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THE UNION ADVOCATE, WEDNESDAY OCTOBER 29, 1902.

## BATHURST MURDER

### Text of Evidence Taken at Inquest.

On the night of the 11th of Oct. a mate of the schooner Georgia, registered at Boston, was struck by a bottle thrown at him by a sailor belonging to the same vessel, and badly injured. The mate was removed to the Marine Hospital and attended by Doctor Duncan, and after lingering for about a week, died. At the time of the row, the men were in a saloon kept by a man named Kenny in Bathurst Village, where the schooner was moored to load for Messrs. Sumner Co.

A warrant was issued by J. E. O'Brien J. P. against the sailor whose name is Frank Lyman, for assault, but the man was not captured, and after the man's death, it was found that the sailor had disappeared from the vicinity of Bathurst.

Inquest on the body of Burns Mason taken at Bathurst, N. B., this 18th day of October, A. D. 1902, before John C. Meahan, Coroner.

Jury sworn as follows:

Richard Southwood, Henry White, Thomas Leahy, Hugh Hodgins, William R. Johnson, Joseph D. Doucet and Hugh Kent.

After being sworn, the coroner and jury after named Richard Southwood as their foreman viewed the body and returned to the office of John E. O'Brien J. P. Jury called all present. John J. Harrington Clerk of the Peace appeared for the Crown. The jury unanimously suggested that the coroner direct that a post-mortem examination of the body of the deceased be made.

R. Longmire sworn: My place of residence is in St. John N. B. My occupation is seafaring and I am a master mariner. I am in command of the three-masted schooner, Georgia, registered at Boston, Mass. My last port was New York. I left New York with my vessel about the 26th of September last, and had seven of a crew including myself. The names of the crew are as follows:—My mate was Burns Mason, the deceased, the others were: Ralph Israel, Stewart, Bert Holliday, Frank Lyman, Ole Etnel and Addison Peterson. Seamen. The deceased and Frank Lyman had trouble on board on the passage here from New York. About four days out when we were getting under way at New Haven harbor I heard rough talk forward between Lyman and the deceased. "Come down on deck," Burns Mason at that time was on the fore-castle deck and he jumped down, and Frank Lyman struck him with a bottle, then Mason got a capstan bar and hit at the knife. This was in the day time about eight o'clock in the morning. Mason did not succeed in knocking the knife out of Lyman's hand and he dropped the capstan bar and they clinched. In the clinch Frank cut Mason over the eye with the knife. Mason got Lyman down on the deck and would have beaten him only I came along and stopped them. I was at the wheel at the time and I came aft, and Mason took the knife from Lyman. I did not hear any threats between them. I arrived here on the ninth of October at Sumner's wharf in Bathurst Harbor. I heard no other rowing between them for the rest of the voyage down. In the row

the mate blackened one of Lyman's eyes. I heard no disturbance or talk between them after getting into Bathurst Harbor. On the 11th instant, the mate (Mason) went ashore in the evening. I told the mate before going ashore to be careful of Lyman as I had heard that he was raising a mob to beat him. Lyman left the vessel without leave on Saturday and was ashore ahead of Mason all day. I have Lyman and the two Norwegians entered on my log as deserters. Burns Mason did not come back to the vessel Saturday night. I heard that he was hurt so I went up street and found him sitting on a chair with a man holding him. Lyman was not there. There were also seven or eight people there whom I did not know. Mason was sick and bleeding profusely from a wound in the head. He recognized and spoke to me. With one man on each side of him we took him to Dr. Duncan's office. The doctor dressed the wound, and I drove him down to the hospital. He has remained there since. He was down to the vessel for a short time on the 14th and 15th. The first day I went after him and we walked down to the vessel, about a quarter of a mile. The next day he came down alone. He complained of being dizzy in the head. He did not complain of any soreness. I saw him yesterday about noon but he did not then know me, and I saw him since he died, this morning. Mason belonged to Stormont County Harbor, Guysborough County N. S. This last voyage the mate was with me two months. He was once before with me for over a year. I intended to take him back with me. I always found Burns Mason a sober, steady man. He was not inclined to be quarrelsome with his crew. I did not know Frank Lyman before he shipped with me about a month and a half ago. He did not appear quarrelsome and had only this one row. Mason told me at the saloon that Frank Lyman struck him with a bottle or something. Four or five others I heard him say the same thing. There was no broken glass about the place. He said he was very sick and could not walk. He did not say before going ashore that he was going to meet Lyman. It was from Mr. Cobban, a foreman on the wharf that I learned that Lyman and a crew were going to beat the mate and that was why I warned him. He made no comments on his visit to the vessel after being hurt, as to how it was done. I do not think Mason was out with a bottle, as I could not see any around, and cut did not appear as if done with a bottle. In my opinion, I think it was done with a sledge. I think Lyman was an American. The mate was twenty-three years of age. He (the mate) had no other row with the sailors during the voyage, and there was no other trouble on board. The mate did not say on last Saturday night that he was going ashore to see if Lyman could beat him or not. It was a middling cold day when the mate and I went from the hospital to the schooner. I asked the two Norwegians about it and they said that Lyman struck Mason but they did not know what with. Signed, R. R. LONGMIRE.

John Burton Halliday, sworn. I belong to Hillsborn, Annapolis Co., N. S. I am a seaman. I am now a seaman on board the schooner Georgia. I heard the captain give his testimony. When we got on our way at New Haven the mate Frank and one of the Norwegians to overhaul a range of chain on the anchor. Lyman kicked about doing it, and the mate told him that he wanted him to do as ordered. Then Frank drove him to come down on the main deck. The mate came down and ran after Frank. Frank wheeled and made a slash at Mason with his sheath knife. The mate got him down on the deck, hit him a couple of times and blackened his eye. The captain interfered and took the mate out of Lyman. That was the end of the row. Two or three days afterward Lyman told me he would have it out with the mate when he caught him ashore. I told the mate what Frank said and told him to be careful. This year and last year I sailed with Mason about six

months. He used me all right, and did not beat the men. He did not row with any of the other men. I was right close to them when the row occurred. I saw the mate a'ive last yesterday noon. I spoke to him and asked him and asked him how he was and he said he was about the same. On Saturday evening last the mate and I left the vessel together and went up to a little saloon about a quarter of a mile away and entered there together. The two Norwegians were standing outside the place when we went in and the mate asked them and a couple of fellows belonging to the place to go in and have some beer. The mate did not ask anyone if Frank Lyman was in there. There were four or five fellows who did not belong to the vessel there. Frank Lyman was in the little back shop. The mate and I were standing with our backs to the little shop door. The first thing I knew the mate fell down beside me and Frank Lyman jumped on him. I did not see any weapon in his hands. I did not see him since he died. A couple of fellows and I helped the mate up. Mason did not have time to beat the mate before he was pulled off. He jumped lengthwise on him. I ran down and told the captain the mate was hurt and came back with the captain. I then helped the mate with the assistance of another man to the doctor's office. The doctor dressed the wound and the captain brought the mate to the hospital. I helped to put him in bed. He could not walk. I saw him on board the vessel on Tuesday following. He stayed about fifteen minutes. He came down again on Wednesday and remained about fifteen minutes. He said he felt a little better. I did not see him since he died. I did not know Frank Lyman before he shipped. Never heard any words between Mason and Lyman before. The mate used all the seamen alike and did not give Frank any extra work. One night Lyman struck one of the Norwegians and tried to pick a row with them on the voyage going to New York. On that occasion the mate stopped the row by going between them.

Signed, BURTON HALLIDAY.

Inquiry adjourned until Monday morning at ten o'clock.

Monday morning, Oct. 20, 1902. Jury met in John E. O'Brien's office pursuant to adjournment at ten o'clock in the forenoon. Jury called all present.

John J. Harrington present for the Crown. The coroner's attention of witnesses, this inquiry further adjourned until Tuesday morning 21st inst. at ten o'clock.

On Tuesday morning pursuant to adjournment of yesterday, the coroner's inquest, reassembled. Present, Coroner John C. Meahan, M. D. and John J. Harrington appearing for the crown. Jury called and all present.

Doctor R. Gordon Duncan called and sworn: I am a practising physician. I reside at Bathurst Village. On the eleventh instant (Saturday) about half past eight o'clock I was called to Angus Kenny's to see a sailor. On enter-

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ing the shop I found the man partly sitting on a box. He was vomiting severely and semi-conscious and with head and face covered with blood. With assistance, I had him carried to my office. Found the wound on the left side of the head, examined it carefully and found it to be a scalp wound. Had the wound dressed and had the patient removed to the hospital by being driven there. After removing him he still continued to vomit. I called at the hospital Sunday and found the patient in the same condition. On Monday he was practically in the same condition, but apparently in natural health and feeling well otherwise than wound. Tuesday he was better, coming stopped, and he asked my advice about going away in the schooner. My advice to him was to remain in hospital and keep quiet. He promised me he would do that. Wednesday he walked down to the schoolroom and said he was feeling fairly well. On Thursday he was in the same condition as Wednesday, but after one o'clock he was seized with a pain in the head and became semi-unconscious in which condition he remained until Friday morning. All day Friday he was conscious and did not complain, but he was rather slow to answer questions and comprehend. Friday evening between eight and nine o'clock the patient got out of bed (so the keeper told me) and wished to write to his father and mother. Kenny advised him to keep quiet and wait until morning. After this he seemed to sleep. About six o'clock on Saturday morning the keeper noticed that his arms and legs were getting stiff although he was breathing regularly. At this time the keeper's son was present and thought him all right, but the keeper, becoming anxious, came up to my house for me and asked me to come down to the hospital. While the keeper was away the man expired, and he was dead when I got to the hospital. The man told me his name was Burns Mason. In answer to questions by Clerk of the Peace, he told me something about the cause of his hurt. On Tuesday morning he said something about it. The first time he said it was on the Sunday night he got hurt. On the way up from the saloon he said he had trouble with a sailor who struck him on the voyage from New York. Don't remember if he called the man by name. He pointed to a scar over his eye and said he got that from the same man who hit him on that Saturday night. He said the scar was made by a sheath knife and that he had expected the fellow to assault him from the threats the man had made. He said he was in Angus Kenny's shop that Saturday night getting a glass of beer with some others, some of the boys belonging to the village, and while there he had given the blow which rendered him unconscious. In reference to the wound I should say it was caused by some blunt instrument, owing to the nature of the wound. It was a lacerated and confused wound.

Question by Clerk of Peace:—Did you make any examination after death?

Answer by Dr. Duncan:—Yes, after the death of the coroner I held a post-mortem. There are present, Dr. McNichol, the coroner, (Dr. J. C. Meahan) and myself, also the keeper of the hospital. Death was well set in. There was no deformity except a swelling of the body, slight. I found a healed scar about two inches above top of left ear a little bit back of it, also a healed scar about a quarter of an inch below the right eyebrow, scar about two inches long. There was a blood issuing from nose or ear, a removing scalp the covering as found congested showing that there had been an eruption of blood.

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over both. No fracture of bones beneath that. The covering of the brain generally was congested in the same condition as the covering of the scalp. Rights over the region of the jura corresponding to the healed scar or first wound, a neck or nodus as large as a fifty cent piece was found, perhaps caused in a sense by a clot of blood. The covering that carries all the small blood vessels which nourish the brain was found generally congested and filled with blood. We removed the brain, which was of average size. There was no sign or evidence of any fracture about the base of the skull. On cutting into the left part of the brain it was found that there was more blood than there should be and more or less congested. A large hemorrhage area (clot of blood) size of a fifty cent piece was on the surface of the brain. The Dr. then went into a lot of medical explanations with the Coroner which we did not get. There were also a small quantity of blood in cavities on each side of the brain. On opening the chest and abdominal cavity found nothing abnormal.

Ans. My deduction was and is that Burns Mason's death was due to a blow on the head causing a condition of the brain known as contusion of the brain.

Ans. When you went into Kenny's shop that Saturday evening do you remember the names of any of the people you saw there?


Ans. I can remember one or two; The Captain of the schooner Georgia was there, I distinctly remember him. Peter Irvine I think but I wouldn't swear positively. I also think that Joseph Bertin was there and Angus Kenny himself. There were also some strangers there whom I did not know. I was present at the hospital when the Clerk of Peace and John E. O'Brien called to get the deposition. At that time the patient was in a sensible condition was rather distant and it took some time for him to understand and answer questions. Both Mr. Harrington and Mr. O'Brien spoke about taking a deposition, and they asked me what condition the patient was in to give them a deposition. I told them I did not think he was in a fit condition to give a history of the affair.

Question by a Jurymen—Was it possible that the man could have recovered, that is from the condition or nature of the wound? Ans.—It was not probable, though it might be possible. And in answer to another Jurymen the Doctor said the patient got good nursing and all the attendance necessary.

Question—Did the man go to the hospital and was he there? Ans.—I do not think so, but I am not sure. I do not think he was there. I have recovered in your opinion if he had staid in the hospital? Ans.—No I do not consider that it made any difference. The Doctor also explained the difference between contusion of the brain and contusion. Question—Did the man ever mention Lyman's name in any conversation with you? Ans.—I cannot remember that he ever did but once, the day Mr. Harrington was at the hospital I asked him where Frank Lyman lived and he said in San Francisco. He however told me that it was the same sailor who out him with the knife on the voyage who struck him in Kenny's. I do not remember his calling Lyman by his christian name.

James Cobhan sworn.—I live at Bathurst Village and am foreman for Sumner Company. I have known Captain Langmuir of the Georgia for about sixteen years but have not seen him for some years. This vessel was leading at Sumners wharf on the 11th instant. On that date the vessel was up at the wharf. I did not know of any threats made by any parties against Burns Mason. Luke Doucet told me after that both Captain Langmuir and the mate were going to be beaten by the sailors helped by some of the boys of the village. I did not tell anyone this until after the accident. I did not take any part in the affair. This is all I know about the affair. The witness also told of having been on the staff of the day the Mate came down from the hospital to the schooner and having spoken to him.

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Edward McNeil sworn.—I live in Shediac but at present am working at Bathurst Village. I am a lath-sawyer and work for Sumner Co. I do not know any of the crew or the Capt. of the schooner Georgia. I have seen some of the sailors. I remember the evening of the eleventh. I was standing at the pump in Bathurst Village about eight o'clock that evening. First there came along a sailor with a bag on his back. There were with me at the time the following men, Joseph Doucet, Alexander Pete, Herbert Curran, and Joe Arsenau. I think the sailor was accompanied by one or two others and I thought they belonged to the Georgia. They passed up the street towards the pump and shortly afterwards the Mate and another young man came along. The Mate stopped and said to us "good night boys, we answered him civilly, then he said did you see the mate? None of us answered him. He said something else about it and we did not hear him. Then he said come along boys and have some beer. None of us offered to go and did not answer and he said again "Come have a drink of beer boys, come boys, come along. Then we went along three of us, Joe Doucet, Alex Pete and I with the mate and sailor. We went into Angus Kenny's shop and the mate called for some beer, and Angus Kenny started to pour it out, he had two glasses poured and was starting to pour the third when the Mate received the blow. When we went in there were some fellows in the back room. I saw the mate fall. There was a door between the two rooms. I heard the blow and saw the man fall. I was at the time facing the counter and rather side on to the door that leads into another room or the back of the house. I saw no person come out from the back before the blow was struck. I noticed nothing until the blow was struck. When the mate fell a man sprang on top of him, I never saw the man who was on top of him before. I could not see the back room, but the man who was on top of him did not come in the front door the way we came. He must have come through the partition into the back room. He was not in the front part of the shop when we came in. He must have come from back. After man fell the other man jumped on him and drew to strike him. Then Joe Bertin pulled him off. I saw no bottle on the floor at that time or afterwards. The mate said lift me up, they lifted him up and took him into the back of shop. The other man said, give me my bag, which he took and Kenny said take your bag and get out of this. Kenny was standing behind the bar pouring beer, he would be standing rather side on the door or at a right angle to it, that is the Mate at the back. Kenny might have seen the man come out if he was watching. I have not seen the man who jumped on the mate since. After Mate was taken into back room he was vomiting and bleeding and I said I was going for a doctor and I went. I went first after Dr. Mesban but they told me he was not home. I then went after Dr. Dunstan and he was also from home but they said I might find him at Samuel Melanson's. I went there but he was not there and I found him afterwards at Mr. Joseph Henderson's.

After mate was taken into back room he was vomiting and bleeding and very weak. I saw two Norwegians going out the front door and the mate was struck, they went out after the other man, who had been taken to the mate by Joe Bertin. These men were not in the front shop when we first came in, and they did not come in the front door. They also must have been in and come in from the back shop. I swear Joe Doucet did not strike the blow, I swear Alexander Pete did not strike the blow, and I do not think the young man who came in with the mate could have struck the blow. There were no other men in the front shop except Angus Kenny who was behind the counter. Cannot describe the man who jumped on the mate after the blow was struck. I took no stock of his clothes. He did not appear to be a large man. Never remember seeing him before. Did not belong to Village as far as I know. Have been in Village about six summers and know nearly all the young men about there. I could not swear who struck Mate Masson. Never heard of any plot to beat sailors or mate or captain. At time we went into the front shop did not know there was any one in the back shop but after we heard some one talking in there. Don't know what kind of beer it was that was there, did not taste it. I had a glass of pop there before, pop or ginger beer, or ginger ale.

Joseph D. Doucet sworn.—This man's testimony about having seen the sailors pass as he stood at the pump is exactly the same as the last witness, but he said when they were going into shop there were two or three people outside he could not tell who they were. He also heard voices in the other room when they went in. Also swore positively that none of the men who accompanied him and the mate struck the latter. The man who struck him must have come in from the back room, but like the others did not see the blow though he heard the crack and saw the mate tumble down. Never heard any person or mob threaten any one belonging to the ship. The mate was handy to the door leading to the back room when he was struck.

