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JAS. SUTHERLAND.

whose worth as a public man and citizen, tributes were paid by Hon. Messrs. Scott, Bowell and Cartwright.

James Sutherland was the son of the late Alexander Sutherland, a native of Caithness-shire, Scotland, who came to Canada in 1841, by his wife Allison, daughter of the late John Reuton. He was born in the township of Ancaster, Wentworth, Ont., July 17th, 1849.

been an officer of the 22nd battalion, Oxford Rifles, and was granted the rank of honorary major in the militia service in 1885. He voted the disallowance of the Jesuits' estates act in 1888, thus becoming one of the "noble 13." In religion he was a Presbyterian. He was unmarried.

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HON. CHARLES S. HYMAN.

C. S. Hyman, who for some little time has been acting minister of public works, will probably be chosen as Hon. Mr. Sutherland's successor.

Charles Smith Hyman is the son of the late Ellis W. Hyman, who came to Canada from Pennsylvania in 1836. He was born in London, Ont., in 1854, and was educated at Hellmuth College. Some two years ago he was in business as a leather merchant and tanner.

"Elijah" Sandford of Shiloh on Board the Yacht Coronet

Leader of the Holy Ghost and Us Society is on a Pleasure Cruise, but Maine People Say He is Dodging Legal Proceedings.

Rev. Frank W. Sandford, leader of the Holy Ghost and Us sect, with headquarters at Shiloh, Me., is on board the yacht Coronet, now lying in St. John harbor.

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NOVA SCOTIA CONSERVATIVES CONCLUDE BUSINESS.

Pass Resolution Expressing Confidence in R. L. Borden, Conservative Leader.

HALIFAX, N. S., May 3.—The liberal conservative caucus concluded its business today. A committee was appointed to draw up a series of resolutions setting forth the policy of the party in provincial matters in view of the approaching general elections.

YOUNG LADY DUPES MONGTONG SUBSCRIBERS

MONCTON, N. B., May 3.—Some time ago a young lady falling from her perch and giving the name of L. Macmure secured subscriptions for the Mayflower magazine, the publication of which she said was to be in Moncton in the future.

DR. WILLIAM OSLER. Rapid Rise of Distinguished Canadian From the Farm to a Chair at Oxford.

Dr. William Osler, who shortly takes up his work as Regius Professor of Medicine at Oxford, has become an interesting figure in the life of the present generation. It is not given to many men to climb so quickly through the various grades of medical service to the highest position in Anglo-Saxon medicine.

A MATTER OF HEALTH

ROYAL BAKING POWDER Absolutely Pure HAS NO SUBSTITUTE

OFFERS 97 FOR SACKVILLE BONDS.

J. M. Robinson Makes Bid For Issue of \$35,000. Committees Appointed by the Sackville Council.

GARDINER HAD VARIED CAREER.

LANCASTER, Ont., May 2.—The inquest on the body of the unknown burglar killed at Lancaster was resumed by Dr. C. J. Hamilton of Cornwall. As the wounds of Herman Von Metzke, the teller, would not permit of his being removed from his bed, the coroner and jury visited Mr. Metzke's residence to hear his evidence.

A HUMAN ROLLING STONE.

Harold William Gardiner, the young man arrested on the morning of the burglary, was scrawled at great length. He was born at Whitney, Oxfordshire, England, 31 years ago, and is a son of a Baptist minister, who has been stationed at Kingsboro, P. I. for four years, and was previously Guyboro, N.S. Gardiner told a queer story of his career. He said he had been in the States for some time with his father, who had been in the States for some time with his father, who had been in the States for some time with his father.

LOWELL LADY 100 YEARS OLD.

Mrs. Pierre L. Deslauriers is Yet Smart and Healthy—A Notable Career.

LOWELL, May 2.—Mrs. Pierre L. Deslauriers, living with her daughter, Mrs. J. B. de Foubert at 883 Lakeview avenue, was 100 years old yesterday. She was Pierre Forget-Despaty at St. Laurent, P. Q., May 1, 1805. In that town she was married 63 years ago. She came to Lowell four years ago and has made her home with one or another of her married daughters who live here. She is cheerful in mind and well in body, having no infirmity except deafness. Her eyesight is excellent, she never needed glasses. She is able to assist her daughters with a little housework, but her time is principally spent in prayer, counting her rosary for hours at a time. She was one of the communicants present at the mission of St. Louis' Catholic church recently, where she was regarded with great interest on account of her manifest age, yet comparative physical vigor and bright, alert understanding and interest in what was going on. Her family was not a large one. It consists of four daughters now living of the five born to her, Mrs. J. B. and Mrs. Napoleon de Foubert and Mrs. Ephraim Major, sr., of this city and Mrs. Fred Noel of Montreal. There are 13 living grandchildren, and five great grandchildren.

BANQUET TO DR. GOODSPEED.

Farewell Tendered by the Toronto Baptist Ministerial Association.

TORONTO, May 2.—A farewell banquet tendered by the Toronto Baptist Ministerial Association to Rev. Dr. Goodspeed on his retirement from the professorate of McMaster University. It was largely attended and addresses of appreciation were made by a number of his ministerial brethren. A resolution was unanimously passed, recognizing the conspicuous services rendered by Dr. Goodspeed during the past fifteen years, and adding: "We honor him as a profound thinker, a ripe scholar, an able teacher and a wise counsellor, as one who has been ever willing to place his valuable services at our disposal and that of the churches we represent; as a brother beloved for his kindness and humility, for his godliness and activity in every good work, as one who for many years has filled a most important place in and has been a tower of strength to our educational and denominational life and work, and who has been a help

and inspiration both intellectually and spiritually to many throughout this country who have come within the sphere of his personal instruction and influence, a number of whom are members of this Ministerial Association today, and we are persuaded that his loss will be keenly felt, and we regret exceedingly the prospects of his removal. Dr. Goodspeed made a fitting response.

