K. Valle has returned to her home in Feticoide.

Mr. James Williams and Mr. Chas. R. Crozier of Grand Bay and Mr. John Galey of Portland, Me., were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Reid on the 13th.

Mr. Harry A. Cooper of Rose Avenue was the guest of Miss E. McKinney on Sunday 16th.

A missionary meeting is to be held in the Methodist church at Summer Hill on Friday evening next. Rev. J. B. Gough and Rev. Mr. Rice or Rev. A. D. McCully is to be present. Addresses and recitations are to follow the meeting.

Miss Annie M. Johnston of Portland, Me., who has been spending the summer with her brother Mr. John Johnson, has gone to St. John to spend a few weeks before returning to Portland.

Miss Estella M. Reid intends leaving for the United States about the first of September.

An eight leafed clover was picked up on Saturday by Gertrude Reid which is a very rare thing.

Aug. 19.—Mr. James L. Donald second son of Mr. and Mrs. Archibald Donald died at his parents home on Tuesday morning 15th inst. after a painful illness of about five months duration. Deceased was but 20 years of age and was a very highly respected young man, having, by his pleasant manner and genial disposition, won the esteem of all who came in contact with him. The funeral took place on Thursday morning. The high esteem in which the young man was held in the community was evidenced in a measure, by the large concourse of people who assembled to pay their last tribute of respect to the departed. His remains were interred in the Summer Hill cemetery. Rev. J. B. Gough conducted the funeral services and delivered a very impressive sermon, basing his remarks on Psalms 50th chap., 22nd verse. The pall bearers were Messrs. Adam Kerr, Leonard Dunn, Howard Donald, Wm. Russell, Harry Donald and Amos Armstrong, all cousins of the deceased. Mr. and Mrs. Donald and family have the sincere sympathy of the entire community in their affliction.

The annual missionary meeting in connection with the Methodist church was held last evening. Addresses on the work were delivered by Rev. J. B. Gough and Mr. Rice, of Welsford. A very interesting and profitable address on missionary work in China and Japan was delivered by Mrs. Gough.

Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Corbett and family returned to their home in St. John yesterday.

Messrs. Wellesley T. and Simon Hamilton, of Boston are visiting their sister, Mrs. A. M. Corbett.

Mr. John Galey and daughter, Miss Ida, of Portland Me., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Dunn.

It is understood that the Presbyterians purpose holding their annual picnic at Orange Hall, on Wednesday 30th inst.

Blueberry picnics are the order of the day, there was one from Jerusalem and one from Headline yesterday, and one from Hibernia today.

##### Salmon Bay.

Aug. 15.—Haying has begun in earnest and the sound of the mowing machine is pleasantly borne on the air as the farmers lay low the hay.

Mrs. H. B. Spragg visited her parents Mr. and Mrs. Crawford of this place last week and has returned to her home in Fredericton accompanied by Jas. Spragg and Laura Brown.

A number of the young people of this place had a blue-berry picnic at Newcastle, as the roads were rough the berries were pretty well shaken before they reached home.

The prayer meeting on Monday night was largely attended.

Miss Annie Rogers of Fredericton was the guest of Miss Della Crawford on Sunday.

A number of the people from this place attended the dedication of the Orange Hall at Newcastle last week.

Miss Annie Brown has returned home from the city for a short visit where she has been spending the winter.

##### Mill Road.

Aug. 22.—The weather for the past few days has been very warm and the hay-makers are progressing rapidly.

Mr. Jas. Barnett has taken charge of the school at Lawfield.

Mr. Joseph Mahoney returned on Monday from Margerville where he has been spending the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Killnap, of Boston, passed through here on their tandem, Monday, on their way to Upper Gagetown, where they are visiting friends and relatives.

Misses Edith and Florence Cummings of St. John, and Miss Lillie Brooks of Gagetown, spent Saturday with Miss Susie J. Brooks.

We are sorry to learn that Mr. Jas.

Barnett's "rice" crop has proved a failure but we hear that Mr. I. A. Mott, of Wickham has an excellent crop, somewhere in the vicinity of three feet in height. Report says that Messrs. Foster and Jones have been engaged to harvest it as they have had some experience.