Joseph Barton sworn.—I live at Bathurst Village am a common laborer. Remember Saturday evening, October 11th, was at Angus Kenny's that night went there about a quarter to eight and stayed till about eight thirty. After I came in, Fred Chamberlain came in and there might have been one or two more who came in also strangers they were. Did not speak to them. Room is about 18 by 16, I was sitting down having a sociable chat with Peter Irvine. Peter Irvine talked with the strangers and he might have talked with Fred Chamberlain. Could not say Fred Chamberlain talked with strangers. They were sitting on left side, Irvine and Chamberlain on right. The door leading to other room was open. I saw another stranger come in there. He was alone did not know him, never saw him before, he came in to where I was and walked right up to the table. He was a dark complexioned fellow with dark clothes. I paid no attention to what he had on, he took his hat off and later on in about a few minutes two or three others came in the front shop, perhaps about four persons can't tell who they were. The stranger who came to the table where I was pulled a ten dollar bill out of his pocket and said I will give any man half of this bill who will lick the mate on board of the ship. He said the mate had struck him in the eye that day. No person spoke at the time, but after a few minutes Fred Chamberlain said "why don't you lick him yourself, he said this to the stranger, he walked up to the table where we were. The stranger replied he's too big a man? I have not got the heart to lick him. After that he seemed to walk away from us and I did not see where he went, as my back was to him. The next thing I heard was a noise like something falling in the front part of the shop and I at once jumped

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up and ran in. When I got into the front shop I saw one man on top of another and as quickly as I could I separated them. I saw it was the man who had offered to pay the five dollars to anyone who would beat the Mate. He at once said give me my bag and took a large bag and went, Kenny said, take your bag and get out this. The man went out the door as quickly as he could. When I ran in from the back room I saw Alex Pete, Ned McNeil and Joe Doucet as well as the two men on the floor and Angus Kenny behind the counter. I had not seen the stranger who offered the five dollar bill go out before the scuffle took place. I heard no talk, I would be eighteen or twenty feet from the counter and if there had been loud words I would likely have heard them. I have never seen the man I took off the mate since, I do not know whether I would know him or not. I remained about fifteen or twenty minutes after the row. I noticed that the mate was bleeding when they took him into the back room. I never heard anything in the shape of threats against sailors or mate or captain. I never saw any of them before. Did not see bottle or any instrument which might have caused wound.

Signed JOSEPH BERTIN.

Alexander Pete also gave evidence which was to the same effect and almost in the same words as Doucet and brought out no new points.

Henry Baldwin sworn.—I reside at Bathurst Village, am by trade a blacksmith am also keeper of the Marine Hospital in Bathurst Village. I remember the evening or night of the eleventh day of October, Saturday. I knew a man who was in the Hospital and who called himself Burns Mason. He was brought to the Hospital on the night mentioned, Saturday, the 11th instant. I do not know who brought him. Peter Irvine came to the Hospital to tell me that a patient was coming, said Doctor Duncan told him to tell me, I went down town for awhile and when I came back the man was there in the hospital. I saw him then. He seemed in considerable pain, I stayed in the room with him all that night, he vomited all night and spit up considerable blood. I asked him how he felt, if he felt any pain and he said his stomach seemed to be unsettled. Next morning (Sunday) he said he felt fine, he did not get up to work, he seemed to be getting better and he seemed to be in good spirits. I told him to go so and he stayed in bed all day. On Monday morning he got up and went down to the Dr. office. I went with him. He was giddy and walked like a drunken man and complained of dizziness in his head. I had to steady him, I left him at the Doctor's office. He came back and stayed all day in the house. He got up on Tuesday morning and said that day the Captain came up. He got his meals at table. Tuesday night he seemed to be getting better and talked to awhile, went to bed about nine p.m. taking his lamp up himself. I did not see him till Wednesday morning. Wednesday morning I thought he looked rather wild, I asked him where he was going as he was going out. He said to two doctors. He went down and soon came back and said

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Yours truly  
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#### AN ENGLISH EXAMPLE.

While Sir Michael Hicks-Beach was Chancellor of the Exchequer in the Salisbury government there were intimations that he was not satisfied with the way things were being done, and it was hinted more than once that he was about to retire. Finally he did retire when Mr. Balfour became premier, and now it is quite clear why he took that course. In a recent speech at Bristol, England, he quite severely criticized the government for its enormous expenditure, which he failed to keep down, and he uttered a warning as to the consequences that must surely follow. There was danger, he said, that the monstrous income tax, which is higher now than ever before, will be saddled on the people in perpetuity. The time has clearly come when, in his opinion, a halt must be called in Imperial matters. There is, he said, no need to spend more on the navy, there might be a sensible reduction in the outlay on the army, and the Empire must be regarded as having attained its limits. The former Chancellor of the Exchequer declared that he had urged his views on the cabinet, but he had failed to bring the members to his way of thinking. It will be observed that Sir Michael Hicks-Beach was careful to pursue a strictly constitutional course. He differed with his colleagues on important questions of policy. He tried to influence them in a different direction from that in which they were going. He failed. He did not start an agitation against the government policy, but resigned, and then presented his views to the country. It will be observed, also, from the despatches to-day that whatever effect Sir Michael Hicks-Beach's views ultimately may have on the country they are not making any impression on the government, for extraordinarily heavy expenditures on naval accounts are pre-mised. The imperial spirit is still ruling in the councils.—Globe.

#### The Editor's Mail.

To the Editor of the Union Advocate, Newcastle, N. B.

Dear Sir, You have now printed two communications signed "Citizen" referring to the Sunday work on the I. C. R. bridge over the N. W. Miramichi, the latter one attacking me personally for my wilful and deliberate desertion of the Lord's Day. Will you kindly permit me to use a part of your columns in reply.

It is a well known fact that, although the production of steel has enormously increased in the past three years the amount produced does not yet satisfy the demand. In three years every bridge building company has been behind time on contracts, and the difficulty and delay in getting the cause of the late starting of the work same as given above, was made after which the Parish Priests permitted all our Catholic workmen to work on Sunday provided they first attend mass. These of our men who live here would attend Divine service before or after Sunday work if they desired.

I am not aware that any clergyman of any denomination has made any effort to get such of our men as were brought here to go to any church. They may think that we are all heathens and that if they can

only save their parishioners from contamination by contact with us they will have done their whole duty. If their congregations all come to see us work, they might also come and hold services at the bridge site which I am sure all our men would gladly attend, if the time was suitably arranged.

Citizen says it is as great a sin to break one commandment as any other. Is it not also incumbent in him and the officers of the law to see that all laws are enforced with equal rigor. What about whiskey selling under citizen's nose? On Sunday Oct. 12th there were two drunken men who made themselves obnoxious to every one at the bridge. Were they locked up? No. Is it possible that there is a "speakeasy" within citizen's jurisdiction, where men with price can, even on Sunday, purchase the cup that inebriates but cheers not.

Are we to be singled out as the only sinners to be visited by "citizen's" wrath? How about the pulp mills and the Sunday work in them? What about the repair work in all the saw mills on Sunday? Does not the 4th commandment prohibit our cattle and our men and maid servants from working on the Lord's Day? Do any of them work in Newcastle? How about the horse that draws a certain clergyman to a neighboring town every Sunday? Did not Christ's Disciples walk when they went from place to place to preach? Have not the newspapers stated that our work was carried on quietly without shouting or profanity? Have we invited people to come to see us work? Are not all days Lord's Days? or does "citizen" generously give six-eighths of all his time to the adversary? Is honest work, faithfully performed, a sin even if great necessity compels it to be done occasionally on Sunday? Are not the officials of the "People's Railway" and ourselves the best judges of this necessity? Thanking you in advance for printing this, believe me, dear Mr. Editor.

Yours very truly,

H. D. BUSH.

Read: Engineer Dom. Bridge Co., Ltd.

#### IT WAS THE SIDEWALK.

Environment, material conditions, are said with reason to affect personal character. Circumstances certainly affect a man's reputation even when his character may not suffer. A recent incident, if reports are worthy of acceptance, is a proof of the above assertion, a case when it was intimated some parties were carrying a "jug," when in fact it was actually the sidewalk that was drunk. It is said that when a man is intoxicated he thinks everything is drunk but himself. This incident concerns a man who was never seen to be the worse for liquor, but as he walked over the other day he wobbled first one side, then the other, then he seemed to step in a hole, jumped out and just then the other end of a plank flew up, against which he struck with his shin. He said something either to the plank or to the absent members of the Town Council, we are not sure which, may be the latter. The man wasn't drunk. It was the sidewalk that was drunk. There are several of them in the town—drunken sidewalks.

#### CITIZEN.

#### KING AND QUEEN.

Pay a Visit to Guildhall, London  
Populace Cheer Them—Rumored Arrest of Suspicious Person.

Queen Alexandra started on the royal progress toward the city shortly after noon today in somewhat dull weather. The rain, however, kept off and the temperature was sufficiently mild to make the day enjoyable. Outside Buckingham Palace, which naturally was one of the greatest centres of attraction, a great crowd had been waiting for hours, watching the arrivals and departures and the forming up of the procession. The brilliancy of the latter was great.

#### Young Plants

Every farmer knows that some plants grow better than others. Soil may be the same and seed may seem the same but some plants are weak and others strong. And that's the way with men. They are like young plants. Same food, same home, same care but some grow big and strong while others stay small and weak.

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tracted from by the fact that all the troops were clothed. The only touch of color was from the lance pennants of the lanciers and the brass helmets of the heavy cavalry. The khaki-painted guns of the artillery and a naval gun of the same hue added to the general tone of sombreness.

The procession formed up outside the gate and had already moved off when the first carriage containing royal personages and members of the household emerged therefrom. The veteran Duke of Cambridge, who was in a carriage with Princess Victoria, came in for considerable cheering, but Lord Roberts and his staff passed almost unnoticed.

There was a somewhat tedious interval before the appearance of Their Majesties, who drew forth the first real cheers of the day as they passed through the rows of the blue-jackets from the first-class cruiser. Terrible lining either side of the main entrance to the palace. The King wore a field marshal's uniform, with the cloak thrown back, showing his decorations.

The Queen wore a straw colored toque and a fur collar and cloak. Both the king and queen looked extremely well and continuously bowed their acknowledgments of the warm welcome extended to them. The King's escort of life guards, equeurs, etc., was about the only detachment of the procession not wearing cloaks, and these troopers made a brilliant display.

Partly in consequence of the length of the route there was somewhere a great crush of people with the exception of open spaces like Trafalgar Square, where the London County Council presented the King with an address of welcome and where the Boer generals, Botha, Delarey and De Wet were prominent among the spectators, and at the city boundary temple where the Lord Mayor, sheriffs and other city officials welcomed His Majesty and presented him with the city's sword.

At the Mansion House most of the procession stopped. Their Majesties from there being accompanied only by the sovereign's escort and the Prince of Wales, the Duke of Connaught and other princes, equeurs and aides to the Guild Hall, where they arrived without any extraordinary incidents. A small riot occurred at the entrance of the Guild Hall in an endeavor to empty the carriages quickly.

The Sun prints an unconfirmed story of the arrest of a foreigner near a stand erected for a view of the royal procession with a pound of suspicious powdery substance in his possession.

The Sun says that George Martin, a clergyman, was remanded at the Southwark police station today, charged with having a pound of gunpowder in his possession with felonious intent.

Their Majesties returned to the palace at 3.30 p. m. The Guild Hall caught fire shortly after their Majesties left the building. Fire engines are now rushing to the scene.

#### A BENEFICIAL BUSINESS TO THE MIRAMICHI.

Mr. Thos. W. Elliott, of Nelson, cleared yesterday, the barge "Tustonia" laden with box shovels and banana crates, for Las Palmas, Canary Islands. He has worked up a fine trade there with this class of manufacture, which is the most advantageous for the Miramichi of any branch of the lumber industry prosecuted here. It enables the manufacturer to utilize much of the refuse which too often goes into the waste burners connected with the deal mills, and is also a source of profit to owners of wood land on which the growth is not sufficiently large, even at maturity, to make deal logs. In the manufacture of the goods turned out by Mr. Elliott, about three times the wages is paid out for labor in comparison with deal saving and handling, which leaves just that much more money in the locality than is left by the larger industry in proportion to the quantity of lumber handled. Mr. Elliott has shipped about two million s. f. of this small manufactured lumber this year, and everybody will be glad to know that he proposes to go in for even a larger quantity for the next year.—Advance.

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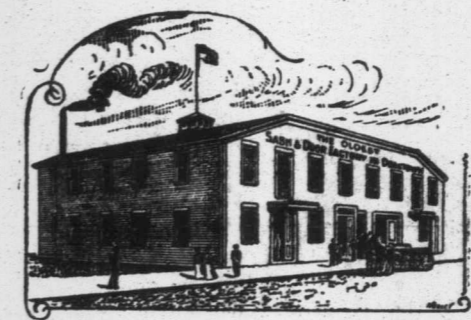
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Our roads and bridges at present are a good subject for serious thought. The Sewell bridge at Pokemouche is a good example and the Wough bridge, another horse trap. A nan got his horse in this bridge last week. One of the spans of the first named is passable on one side only and a horse is liable to drop through that side any day, and yet no steps are taken to have it repaired.

Mr. Peter Albert will soon move in his new Hotel which he built this fall.

Mr. Wm. Ferguson will soon have his new store ready to occupy.

The Shippegan Debating Society held a meeting at the Wough School house on the evening of the 4th inst. and a few very instructive as well as enjoyable hours were spent. This subject of debate was education vs. wealth. Seven very good speeches were delivered to a large and intelligent audience who at the close gave an unanimous vote in favor of education as being preferable to wealth for a young man starting out in life. Among

Mr. R. P. Whitney is in a poor state of health at present. His numerous friends

Mrs. Alfred Sinclair, accompanied by her sister, Mrs. Dan Mullin paid a visit to Redbank last week.

Miss Lucy M. Menzies has returned home after spending a few weeks with relatives in Halcombe.

Messrs. Benj. F. Dunnett, F. Menzies and W. J. Forsythe visited Millerton on Sunday last.

The weather has been very cold the last week, making outdoor work very disagreeable.

At S. Mary's Chapel, Chatham, N.  
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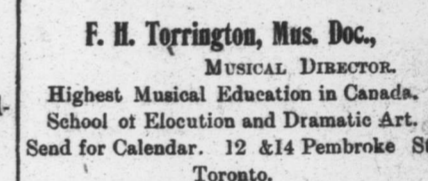
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Suddenly upon the terrible hush broke the discordant voice of Leonard Harris.

"This is murder! Secure the murderers!"

The spell was broken, men began to move toward the group with murmuring hearts. And then it was that Marshall showed himself to be a man.

He sprang to his wife's side, threw his arm around her, and snatching the knife from her rigid fingers, he cried:

"Touch her who dares! This is my sin, not hers!"

But the murmuring crowd approached, and with a bound he broke through it with Bel, brandishing the bloody knife to clear a way.

He ran with her through Jim Pointer's room, pushing him aside as he arose dazedly pale to meet them, dashed through the door and ran to the front gate. This he opened wide with the hope of misleading their pursuers, and then turned suddenly inside the fence, and kept by it until he reached the back entrance.

Through this he passed quickly, and still dragging almost carrying Bel, sped on through the fields until he reached old Phibbs' cabin.

He shook the closed door violently. "Let me in, mammy!" he cried.

"Quick, for God's sake!"

They heard her rising slowly, and in the instant of their waiting he whispered, clasping her closely:

"Oh, Bel! did you love me so? I will save you if it costs my life to do it."

She did not speak, but clung to him, shivering violently.

At this moment the door opened, and he pushed her in, saying, hurriedly:

"Keep her for me, mammy, till I go for a shovel and some money," and shutting the door upon her, he sped away in the direction of his own house.

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"I have killed Dore Valine!" she answered, shuddering.

"Oh, my Land! oh, my blessed Land and Savioh!" shrieked Phibby.

"You've killed Miss Do! Valine? Murder! I knowed it! I knowed it! I knowed it! My po' child! I knowed he'd run sorrow along o' dis 'oman. An' it's come a'ready! Oh, you terrible sinners, does you know what you've brought dat po' boy to? Does you know dat you've flung down de 'spectable name o' Marshall into de way of de law? Oh, my Land, why did you let me live to see dis day? Look here!" she cried, suddenly ceasing her lamentations, as if struck with a new thought. "Listen to me, Bel Pateh!"

She came near and said quickly, but in low tones: "Does you love Mars Charley?"

"Do I love him?" cried the poor girl wildly. "Oh, my God! what a question!"

"Well," whispered the old woman, "if you truly loves him you can save him yet. Is you willin' to sac'ifice yourself for his sake?"

"Oh," cried Bel, "I would die for him!"

"Well, den, you mus' git away from here for dat po' child comes back."

"Oh," said the girl, gasping and pressing her hand against her heart.

"Where is Bel?"

"What is Miss Bel?" she repeated, giving her at last the long-expected title. "The girl who was with you when you shot Dore Valine?"

"No!" he cried, coming and clinging to her. "She is not here. Where is she?"

"How does it know, Mars Charley, when the old woman, trembling, suddenly said a minute ago, I want you a little bit ago and when I come back she was gone as you see and you know she is still here. I want I don't know what she is!" which was literally true.

"Why didn't you stay with her, foot?" he asked, shaking her roughly.

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dainties, the fires burned low, the windows and doors stood open, and chairs and tables were huddled where they had been thrust aside by the impatient crowd. Upon the carpet was the stain of blood where Dore Valine had fallen, but there was no one in all the rooms. Even the body of the murdered girl had been removed.

Marshall ran from room to room still calling "Bel! Bel!" but no answer came but the echo of his own frightened voice. He ran to her own chamber from whose door he had so proudly led her but a short time before. He felt a little thrill, even in the midst of his tears, as he passed upon the threshold of this temple of her maiden dreams. Everything within was chaste, plain, almost severe, though upon this room Jim Pointer had lavished the cost he begrudged the rest. Its riches, its still, white purity spoke to him in such strong language of its owner, that he almost felt her presence, and called again loudly, "Bel! Bel!" but as before the blank stillness gave him no reply.

He turned again, and at the foot of the steps met Jim Pointer.

"Where is she, Jim?" he cried.

"Better say, Charley Marshall," said Jim, fiercely, and for once forgetting his long habits of respect, "better say, villain, what have you done with my child? Didn't I see you with my own eyes dragging her away? Tell me, man, what have you done with my child?"

Marshall pushed him aside.