SUSSEX, May 3.—A meeting of the town council was held last evening. After the presentation of a number of bills Mr. Ross and Mr. Hoeg of the Sussex Packing and Canning Company were heard with reference to arrangements for their water supply. It was finally decided that the water and sewerage committee should meet with the packing company some time this week and discuss the matter. The general feeling of the council is that the company should have the water at cost. It was decided that the street committee make a contract with the electric light company for 4 additional lights, making 28 in all. The council adjourned to meet again on May 9th at 8 o'clock.

FREDERIGTON IN DARKNESS.

Trouble Over Contract For Lighting Town.

FREDERIGTON, N. B., May 3.—The week's Gazette contains notice of the application for incorporation of D. F. Stacey, Geo. Gilbert, W. G. White, Louisa A. Stacey, all of Bathurst, and John R. Carter of Woburn, Mass., as promoters of the proposed lighting of the town of Fredericton. The promoters are called for rebuilding the McFarlane Bridge, Albert county. At a meeting of the congregation of Christ Church, parish of Fredericton, held this afternoon at the Church hall, James E. Beak and A. D. Thomas were elected members of the Diocesan Synod, with A. B. Macdonald and John Odham as substitutes. As a result of the action of the city council last evening, when that body awarded the contract for lighting the town to H. D. White, the town is in total darkness. It was learned last night that Mr. White absolutely refused to enter into any contract. It became evident that unless Mr. McGinn, the present superintendent, could be persuaded to continue at the work there would be trouble. He had been a faithful employe for years and he considered that he had been most shamefully treated. Dr. Scott of the University was sent for. Dr. Scott looked over the ground and did not wish to connect himself with the matter. Mr. McGinn says that he never tendered for the position, and the announcement made at the council meeting last night that he had tendered at \$1,900 was not a fact. Mr. McGinn W. D. says that the long and faithful service he has given the city, regards the action of the council as most discourteous, and in this he is supported by a large number of citizens. It was thought that the holding of secret meetings would sooner or later bear fruit, but no one expected it so soon. It is safe to say that the reform council, so called, is not as popular as it was on election night. The question now is how long is the city to remain in total darkness. One of the other tenderers was Alan Staples of St. John, and it may be that communication will be opened with him to undertake the job.

P. E. I. MAN MARRIES CHILD WIFE.

Lynn Authorities Investigate Wedding of 13-Year-Old Bessie Trask and J. H. Wyatt.

LYNN, Mass., May 3.—The police are investigating the marriage of Miss Bessie Bass Trask, said to be only thirteen years old. She was married to John Henry Wyatt, superintendent of the Immanuel Mission in Lynn, at the home of her parents, No. 188 Chatham street, that city, on Friday night. It is said to be about forty years old, and has been divorced. The wedding has caused a great deal of comment in religious and other circles in Lynn because of the youth of the bride. Police Chief Murkes of Lynn, is giving attention to the marriage, because the license to the marriage was taken out by Dr. Oler, where Wyatt resides, and he believes that it should also have been obtained in Lynn, because the other contracting party lived there. City Clerk Atwill notified the police of this alleged neglect to comply with all legal formalities. In the license, the bride's age was given as sixteen years, but public opinion was taken out by Dr. Oler, where Wyatt resides, and he believes that it should also have been obtained in Lynn, because the other contracting party lived there. City Clerk Atwill notified the police of this alleged neglect to comply with all legal formalities. In the license, the bride's age was given as sixteen years, but public opinion was taken out by Dr. Oler, where Wyatt resides, and he believes that it should also have been obtained in Lynn, because the other contracting party lived there. City Clerk Atwill notified the police of this alleged neglect to comply with all legal formalities.

APPLE SHIPMENTS FROM ATLANTIC PORTS.

BOSTON, May 4.—The apple shipments for the past season from Atlantic ports were 2,351,014 barrels. Of the number 689,354 were shipped from McGinn's wharf from New York, 24,116 from Portland, 367,651 from Montreal, 354,275 from Halifax, 19,874 from St. John, 8,500 from Wolfville, N. S., and 24,108 from Annapolis. The shipments last season were: 3,462,755, and in 1903, 2,461,933 barrels.

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A VOTE FOR COERCION.

The division of the house of commons on the coercion clause of the so-called autonomy bill contains no surprises unless the member for the Yukon was expected to vote for the Borden amendment.

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Another course might be taken which would secure Mr. Hyman's election at the expense of his reputation for courage. He could leave London to its fate and run in Mr. Sutherland's riding of North Oxford.

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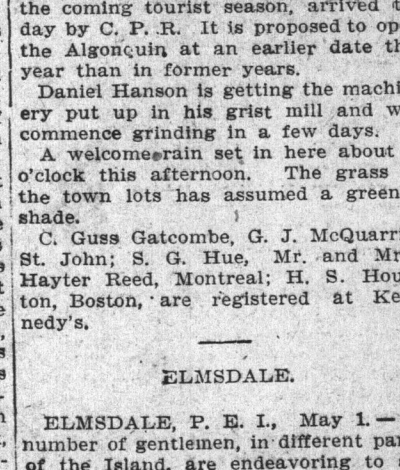
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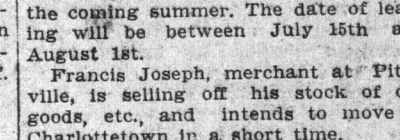
Mrs. W. F. Hoffman, 601 North 6th Street, Kansas City, Kans., writes: "For eight months I suffered with bearing down pains, dizziness, and wretched headaches. The doctors called it by different names, but all agreed that I had female trouble, which was really the cause of my illness."