Miss Mable Mitchell, of Armstrong's Corner is spending a few days with Miss Bessie Law.

### Canning.

Aug. 21.—One of the prettiest little picnics of the season was held at Grand Point on the afternoon of August 19th. Among those present were Mrs. Dr. Somerville, and child of Bristol, Carleton Co.; Mr. and Mrs. Wilmot Hunter and family, of Florenceville, C. Co.; Mr. and Mrs. Wilmot Hunter and family, together with Mrs. Fred Hunter and family of Moosquit Lake, Mr. Wm. Hunter and daughter, with Mrs. Harriette Murray of Eleneside; Mr. and Mrs. D. Palmer and family of Douglas Harbor. Perhaps no more picturesque or interesting place than this can be found on the lake, the point itself putting for a distance of a mile or so with an average width of forty feet makes an interesting walk which can now be accomplished the entire length, it is supposed that this is of rock formation as it remains unchanged from year to year. Near the point is one of the oldest burying places in the province, there being stones with epitaphs that can be plainly read, bearing date 115 years ago. These together with many monuments and stones since erected (it being still used by some families) make it one of the important cemeteries of the community.

After ample justice had been done to the many good things so nicely arranged under the shadow of the cedars, the youthful element engaged in foot races and other sports common upon such occasions.

When the sun had disappeared and the shades of night were coming on, the company wended their way homeward, some in carriages and some in boats, well satisfied with the few hours so delightfully spent.

Municipal matters remain quiet in this parish, notwithstanding the efforts of "Queens County Boy" to the contrary, we think there is intelligence enough in the parish to view these matters upon their own merits, and not outside influences.

### Exhibition Notes.

At the request of the Maritime Stock Breeders Association all the mangers and stalls of the St. John Exhibition Stockyards have been thoroughly cleaned and also disinfected with a germicide wash.

The cattle sheds have had a central partition made from floor to roof which prevent all cross drafts. Where necessary, rods will be provided on which stretch curtains to completely enclose the animals.

Attraction is directed to the advertisement in another column stating the terms upon which freight is carried to the St. John and Halifax Exhibitions.

Exhibitors who are taking stock and other products from the St. John Exhibition to Halifax can have them carried at half fare on the Intercolonial Railway and with a free return to starting point.

Permanent coops for 340 birds have been placed in the St. John Exhibition Poultry Building. If these are satisfactory to poultrymen more will be constructed next year.

H. B. May of Natick, Mass., who judged so acceptably at the winter show of the N. B. Poultry Association in February last will make the poultry awards at St. John and probably at Halifax.

The Railway wharf at the St. John Exhibition Grounds will be extended to enable the unloading of stock and agricultural products from three cars simultaneously. This will very much expedite loading and unloading over previous years.

The judges so far selected for the St. John Exhibition are as follows:—Arthur Johnson, Greenwood, Ont.

Dairy cattle, sheep and swine—J. C. Snell, London, Ont.

Poultry—H. B. May, Natick, Mass.

Fruit—D. H. Knowlton, Farmington, Me.

Honey—Wm. Hawker, St. John, N. B.

Agricultural Products—Col. Wm. Blair, Amherst, N. S., Thos. A. Peters, Fredericton, N. B.

Anyone who has not received a prize list of the St. John or Halifax Exhibitions should drop a postal card to the Secretaries. Entries close for St. John on August 28th at usual fees. After that larger fees will be charged. For Halifax entries of live stock, poultry, dairy produce, ladies work, fine arts and all classes of manufactures on or before the 2nd September and for grain, sold roots, fruits and horticultural products on or before the 13th September.

A special feature of this year's St. John Exhibition will be the daily parade of carriage horses before the Grand Stand. Among these horses will be a number from the stud of Mr. J. S. Sanborn of Lewiston, Me., several of them prize winners at the large Metropolitan Horse Shows of New York and Boston. These with other horses will be paraded in fancy harness including matched teams, tandems, four in hands, saddlers, stallions on the rein etc.

Wednesday 13th September will be Maine and New Brunswick day at the St. John Exhibition when there will be

very cheap excursion rates from all Aroostook County points.

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