"Good Heavens where is she if she is not here?" and he rushed again into the dark night without. Not once had he asked for or even thought of poor Isadore Valine. He had not so much as looked toward the spot where she had fallen, nor even in his own mind wondered what they had done with the poor play of her who but an hour ago had been laughing within reach of his hand. Alas! what she had given her life without the poor recompense of being mourned.

By this time the rain had begun to fall, but Mr. Marshall and many others continued to scour the fields, the roads, the river, and in the end all night long through the rain grew heavier, and finally poured down in torrents, did these distracted searchers keep their search. But the girl had disappeared as entirely as if the earth had opened and swallowed her.

For reasons of their own the search of the populace for their own slackened. The searchers were scattered, and for many days following, did the husband and father look blindly but eagerly for the lost bride. But at last they were constrained to give up.

An old skiff was found a few days after her flight. It was turned bottom upward upon the sandbar some two miles below. The oars were gone, but tangled in the oar locks was found a pale tea rose, such as Bel had worn on that fatal night, and clinging to its stem a strand of long, dark hair. These mute witnesses were brought to the searchers, and to the papers with their pathetic messages to the dead.

After that hope was abandoned, yet both husband and father kept emissaries in search of her or what was left of her, and their advertisements in a dozen papers, appealing to her or to others who might have seen her. But all to no avail. They knew she was dead somewhere down the deep river, and that her fair body lay swaying and tossing under the waves, caught by her dress or her long, beautiful hair upon some rack heap of seaweed. Still, they continued to keep up their search and to fill the papers with their pathetic messages to the dead.

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Bel's welfare. What would he do to her did he know that she had actually driven the girl to her fate? She trembled and mourned in silence, for she dared confide in none.

As for Harris, whose that unhappy night, he had moped awhile around the neighborhood, and finally disappeared.

People said he had made away with himself in despair that he had been the first voice to utter poor Bel's condemnation—his first hand to drive her to frenzy and death. Be that as it may, he had certainly grown more than ever gloomy and restless, and most unbearably ill-tempered from the time of her disappearance until he, too, dropped out of the small world that knew him. There was but little search made for him, however, and but little sorrow that he was gone. Only his mother wept at night over the unknown fate of his first-born.

CHAPTER XIII.

Meanwhile, what had been the end of Bel Marshall's sudden and unprepared flight? Half distraught with the horror of her deed and the bitter pang of parting with Charley, she yet retained sufficient self command to know that in haste alone lay the chance of her escape. And with the thought that she was saving him from the shame and grief of her presence, she ran from Phibby's door straight out into the gloomy night, not caring, not considering whether her footsteps led so that only her love lay away from him she loved. She was familiar with every log and tree in the field, and dark as it was, instinctively she reached the bank, and there she reached the river. Over this she climbed with the ease born of her hoiden's childhood among the little negroes of Marshall House. Standing at last upon the bank, she stopped a moment, listening to the million roar of the great river, and shuddering as there flashed through her mind the thought of how suddenly and easily she might and all her sorrows thereafter. But she turned away quickly, shocked at her own thought, for hers was not a suicidal temperament, nor, in fact, a nature to commit any great sin except upon what to her intense feelings seemed an overwhelming provocation. She was about to start on down the river when suddenly upon her ear fell the muffled beat of paddle wheels, and far out in the waters she saw the lights of a large steamer. The wheels kept on turning, but with a stifled and intermittent sound unlike that of a boat in motion. It is around upon a large thought, and then in an instant she had formed her plan of escape. She remembered an old skiff which had lain tied to a rack heap in front of her father's place, and which the negroes used occasionally to carry their small produce to the town across the river, and running hastily along the bank she soon perceived the dim outlines of the heap of wave-washed debris. She walked carefully on to the heap, feeling each footstep before trusting her weight upon the decaying logs. At last, partly by feeling, partly by the faint glimmer from the far-off lights of the steamer, but more through memory and instinct, she found the boat. She untied the clumsy rope which held it to a rough snag, swung lightly in, seized the broken oars, pushed with one of them against the logs and was launched alone upon the dark bosom of the river.

She had lived all her life by the water, and was not at a loss how to manage the boat, so, though she found it difficult, it was by no means an impossible task to guide toward the great steamer still puffing upon the bar.

As she approached she could hear the loud and profane voices of the black hands conversing of the hard luck which had put them aground at that time of night, when they might be steaming on their way a dozen or so more miles nearer St. Louis, and saw at the same time that the boat lay head downward with her bow upon the sands.

"The girl pulled slowly and cautiously, never, carefully avoiding the long rays of light which fell from the open furnaces and bright, twinkling lamps. By their light she saw the boat's name, Hesperides, painted

# POOR COPY

THE UNION ADVOCATE WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 22, 1902.

## BATHURST MURDER.

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he had some medicine to take in hot water he went into the kitchen to get hot water. Sometime after wards that day Mr. Baldwin told me he had medicine to take every twenty minutes in hot water. I did not hear anything more until about four o'clock. The captain then came in and asked me how the mate was and I said I thought he was pretty well to go up and see him. Captain was not long up stair and said he was walking about the room when he came down. I went to see the doctor and the doctor came in a few minutes and gave him more medicine. I went up and he was in bed and I asked him how he felt and he said fine, he always said that. Thursday night he raved all night, but on Friday he said again that he was well. Friday night he grew worse and died Saturday morning. He was well attended and had everything he needed. Friday night when he was up he said to me, 'You'll get that fellow arrested, he's a murderer, he did not mention any name. He asked me to write to his people. He had no revolver or other weapon in his possession when at hospital. The authorities took an inventory of all his effects. This closed the evidence to-day. Adjourned until tomorrow Wednesday morning at ten o'clock a.m. The constables arrived from St. John this evening with the Norwegians and they are in jail here. The prisoner sent for a lawyer this afternoon and one has visited him. He did not know the Mate was dead until he reached the Jail, the constables told him nothing when bringing him from the camp. He appears to be a decent looking man. (Further particulars on 4th page.)

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is sent direct to the diseased parts by the Improved Blower. Heals the ulcers, clears the air passages, soothes the inflamed and permanent cures. Catarrh of the Throat, Bladder, etc. All Dealers in Dr. A. W. Chase's Remedies. For Sale by Dr. A. W. Chase, 1000 Broadway, New York.

No use of talc, said Mr. Lassus Pinkley, that brother of mine is a mighty lucky man. He allus has money. But you must remember that he is much more industrious than you are. He isn't at all afraid of work. Dat's jay do point. He were lucky in bein' born industrious.

Lifeline Soap—disinfectant—strongly recommended by the medical profession as a safeguard against infectious diseases.

Does my boy, injured the parent, seem to have a natural bent in the one direction? Yes, sir, said the teacher, he gives every sign of being a Captain of today, his work for him.

ABLE ADVICE TO RHEUMATICS. At night, especially, and take very little food. In the morning, keep away from the joints, and walk about abundantly. Use the following as a quick remedy for Rheumatic pains. Being five minutes stronger than ordinary remedies, it cures the pain in a very short time. It cures also Sciatica, Neuralgia, and all pain, internal or external. Large bottles, price 50c.

Meekins—What a nice lady Mrs. Brown is. Mr. Brown—Is she? I never met her. Meekins—Perfect. I told Mrs. Brown I was ashamed of myself, her body never had returned her call, because I'm very politely, you know, and she said 'I won't say myself, that I that I need to say as I pleased. could keep it as is.

**Only Nova Scotia Wool**

**Stanfield's Unshrinkable Underwear**

Every part of the body is kept warm and comfortable by the use of this underwear. It is made of the finest wool and is guaranteed to be unshrinkable. Sold by all reliable dealers.

## KENT NORTHERN RAILROAD.

The Kent Northern Railway, running from Kent Junction to Richibucto, 27 miles, has been purchased by a syndicate of local capitalists. Amongst those interested are understood to be Messrs. Charles Fawcett, F. W. Sumner, Robert Pinney, Thomas Murray, G. W. Robinson, W. D. Carter and John Jardine. The new owners have taken control and are having the road put in repair. New sleepers are being laid and other repairs made. The price paid the Messrs. Brown is said to have been \$25,000 but another report places it at \$40,000. Some years ago \$270,000 of bonds were issued and a case is now pending in the courts for the sale of the road under these. It is presumed that this is a legal formality in connection with the sale already made to the company above named.—Globe.

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**Causes Headache, Abdominal Pains, Piles, and in Severe Cases Insanity and Apoplexy**

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The experience of those who have tested all the cures for constipation, seems to prove that Ferrozene is the most agreeable and satisfactory treatment. It makes the bowels so well ordered that natural and unassisted action is established. Nothing can equal the immediate sense of comfort it produces, and pains in the head, and stomach, and in the intestines, disappear almost at once.

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Ferrozene always cures, and can be purchased at any reliable drug store for 50c. a box or three boxes for \$1.50. Sent to your address by mail, if price is forwarded to N. C. Polson & Co., Kingston, Ont.

Mrs. Bionce—Your husband I hear is quite versatile. Mrs. Brown Smythe—Versatile is no name for it. Why, he can actually say out late every night in the week and not give the same excuse twice.

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How unightly, sometimes disgusting, and certainly very mortifying, are skin eruptions. They are usually an lowered vitality of the elementary system, which can be quickly changed by taking Ferrozene after meals. Ferrozene cleanses the blood of all poisons and eruptions, makes it rich in red corpuscles that manifest themselves in a healthy ruddy complexion. To have a pure, soft skin and good complexion simply use Ferrozene regularly. Price 50c. per box, or six boxes for \$2.50, at Druggists, or N. C. Polson & Co., Kingston, Ont.

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Always the same safe, pleasant and effective remedy.

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It has to be, snapped Smithers, to match some of the people in it.

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## PAIN'S CELERY COMPOUND

The Home Friend of the Farmer and His Family in the Autumn Season.

After the labors and toils of the summer time, and harvesting of crops in the early autumn, many of our farmers, their wives, daughters and sons, find themselves in a condition of health demanding careful attention if suffering is to be avoided later on. Many experience kidney trouble of some form; with some the liver is torpid; there is biliousness, nausea and vomiting, with loss of appetite and depression of spirits. Thousands who have been exposed to cold, damp winds and rains, now feel the twinges of terrible rheumatism; others run down by worry, overwork and irregular dieting, are tormented with the pang of dyspepsia.

To the thousands of run-down, sickly and half dead men and women in farm homes we recommend with all honesty and confidence the worker's friend, Paine's Celery Compound. The only medicine that can quickly and fully restore strength to the weak body and vigor to the muscles. Paine's Celery Compound tones the stomach; it removes poisonous acids from the blood which cause rheumatism; it feeds the weak and diseased nerves and banishes neuralgic tortures; it purifies the blood and gives true vitality and life. The use of Paine's Celery Compound in autumn means the establishing of a perfect physical vigor to withstand the rigors of a severe winter.

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For curing lameness from whatever cause, sprains, curb, splint, ringbone and for removing obstinate lumps and all similar injuries or diseases. Cures when everything else fails. Do not confound this preparation with spavin cures and other preparations. Lemming's Spavin Liniment is different from any of them, the effects produced by the applications of Lemming's Spavin Liniment are certain yet comparatively mild. Prepared by the Baird Company Limited.

She hasn't much of a figure has she? No; but her father has.

How many servants do you keep? Oh, about four or five a week.

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It only costs Twenty-five cents to have on hand a safe and sure remedy for all Summer Complaints, Diarrhoea, Cramps, and pains. Buy a bottle of Faller's Black-berry Cordial to-day there is no remedy "just as good," tried and tested for over twenty-five years, it regulates the bowels and relieves promptly. Useful alike to both children and adults; prepared by the Baird Company Limited.

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To every person paying 40c. for a subscription to the Union Advocate for the balance of 1902, we will have the Family Herald and Weekly Star mailed direct from that office for the same period without charge.

This will also entitle you to a copy of our Illustrated Souvenir Edition, containing the celebrated poems, "In the days of Duffy Gillis", "Dungarvon's Contingent is Ready", and "The Man Behind the Boathook."

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This is without doubt the greatest offer ever made to the public of Canada, and the sooner it is accepted the more you get.

## TO OUR PRESENT READERS.

Any present subscriber whose subscription to the Union Advocate is in arrears can have the Family Herald and Weekly Star Free for the balance of the year by paying up arrears, and 15 cents, and those not in arrears can have the Family Herald and Weekly Star for the balance of the year by paying next year's subscription during September, with 15 cents additional.

We are making a big effort to run the subscription list of the Advocate up to 2000 copies before Jan. 1st, and this offer has been made especially for that purpose.

The Advocate is acknowledged to be the newest weekly in Northern New Brunswick and with some improvements which will be added this fall will make it second to none in this province.

Do not put off sending in your subscription but do it at once.

## ADDRESS:--

**Arnold Bros.,**

**Publishers,**

**Newcastle, N. B.**

## Bertha—I guess it's going to be a match between Maude and Charley.

Constance—So! Bertha—Yes. Maude today spoke of his stuttering as a slight hesitancy in the enunciation of words.

## ASTHMA CAN BE CURED

Thousands of testimonials conclusively prove that Asthma can be permanently cured by inhaling Catarrhazone, a reliable antiseptic that destroys at once the germs causing the disease. Catarrhazone gives immediate relief to the distressing cough and suffocating sensations, makes breathing easy and regular and insures undisturbed sleep. Catarrhazone cures Asthma that doctors are unable even to relieve and can cure you. The Catarrhazone inhaler is made of hard rubber, fits into the vest pocket can be used at work, in church, in the street, in bed—any place—at any time. Two months' treatment (guaranteed), price \$1.00; trial size 25c. Druggists, or N. C. Polson & Co., Kingston, Ont. Sold by A. E. Shaw.

Did he marry her for her money? asked the girl in white.

Well, let's be charitable and say he did, answered the girl in gray. There is no use casting aspersions on his taste and judgment.

When a paper states that comment is unnecessary it means that the writer does not know what to say.

## Children Cry for CASTORI

## The WHIRL of the TOWN

**SUBSCRIBERS** will kindly watch the date opposite their names on the **ADVOCATE** each week, for two reasons—to note when they are in arrears, and help the Publishers by paying up promptly, and when paid up to see that the date is changed. If.

At McMillan's Shoe Store warm footwear for winter.

The new electric street railway in Sydney C. B. commenced operations on Friday.

Good heavy sold Douglas Laced boots only \$1.00 at McMillan's Shoe Store.

The S. S. Anselmy is the only ocean going vessel in port. She is loading at Hickson's wharf for F. E. Neale.

The new steamer which Mr. H. Layton has built for Messrs. D. & J. Ritchie & Co., will be launched at high water on Saturday.

Mr. Geo. Stables has received a carload of prime gravenstein apples which he will dispose of at an exceedingly low rate to the trade or private families.

The dance in the Institute last Wednesday was a very enjoyable one. It is intended to make these of weekly occurrence. A good time is assured to those who attend.

The S. S. Miramichi lost a portion of her boiler at noon on Friday and is off the water for repairs. The Alexandra took her place Saturday and the St. Nicholas is on this week.

Messrs. J. R. Lawlor, John Sargeant and John Connell have gone to Tahiti, to beach to hunt geese and brant. The S. S. Alexandra was off the route Saturday, and they, not feeling inclined to wait until Monday, chartered a Joe boat and proceeded under sail to their destination.

Mr. Thomas M. Kenny and Miss Bessie Turgeon, both of Bathurst, were married by Rev. Fr. Dixon here on Monday. Mr. Kenny is assistant postmaster at Bathurst and Miss Turgeon is the only daughter of O. Turgeon, M. P. for Gloucester. The happy couple returned home Monday night.

Despatches tell of a barber who, William Tell, Jr., for a traveling company and allowed one of the company to try to shoot an apple which was placed on his head. The medicine man and both the apple and the barber twice. The barber risked another shot. The apple was unharmed. The inquest was concluded yesterday.

An alarm of fire was rung on last Saturday evening but it proved to be only a chimney on Mrs. Johnston's house burning out. The blaze and sparks were dangerous and as the wind was blowing hard it was thought advisable to cut down the building in its vicinity to the locality is a dangerous one. It is started there would be work for all.

The remains of the late Alexander Robinson were followed to the Riverside Cemetery, on Thursday, by a long line of citizens on foot and in carriages. The funeral was under Masonic auspices. The Citizens' Band was in attendance. The religious exercises were conducted by Rev. D. Henderson and Rev. T. G. Johnston. The pallbearers were, by the request of the deceased, the trustees of St. Andrew's church, namely, Messrs. D. P. MacLachlan, Geo. Stothart, A. A. Anderson, Wm. Scott, Geo. J. Dickson, and G. B. Fraser.—World.

The attention of our readers is drawn to the announcement on another page of this paper, which affords a splendid opportunity to secure that great family paper, the Family Herald and Weekly Star, of Montreal, absolutely free of charge for the balance of 1902. The Family Herald and Weekly Star is acknowledged to be in a class entirely by itself as a family paper, and the desire to introduce it into new homes has enabled us to make this arrangement with the publishers of that great paper. We learn that the Family Herald publishers will shortly renounce their new premiums for this season, and the public will get a pleasant surprise. Read the announcement in this paper.

Last Thursday the fire engine was coupled to the water system and pumped the piping full. The water was used to flush and test the rewers, which was done and the entire system was found to be in perfect order and is now ready to have connections with private houses made. The sewer test was a most satisfactory one, the ball passing through the entire system without a hitch and the job is a credit to the contractors. At one time there was one hundred pounds of pressure on the water system, without showing up any leaks, except around the hydrants, which need a little tightening up. This is also a good showing. A few valves are being placed in this week after which the piping contract will be complete.

Don't forget the dance in the Institute this evening. All are invited Ladies free. 8 o'clock.

Don't forget the fact that we carry a full assortment of paper bags from 1 lb. to 20 lbs which we sell at lowest trade prices. Liberal discounts for large quantities.

The Joe boats have commenced to arrive with cargoes of fish and farm produce. Fish is of good quality and high price this year. Oysters are scarce and are quoted at \$2.50 per bbl.

Work is being rushed on the electric light contract and the contractors expect to have the system in working order early in December.

It has been reported to us that covering of the Red Bank bridge is a disgraceful condition and hardly fit to cross on. This should be attended to at once.