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GLASGOW WAS DRY BUT NOT SOBER.

Inhabitants Got Their Liquor at Nearest.

LONDON, April 29.—The chancellor of the exchequer alluding in his budget speech to the fact that there was a decrease in the revenue from the taxes on spirits, declared his belief that this was due to increased sobriety rather than for any temporary reasons.

The municipal authorities of Glasgow, who were prematurely convinced of the reformation of its citizens, closed all the licensed public houses on the day of the reformation.

The story of the day at Paisley is that of other places of refuge. By 3 o'clock in the afternoon not a drop of whisky was left in Paisley and multitudes were still left with thirst unquenched.

The local police stations were soon packed full of persons who were unable to take care of themselves, and the police could do nothing with the prisoners but place them in tram cars to be returned to Glasgow, whose civic authorities were at a loss to know what to do with the mass of suffering people.

MONTREAL GAS QUESTION REACHED ANOTHER PHASE.

MONTREAL, May 2.—The civic gas question has reached another phase, a sub-committee of the city council having reported in favor of accepting the offer of the Montreal Light, Heat and Power Company to reduce the price of gas for lighting from 1.20 to 1.00, and of cooking gas from 1.20 to 1.00, reducing the price of gas for heating from 1.20 to 1.00.

Every doctor in this town tried his best to relieve Mrs. J. Withom of Asthma; none succeeded. "For years," she states, "I was a dreadful sufferer; nothing gave relief. At times I found it necessary to have all the doors and windows open to get my breath. When I despair I heard of 'Catharhose.' I used it and now am perfectly cured. This proves beyond doubt that any case of Asthma is curable with Catharhose. No remedy so pleasant, none so absolutely certain to thoroughly cure 'Catharhose' yourself, is guaranteed."

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MRS. HUNTER'S STORY SAYS SHE AND HER HUSBAND AGREE PERFECTLY—BOTH QUITE WELL AGAIN.

Mrs. I. Hunter, of 111 Raglan Road, Kingston, Ont., has written for publication a statement of her case as follows: "I have suffered with kidney and liver trouble, and chronic constipation for some time. I was subject to dizziness, biliousness, nervousness, and chronic constipation for some time. I was subject to dizziness, biliousness, nervousness, and chronic constipation for some time. I was subject to dizziness, biliousness, nervousness, and chronic constipation for some time."

Finally, a friend advised me to try Dr. Leonard's Anti-Pill, and to my surprise it was perfectly successful. My husband has been truly wonderful. We agree that Anti-Pill is a most wonderful medicine and heartily recommend it. This is a very strong recommendation. Anti-Pill is undoubtedly the greatest of family remedies. All druggists, or the Wilson-Pyle Co., Limited, Niagara Falls, Ont.

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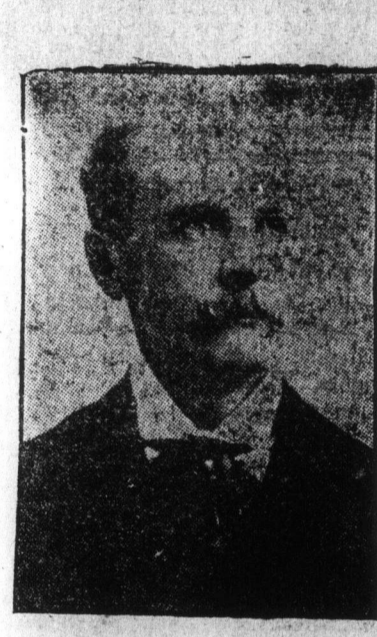
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AUTONOMY BILLS PASSED BY A MAJORITY OF 81.

By a Vote of 140 to 59, the Borden Amendment as Defeated-- Thirteen Conservatives, Mostly from Quebec, Voted With the Government--Stockton Replies to Minister of Justice in a Powerful Speech, Said to Be Strongest in Whole Debate.



HON. CHARLES FITZPATRICK.

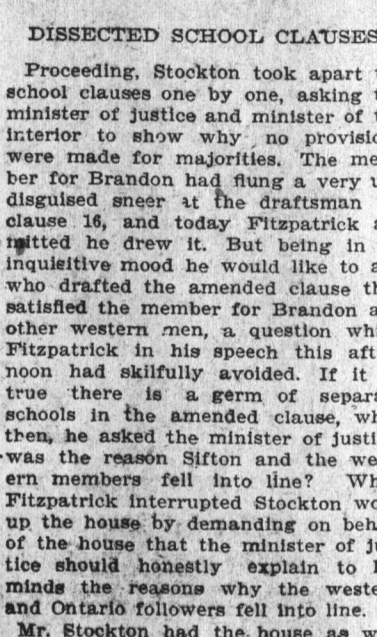
OTTAWA, April 3.—After the house met this afternoon Hon. Mr. Fitzpatrick rose at 3.25 amid liberal applause. He accused the conservatives of fanning the flame of race and religious animosity and his press was appealing to the lowest and basest human motives.

Passing on, Mr. Fitzpatrick took up the legal aspect of the case, dealing with it at great length to show that school and land clauses of the autonomy bill were no restriction of provincial rights, but were intended to carry out the liberty that the confederation act and subsequent legislation guaranteed to the people of Canada.

BARKER OF HAMILTON. Barker, conservative of Hamilton, followed Fitzpatrick after dinner, traversing the legal and political contentions of the minister of justice and other government speakers with respect to the clauses of the bill.

DR. STOCKTON. Barker closed at 10.05, when Dr. Stockton took the floor. In the outset he regretted his physical disability to discuss this all-important, comprehensive and important question which was to be discussed.

It is a sort of kangaroo policy, first a hop in one direction and then in another, but no mortal man can tell where the next hop will be.



HON. A. STOCKTON.

Yeat: Messrs. Alcorn, Armstrong, Avery, Barker, Barr, Bennett, Bland, Bland, Borden, (Carlton), Boyce, Bristol, Broder, Chisholm, Christie, Clark, Clements, Cochrane, Cockshutt, Crockett, Daniel, Elson, Foster, Fowler, Ganong, Gunn, Haggart, Henderson, Herron, Hughes, (Victoria), Ingram, Jackson, (Elgin), Kemp, Lake, Lor, Lancaster, Lennox, MacDonnell, MacLaren, MacLean, (York South), MacCarthy (Calgary), McCarthy (Simcoe), McLean, (Queens, P. E. L.), Martin (Queens, P. E. L.), Northrup, Oster, Porter, Reid, (Greenville), Roche, (Marquette), Smead, Sprague, Staples, Stockton, Taylor, Tisdale, Walsh, Ward, Wilnot, Wilson (Lennox and Addington), Wright (Muskoika), total, 59.

The member for St. John then went on to deal with the legal phases of the bill, asserting that no lawyer in the country who cared for his reputation had dissented from the position of the leadership of the opposition in regard to school and land clauses of the autonomy bill.

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THE DIVISION. The division was taken a little after midnight. There were two pairs, German and White, Leturgey and Logan. Two seats are vacant by the deaths of members, some others by ill-health, personally or in their families.

There are four vacant seats and the absentees were Power, Greenway, Seaman, Connee, Gladu and Raty; Seaman being the only conservative not voting.

MORE SUBSIDIES. Government May Grant \$2,500 a Mile to the Stanley Railway--A Bonus Asked For.

The provincial government was in session at Fredericton yesterday, and considerable business was transacted. A delegation composed of Michael Crockett, J. A. Humble of Stanley, and B. A. Bell of Cross Creek, accompanied by Messrs. Whitehead, Allen and Burdett, M. P.'s for York, waited upon the government and urged the claim of the York and Carleton Railway for the provincial subsidy of \$2,500 per mile for the purpose of extending the company's line of railway for four and one-half miles further up the Nashwanke. The subsidy must be received in order that the road be built and as the Dominion subsidy of \$3,200 per mile is not available until the end of August, the provincial subsidy must be pledged before that date.



HON. A. STOCKTON.

The government did not give the delegation the definite answer, but promised to take their representations into consideration. The idea of the members of the government spoken to last evening by Sun seemed to be that it would be in the interest of the district through which the extension will pass, to grant the subsidy asked for.

CAMPBELLTON, May 3.—The dwelling house and two barns of A. Ferguson Chamberlain, situated about two miles above the town, were destroyed by fire this afternoon. Most of the furniture and household effects were saved, but the stock, including the farm implements, stock, hay and other grain, besides fifteen head of cattle and two colts were burned, all efforts to save them being vain.

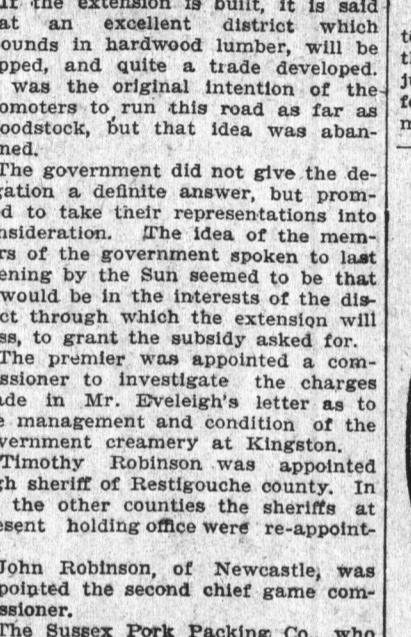
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MONTREAL HOTEL. MAN IN TROUBLE. Discharged Cooks and Hired Frenchmen From New York—Strike Threatened.

MONTREAL, May 3.—The Queen's Hotel here, discharged some of its cooks and replaced them with three Frenchmen from New York. As a result the manager is being proceeded against under the alien labor act, under which he is liable to a penalty of \$500 and the hotel and restaurant employees' association has notified the hotel management that if the imported help is not discharged by noon tomorrow a strike of all the members of the association in the hotel will be called.

NAN PATTERSON'S JURY DISAGREED. But She May Be Allowed To Go Free.

Jury Was Out Over Twelve Hours But Couldn't Agree—Prisoner Collapsed and Fainted Away.



NAN PATTERSON.

NEW YORK, May 4.—Having failed to reach a verdict and declaring that they were hopelessly disagreed, the jury in the Nan Patterson case was formally discharged at 2.20 o'clock this morning.

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NOTICE. The Canvassers and Collectors for the SEMI-WEEKLY SUN are now making their rounds as mentioned below.