J. & T. Jardine's extensive mill property at Rexton was completely destroyed by fire Saturday evening. A large amount of lumber was lost. The fire engine was sent up from Richibucto and rendered valuable assistance. A heavy gale was blowing at the time.

We have made arrangements whereby we will be able to sell copies of a large illustrated paper entitled, New Brunswick Illustrated. This will contain many fine views of the Miramichi with a good write up of the town of Newcastle. Send 10 cents to Anslow Bros. and order a copy. The edition will be ready early in December.

### FAST LINE.

Sir Frederic Borden Says "Fast Line Soon."

MONTREAL, Oct. 26.—In an interview yesterday Sir Frederic Borden supplemented his previous statement here on the fast line project. He said: "As a member from the maritime provinces and as one who has carefully considered the question, I would say that in my opinion the trading merchants of Halifax were wrong when they decided that if a fast line were to be established it should be a 25 knot service."

"As a minister of the cabinet, I may state that the fast line will be established in the near future and the service most beneficial to Canada, and in particular to the maritime provinces, would be a 20 knot service."

The minister of militia said that the reason he was anxious to state his views exactly was because in the recent interview he gave a Halifax Herald representative in Boston he was not only quoted incorrectly in certain statements but others were left out to place him in a false light.

### HAND DRAWN INTO PIECE

AMHERST, Ont. 25.—Willard Scott, of Sussex, and employee in Kohls' engineering works, this morning had one hand and the lower part of his arm drawn into a piece of machinery, resulting in their being frightfully crushed and torn about half way to the elbow. The arm had to be amputated six inches below the elbow.

### SCOTT ACT.

Mrs. Wm. Fitzpatrick of Nelson was up before Police Magistrate John Niven, Esq., on Oct. 25d for violation of the C. T. A. She was convicted and fined \$50 and costs. John Rattican of Nelson was also up before His Honor on Oct. 24th and fined \$50 and costs.

On Oct. 9th, Andrew Connors of Blackville was fined \$30 and costs. On Oct. 10th, John McCormick of Blackville was up before his honor and was dismissed for want of evidence.

### MRS. S. A. DEMERS'

#### GRAND CLEARING SALE

Of millinery and millinery trimmings, also ladies' costumes, shirt waists, dresses and undershirts, wrappers, corsets, wool underwear, white wear, ribbons, laces, hamburgs, veilings, silks, velvets, velveteens, plushes, crapes, etc. Everything is marked away down and greatest bargains will be given. All must be disposed of at any price, as I am going out of the millinery business.

### MRS. S. A. DEMERS.

### Social & Personal

Dr. Cates will attend to his patients on usual date a 30th to last of the month.

Mr. A. J. McLean of Roxbury mass. is visiting friends here. He and Dr. Beverley Sproul left last week for a weeks goose shooting at Inkerman, Gl. Co.

Mr. Henry Carter has returned from Sydney.

Mrs. D. Chessman of Chatham was visiting friends here last week.

Mrs. James Robinson and Miss Robinson have gone to Boston where there reside for some time.

Mr. Jake White of Bathurst was in town Monday.

Mr. Wm. Jardine of the Bank of New Brunswick, Sommerside, P. E. I., was visiting his cousin Mr. Graham Jardine of the Royal Bank of Canada here.

Mr. Johnston of Adams, Burns & Co., Bathurst was in town yesterday on his way to Chatham.

Mr. Waldo Crocker who has been taking a business course at Kerr's Business College, St. John has returned home.

Messrs. Matthew J. Duffy and Raymond Wright returned from Fredericton Sunday.

Miss Ada Russell of Halifax is visiting her mother at Chatham. Her many friends are delighted to see her again.

Mr. Fred Dyke, of Chatham, has returned from England via Boston. His many friends are pleased to learn that he intends spending the winter on the Miramichi.

Miss Lizzy, clerk leaves to-day for New York to resume her official duties at that city.

### N. S. MURDER.

Prisoner seeks to Lay Crime of Killing His Cousin, Also a Peddler, Upon Two Young Boys.

TRURO, Oct. 25.—The man at Tenny Cape, Hants county, accused of the murder of Lyon Lundore, attempted to place the crime on the heads of two lads of Tenny Cape.

Lundore, the deceased, and Cauntully, the alleged murderer, are cousins, natives of Armenia. The have been in Nova Scotia but three months, having headquarters at Kentville. Thomas Abraham of Truro, with five Assyrians and Armenians from Kentville endeavored to secure the story of the murder from the alleged murderer.

Cauntully was in a desperate state of mind. He lay on a table trembling all over, his heart throbbing so you could see its motion through his clothes.

His eyes were shut. The men got the following story from the alleged murderer. He said he and the dead man had been in company at Tenny Cape. The dead man sold two Tenny Cape boys a watch. The boys followed him wanting to give the watch back.

The peddler refused and the boys followed him into the woods and killed him with stones and the butt of a revolver. The alleged murderer was lifted into a wagon as a lifeless man.



### NOTICE.

Applications for Water, Sewerage and Electric Light connections will now be received at the town office where blank forms of applications will be furnished. Any person making connections without a permit will be prosecuted.

R. T. D. AITKEN

Town Clerk.

Newcastle, Oct. 27—1w.



### SWEET, PURE, BEST.

Good soap is about as important as good food. Whether for use on infants or adults it must be entirely free from skin irritants.

#### OUR TOILET SOAP.

Are prepared from the choicest material, soften and beautify the skin.

Rogers & Gallet, Pears, Packers, etc. Orange Blossom Soap, 3 cakes in a box, 10cts. a box.

Castile in 1 lb. bars, price 15cts. a bar.

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F. R. DALTON, Proprietor,  
SUCCESSOR TO E. LEE STREET. QUIGLEY BUILDING

### MILLINERY.

Our Opening is now over but we have still a few pretty hats left which we will clear off at a reduction.

All orders will receive our very best attention.

Mrs. H. A. Quilty,  
THE SARGEANT STORE.

## BULBS.

Just Arrived for Fall Planting  
Hyacinths, Daffodils,  
Tulips, Sacred Lilies.

To have fragrant Blossoms during winter and early spring these Bulbs should be planted now. Try them this year and you will never be without them again.

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Steam and Hot Water Heating,  
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Overcoats, Ulsters, Reefers, Jumpers, Sweaters, Cardigan Jackets, Shirts, Overalls, Pants, Overall, White and Blue Wraps, Wash Wraps, Home-spuns, and Pilot, Melton, and T. S. S. Hats, Caps, Boots, Shoes, Rubbers etc., etc., etc.

### JOHN FERGUSON.

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### The Excelsior Life Insurance Company

Head Office, Toronto. Capital \$500,000. Branch Office, St. John, N. B. Insurance in Force \$5,000,000.

Total amount for security of policy holders \$700,000.30. Lowest average death rate of record for Company of same age, viz., 3.12 per 1,000 mean insurance in force. Interest income alone pays of death claims and Head Office salaries.

This Company has already been extensively patronized by the most prominent professional and business men of New Brunswick. Applications received during first half of 1902 for nearly \$1,000,000.

For further information apply to.  
ROBERTSON & OWENS,  
PROVINCIAL MANAGERS, ST. JOHN, N. B.

### THE CHEAP CASH STORE

Just received a large stock of Fall and Winter Goods in Ladies' Underwear, Hosiery, Shirts, Goods, Flannelettes, Cottons, Monoton Yarns and Stockings, also Ladies' Sacques, Men's Pajamas, Dress Homespun Pants, etc., etc.

#### Ladies' Sacques.

We have a large stock of these in Black, Brown, Fawn, etc., at prices ranging from \$2.00 upwards. Call and see them before buying elsewhere.

#### Dress Goods.

We are now showing some special values in this line. Heavy double fold goods from 15c per yard, also some wool single with goods to be cleared out at from 10c per yard upward.

#### Heavy Shirts.

Men's knitted and flannel shirts in Blue, Grey, etc., prices 35c, 50c, 60c, 75c and \$1.00.

#### Men's and Boys' Overcoats.

About 200 of these in Black and Brown, etc., at prices ranging from \$10.00 upwards. Call and see them before buying elsewhere.

#### Underwear.

Men's heavy all wool shirts and drawers, 50c per pair. Better quality \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50, and \$1.75 per pair.

#### Blankets.

Large stock of wool blankets, 50c, 75c, 1.00, 1.25 per pair upwards. Also some flannel blankets, 75c per pair.

JAMES BROWN, Newcastle

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## 'COWS ARE COWS'

'But there is a great difference in milk. It is not the color of the cow, nor the size of the horns, it is what she gives in the milk pail.' Business is business, but there is a difference in the way business is done. It is not how long a man has been in business, but the values given in exchange for money. No man wants to pay \$1.00 for what he can get for 90c. We claim to give better service and better value in exchange for money than others. Right treatment is increasing our trade. We like to treat people white.

### Blankets.

\$2.50 is the price we place upon our all wool 5lb. white blankets, size, 68x80. We double if anyone can beat the price for the same quality.

We have others at \$3.75, \$4.75, \$5.00 and \$6.50.

\$6.50 is the price we place upon a beautiful blanket, 90lb. in weight, 70x90 in size, quality extra fine.

### New Waists.

ALBATROSS. Our last sold so quickly we have placed in stock a new lot. New coloring, new effects, and a valuable material.

PRICES, 45c, 65c, 75c and \$1.00.

FRENCH FLANNELS. Now that the weather is colder, this furnishes an excellent material for a warm waist. Our new ones are just opened and are good.

PRICE, 35c.

### Women's Vests.

25c purchases a heavy garment suitable for winter wear.

50c, a wool or heavy plush lined garment, of good merit.

75c, extra heavy and warm.

\$1.00, all wool, unshrinkable, in natural and red.

### Until Further Notice.

This store will close at six o'clock every night except Saturday, commencing Nov. 3d.

R. N. WYSE, - - Newcastle, N. B.

## Emblems and Coat of Arms.

STICK PINS, HAT PINS, and BROOCHES.

We have just opened the best assortment of these goods we have ever shown.

Sterling Silver Enameled, From 25 to 75cts.

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### ELECTRIC LIGHTING.

We are prepared to quote you prices on wiring your house for electric lights. Drop us a card and we will call.

### FIXTURES.

A full line of fixtures can be seen at our shop.

Next door to H. Williston & Co.

HAY & FOLLANSBLE,

ELECTRICIANS AND MACHINISTS.

NEWCASTLE.

### DEMERS' GROCERY.

We particularly call your attention to our crockery. Greatest bargains ever given. Now is the time to buy. Everything in this department marked away down for spot cash.

Teas from 18c upward and the best in the market. We are ready to support this statement with samples. Don't be sidetracked out call and get bargains.

Oranges, plums, bananas, pears, peaches and fruit of all kinds sold on small margin.

Just received a lot of No. 1 Shelburne Herring. Headquarters for Groceries and Bargains.

DEMERS' GROCERY, Newcastle.

### That Fatal Apple.

Cold Springs, N. Y., Oct. 26.—The coroner today held an inquest in the body of John Volkman, a barber, who was accidentally shot and killed last night on the stage of the Thespian hall by Charles Meinet, of a travelling medicine company. One of the features of the show was Meinet's feat of shooting an apple from the head of some person, and Volkman volunteered to allow the apple to be placed on his head. The first two shots failed to hit either the apple or the man, but the third struck Volkman in the forehead and he died within an hour. Meinet is held on a charge of manslaughter.

### Canada Declined to Maintain 5,000 Men.

Ottawa, Oct. 24.—Great Britain has asked Canada to permit a force of 5,000 men to be raised and maintained in Canada for Imperial defence purposes. The proposition was made by Mr. Brodie at the Imperial conference held in London, but it was not entertained by the Canadian delegates. The latter held that Canada's primary military obligation was to keep an efficient force for the defence of its own territory, and that this force must be under Canadian control. The Imperial authorities offered to contribute a share for Imperial defence, but the offer was declined.

### WEDDING BELLS.

A quiet wedding took place at the residence of Benj. Hosford of Southesk, on the 22nd inst, when his only daughter, Maud, and John McRea of Blackville, were the contracting parties. Only a few of the friends and relatives of the bride and groom were present. The bride received the gift of a valuable watch and chain from the groom. They will reside in Blackville.

### A Narrow Escape for Lawyer J. J. Adams.

Robert Hamilton, of Pittsburg, W. J. Mallard, of New York, and William C. Turner, living at Mount Vernon, New York, met on Friday last in the office of Messrs. Cantor, Adams & McIntyre, Wall Street, to settle a transaction between them, connected with the Climax Bottling Company, of which Turner had been president and they stockholders. It appears that Turner retired as president of the company, last April when he was bought out by Hamilton. After the sale it was discovered in examining the books of the concern that there was a shortage of \$3,100 in Turner's accounts. The Climax company engaged John F. McIntyre, former assistant district attorney and M. Goodman, both of the firm of Cantor, Adams & McIntyre, to effect a settlement with Turner and he engaged Edgar Leventritt to represent his interests. Some difficulty had been met with in the negotiations which followed between the lawyers but it was finally agreed to accept \$2,700 and give Turner a release in full. The settlement was to take place in the offices of Cantor, Adams & McIntyre last Friday at 11 o'clock. Shortly after that hour Turner, with his lawyer, and Messrs. Hamilton and Mallard, with Messrs. Adams and Goodman, of the Adams' law firm, went to Mr. Adams' private office. Mr. Mallard asked Turner for the \$2,700 certified cheque which it was expected he would pay in settlement of the dispute with his late associates. He replied "Yes I will let you have it" and thrusting his hand in his breast pocket, he drew a self-loading revolver and pointing it at Mallard uttered an oath and fired two shots at him, both of which went through his heart. Meanwhile all the others, save Hamilton and Adams scrambled out and fled. Turner next fired at Hamilton and struck him in the back. Then Adams made his escape and, immediately, another shot was heard, followed by the fall of a body. Then all was still. It was subsequently ascertained that the murderer used the last shot to end his own life. It turned out that Turner had a cheque for \$2,700 on his person purporting to be a certified one, but while his own signature to it was genuine, the name of the party signed as certifying it had no connection with the bank on which it was drawn.

It may be that Turner would not have shot the other gentlemen who were in the room if he had remained, but as he had a second loaded revolver on his person, it would seem that his intention was to have made a general slaughter. Mr. Adams, who is a former Miramichi man and an eminent New York lawyer, seems to have had a narrow escape, over which his many friends here and elsewhere join in congratulating him.—Advan.

### Mr. Tarte Again.

He gives Americans a Piece of His mind. Canada May put up a Fence.

SALT SPRING, Ont., Oct. 27.—At the celebration connected with the formal transfer of the power canal to Mr. Clergue by the contractors, Mr. Tarte, speaking to the crowd of Canadians, eloquently and with a deal of that ministerial he had been able to render his assistance. Canadians appreciated what Mr. Clergue was doing in their midst. After alluding in a peculiar manner to the fact that his colleagues had thrown him out of the cabinet, he said: "I am not so. He said the Americans had treated Canada unfairly. 'Canada had tried to negotiate a bill that would have been friendly. We are doing up an epoch of apathy and indifference and because long we may bring you to time by putting up our fence. That, I think, would have a good result. You are not as big as you, but you cannot swallow us in our mountain. National pride is running high in Canada, and we are going to protect ourselves, and in doing so we will bring you to time. We have iron, gold, lumber and magnificent fisheries. You want our iron and gold, and lumber, don't you? You are joint owners with us in great waterways, but we are sole owners of the St. Lawrence river. Our waterway from Chicago to Liverpool is five hundred miles shorter than your route, and I think you will use our waterway when it is completed, although I do not care whether you do or not. There is strong national sentiment on this subject."

### "PURITY" AND "ALONE."

The above are the title of two most delightful pictures which are being sent to subscribers of the Family Herald and Weekly Star of Montreal, this season. It is difficult to say which will prove most popular. "Purity" is a beautiful piece of work. It is a copy of a painting that has attracted a great deal of attention in Europe. "Alone" appeals to a different taste, and is also sure to be popular. The two pictures are immense value with that great family weekly at one dollar per year, and when they begin to scatter around the country and be seen there is sure to be a greater rush than ever for that paper.

### CEO. WITZEL.

### A Young Man of This Town WAS

### SEVERELY INJURED.

### While Working at the S. S. Anerley yesterday morning.

About eight o'clock yesterday morning, while working on the wharf alongside the S. S. Anerley, Mr. Geo. Witzel, a young man of about twenty-five years of age and a resident of the town, was severely injured. He was engaged piling up deals for the sling and while free on a horse to keep deals from wharf the sling of deals which had just started came back, and hitting the horse or rest which is made of deal, forced up with terrific force striking him on the side of his face and head. It was thought he had been killed, but such was not the case. Dr. Desmond was summoned and had the young man removed to his home, where he now lies suffering much pain, but hopes of his recovery are expressed by the attending physician.

### The Wrong Moose Killed.

Mr. Bartholomew Connell of the Bartibogue settlement, killed a moose quite easily within fifty yards of the Bartibogue road on Wednesday morning of last week. He says he was driving from one of the camps in the Tabernacle district that morning and, not far from the well known moose feeding pond between Bartibogue and Eskelof, he saw a bull moose on the road. The animal, on seeing him, walked off towards and into a bit of woods about fifty yards away and Mr. Connell, leaving his horse on the road, followed, rifle in hand. On entering the cover he saw a moose, fired at it and saw it fall. Hastening towards it, he made the discovery that it was not a bull that lay lying before him, but a cow moose, and that it was tethered, and close examination showed that it was "Tommy," the famous tame cow moose belonging to his brother, John Connell. He was so upset by the discovery of the mistake he had made that he took no further interest in the pursuit of the bull moose, which had led to this error, but drove at once to his brother's place at Bartibogue to tell him of it. Mr. John Connell was not at home, however, having come to Chatham with Messrs. Otz and Schwarzenbach of New York, whom he had guided in killing a moose and caribou each between Eskelof and Tabernacle.

It seems that Mr. John Connell had "Tommy" with him on the moose hunt with Messrs. Otz and Schwarzenbach, and left her tethered in the woods near the road at the pond on the return on Tuesday, intending to have her brought home on Wednesday or Thursday. His brother saw the party with "Tommy" going home on Tuesday, and feeling sure she had been taken to Bartibogue, had no idea she was near when he saw the bull moose.

Mr. John Connell feels his loss very keenly, as he has good reason to do. He has been, ever since, engaged in improving her training. It will be remembered that he drove her, harnessed to a sleigh, to the Chatham last winter. He taught her to come to him on call in the woods, where she was turned loose with only a bell on, and to eat almost anything fed to the cattle about the place. In fact, she was the pet animal of the well known anglers and hunters' resort. Mr. Connell refused \$500 for her a year ago, but at the time she was killed had an offer for her of \$750 under consideration. Apart from her money value, he said on Thursday last that he would sooner have lost his three horses than "Tommy." Mr. Bartholomew Connell feels the result of his hasty shot very keenly, but his brother says the mistake was a natural one under the circumstances, as the bull moose entered the cover directly in line with the spot where "Tommy" was and he had no reason to believe that the moose he saw, on following, was any other than the one which walked off the road.—Advan.

### COUNTY COURT.

The Northumberland County Court, His Honor Judge Wilkinson presiding, was in session here last week.

The following cases were up for trial.

Geo. Brown vs. Fred McRae. Williston and Lawlor for Plaintiff and Attkin for defendant. Jury retired and by mistake of the foreman the verdict was rendered for Brown. Motion will be made before His Honor Judge Wilkinson next Wednesday to have verdict rectified according to the intention of the jury.

John McCormick vs. Michael Donahoe. Davidson for plaintiff and Williston for defendant. Verdict for Plaintiff.

J. E. Hickey vs. Leunburg Co. Ltd. Attkin for plaintiff and Williston and Lawlor for defendant. Judgment of non suit. Case will be appealed.

### TREED BY MOOSE.

Mrs. Martin, of Boston, Had Adventure.

YANKEETOWN, Me., Oct. 23.—One afternoon last week Mrs. Martin, wife of Dr. James Martin of Boston who has been in camp near Spednic lake, close to the New Brunswick line, for two weeks, had an adventure with a bull moose, which frightened her badly for some time and caused her friends much anxiety.

This is the fifth season that Dr. and Mrs. Martin have visited eastern Maine in quest of bears. It has been their custom to hunt on both sides of the state line. Mrs. Martin boarding at Osgood's camp on Spednic lake, and her husband camping on Musquash lake.

Mrs. Martin shot a bear about a week ago, and was returning from a long trip after another, when she was met by a large moose, which disparted her right of way and showed so much freeness that she climbed a tree for safety. As soon as she was beyond reach of the animal she began to shoot at it with her magazine rifle, which she had carried aloft to use in case the moose remained within range.

Having no cartridges about her person except those in the rifle, she saved her ammunition and succeeded in bringing down her jailer with the last shot.

By this time night had fallen and fearing to walk home and encounter another angry moose with no means of defending herself she waited until she felt sure the animal was dead, and then descended to the ground and was kindling a fire, intending to pass the night in the woods, when a rescue party from the camp where she boarded arrived and escorted her home.

As the moose was shot in New Brunswick where non-resident hunters are required to procure a license, and as Mrs. Martin had come to Maine to hunt bears, the provincial game protectors find her \$100 for shooting the moose which threatened to take her life.

### HON. MR. M'KEOWN.

To Speak at Boston Banquet on Progress and Development of Canada.

The Canadian Club of Boston has invited Hon. H. A. M'Keown to be present at a banquet which the club is to give at the Copley Square Hotel in November and he is on the list of speakers. The Progress and Development of Canada is the subject upon which he is asked to address the club—a very subject at but one to which Mr. M'Keown is well calculated to do justice. He has accepted the invitation.

Other speakers will be Hon. Clifford Sifton, minister of the interior; Hon. C. Fitzpatrick, minister of justice; Sir Thomas Shaughnessy, president of the C. P. R., and several prominent Americans.

The banquet promises to be a notable one. The Canadian Club has had many successful affairs of this kind at which there have been many important deliberations on questions of great public interest here and in the United States. Sir Frederick Borden recently addressed the club and his remarks were quoted widely.

The invitation which Mr. M'Keown has accepted is an honor not only to him but to the province.

### COLONIAL SECRETARY.

Has Decided to Visit South Africa and Look Personally into Affairs.

LONDON, Oct. 26.—It is officially announced that Mr. Chamberlain has decided to visit South Africa and examine on the spot the problems presented by the termination of the war and the settlement of affairs in the new colonies. The King has approved of the plan, which is also fully approved by Premier Balfour.

LONDON, Oct. 27.—The Telegraph thinks Mr. Chamberlain's visit to South Africa will be the precursor of similar visits to Canada and Australia. The matter is a subject of universal and approving comment this morning.

### Liner Barely Escapes Wreck.

Much Distress Among Newfoundland Fishermen—Two More Schooners Lost.

St. John's, Nfld., Oct. 25.—Two more schooners were reported to have been lost on the north coast. The crews of these vessels, however, are said to have been saved. The Labrador mail boat, which is now reported much distressed among the fishery folk on the Labrador coast as the result of a recent gale and the destruction of fishery outlets.

A large ocean liner, outward bound, barely escaped disaster near Cape Race yesterday. The vessel was actually inside of Port of Refuge, where the steamer Hesperus was wrecked, when she sped a flying boat through the fog and reversed her engines and escaped.

# BATHURST MURDER

## Text of Evidence Taken at Inquest.

On the night of the 11th of Oct. a mate of the schooner Georgia, registered at Boston, was struck by a bottle thrown at him by a sailor belonging to the same vessel, and badly injured. The mate was removed to the Marine Hospital and attended by Doctor Duncan, and after lingering for about a week, died. At the time of the row, the men were in a saloon kept by a man named Kenny in Bathurst Village, where the schooner was moored to load for Messrs. Sumner Co.

A warrant was issued by J. E. O'Brien J. P. against the sailor whose name is Frank Lyman for assault, but the man was not captured, and after the man's death, it was found that the sailor had disappeared from the vicinity of Bathurst.

Inquest on the body of Burns Mason taken at Bathurst, N. B., this 18th day of October, A. D. 1902, before John C. Meahan, Coroner.

Jury sworn as follows: Richard Southwood, Henry White, Thomas Leahy, Hugh Hodgins, William R. Johnson, Joseph D. Doucet and Hugh Kent.

After being sworn, the coroner and jury after the coroner viewed the body and returned to the office of John E. O'Brien Esq., J. P. Jury called all present. John J. Harrington Clerk of the Peace appeared for the Crown. The Jury unanimously suggested that the coroner direct that a post-mortem examination of the body of the deceased be made.

R. Longmire sworn: My place of residence is in St. John N. B. My occupation is seafaring and I am a master mariner. I am in command of the three-masted schooner, Georgia, registered at Boston, Mass. My last port was New York. I left New York with my vessel about the 26th of September last, and had seven of a crew including myself. The names of the crew are as follows:—My mate was Burns Mason, the deceased, the others were Ralph Israel, Stewart, Bert Holliday, Frank Lyman, Ole Hamel and Addison Peterson, seamen. The deceased and Frank Lyman had trouble on board on the passage here from New York. About four days out when we were getting under way at New Haven harbor I heard rough talk forward between Lyman and deceased. "Come down on deck," Burns Mason at that time was on the fore-castle deck and he jumped down, and Frank wheeled and made at him with a sheath knife, then Mason got a capstan bar and hit at the knife. This was in the day time about eight o'clock in the morning. Mason did not succeed in knocking the knife out of Lyman's hand and he dropped the capstan bar and they clinched. In the clinch Frank cut Mason over the eye with the knife. Mason got Lyman down on the deck and would have beaten him only I came along and stopped them. I was at the wheel at the time and I came aft, and Mason took the knife from Lyman. I did not hear any threats between them. I arrived here on the ninth of October at Summers' wharf in Bathurst Harbor. I heard no other rowing between them for the rest of the voyage down. In the row

the mate blackened one of Lyman's eyes. I heard no disturbance or talk between them after getting into Bathurst Harbor. On the 11th instant, the mate (Mason) went ashore in the evening. I told the mate before going ashore to be careful of Lyman as I had heard that he was raising a mob to beat him. Lyman left the vessel without leave on Saturday and was ashore ahead of Mason all day. I have Lyman and the two Norwegians entered on my log as deserters. Burns Mason did not come back to the vessel Saturday night. I heard that he was hurt so I went up street and found him sitting on a chair with a man holding him. Lyman was not there. There were also seven or eight people there whom I did not know. Mason was sick and bleeding profusely from a wound in the head. He recognized and spoke to me. With one man on each side of him we took him to Dr. Duncan's office. The doctor dressed the wound, and I drove him down to the hospital. He has remained there since. He was down to the vessel for a short time on the 14th and 15th. The first day I went after him and we walked down to the vessel, about a quarter of a mile. The next day he came down alone. He complained of being dizzy in the head. He did not complain of any soreness. I saw him yesterday about noon but he did not then know me, and I saw him since he died, this morning. Mason belonged to Stormont Country Harbor, Guysborough County N. S. This last voyage the mate was with me two months. He was once before with me for over a year. I intended to take him back with me. I always found Burns Mason a sober, steady man. He was not inclined to be quarrelsome with his crews. I did not know Frank Lyman before he shipped with me about a month and a half ago. He did not appear quarrelsome and had only this one row. Mason told me at the saloon that Frank Lyman struck him with a bottle or something. Four or five others there heard him say the same thing. There was no broken glass about the place. He said he was very sick and could not walk. He did not say before going ashore that he was going to meet Lyman. It was from Mr. Cobban, a foreman on the wharf that I learned that Lyman and a crowd were going to beat the mate and that was why I warned him. He made no comments on his visit to the vessel after being hurt, as to how it was done. I do not think Mason was cut with a bottle, as I could not see any around, and the cut did not appear as if done with a bottle. In my opinion I think it was done with a sling-shot. I think Lyman was an American. The mate was twenty-three years of age. He (the mate) had no other row with the sailors during the voyage and there was no other trouble on board. The mate did not say on Saturday night that he was going ashore to see if Lyman could beat him or not. It was a middling cold day when the mate and I went from the hospital to the schooner. I asked the two Norwegians about it and they said that Lyman struck Mason but they did not know what with. Signed, R. R. LONGMIRE.

John Burton Halliday, sworn. I belong to Hillsburn, Annapolis Co., N. S. I am a seaman. I am now a seaman on board the schooner Georgia. I heard the captain give his testimony. When we got under way at New Haven the mate sent Frank and one of the Norwegians to overhaul a range of chain on the anchor. Lyman kicked about doing it, and the mate told him that he wanted him to do as ordered. Then Frank dared him to come down on the main deck. The mate came down and ran after Frank. Frank wheeled and made a sling at Mason with his sheath knife. The mate got him down on the deck, hit him a couple of times and blackened his eye. The captain interfered and took the mate off Lyman. That was the end of the row. Two or three days afterward Lyman told me he would have it out with the mate when he caught him ashore. I told the mate what Frank said and told him to be careful. This year and last year I sailed with Mason about six

months. He used me all right, and did not bully the men. He did not row with any of the other men. I was right close to them when the row occurred. I saw the mate alive last yesterday noon. I spoke to him and asked him, and asked him how he was and he said he was about the same. On Saturday evening last the mate and I left the vessel together and went up to a little saloon about a quarter of a mile away and entered there together. The two Norwegians were standing outside the place. When we went in and the mate asked them and a couple of fellows belonging to the place to go in and have some beer. The mate did not ask anyone if Frank Lyman was in there. There were four or five fellows who did not belong to the vessel in there. Frank Lyman was in the little back shop. The mate and I were standing with our backs to the little shop door. The first thing I knew the mate fell down beside me and Frank Lyman jumped on him. I did not see any weapon in his hands. I did not see the blow but I heard it. A couple of fellows and I helped the mate up. Mason did not speak. Lyman did not have time to beat the mate before he was pulled off. He jumped lengthwise on him. I ran down and told the captain the mate was hurt and came back with the captain. I then helped the mate with the assistance of another man to the doctor's office. The doctor dressed the wound and the captain brought the mate to the hospital. I helped to put him in bed. He could not walk. I saw him on board the vessel on Tuesday following. He stayed about fifteen minutes. He came down again on Wednesday and remained about fifteen minutes. He said he felt a little better. I did not see him since he died. I did not know Frank Lyman before he shipped. Never heard any words between Mason and Lyman before. The mate used all the seamen alike and did not give Frank any extra work. One night Lyman struck one of the Norwegians and tried to pick a row with them, on the voyage going to New York. On that occasion the mate stopped the row by going between them.

Signed, BURTON HALLIDAY.  
Inquiry adjourned until Monday morning at ten o'clock.  
Monday morning, Oct. 20, 1902.  
Jury met in John E. O'Brien's office pursuant to adjournment at ten o'clock in the forenoon. Jury called, all present.

John J. Harrington present for the crown.  
Not being able to procure the attendance of witnesses, this inquiry further adjourned until Tuesday morning 21st inst. at ten o'clock.  
On Tuesday morning pursuant to adjournment of yesterday, the Coroner's inquest reassembled. Present, Coroner John C. Meahan, M. D. and John J. Harrington appearing for the crown. Jury called and all present.

Doctor R. Gordon Duncan called and sworn: I am a practicing physician. I reside at Bathurst Village. On the eleventh instant (Saturday) about half past eight o'clock I was called to Angus Kenny's to see a sailor. On enter-

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Question by Clerk of Peace:—Did you make any examination after death?  
Answer by Dr. Duncan:—Yes, under the directions of the coroner we held a post-mortem. There were present, Dr. McNichol, the Coroner, (Dr. J. C. Meahan) and myself, also the keeper of the hospital. Death was well set in. There was no deformity except some scars on the body, slight scars. I found a healed scar about two inches above top of left ear a little bit back of it, also a healed scar about a quarter of an inch below the right eyebrow, scar about two inches long. There was no blood issuing from nose or ears. On removing scalp, the covering was found congested showing that there had been an effusion of blood

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#### AN ENGLISH EXAMPLE.

While Sir Michael Hicks-Beach was Chancellor of the Exchequer in the Salisbury government there were intimations that he was not satisfied with the way things were being done, and it was hinted more than once that he was about to retire. Finally he did retire when Mr. Balfour became premier, and now it is quite clear why he took that course. In a recent speech at Bristol, he quite severely criticized the government for its enormous expenditure, which he failed to keep down, and he uttered a warning as to the consequences that must surely follow. There was danger, he said, that the monstrous income tax, which is higher now than ever before, will be saddled on the people in perpetuity. The time has clearly come when, in his opinion, a halt must be called in Imperial matters. There is, he said, no need to spend more on the navy, there might be a sensible reduction in the outlay on the army, and the Empire must be regarded as having attained its limits. The former Chancellor of the Exchequer declared that he had urged his views on the cabinet, but he had failed to bring the members to his way of thinking. It will be observed that Sir Michael Hicks-Beach was careful to pursue a strictly constitutional course. He differed with his colleagues on important questions of policy. He tried to influence them in a different direction from that in which they were going. He failed. He did not start an agitation against the government policy, but resigned, and then presented his views to the country. It will be observed, also, from the despatches to-day that whatever effect Sir Michael Hicks-Beach's views ultimately may have on the country they are not making any impression on the government, for extraordinarily heavy expenditures on naval account are proposed. The Imperial spirit is still ruling in the councils. Globe.

#### The Editor's Mail.

To the Editor of the Union Advocate, Newcastle, N. B.

Dear Sir, You have now printed two communications signed "Citizen" referring to the Sunday work on the I. C. R. bridge over the N. W. Miramichi, the later one attacking me personally for my wilful and deliberate desertion of the Lord's Day.

Will you kindly permit me to use a part of your columns in reply. It is a well known fact that, although the production of steel has enormously increased in the past three years the amount produced does not yet satisfy the demand. For three years every bridge building company has been behind time on contracts, because of the difficulty and delay in getting steel from the rolling mills.

We were for this reason late in starting on this bridge and it is imperative that we should lose no fair weather days between now and the time when the ice takes in the river. If our men lose time during the week from storms as happens to be the case this morning they are willing to work on Sunday to make it up. Many of them are away from home and families and are anxious to lose as little time as possible. If they are forcibly prevented from working on Sunday when they so desire they will be made to feel rebellious rather than religious. Three years ago on the large bridge between Ottawa, Ont., Hull, P. Q., objection was made to Sunday work until the explanation as to the cause of the late starting of the work same as given above, was made after which the Parish Priests permitted all our Catholic workmen to work on Sunday provided they first attend mass. Those of our men who live here could attend Divine service before or after Sunday work if they desired.

I am not aware that any clergyman of any denomination has made any effort to get such of our men as were brought here to go to any church. They may think that we are all heathens and that if they can

only save their parishioners from contamination by contact with us they will have done their whole duty. If their congregations all come to see us work, they might also come and hold services at the bridge site which I am sure all our men would gladly attend, if the time was suitably arranged.

Citizen says it is as great a sin to break one commandment as any other. Is it not also incumbent in him and the officers of the law to see that all laws are enforced with equal rigor. What about whiskey selling under citizen's nose? On Sunday Oct. 12th there were two drunken men who made themselves obnoxious to every one at the bridge. Were they locked up? No. Is it possible that there is a "speakeasy" within citizen's jurisdiction, where men with price can, even on Sunday, purchase the cup that inebriates but cheers not.

Are we to be singled out as the only sinners to be visited by "citizens" wrath? How about the pulp mills and the Sunday work in them? What about the repair work in all the saw mills on Sunday? Does not the 4th commandment prohibit our cattle and our men and maid servants from working on the Lord's Day? Do any of them work in Newcastle? How about the horse that draws a certain clergyman to a neighboring town every Sunday? Did not Christ's Disciples walk when they went from place to place to preach? Have not the newspapers stated that our work was carried on quietly without shouting or profanity? Have we invited people to come to see us work? Are not all days Lord's Days? Or does "citizens" generously give six-sevenths of all his time to the advocacy? Is honest work, faithfully performed, a sin even if great necessity compels it to be done occasionally on Sunday? Are not the officials of the "Peoples' Railway" and ourselves the best judges of this necessity? Thanking you in advance for printing this, believe me, dear Mr. Editor.