PORTLAND, Me., May 3.—Ard, str. Colchester, Co. N. S., writes: "Last spring I was very much run down, felt tired all the time, and did not seem to have life or energy enough to do my work. Three boxes of Dr. Chase's Nerve Food did me a world of good, and made work a pleasure to me. I have not had occasion to use any medicine since, and have recommended Dr. Chase's Nerve Food to all my friends."

Provincial News

JACKSONVILLE, N. B., April 29.—The Rev. Jos. A. Cahill will (D. V.) take the service in the Methodist Church, Waterville, on Sunday afternoon. The Rev. T. A. Corbett of Woodstock has himself consented to preach in Jacksonville at 5 p. m., and there will be a service in the Methodist Church, Jacksonville, at 9 p. m., in the interest of the Lord's Day observance, in which the Revs. J. A. Cahill and J. C. Berris will take part. A silver collection for the Lord's Day Alliance will be taken. All are invited.

Lewis True has taken a number of the for the Army in Woodstock, upon which work has already begun.

MONCTON, May 2.—The ladies of the Baptist Missionary Aid Society met at the residence of Mrs. J. J. Wallace last evening and presented Mrs. David Hutchinson, their retiring president, with a handsome silver service, a silver kettle with spirit lamp attachment, cut glass water bottle and silver pudding dish. Mrs. Wallace made the presentation on behalf of the society and Mrs. Hutchinson replied in feeling terms.

MONCTON, May 2.—W. C. Snow, of Masters & Snow, received intelligence today of the death in the hospital at Denver, Colorado, of his daughter, Miss Wilhelmina. Deceased was a graduate of Newton Hospital, but went west two years ago for the benefit of her health. Reports had been very encouraging, but yesterday word was received that she had died as a result of a rupture of the throat and was obliged to undergo an operation for tracheotomy. It is supposed death resulted from the effects of the operation. Deceased was 23 years of age, and besides a father and mother, leaves three sisters and two brothers.

SACKVILLE, May 2.—Mrs. C. H. Read and children of Fort Elgin, left on Saturday for a month's visit in Boston and other cities. One of the special attractions for Mrs. Read in Boston will be the graduating exercises of the students at the Boston School of Pharmacy; her brother, Lamert Oulton, being the valedictorian of the class. Mr. Oulton has completed a three years' course in two years and acquitted himself creditably.

Mrs. Wilbur Turner returned on Saturday to her home at Port Elgin after an extended visit at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles George. Miss Margaret George accompanied Mrs. Turner on her return to Port Elgin.

Charles Wheaton of Moncton, is seriously ill at the home of his father, Daniel Wheaton.

Rev. Dr. Andrews addressed the M. C. A. on Sunday afternoon.

H. Earle Read of C. T. F. surveyor, is the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Read.

Mrs. Southwick, wife of Dean Southwick of the Episcopalian Church of Oratory, Boston, is expected in Sackville on the 27th inst.

Rev. Dr. Trotter, president of Acadia College, Wolfville, will occupy the pulpit of Bethel Baptist church on Sunday.

Rev. E. L. Steeves is at present engaged in a series of services at Middlebury with very encouraging results. Nineteen persons have received the ordinance of baptism since the good work commenced.

Rev. Mr. Flemington of Point de Bute, occupied the pulpit of the Methodist church on Sunday very acceptably.

Read's stone quarry, Wood Point, has commenced operations with good prospects for a successful season.

Prof. Watson of the university staff, has purchased a residence on York street from the university authorities.

BLISSVILLE, Sun. Co., N. B., May 1.—A concert was held in the hall on Friday evening. The programme, which was lengthy, consisted of dialogues, recitations, readings, tableaux, and several musical numbers. During an intermission refreshments were served. The concert was much enjoyed by the large audience present. The proceeds realized to over \$27, which goes to aid the P. B. parsonage fund.

Mrs. M. D. Harris leaves today for Nova Scotia, where she will visit her relatives.

MILLTOWN, N. B., April 2.—An alarm of fire on Saturday afternoon brought the fire brigades from both sides of the river to the Union, but the flames quickly yielded to the work of the combined companies.

Mrs. D. Quinlan of Princeton, Me., sang at the morning and evening services in the Congregational church last Sunday. The solos were rendered with

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exquisite taste, and to the pleasure of the congregation.

About fifty members of the I. O. O. F. attended divine service at the Methodist church Sunday last, and listened to an appropriate sermon preached by the pastor, Rev. G. W. Fisher.

Miss Bertha Deware, teacher of the primary department, through ill-health, had again last week to close her school.

Frank Graham, for about a year sexton of the Congregational church, closed his services with last week's duties.

The cobweb social in the Congregational vestry last Tuesday evening was a success in the way the young lady promoters wished.

Regular rehearsals are going on for the public school concert to be given this month.

HOPWELL HILL, May 2.—The annual roll call of the Harvey Baptist church was held yesterday afternoon, a very large congregation being present. The Rev. A. F. Brown, the pastor, and Rev. Thos. Hicks of the Methodist church, were present, and one of the signs of the times was the communing together at the close of the service, of the Baptist and Methodist congregations of the village. It may at times appear to be but slowly, yet the work does move.

James Stevens, a prosperous, but now retired farmer of Memel, and one of the best known and most highly respected residents of that locality, was in the village today, having walked the distance of four miles from his home without fatigue, although he is now within one year of the four score mark. With the aid of a stout walking stick plucked from his native Memel forests, he made the distance in one hour, and was fresh enough to have made the return trip. Mr. Stevens, owing to the disadvantages of his early life never received a day's schooling, by his own efforts acquired a fair education, and made a success of life, and is now enjoying the fruits of his labors. The old gentleman is a great reader, and informed the writer that he has been a subscriber of the Sun for 28 years.

The str. Beaver arrived yesterday morning from St. John with freight.

Capt. C. D. Robinson of St. John, is visiting relatives here.

Miss Cox of Truro, is the guest of Mrs. G. M. Russell.

DORCHESTER, N. B., May 2.—The April sitting of the circuit court opened here today at 9 o'clock. Chief Justice Tuck presiding.

The barristers of the county were represented in strong numbers. Fred L. DeForest and Aaron Lawson, barristers from Redoubt, and Gloucester counties were also present in an official capacity. The following is the sheriff's calendar:

- 1—King v. Howard Briggs, charged with assault with intent to do grievous bodily harm; A. B. Copp, M. P. P. for crown; D. I. Welsh defending.
 - 2—King v. James Penny, charged with larceny; A. B. Copp for crown; undefended.
 - 3—King v. Joseph Pedro, charged with larceny; A. B. Copp for crown; undefended.
 - 4—King v. George Cameron, charged with larceny; Copp for crown; James C. Sherren defending.
- In the case of the King v. Howard Briggs the grand jury returned a "true bill" on the seven counts in the indictment, the prisoner at once pleaded guilty and was promptly sentenced to three years in the penitentiary. This is the case of assault with murderous intent on Chief of Police Tingley of Moncton. The grand jury returned a "true bill" in each of the three remaining cases on the docket. The case of the King v. James Penny, the prisoner pleaded guilty and was sentenced to three months in the county jail. In the case of the King v. Joseph Pedro, the prisoner entered a plea of guilty and got three months in the county jail. These two cases were in connection with the breaking and entering of the tool house on the I. C. R. section and stealing therefrom clothing, etc. In the final case on the docket, the King v. George Cameron, charged with larceny of twelve cents from two small boys, the prisoner admitted the guilt and got three months in the county jail. This finished the criminal docket. Some civil cases will be tried tomorrow.

GRAND FALLS, May 1.—C. Oimstead and bride have returned, and will in future reside here. Saturday night they were serenaded by the Grand Falls orchestra.

C. Palmer spent Saturday and Sunday at the Curlew.

Miss Jantle Clair will return to her home in Woodstock on Tuesday. She will be accompanied by her little niece, Jay Glenn, who has been ill for some time with whooping cough.

Sunday morning, while divine service was being conducted in the Denmark church, fire broke out and had made such headway before the flames were discovered that all efforts to save the building were in vain, and it was by the greatest exertion that the surrounding buildings were saved. The fire originated from a burning fuse. Owing to the drought everything was in the best condition for a conflagration. The loss is felt very keenly by the congregation, as the cost of building the church was borne almost wholly by themselves, and it is only by rigid economy that a church and minister can be maintained.

CENTREVILLE, May 2.—Preparation was made last year to replace the sidewalk. Lumber was placed on the ground.

The spring freshet has not been so light for 40 years.

A pleasant evening was spent at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Burt, when over fifty of their friends assembled to celebrate the 25th anniversary of their married life. After spending a pleasant evening the company was invited and partook of a substantial repast. G. W. White asked the atten-

tion of the audience, and E. L. West was appointed chairman, who called on the Rev. Mr. Turner, J. W. Cheney, W. J. Webb, C. E. Vall, Dr. Peppers, H. Bradley, C. M. Sherwood and Rev. Mr. Present, after which G. W. White, on behalf of the company, presented Mr. and Mrs. Burt with fifty dollars' worth of silverware and then read an address, which was suitably responded to.

McADAM, May 2.—Postmaster Jas. Green has moved into his new residence on Main street.

Mr. Jennie Stannik left on the 28th ult. for Boston, where she will enter the General Union Hospital to train for a nurse.

S. Brooks spent Sunday in St. Stephen, the guest of R. McAdam.

Mr. Ord, mechanical superintendent of C. P. R., left on the 1st for a brief trip to Montreal.

Mrs. Lehnke, a teacher to St. John on a visit to her son.

Miss Dorcas, governess of the primary department in the McAdam school, spent Easter with her parents in Fredericton.

Mr. E. Estabrooks, principal of McAdam school, spent his holiday in Fredericton.

Miss Ethyle DeWitt, who has been on a visit to her uncle, J. W. Ford, has returned to her home, Harvey station.

A fire broke out about 4:30 p. m. on May 1st. An alarm was immediately rung in and the fire brigade hastened to the semi-annual Grand Division also gathered, and in a short time the fire was extinguished, but not before the shop, owned by J. Lenihan, was completely destroyed.

HARCOURT, May 2.—The weather, which has been quite warm here for the past few days, took a change yesterday. Early in the evening a snow-storm set in, and this morning the ground is quite white with snow.

Miss Marion Wathen, editor of the Mother's Magazine, who has been absent from Harcourt for several weeks, returned home on Saturday.

At the last meeting of Harcourt Division, No. 488, S. of T. John Wry and Miss Gertrude Ferguson were initiated, and S. M. Dunn, W. G. Thurber and H. H. Stuart were appointed delegates to the semi-annual Grand Division that meets at Newcastle on May 17th and 18th.

Rev. G. L. Freeborn, who has been rector here for almost ten years, tendered his resignation on Saturday night. It was accepted with regret. He and his family will be much missed.

David Johnson, late blacksmith here, has gone to Bangor, Maine.

Miss Druisella Smallwood, crowned Miss Queen of the May, gave a party to her young friends last night. The Misses Ruth Freeborn and Hilda Lemkey were crowned also by smaller girls, and gave receptions yesterday afternoon.