Yours very truly,

H. D. BUSH.

Resident Engineer Dom. Bridge Co., Ltd.

#### IT WAS THE SIDEWALK.

Environment, material conditions, are said with reason to affect personal character. Circumstances certainly affect a man's reputation even when his character may not suffer. A recent incident, if reports are worthy of acceptance, is a proof of the above assertion, a case when it was intimated some parties were carrying a "jag," when in fact it was actually the sidewalk that was drunk. It is said that when a man is intoxicated he thinks everything is drunk but himself. This incident concerns a man who was never seen to be the worse for liquor, but as he walked over the other day he wobbled first one side, then the other, then he seemed to step in a hole, jumped out and just then the other end of a plank flew up, against which he struck with his shin. He said something either to the plank or to the absent members of the Town Council, we are not sure which, may be the latter. The man wasn't drunk. It was the sidewalk that was drunk. There are several of them in the town—drunken sidewalks.

#### CITIZEN.

#### KING AND QUEEN.

Pay a Visit to Guidhall. London Populace Cheer Them—Rumored Arrival of Suspicious Person.

LONDON, Oct. 25.—King Edward and Queen Alexandra started on the royal progress toward the city shortly after noon today in somewhat dull weather. The rain, however, kept off and the temperature was sufficiently mild to make the day enjoyable. Outside Buckingham Palace, which naturally was one of the greatest centres of attraction, a great crowd had been waiting for hours, watching the arrivals and departures and the forcing up of the procession. The brilliancy of the latter was great despite the weather.

#### Young Plants

Every farmer knows that some plants grow better than others. Soil may be the same and seed may seem the same but some plants are weak and others strong.

And that's the way with children. They are like young plants. Same food, same home, same care but some grow big and strong while others stay small and weak.

Scott's Emulsion offers an easy way out of the difficulty. Child weakness often means starvation, not because of lack of food, but because the food does not feed.

Scott's Emulsion really feeds and gives the child growing strength.

Whatever the cause of weakness and failure to grow—Scott's Emulsion seems to find it and set the matter right.

Scott & Bowne, Chemists, Toronto, Ontario. 20c and \$1.00; all druggists.

#### Bad Coughs

"I had a bad cough for six weeks and could find no relief until I tried Ayer's Cherry Pectoral. Only one-fourth of the bottle cured me."

L. Hawn, Newington, Ont.

Neglected colds always lead to something serious. They run into chronic bronchitis, pneumonia, asthma, or consumption. Don't wait, but take Ayer's Cherry Pectoral just as soon as your cough begins. A few doses will cure you then.

Three sizes: 25c, enough for an ordinary cold; 50c, just right for bronchitis, hoarseness, hard colds, etc.; \$1, most economical for chronic cases and is kept on hand.

J. C. AYER CO., Lowell, Mass.

tracted from by the fact that all the troops were clothed. The only touch of color was from the lace penants of the lancers and the brass helmets of the heavy cavalry. The kiaki-painted guns of the artillery and a naval gun of the same hue added to the general tone of somberness.

The roofs of houses near the palace and other points of vantage giving a view of the picturesque panorama in Green Park and the historical Mall were filled with spectators, whose cheering announced to the less privileged public the starting of the state carriage with Their Majesties.

The procession formed up outside the gates and had already moved off when the first carriages containing royal personages and members of the household emerged therefrom. The veteran Duke of Cambridge, who was in a carriage with Princess Victoria, came in for considerable cheering, but Lord Roberts and his staff passed almost unnoticed.

There was a somewhat tedious interval before the appearance of Their Majesties, who drew forth the first real cheers of the day as they passed through the rows of the blue-jackets from the first-class cruiser Terrible lining either side of the main entrance to the palace. The King wore a field marshal's uniform, with the cloak thrown back, showing his decorations.

The Queen wore a straw colored toque and a fur collar and cloak. Both the king and queen looked extremely well and continuously bowed their acknowledgements of the warm welcome extended to them. The King's escort of life guards, equestrians, etc., was about the only detachment of the procession not wearing cloaks, and these troopers made a brilliant display.

Partly in consequence of the length of the route there was nowhere a great crush of people with the exception of open spaces like Trafalgar Square, where the London County Council presented the King with an address of welcome and where the Boer generals, Botha, Delarey and DeVet were prominent among the spectators, and at the city boundary temple bar, where the Lord Mayor, sheriffs and other city officials welcomed His Majesty and presented him with the city's sword.

At the Mansion House most of the procession stopped. Their Majesties from there being accompanied only by the sovereign's escort and the Prince of Wales, the Duke of Connaught and other princes, equestrians and aides to the Guild Hall, where they arrived without any extraordinary incident. Owing to the King's carriage being the last, some confusion occurred at the entrance of the Guild Hall in an endeavor to empty the carriages quickly.

The Sun prints an unconfirmed story of the arrest of a foreigner near a stand erected for a view of the royal procession with a pound of suspicious powdery substance in his possession.

The Sun says that George Martin, a clergyman, was remanded at the Southwark police station today, charged with having a pound of gunpowder in his possession with felonious intent.

Their Majesties returned to the palace at 3.30 p. m.

The Guild Hall caught fire shortly after Their Majesties left the building. Fire engines are now rushing to the scene.

#### A BENEFICIAL BUSINESS TO THE MIRAMICHI.

Mr. Thos. W. Elliott, of Nelson, cleared yesterday, the large "Tuctonia" laden with box shooks and banana crates, for Las Palmas, Canary Islands. He has worked up a fine trade there with this class of manufacture, which is the most advantageous for the Miramichi of any branch of the lumber industry prosecuted here. It enables the manufacturer to utilize much of the refuse which too often goes into the waste burners connected with the deal mills, and is also a source of profit to owners of wood land on which the growth is not sufficiently large, even at maturity, to make deal logs.

In the manufacture of the goods turned out by Mr. Flett, about three times the wages is paid out for labor in comparison with deal sawing in a millinery, which leaves just that much more money in the locality than is left by the larger industry in proportion to the quantity of lumber handled.

Mr. Flett has shipped about two million a. f. of this small manufactured lumber this year, and everybody will be glad to know that he proposes to go in for even a larger quantity for the next year.—Advance.

#### FOR SALE BY PUBLIC AUCTION

I will offer for sale by Public Auction in front of the Post Office, Newcastle, on Saturday, Oct. 25th at 1 o'clock,

#### One Draft Horse.

Terms made known at sale.

THOS. RUSSELL,

AUCTIONEER.

Oct. 21—1wpd.

#### TENDERS

For Hay Oats and Straw.

Tenders will be received by the undersigned for the supplying of the Corporation with hay, oats and straw for the ensuing year.

The quantities required are approximately:

- 7 Tons of Hay,
- 350 Bushels of Oats,
- 1 Ton of Straw.

All to be of best quality and to be delivered as required.

Tenders will close on Friday, the 30th day of October at 6 p. m.

J. H. PHINNEY,

Chairman of Board of Works.

#### JUST ARRIVED.

1 Car Golden Crown Flour, 1 Car Laurel Flour, Also,

- Corn Meal,
- Heavy Feed,
- Shorts,
- Pork,
- Plate Beef,
- Ham and Bacon,
- Sun-dried Codfish,
- Sugar,
- Molasses,
- Teas,
- Oil.

Staple and Fancy Dry Goods, hardware, Boots and Shoes, Crockeryware, Hardware, Land Plaster and Phosphate.

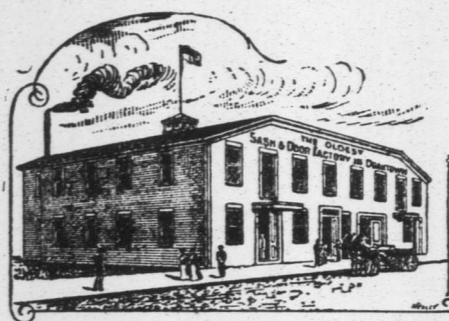
M. BANNON.

Wholesale and Retail.

#### IMPORTANT.

Last week we talked to you about overcoats. We know you want one and you will want it put up in good shape and quick time. We are prepared to do both. We want your order now so we can give you justice and do justice to ourselves. We have the most complete line of overcoating ever shown in this town or the next town to it. All we ask you to do is to call and examine our stock before you purchase elsewhere. If you do this we are sure you will be convinced that we offer the best goods for the least money.

#### McMURDO & CO.



Now is the time to get your Casing, Wainscoting, Storm Sashes and Storm Doors, Inside Doors and other Inside Finish, Mouldings etc., of every description. We have the Best Stock of Pine Lumber, for the manufacture of house finish that has been used here for years, so send all orders to

J. E. DOAK, DOAKTOWN N. B.

Arriving Daily at

The Newcastle Bakery, Choice Fruit of all Kinds, Fresh Sausages, Groceries etc.

HENRY WYSES,

Newcastle, N. B. Proprietor.

#### LADIES' COATS.

We have had very good success with our Ladies' Coats this season. We seemed to have them about right. The style, finish and excellent make up, combined with low prices attract attention of buyers. The only difficulty was that we did not have enough three-quarter length coats. To remedy that difficulty we have just placed in stock a new lot, colors dark gray and fawn, made with latest style sleeves, and up-to-date in every way.

PRICE \$10.50 and \$12.50. CALL AND SEE THEM AT ONCE.

Shorter length Coats in great variety, \$4.75 to \$9.75. Misses' Coats, \$2.75 to \$4.75. These are selling fast. Don't delay, but come at once and secure first choice.

#### FURS, FURS.

Ladies' Storm Collars, \$1.90 and \$2.75. Ladies' Capelines, \$4.00. Ladies' Astracan Capelines, large size, great snap at \$4.45. Gray Lamb Collars, \$4.75. Gray Lamb Capelines, large size, at \$8.50 and \$10.50. Columbia Sable Capeline, large size, four tails, \$7.25.

Other Collars, Muffs, Caps, etc., too numerous to mention.

Ladies' Fur Mitts, Fur Lined,	\$2.50.
Electric Seal Mitts,	3.75.
Black Astracan,	4.25.
Children's Lamb Boas,	25c. to 50c.

On account of business this ad. was written in a great hurry and as a consequence is very incomplete. Come to our store and we will tell you that which we have failed to tell in this ad.

#### CLARKE & CO.

## The Country. An Epitome of Events Gathered by ADVOCATE Reporters

### BATHURST.

After a broken week, as regards the weather, we had a slight fall of snow, just sufficient to cover the ground on Sunday night. It is early for snow, but the hunters and sportsmen argue that we are going to have a very late fall owing to the fact that the birds and geese are only beginning to arrive at their fall feeding grounds.

Frank Lyman is charged with the killing of the late mate of the schooner "Georgia" Burns. Mason, was remanded on Saturday and is now being examined by the magistrate, Mr. O'Brien, after which he will probably be sent up for trial at the March Supreme Court. The excitement about the case is generally dying out, and will not be renewed until the trial. Mr. James P. Byrne is looking after the interests of the prisoner.

A party of Engineers went up on Monday to the lakes at the head of the Nepequin to examine them with a view to determining if they can be utilized for storage of a supply of reserve water to be used in very dry seasons in case the pulp scheme is consummated. By all accounts the Harnsworth party who propose building large pulp plants on the North Shore, are favourably impressed by the facilities on the Nepequin for their business see a large pulp plant started. We understand it has not yet been decided whether the mills be built at the Falls or nearer the town.

R. Carr Harris Esq., has added to his many enterprises for the employment of labor, a rotary saw mill and is operating it near the Somerset Vale place. This gentleman deserves a great deal of credit for his energy and use of capital in the district surrounding his large property.

Lumbering operations all over the County are now in full swing and there is no scarcity of work for the laboring men who usually follow the occupation of lumbering. Besides the large gang mills, the number of rotary mills is increasing all the time and as they usually have single attachments a great quantity of shingles is being exported to the markets in the United States &c. We are glad to hear that the price of shingles and also short lumber, clapboards &c., is keeping up in the American markets, and that so far there has been no fall of price for deals in the English markets. The Tracadie Lumber Company continues to ship large quantities of clapboards and other suitable lumber to the United States, and it is a fact that they have shipped orders as far west as the Mississippi. Mr. Wing, the enterprising manager of this firm accompanied by one of the Directors, was in Bathurst last week.

Among the visitors at the Robertson House last week were Peter Fiott, manager for Charles Robin, Collas & Co., Cohen Hubbard and R. H. Lee Young, Esquires.

Mr. John Young, M. P. P. was at the Wilbur House on Sunday.

The many friends of John D. Creaghan of Newcastle were glad to see him in Bathurst last week. Mr. Creaghan was the guest of Thomas D. Adams, Esq., who will soon take his departure for the South. A party of Montreal gentlemen, made of Doctor White, Fred Souther, Esq., and several others spent last week at Mison shooting wild geese. They went down in Messrs. Sommer's tug boat. Mr. George Windsor of Montreal and Mison was in Bathurst on Saturday.

Messrs. F. Harrison, F. E. Neale, of Liverpool, accompanied by M. H. Sullivan, the Fitch pine king of Pencoed, spent Monday in Bathurst. They visited the mills in Bathurst with Mr. P. J. Burns.

Mr. and Mrs. D. T. Johnston have returned from a trip to the West.

Mr. Arthur Rogers, son of William Rogers of Bathurst Village died on Saturday after a lingering illness during which he suffered very much. The sympathy of the whole community goes out to Mr. and Mrs. Rogers and family in their bereavement, this being the second son grown to manhood they have lost within a year.

Doctor McNeill accompanied by his brothers are on their annual shooting trip to Heron Island. For many years the Dr. and his brothers have enjoyed this trip and it is hoped they will have good sport. The boys Doctor certainly deserves a holiday. Sportsmen say the ducks were and are unusually late on the shooting grounds.

Politics—Matters under this head are quiet for the time being but Mr. Burns and his friends are watchful and report that from all over the country come renewed assertions of trust in them from all their former supporters, and also from many who were opposed to them in former years. We do not hear much about that ticket that Mr. Targuen brought out, what has become of it?

In this connection we are again favored by notice in the Campbellton Evening News. This time it is a Jasper the second (4e sun do move, 2e sidern, de sun do move) who

lectures us on astronomy and such things. If this chap derives any pleasure by seeking prominence for himself through the agency of our notes, it does not hurt us. A man tells a story of a cow, he owned, which used to wait regularly until the up-train came along and stand close to the track to be rubbed by it, and when it passed the animal turned the other side and waited for the down train to rub it, as if your correspondent obtained any comfort from rubbing up against our weekly news items he is quite welcome. As far as we can make out of the jumble of words he has written he is trying to prove that we belong to a political party which has designs against the Protestant minority in Gloucester. As to that assertion of his we can dispense of it very easily. There is only one clique, we shall dignity it by calling it a party, which has discriminated against the Protestant minority in this County, and it is well known that your correspondent does not belong to it. We would simply ask how many Protestants held office in Gloucester when Mr. Targuen received a measure of political patronage, and how many hold office now. The office held by these men have been given to political carpet-baggers from out-side counties. Does it not therefore appear that this correspondent is another who should learn discretion. He puts us in mind of John Kendrick Bangs friend who went fishing and catching his flies in the tails of his coat threw himself into the stream.

### TRACADIE.

Oct. 23. The death of Mrs. Frank Bouchard took place at her home at 3 o'clock Sunday afternoon. By her death Tracadie has lost a respected resident. The interment took place on Wednesday in the R. C. Cemetery. The bereaved family have the sympathy of the entire community.

A quiet wedding took place at the R. C. Church on the afternoon of Wednesday, Oct. 22nd when Mr. William MacMahon and Miss Rena Alverson, formerly of Millerton, were united in wedlock by the Rev. J. A. Babineau. The bride was attended by Alice MacMahon, sister of the groom. The groom was supported by Mr. Ernest Robicheau. After the ceremony the bridal party returned to their home where a dainty supper was served to few intimate friends.

Miss Ida Wade who formerly belonged to Tybunite but has been in Chatham this last year back was down here visiting three weeks, but she went up to Neguac last Tuesday to visit Mrs. Wm. A. Allain. The saw mill owned by the Tracadie Lumber Company is expected to shut down next Saturday, but the box mill will run all winter as usual.

Mr. Hill the owner of these mills who belongs to Bangor Me. was down here a few days last week.

Mr. Howard Blackhall of Caraguet who was engineer for this box mill left a couple of weeks ago. Mr. Blackhall has working for this concern for the last five years.

Mr. Peter Albert will soon move in his new Hotel which he built this fall.

Mr. Wm. Ferguson will soon have his new store ready to occupy.

### INKERMAN.

This has been an extraordinary wet season. Many farmers had wheat and oats cut in their fields over a month before getting it dry enough to house. Many complain of their grain being sprouted in the sheaves which of course renders it unfit for seed.

Quite a number of boys are fishing smelts with hook and line, and are making fair fishing.

We are glad to say that the Caraguet Railway Company does not seem to be affected by the coal famine, in fact we are having better service than ever. Three trains a week is what we now get and we trust they will be able to keep the water hot enough to keep this up for the season.

The Shippagan Debating Society held a meeting at the Wough School house on the evening of the 4th inst. and a few very instructive as well as enjoyable hours were spent. This subject of debate was education vs. wealth. Seven very good speeches were delivered to a large and intelligent audience who at the close gave an unanimous vote in favor of education as being preferable to wealth for a young man starting out in life. Among the

### Sick Headache?

Food doesn't digest well? Appetite poor? Bowels constipated? Tongue coated? It's your liver! Ayer's Pills are liver pills; they cure dyspepsia, biliousness.

25c. All druggists.

Want your monotone or beard a beautiful brown or rich black? Then use BUCKINGHAM'S DYE for the Whiskers. 25c. per package, or 50c. per box. Sold by all druggists.

members present who spoke with marked ability were J. A. Salter, Pokeshaw; A. J. Witzel, Caraguet, for Education, and Edwin Legros and Frank Ribichaud, Shippagan, for Wealth. The next debate is to be held at Caraguet on the 8th. Subject of Debate, Woman's Suffrage.

Albert Sewell of Pokenouch, who has been mail driver on the route between Tracadie and Caraguet for a number of years has resigned and Francis Barry of South River is now running it.

People seem to be taking a deeper interest in the coming election these last few days, indeed there are many reasons why we should think seriously this time before deciding whom to cast our vote for.

Our roads and bridges at present are a good subject for serious thought. The Sewell bridge at Pokenouch is a good example and the Wough bridge another horse trap. A man got his horse in this bridge last week. One of the spans of the first named is passable on one side only and a horse is liable to drop through that side any day, and yet no steps are taken to have it repaired.

We do not blame the members of the upper end for this condition of affairs. They have their own sections to keep in repair and are doing it.—Events.

### WHITNEYVILLE.

Mr. Mackelvie, agent for the British and Foreign Bible Society, occupied the pulpit of the Presbyterian church on Sunday, 12th inst. in the absence of the pastor, Rev. J. D. Murray.

The Auxiliary of the W. F. M. S., held its regular monthly meeting in the Presbyterian church on Wednesday afternoon and was well attended.

Mrs. Benj. Forsythe left last week for Haverhill, Mass., where she intends spending some time with relatives and friends.

Miss Clara Menzies entertained a number of her friends on Wednesday night. A most enjoyable time was spent by all.

Mrs. James Mutch of Littleton returned home on Thursday after having spent a few days with friends in this section.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Clouston of Millerton spent Sunday with friends here.

The telephone line between Newcastle and Redbank was put up last week, and the boxes placed in position. The people of this place are interested in having two one at C. Somers and the other at W. Forsythe's in easy reach will prove a great convenience.

Mr. William McDonald of Redbank spent a day last week in this place.

H. Whitney and W. J. Forsythe are still away with their threshing machine. They are doing work on the C. I. Road.

We are glad to report Miss Bertha Whitney recovering from her recent illness. Mrs. John Curtis who was also quite ill is now convalescent.

Mr. R. P. Whitney is in a poor state of health at present. His numerous friends hope that he may soon be around again.

Mr. and Mrs. James Young are receiving congratulations on the arrival of a baby boy.

Miss E. J. Tweedie of Williamstown, who has been doing successful work in the lower school has given up her position to take a biblical course in the Deaconess's home in Toronto for the purpose of fitting herself for missionary work in China.

Her many friends here are sorry to lose such a painstaking and efficient teacher, but join in wishing her every success in her new sphere. Miss Daisy Crocker of Millerton is supply the vacancy in the school.

The Rev. Mr. Stevens of Kings C. V. occupied the pulpit at the Baptist church here on last Sunday, the pastor, Rev. A. F. Brown being absent on account of sickness.

Mrs. Alfred Sinclair, accompanied by her sister, Mrs. Dan Mallin paid a visit to Redbank last week.

Miss Lucy M. Menzies has returned home after spending a few weeks with relatives in Halton.

Messrs. Benj. F. Donnett, F. A. Menzies and W. J. Forsythe visited Millerton on Sunday last.

The weather has been very cold this last week, making outdoor work very disagreeable.

### MARRIED.

At Newcastle, on June 17th, by Rev. Geo. Harrison, Torrance Graham to Annie Adair all of Newcastle.

At Mison Harbour, Glou. Co. N. B. by Rev. Geo. Harrison on Oct. 6th James Stanley Furber of Chatham N. B. to Margaret Alice McConnell of Mison Harbour.

At Fredericton on the 22nd inst., by Rev. D. Henderson, William H. MacLachlan to Miss Effie, daughter of the late Mr. John Filiger, Chatham.

At S. Mary's Chapel, Chatham, N. B. on the 24th inst., by Rev. Archdeacon Forsyth, Wm. McLaughlan to Jane Trevors, both of Chatham.

At the residence of Benjamin Hosford at Southesk, on the 22nd inst., by Rev. J. F. Pater, Mr. John McRae, of Blackville, to Miss Maud Hosford of Southesk.

## CREAGHAN'S

### BLANKETS! BLANKETS!

Ten cases of white blankets just arrived to be sold at mill's prices,—\$2.75, 2.95, 3.25, 4.75, 5.50 per pair.

Swan's down blankets, in white with silk binding, \$10.00 per pair.

SEE OUR WINDOW DISPLAY.

Ten bales of lumbermen's blankets. These are very heavy weight and extra values at \$2.50, 2.75, 2.95, 3.25 per pair.

Satin bed spreads, imported from England with the best eider down filling.

PRICE \$6.75 TO \$12.00 per pair.

Before buying your children's winter cloaks, call and see our white, red and blue and blue-black blanket cloth, 65c, 75c and 95c per yd.

## J. D. CREAGHAN.

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL.

NEWCASTLE AND CHATHAM.

### AT McLEOD'S

#### Fashionable Tailoring Establishment.

We are now prepared for Fall and Winter trade. We have a large stock of all kinds suitable for Fall and Winter Overcoats. A wonderful variety of plain and fancy suitings of the latest shades and patterns. Two thousand of our suits scattered in town and county is proof of satisfactory work.

With GOOD CLOTH, GOOD TRIMMINGS and GOOD WORK our prices are very moderate.

Come and see and be satisfied.

Carter Block. S. McLEOD.

Oct. 8th, 1902.

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### LADIES' STORE

YOU WILL FIND

Fall and Winter goods for Ladies, Misses and Children. Battenburg supplies. Fancy Work Materials. Modes Bazaar Glove-fitting Patterns.

MRS. S. McLEOD.

## Just Received

One carload of Gravenstein Apples which will be sold cheap to the trade or to private families.

GEO. STABLES, Newcastle.

Oct. 28.

### Collector's Notice.

The Undermentioned Non-resident Ratepayers of the Parish of Ludlow, in the County of Northumberland, are hereby requested to pay to the undersigned Collector of Rates, the amount of Poor and County taxes, and Road taxes, and School taxes, as set opposite their names respectively, within two months from the date of this notice, otherwise legal proceedings will be taken to recover same:—

	School tax.	Poor and Co. rates.	Road tax.
Fairley Jas. D.	\$1 84		
1895.			
1896.			
Fairley Jas. D.	90		
1897.			
Fairley Jas. D.	60		
1898.			
Fairley Jas. D.	1 40		
1899.			
Fairley Jas. D.	2 36		
1900.			
Fairley Jas. D.	2 30	\$ 80	\$ 50
Simmons James		2 00	50
1901.			
Fairley Jas. D.	92	1 40	50
McLaggan John		70	50
Long Walter S.		70	50
Simmons Jas. Estate		3 50	50
1902.			
Fairley Jas. D.	1 40	1 30	50
McLaggan John		65	50
Long Walter S.		65	50
Simmons Jas. Estate		3 25	50

GEORGE NEAGLES, Collector of Rates, Parish of Ludlow, Co. of Northumberland.

Dated, Oct., 1902.

### NOTICE.

All person indebted to the late Charles Somers, are required to settle their accounts within thirty days of date hereof.

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## GOOD-BYE TO WHISKERS

on your pots and pans, if you use PORT HOOD Coal. The Coal that makes a hot fire quickly and lasts well.

The cleanest Coal on the market.

## SPONGES.

A good sponge is a necessity in every household. Have you seen our sponges?

PRICES FROM 5c to 40c EACH.

ALSO JUST RECEIVED -- A fresh supply of Pat Malt-the "Best Tonic," 30c a bottle, 3 bottles 75c.

A. E. SHAW,

Druggist

Newcastle.



## BATHURST MURDER.

(Continued from page three.)

he had some medicine to take in hot water he went into the kitchen to get hot water. Some time afterwards that day Mr. Baldwin told me he had medicine to take every twenty minutes in hot water I did not hear anything more until about four o'clock. The captain then came in and asked me how the mate was and I said I thought he was pretty well to go up and see him. Captain was not long up stairs and said he was walking about the room when he came down. I went to see the doctor and the doctor came in a few minutes and gave him more medicine. I went up and he was in bed and I asked him how he felt and he said fine, he always said that. Thursday night he raved all night, but on Friday he said again that he was well. Friday night he grew worse and died Saturday morning. He was well attended and had everything he needed. Friday night when he was up he said to me, "You'll get that fellow arrested, he's a murderer, he did not mention any name. He asked me to write to his people. He had no revolver or other weapon in his possession when at hospital. The authorities took an inventory of all his effects."

This closed the evidence to-day. Adjourned until tomorrow Wednesday morning at ten o'clock a.m.

The constables arrived from St. John this evening with the Norwegians and they are in jail here. The prisoner sent for a lawyer this afternoon and one has visited him. He did not know the Mate was dead until he reached the Jail, the constables told him nothing when bringing him from the camp. He appears to be a decent looking man.

(Further particulars on 5th page.)

**DR. A. W. CHASE'S 25c CATARRH CURE**

Is sent direct to the diseased parts by the Improved Sphero. Heals the secret, cleans the air passages, stops droppings in the throat and permanently cures Catarrh and Hay Fever. Blows free. All dealers or Dr. A. W. Chase Medicine Co., Toronto and Montreal.

No use o' talkin', said Mr. Erastus Pinkley, dat brother o' mine is a mighty lucky man. He allus has money.

But you must remember that he is much more industrious than you are. He isn't at all afraid of work.

Dat's 'jes' de point. He were lucky in bein' born industrious.

Lifecy Soap—disinfectant—is strongly recommended by the medical profession as a safeguard against infectious diseases.

Does my boy, inquired the parent, seem to have a natural bent in any one direction?

Yes, sir, said the teacher, he gives every indication of being a captain of industry some day. He gets the other boys to do all his work for him.

**VALUABLE ADVICE TO RHEUMATICS**

Eat meat sparingly, and take very little sugar. Avoid intoxicants, keep away from dampness, drink water abundantly, and always rely on Nerviline as a quick reliever of Rheumatic pains. Being five times stronger than ordinary remedies, Nerviline's power over pain is simply beyond belief. It cures also Sciatica, Lumbago, Neuralgia, and all pains, whether internal or external. Large bottles, price 25c.

Mrs. Meekins—What a nice lady Mrs. Seldon is!

Mrs. Pratt—Is she? I never met her.

Mrs. Meekins—Perfect! I told her today I was ashamed of myself because I never had returned her call, and she said very politely, you know that I needn't worry myself, that I could keep it as long as I pleased.

**Only Nova Scotia Wool**

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**Stanfield's Unshrinkable Underwear**

Every part of Nova Scotia is near salt water and the gentle sea breezes impart to the wool a peculiar texture and softness. This wool is long staple and of great strength and elasticity. "Stanfield's" is the only Underwear in the world made from Nova Scotia combed wool. Sold by all reliable dealers.

## KENT NORTHERN RAILROAD.

The Kent Northern Railway, running from Kent Junction to Richibucto, 27 miles, has been purchased by a syndicate of local capitalists. Amongst those interested are understood to be Messrs. Charles Tawcett, F. W. Sumner, Robert Phinney, Thomas Murray, G. W. Robinson, W. D. Carter and John Jardine. The new owners have taken control and are having the road put in repair. New sleepers are being laid and other repairs made. The price paid the Messrs. Brown is said to have been \$25,000 but another report places it at \$40,000. Some years ago \$270,000 of bonds were issued and a case is now pending in the courts for the sale of the road under these. It is presumed that this is a legal formality in connection with the sale already made to the company above named.—Globe.

## CONSTIPATION

**Causes Headache, Abdominal Pains, Piles, and in Severe Cases Insanity and Apoplexy**

It is a common mistake to conclude that Constipation is not a dangerous condition. Although at first it is only accompanied by slight inconvenience and pain, yet if not corrected, it will inevitably lead to very dire results. Great care should be used in selecting a remedy for constipation, because if a violent purgative is employed, it is sure to set up pain, irritation and congestion, and result finally in piles.

The experience of those who have tested all the cures for constipation, seems to prove that Ferrozene is the most agreeable and satisfactory treatment. It makes the bowels so well ordered that natural and unassisted action is established. Nothing can equal the immediate sense of comfort it produces, and pains in the head, and stomach, and in the intestines, disappear almost at once.

Ferrozene is very mild and certain in its action, and never causes inconvenience or distress. Ferrozene can be taken early as long as required, and it in no way interferes with business or pleasure, and nothing may be feared from its use however prolonged it may be.

For Constipation, Piles and Sick Headache, Ferrozene stands unrivalled. The driver of the city Express Company, who suffered from piles, says:—"Constant sitting on the wagon seat, produced a rectal irritation, which combined with constipated condition of the bowels brought on a severe attack of piles. I used without benefit, different ointments, and other remedies, but got quick relief and most satisfactory results from Ferrozene. I can recommend Ferrozene to all who suffer from piles."

Ferrozene always cures, and can be purchased at any reliable drug store for 50c a box or three boxes for \$1.25. Sent to your address by mail, if price is forwarded to N. C. Polson & Co., Kingston, Ont.

Mrs. Bjones—Your husband I hear is quite versatile.

Mrs. Brown Smythe—Versatile is no name for it. Why, he can actually say out late every night in the week and not give the same excuse twice.

**PIMPLES, BLOTCHES AND SKIN ERUPTIONS.**

How unsightly, sometimes even disgusting, and certainly very mortifying to the sufferer. They are merely an evidence of impure, poisoned blood, and lowered vitality of the elementary organs, which can be quickly changed by taking Ferrozene after meals. Ferrozene cleanses the blood of all poisons and eruptions, makes it rich in red corpuscles that manifest themselves in a healthy ruddy complexion. To have a pure, soft skin and good complexion simply use Ferrozene regularly. Price 5c. per box, or six boxes for \$2.50, at Drugists, or N. C. Polson & Co., Kingston, Ont.

Every man should profit by his own mistakes, but most of us would prefer to profit by the mistakes of others.

**MOLEAN'S VEGETABLE WORM SYRUP.**

Always the same safe, pleasant and effectual remedy.

After all, remarked Smithers, yawning, it is a small world.

It has to be, snapped Smithers, to match some of the people in it.

## A WORD TO FARM TOILERS.

### PAINE'S CELERY COMPOUND

The Home Friend of the Farmer and His Family in the Autumn Season.

After the labors and toils of the summer time, and harvesting of crops in the early autumn, many of our farmers, their wives, daughters and sons, find themselves in a condition of health demanding careful attention if suffering is to be avoided later on. Many experience kidney trouble of some form; with some the liver is torpid; there is biliousness, nausea and vomiting, with loss of appetite and depression of spirits. Thousands who have been exposed to cold, damp winds and rains, now feel the twinges of terrible rheumatism; others rundown by worry, overwork and irregular dieting, are tormented with the pains of dyspepsia.

To the thousands of run-down, sickly and half dead men and women in farm homes we recommend with all honesty and confidence the worker's friend, Paine's Celery Compound, the only medicine that can quickly and fully restore strength to the weak body and vigor to the muscles. Paine's Celery Compound tones the stomach; it removes poisonous acids from the blood which cause rheumatism; it feeds the weak and diseased nerves and banishes neuralgic tortures; it purifies the blood and gives true vitality and life. The use of Paine's Celery Compound in autumn means the establishing of a perfect physical vigor to withstand the rigors of a severe winter.

They were discussing the factors which make for success in the world, when the knowing young man said:

There's nothing like force of character, old man. Now there's Jones, Sure to make his way in the world. Has a will of his own you know.

But Brown has something better in his favor. What's that? A will of his uncle.

So he got out an injunction against your company, we say pityingly. Why didn't you forestall him by getting an injunction to prevent the issuance of his injunction?

I could. You see, he was slick enough to get out an injunction against my getting out an injunction against his injunction.

**MESSRS. C. C. RICHARDS & CO.**

Gentlemen,—In June '98 I had my hand and wrist bitten and mangled by a vicious horse. I suffered greatly for several days and the tooth cuts refused to heal, until your agent gave me a bottle of MINARD'S LINIMENT, which I began using, and the effect was magical. In five hours the pain had ceased, and in two weeks the wounds had completely healed and my hand and arm were as well as ever.

Yours truly,  
A. E. ROY.  
Carriage maker, St. Antoine, P. Q.

Dime Museum Manager—What is that peculiar smell?

The Living Skeleton—The rubber skia burned his finger lighting a cigarette.

We ought to avoid the friendship of the bad and the enmity of the good.

**STOPS THE COUGH AND WORKS OFF THE COLD.**

Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets cure a cold in one day. No cure, no pay. Price 25 cents.

Female Lawyer—How old are you?

Female Witness—You know as well as I do that I'm just a week younger than you are; but if necessary—

Female Lawyer (hastily) Never mind it isn't necessary.

**TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY**

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All croupers refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25 cents.

He—You are not the girl to give yourself away, are you?

She—No; but you might ask father.

Minard's Liniment Cures Dandruff.

Overheard in the darkened hallway.

Darling!

Pause.

Oh, George, you have started your mousethatch out again haven't you?

## LAMENESS IN HORSES, HARD AND SOFT LUMPS RELIEVED BY LEEMING'S SPAIN LINIMENT.

For curing lameness from whatever cause, sprains, curbs, splints, ringbone and for removing obstinate lumps and all similar injuries or diseases. Cures when everything else fails. Do not confound this preparation with spavin cures and other preparations. Leeming's Spavin Liniment is different from any of them, the effects produced by the applications of Leeming's Spavin Liniment are certain yet comparatively mild. Prepared by the Band Company Limited.

She hasn't much of a figure has she? No; but her father has.

How many servants do you keep? Oh, about four or five a week.

**NATURE'S REMEDY FOR ALL SUMMER COMPLAINTS.**

It only costs Twenty-five cents to have on hand a safe and sure remedy for all Summer Complaints, Diarrhoea, Cramps, and pains. Buy a bottle of Fuller's Blackberry Cordial to-day there is no remedy "just as good," tried and tested for over twenty-five years, it regulates the bowels and relieves promptly. Useful alike to both children and adults; prepared by the Band Company Limited.

Grandma—Dear me, spent all that sixpence in chocolates! Think how much nicer it would have been to have had it still reposing in your pocket.

Willie (regretfully)—Yes it would. Grandma (seeing an opportunity of inculcating a moral)—Tell me why, now.

Willie—Oh, so that I could go out and buy some more, grandma!

Minard's Liniment Cures Burns, etc.

He's quite a star as an after-dinner speaker, isn't he?