A few foreigners have been able to spend a short time on the island in recent years. It has usually been difficult to secure pictures of the life there.

Only those who are sentenced to penal servitude for life because of some great crime, political or otherwise, are sent to Saghalien. The prisons are the great stone dungeons, such as those to which the American is accustomed. They resemble barracks, or great warehouse, the whole surrounded around the portion devoted to the incarceration of the most violent criminals if constructed under an orchard or some other natural growth. The walls are of iron, and the prisoners are kept there through the first year of their incarceration.

As capital punishment is not a part of Russia's criminal code, and the prisoners are murderers, who have been sent there to remain for life. All the servants of the officers are criminals.

WORK WAS AN EFFORT

Mr. Jho. Carter of 494 King Street, East, Toronto, was lifted from a bed of sickness by Ferrozine. He writes as follows:

"After a severe attack of Grippe my health was almost shattered. I suffered constantly from nervousness and weakness, and my body was so weak that I could hardly walk with terrible palpitation and heart pains. Work became a great effort. At ten in the morning I was so tired and weak I could hardly work another minute."

"Then came a bad attack of rheumatism which laid me up in bed. I could scarcely lift the weight of a pound, and to stoop or bend was impossible. My druggist recommended Ferrozine and he knew what he was talking about, for it rebuilt my strength, gave me abundant appetite, better blood and new nerve energy. The rheumatism has disappeared. I weigh more, feel refreshed and vigorous and am able to work ten hours a day. Ferrozine did it all."

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COLE IN JAIL

Edward Cole, who was arraigned in the municipal court last week on the charge of larceny, was committed to the Hillsboro, N. B., man whose body was found in a pasture at Fairmount a week ago Sunday, was on Saturday taken over to the jail, after having been in confinement in a lodging room at the police station continuously since late Tuesday evening. Only his attorney has seen him since his incarceration and one of them stated Saturday evening that Cole was cool and composed, manifesting no alarm as a result of his sudden predicament. Mrs. Cole has left her home at 280 Cumberland avenue and gone to her grandmother who lives on Spruce street.



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Maxim Gorky There.

Seventeen cents a day is said to be the cost of Maxim Gorky, the Russian novelist, to the Russian government for food. Gorky was recently arrested on the island of Saghalien, has used it as a penal colony since 1898. Among the people of Russia it is called the Isle of the Lost. It is well named to them. No person who is sent to this island ever returns. The government apparently desires to add to this impression of hopelessness by preventing as far as possible any description of the life lived there from reaching the people. It would have an atmosphere of gloom hang over the island. It would have exile to this forsaken spot mean the crossing of a yawning gulf into a world from which no word can return. There a false report is not worth the trouble of writing it. Escape or no passport, it makes no difference.

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CANADA BETTER THAN MONTE CARLO.

LONDON, May 1.—In an interview given the Chronicle, Sir Thomas Shaughnessy thought there was no need in men being out of work in this country, as there was plenty of work and a good wage. He said that he was "broken in." He deplored the ignorance generally displayed in Great Britain regarding Canada and suggested that the people should visit Canada, instead of Monte Carlo, and such places. He saw no political danger in the emigrants from the states, whom he said Canada was pleased to get. He would become good British subjects in a very short time.

Canada's industrial development was most encouraging, the most marked progress being in the iron works at the Soo and Sydney. Incidentally he hoped that the two C. P. R. boats now being built would make the trip in quicker time than any vessels afloat.

I. O. G. T. ORGANIZATION.

CHEPMAN, N. B., May 1.—An I. O. G. T. lodge, with 24 charter members, was organized at the Range Friday night by R. H. Flewelling, assisted by the grand secretary. The following officers were installed: Miss Cynthia Barton, L. D.; Mrs. A. Branscombe, P. C. T.; H. M. Branscombe, C. T.; J. L. Barton, V. T.; M. Hawkes, Sec.; Mrs. H. Wranamaker, F. S.; Miss Elva Barton, Treas.; William Barton, M.; A. M. Branscombe, C. X. P. Hawkes, G.; Andrew Barton, S.; Miss Cora Barton, D. M.; Miss Beatrice Hawkes, A. Sec.

The teachers' institute for Queens county, which was announced to meet at Hampstead, May 25 and 26, has been postponed indefinitely.

Rev. E. McIntyre, secretary of the N. B. Baptist home mission board, will be on the Chipman fair for two weeks, beginning May 7th.

CANADA'S PROBLEM IS NOT MUNICIPAL.

Declares W. B. Munro Before the National Municipal League.

NEW YORK, April 25.—The following address was delivered by William Bennett Munro on conditions in Canadian municipalities, before the National Municipal League, yesterday:

"The progress of urban concentration in Canada has not been sufficiently rapid to render the problem of municipal administration difficult of solution for a while. During the last three decades the proportion of the total population of the dominion contained within towns and cities of over 5,000 has increased from twelve to twenty-four per cent. This increase has been extremely uniform and steady. Furthermore, it has not been accompanied as in the United States, by any marked concentration of foreign immigrants in the larger centres; these have in the main distributed themselves over the agricultural regions of the Northwest. At the present time Canada's ten cities of over 25,000 contain only 18 per cent. of her total population, while in the five cities of over 50,000 are comprised only 10 per cent. The main political problem of the Canadian people is still that of national and provincial rather than of municipal government.

VARIED TYPES OF GOVERNMENT.