Star! He's a regular moon. He becomes brighter the fuller he gets.

Minard's Liniment for sale everywhere.

So Minnie went and hired a ball dress to wear to that party tonight? Yes; or, in other words, she chartered a train.

**TRY DR. HAMILTON'S MANDRAKE PILLS.**

Mr. Cash—Clara holds her age well.

Mrs. Cash—Yes; but she tells everybody else's.

**TRY DR. HAMILTON'S MANDRAKE PILLS**

Teacher—Here is a sentence. A state of separation. What does that mean?

Tommy (quickly)—South Dakota.

**A FAMILY NECESSITY**

"Owing to artificial modern life, almost everybody suffers more or less from constipation, torpid liver and sluggish kidneys, and so on. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills are the most prompt and thorough cure for this ural ailment, they have come to be considered a family necessity. Do not of families would not think of being without them. One pill a dose, 25 cents a box."

She (to returned warrior, enthusiastically)—And I suppose you almost lived on horse back out there?

He—well, yes, toward the end of Ladysmith we did. It makes rather decent soap.

An Irishman was walking with a friend past a jewelry shop. The window, says the New York Times was filled with precious stones.

Wouldn't you like to have your pick? asked Larry.

Not me pick, said Mike, but me shovel.

**SCORES OF USES**

While Dr. Chase's Ointment is best known on account of its wonderful control over eczema, suit rheum and piles, it is found to be almost daily demand in many homes as a cure for cutaneous, itching, pusulent, scabious, burns, scalds and every form of itching, irritated or inflamed skin. It is invaluable in every home and as a soothing and healing application knows no equal.

Mrs. Miggins—That woman's husband is quite a literary lion.

Mrs. Buggins—Why, she told me he was a perfect bear.

A three-year-old little girl was taught to close her evening prayer during the temporary absence of her father with and please watch over my papa. It sounded very sweet, but the mother's amusement may be imagined when she added, And you better keep an eye on mamma too.

The balky mule is an animal that can work at both ends and yet not work at all.

**A HEAVY IRONING.**

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Try it and prove for all time our assertion. The iron cannot stick to the linen—nor will the latter crack when BEE STARCH is used.

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Any present subscriber whose subscription to the Union Advocate is in arrears can have the Family Herald and Weekly Star Free for the balance of the year by paying up arrears, and 15 cents, and those not in arrears can have the Family Herald and Weekly Star for the balance of the year by paying next year's subscription during September, with 15 cents additional.

We are makin' a big effort to run the subscription list of the Advocate up to 2000 copies before Jan. 1st, and this offer has been made especially for that purpose.

The Advocate is acknowledged to be the newsiest weekly in Northern New Brunswick and with some improvements which will be added this fall will make it second to none in this province.

Do not put off sending in your subscription but do 'it at once.

**ADDRESS:--**

**Anslow Bros.,**

**Publishers,**

**Newcastle, N. B.**

Bertha—I guess it's going to be a match between Maude and Charley.

Constance—So!

Bertha—Yes. Maude today spoke of his stuttering as a slight hesitancy in the enunciation of words.

**ASTHMA CAN BE CURED**

Thousands of testimonials conclusively prove that Asthma can be permanently cured by inhaling Catarrhose, a vegetable antiseptic that destroys at once the germs causing the disease. Catarrhose gives immediate relief to the distressing cough and suffocating sensations, makes breathing easy and regular and insures undisturbed sleep. Catarrhose cures Asthma that doctors are unable even to relieve and can cure you. The Catarrhose inhaler is made of hard rubber, fits into the vest pocket, can be used at work, in church, in the street, in hotel—any place—at any time. Two months' treatment (guaranteed), price \$1.00; trial size 25c. Drugists, or N. C. Polson & Co., Kingston, Ont. Sold by A. E. Shaw.

Did he marry her for her money? asked the girl in white.

Well, let's be charitable and say he did, answered the girl in gray. There is no use casting aspersions on his taste and judgement.

When a paper states that comment is unnecessary it means that the writer does not know what to say.

He—But she spends too much money.

His wife—No-o, I don't think so; but her husband doesn't make enough.

Ethel—Oh, dear! When can a girl go about without a chaperon?

Auntie—When she goes about with a chap-her-own.

Cyclist (whose tire has become deflated)—Have you such a thing as a pump?

Yoko—Ees, miss, there's one i' the yard.

Cyclist—I should be much obliged if you would let me use it.

Yoko!—That depends 'ow much you want. Watter he main scarce wi' us this year! O'll ask feyther.

Esther—Oh, how I do hate to carry an umbrella.

Eunice—Why, I enjoy it! The last rainy day I uneyeglassed five men, and I think I destroyed the sight of one more. Its such fun.

**Children Cry for CASTORIA.**

## The WHIRL of the TOWN

**SUBSCRIBERS** will kindly watch the date opposite their names on the **ADVOCATE** each week, for two reasons—to note when they are in arrears, and help the Publishers by paying up promptly, and when paid up to see that the date is changed.

**At McMillan's Shoe Store** warm footwear for winter.

The new electric street railway in Sydney C. B. commenced operations on Friday.

Good heavy soled Dongola Laced boots only \$1.00 at McMillan's Shoe Store.

The S. S. Anierley is the only ocean going vessel in port. She is loading at Hickson's wharf for F. E. Neale.

The new steamer which Mr. H. Lamont has built for Messrs. D. & J. Ritchie & Co. will be launched at high water on Saturday.

Mr. Geo. Stables has received a cask of prime green tea which he will dispose of at an exceedingly low rate to the trade or private families.

The dance in the Institute last Wednesday was a very enjoyable one. It is intended to make these of weekly occurrence. A good time is assured to those who attend.

The S. S. Miramichi lost a portion of her propeller at noon on Friday and is off the route for repairs. The Alexandra took her place Saturday and the St. Nicholas is on the wheel.

Messrs. J. R. Taylor, John Sargent and John Connell have gone to Tahiti to teach to native boys and girls. The S. S. Alexandra was off the route Saturday and they, one being inclined to wait until Monday, chartered the St. Nicholas and proceeded under sail to their destination.

Mr. Thomas M. Kenny and Miss Bonnie Targoon, both of Bathurst, were married by Rev. E. Dixon here on Monday. Mr. Kenny is assistant postmaster at Bathurst and Miss Targoon is the only daughter of O. Targoon M. P. for Gloucester. The happy couple returned home Monday night.

One dispatches tell of a barber who played William Tell, Jr. for a travelling medicine company and allowed one of the performers to try to shoot an apple which was placed on his head. The medicine man missed both the apple and the barber. The barber risked another shot. The apple was injured. The incident was concluded yesterday.

An alarm of fire was rung on last Saturday evening but it proved to be only a chimney on Mrs. Johnson's house burning out. The flames and sparks were dangerous and as the wind was blowing hard it was thought that the house might be destroyed. The fire was extinguished by the fire engine. A great crowd gathered as all realized that if a fire started there would be work for all.

The remains of the late Alexander Robinson were followed to the Riverside Cemetery, on Thursday, by a long line of citizens of both sexes in carriages. The funeral was under Masonic auspices. The Officers Read was in attendance. The religious service was conducted by Rev. Dr. Hendry and Rev. T. G. Johnston. The pallbearers were, by request, of the deceased, the trustees of St. Andrew's church, namely: Messrs. D. P. MacLachlan, Geo. Stothart, A. A. Anderson, Wm. Smith, Geo. J. Dickson, and G. B. Fraser.

The attention of our readers is drawn to the announcement in another page of this paper, which affords a splendid opportunity to secure that great family paper, the Family Herald and Weekly Star, of Montreal, absolutely free of charge for the balance of 1902. The Family Herald and Weekly Star is acknowledged to be in a class entirely by itself as a family paper, and the chance to introduce it into new homes has enabled us to make this arrangement with the publishers of that great paper. We learn that the Family Herald publishers will shortly introduce their new premium for this season, and the public will get a pleasant surprise. Read the announcement in this paper.

Last Thursday the fire engine was coupled to the water system and pumped the piping full. The water was used to flush and test the system, which was done and the entire system was found to be in perfect order and was ready to have connections with private houses made. The sewer test was a most satisfactory one, the ball passing through the entire system without a hitch and the job is a credit to the contractors. At one time there was one hundred pounds of pressure on the water system, without leaking or any leaks, except around the hydrant, which was a little tight. This is a good showing. A few valves are being placed in this week after which the pipe laying contract will be completed.

Don't forget the dance in the Institute this evening. All are invited Ladies free. Gents 50c.

Don't forget the fact that we carry a full assortment of paper bags from 1 lb. to 20 lbs which we sell at lowest trade prices. Liberal discounts for large quantities.

The Joe boats have commenced to arrive with cargoes of fish and farm produce. Fish is of good quality and high price this year. Supplies are scarce and are quoted at \$2.50 per lb.

Work is being rushed on the electric light contract and the contractors expect to have the system in working order early in December.

It has been reported to us that covering of the Red Bank bridge is a disgraceful condition and hardly fit to cross on. This should be attended to at once.

J. & T. Jardine's extensive mill, property at Bathurst was completely destroyed by fire Saturday evening. A large amount of lumber was lost. The fire engine was sent up from Richibucto and rendered valuable assistance. A heavy gale was blowing at the time.

We have made arrangements whereby we will be able to sell copies of a large illustrated paper entitled, New Brunswick Illustrated. This will contain many fine views of the Miramichi with a good write up of the town of Newcastle. Send 10 cents to Anselm Bros. and order a copy. The edition will be ready early in December.

### FAST LINE.

**Sir Frederic Borden Says "Fast Line Soon."**

MONTREAL, Oct. 29.—In an interview yesterday Sir Frederic Borden supplemented his previous statement here on the fast line project. He said: "As a member from the maritime provinces and as one who has carefully considered the question, I would say that in my opinion the line from the maritime provinces, would be a 30 knot service."

The minister of militia said that the reason he was anxious to state his views exactly was because in the recent interview he gave a Halifax Herald representative in Boston he was not only quoted incorrectly in certain statements but others were left out to place him in a false light.

### HAND DRAWN INTO PIECE OF MACHINERY.

AMHERST, Ont. 25.—Wilfrid Scott, of Simcoe, and employee in Robt' engineering Works, this morning had one hand and the lower part of his arm drawn into a piece of machinery, resulting in their being tightly crushed and torn about half way to the elbow. The arm had to be amputated six inches below the elbow.

### SCOTT ACT.

Mrs. Wm. Fitzpatrick Nelson was up before Judge Macpherson on Oct. 28, for violation of the C. T. A. She was convicted and fined \$50 and costs. John Rastan of Nelson was also up before Judge Macpherson on Oct. 24th and fined \$30 and costs.

On Oct. 24, Andrew Connors of Black River was fined \$50 and costs. On Oct. 24, John McCormick of Black River was up before his honor and was dismissed for want of evidence.

JOHN MENZIES, Inspector.

## Social Personal

Dr. Cates will attend to his patients on usual dates 26th to last of the month.

Mr. A. J. McLean of Newbury Mass. is visiting friends here. He and Dr. Beverley Sprout left last week for a week's goose shooting at Inkerman, Gl. Co.

Mr. Henry Carter has returned from Sydney.

Mrs. D. Chesman of Chatham was visiting friends here last week.

Mrs. James Robinson and Miss Robinson have gone to Boston where there reside for some time.

Mr. Jake White of Bathurst was in town Monday.

Mr. Wm. Jardine of the Bank of New Brunswick, Summerside, P. E. I. was visiting his cousin Mr. Graham Jardine of the Royal Bank of Canada here.

Mr. Johnston of Adams, Barnes & Co., Bathurst was in town yesterday on his way to Chatham.

Mr. Waldo Crocker who has been taking a business course at Kerr's Business College, St. John has returned home.

Messrs. Matthew J. Duffy and Raymond Wright returned from Fredericton Saturday.

Miss Ada Russell of Halifax is visiting her mother at Chatham. Her many friends are delighted to see her again.

Mr. Fred Dyke, of Chatham, has returned from England via Boston. His many friends are pleased to learn that he intends spending the winter on the Miramichi.

Miss Lizzie Parker leaves to-day for New York to resume her official duties at that city.

## N. S. MURDER.

**Prisoner seeks to Lay Crime of Killing His Cousin, Also a Peddler, Upon Two Young Boys.**

HALLOW, Oct. 25.—The man at Tenny Cape, Hants county, accused of the murder of Lyons Lander, attempted to place the crime on the heads of two boys of Tenny Cape.

Lander, the deceased, and Cazulidly, the alleged murderer, are cousins, natives of Armenia.

They have been in Nova Scotia but three months, having headquarters at Kentville. Thomas Abraham of Tenny Cape, with his Armenian and Armenian friends, endeavored to secure the story of the murder from the alleged murderer.

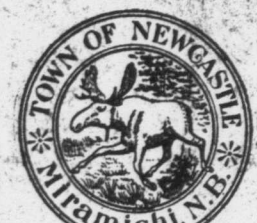
Cazulidly was in a desperate state of mind. He lay on a table trembling all over, his heart throbbing so you could see its motion through his clothes.

His eyes were shut.

The men got the following story from the alleged murderer. He said he and the dead man had been in company at Tenny Cape. The dead man sold two Tenny Cape boys a watch. The boys followed him wanting to give the watch back.

The peddler refused and the boys followed him into the woods and killed him with stones and the butt of a revolver.

The alleged murderer was taken to Windsor. He was perfectly inert and was lifted into a wagon in a lifeless man.



## NOTICE.

Applications for Water, Sewerage and Electric Light connections will now be received at the town office where blank forms of applications will be furnished. Any person making connections without a permit will be prosecuted.

R. T. D. AITKEN

Town Clerk. Newcastle, Oct. 27—1w.

## MRS. S. A. DEMERS

### GRAND CLEARING SALE

Of millinery and millinery trimmings, also ladies' costumes, shirt waists, dresses and undershirts, wrappers, corsets, wool underwear, white wear, ribbons, laces, hamburgs, veilings, silks, velvets, velveteens, plushes, crapes, etc. Everything is marked away down and greatest bargains will be given. All must be disposed of at any price, as I am going out of the millinery business.

MRS. S. A. DEMERS.



## SWEET, PURE, BEST.

Good soap is about as important as good food. Whether for use on infants or adults it must be entirely free from skin irritants.

### OUR TOILET SOAP.

Are prepared from the choicest material, soften and beautify the skin.

Rogers & Gallet, Pears, Packers, etc. Orange Blossom Soap, 3 cakes in a box, 10cts. a box.

Castile in 1 lb. bars, price 15cts. a bar.

NEWCASTLE DRUG STORE.  
F. R. DALTON, Proprietor,  
SUCCESSOR TO E. LEE STREET. QUIGLEY BUILDING

## MILLINERY.

Our Opening is now over but we have still a few pretty hats left which we will clear off at a reduction.

All orders will receive our very best attention.

Mrs. H. A. Quilty,  
THE SARGEANT STORE.

## TENDERS

Re the Estate of Joseph B. Horowich.

SEALED TENDERS endorsed "Tenders for Joseph B. Horowich's Stock," addressed to the undersigned at Newcastle, N. B., will be received up to noon on FRIDAY, THE 7th DAY OF NOVEMBER A. D. 1902, for all the stock consisting of Dry Goods, Boots and Shoes, Hardware, Crockery and glassware, etc., etc., contained in two stores in the "Elkin Block" in the Town of Chatham, N. B. Parties tendering may do so for the whole stock including the shop furnishings, or separately, for the goods in the Dry Goods Store, the goods in the Hardware Store, and the shop furnishings in both stores. The stock has been taken under three separate headings, viz: "Stock in Dry Goods Store," "Ditto in Hardware Store" and "Shop Furnishings, etc., in both Stores." The stock and inventory of same can be seen during business hours by applying to Mr. William John Miller, Chatham.

The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

The above property having been assigned to me, is being offered for sale under authority of an order of the Hon. William Wilkins, Judge of the Northern District County Court.

R. R. CALL,  
Sheriff of the County of Northumberland, Assizes, St. John, N. B., 15th Oct., 1902.

## WINTER VEGETABLES.

Any persons requiring cabbage, parsnips, beets, carrots, turnips, savoy, etc. can have same supplied by leaving their order with

E. HOLOHAN,

Newcastle

Oct. 18—2w.

## The Excelsior Life Insurance Company

Head Office, Toronto.  
Capital \$500,000.

Branch Office, St. John, N. B.  
Insurance in Force \$5,000,000.

Total amount for security of policy holders \$700,000.00. Lowest average death rate on record for Company of same age, viz. 3.12 per 1,000 men insurance in force. Interest income alone pays all death claims and Head Office salaries.

This Company has already been extensively patronized by the most prominent professional and business men of New Brunswick. Applications received during first half of 1902 for nearly \$1,000,000.

For further information apply to

ROBERTSON & OWENS,

PROVINCIAL MANAGERS.

ST. JOHN, N. B.

## THE CHEAP CASH STORE

Just received a large stock of Fall and Winter Goods in Blankets, Underwear, Hosiery, Shirts, Dress Goods, Flannellets, Cottons, Monoton Yarns and Stockingette, also Ladies' Sacques, Men's Reefers, Heavy Homespun Pants, etc., etc.

### Ladies' Sacques.

We have a large stock of these in Black, Brown, Fawn, etc., at prices ranging from \$2.00 upwards. Call and see them before buying elsewhere.

### Dress Goods.

We are now showing some special values in this line. Heavy double fold goods from 15c per yard, also some all wool single width goods to be cleared out at from 10c per yard upward.

### Heavy Shirts.

Men's knitted and flannel shirts in Blue, Grey, etc., prices 35c, 50c, 60c, 75c and \$1.00.

### Men's and Boys' Overcoats.

About 200 of these in Black and Brown Worsted, Beaver Cloth, Naps, etc., some of which will be cleared out at less than half price. This is a chance of a bargain which should not be missed.

### Underwear.

Men's heavy all wool shirts and drawers, 90c per suit. Better quality \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50, and \$1.75 per suit.

### Blankets.

A big stock of wool blankets just opened at prices ranging from \$1.75 per pair upward. Every pair a bargain. Flannellette blankets, 75c per pair.

JAMES BROWN, Newcastle.