"Since the organization and control of the government of Canada by the provincial and not with the federal authorities, there is, in the cities of the seven different provinces, no exact conformity to any type of city political organization. In framing their general charter laws and in formulating special charters for particular cities, the provincial authorities have been guided partly by English and partly by American experience. Variations in the structure of municipal organizations in the different provinces are attributable to this diversity of influence.

In general, the maritime provinces have borrowed largely from England, while Ontario, Quebec and the western provinces have been disposed to incorporate into their municipal systems many features distinctively American."

After explaining the method of electing the mayor and city council, and the making of appointments to the city departments, Mr. Munro continued:

"On the whole this system of municipal administration has proven satisfactory, and that it has done so must be attributed to a considerable degree to the character of the municipal with provincial or national politics."

MUNICIPAL OWNERSHIP.

"The movement toward municipalization of various services has been making in Canada about the same rate of progress as in the United States. It has not been by any means as rapid or as successful as in England, France, Germany, and such as Australia. At the present time most of the Canadian cities own and operate their own water works; light, gas, and sewerage. The movement has not progressed. The other civic services, such as transit and the like, are still almost entirely in the hands of private corporations or franchises. The franchise system, a fair degree of success has attended the experience of municipal ownership, but not such as to warrant any general application of the policy. The other chief difficulty of the cities against the private corporations."

JOHN LYNCH.

The sudden death of John Lynch came as a very painful surprise to his relatives in St. John, to whom he had been on a visit for the last week. His father, Mr. J. H. Lynch, who resides at 28 Castle street, and it was there that the deceased had been staying. He had complained of feeling unwell for some little time, and it is thought that heart trouble was the cause of death. He left Castle street Monday morning to catch the seven o'clock train, and one of his nephews saw him on board all right. As he left the house his last remarks were, "I feel certain this is the last time I shall ever come to town. I am feeling very unwell." He was strongly urged to stay on for a few days, but he said he wanted to get back to his family as quickly as possible. The next that was heard of him was a telegram received at four o'clock Monday afternoon from Cody, which read: "John Lynch died suddenly at ten o'clock."

Mr. Lynch was seventy-two years old, and was one of three brothers, two of whom survive him. He had been resident at Annandale, Queens Co., for a great many years, and was greatly respected here. His nephew, J. H. Lynch, left by the seven train yesterday morning for Annandale.

N. S. GIRL ASSAULTED BY NEGRO.

HALIFAX, N. S., May 2.—A young girl was brutally assaulted on the highway near Tusket on Monday evening. She was unable to give a very definite description of her assailant, but yesterday a young man who was in the vicinity at the time informed the police that the fellow's name was Langford, a deaf and dumb colored man. He is a man of powerful build, and as strong as an ox.

Officer Hatfield started from Yarmouth to secure the fellow, and succeeded in capturing him, but no sooner was he handcuffed than he broke the cuffs of the police with naked sword in hand. Night and day their comrades prowled through the snows under in the park, on horseback or on foot, peering under every bush, behind every hedge.

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"I do not think" said a highly placed Russian official to a St. Petersburg correspondent of an American paper a few days ago, "that there is a more nervous man in Europe than our emperor. And no wonder. The measures taken to shield him from danger would shake nerves of iron, and his nerves are constitutionally weak. He is perpetually being reminded every hour of the day, that he is in imminent danger of sudden death. There was a time, shortly after Minister Plehve's assassination, when he trembled at a shadow or a puff of wind. He is now more confident, but he is worse now. To safeguard the czar there is a regiment of officials and an army of understrappers scattered over three different departments of state—the Ministry of the Interior, the Secret Police and the Imperial Chancery of the Ministry of War. Each of these sections is presided over by a responsible chief. The Ministry of the Interior is headed by the ordinary police—nominally all of the Secret Police, but only nominally. When the czar is in St. Petersburg, or in one of the palaces in the vicinity of the city, he is surrounded by a detachment of five hundred men, the Tsar's-Deputes or Peterhof—the minister delegates picked men for service in the neighborhood of the palace. These men are armed with revolvers. They are not to be taken by surprise, and they are absolutely ignorant of physical fear. When danger threatens they are not to hesitate to shoot, and the fact is impressed on their minds that the danger may occur at any moment and from any quarter. Their instructions are, to note every one they see, to suspect every one, and to report everything they see or hear."

They are relieved every hour, and not one of them knows beforehand where he will be posted. The most remarkable part of their instructions is that they are to have their eye on one another. Each of these policemen is a spy on the actions of his fellows.

In St. Petersburg this picked body of police inspectors are five hundred men, and before they are set aside for this special service the minutest inquiries have been made into their antecedents and the most private affairs, not only of themselves, but of all their relatives and friends. Their wages are double those of the ordinary policeman, and for valuable information which they give they are rewarded with liberal presents and the promise of excellent posts—merely sinecures—when their time of service has expired.

More important still are the services rendered by the Secret Police. "Under-que"—everywhere common—is their motto. Practically the entire work of the secret Russian police, the dreaded third section, is safeguarding the czar. In their underground burrowings in Russia or abroad their object is to trace out the trail of those with designs on the czar. Their power is fearful. Their knowledge is fearful. Their work is terrible.

THE MILITARY GUARDS.

Finally, and most important of all, there are the military guards. The precautions which have been taken since January 22 seem almost incredible. There are several regiments of which have been ransacked for suitable men for this service—the Preobrazhensky and Pavlovsky Guards, the Dox Cossacks, the Kuban or Terek Cossacks, and some Mohammedan regiments from Kazan and the Caucasus provinces. Blind, unyielding fidelity, stern religious conviction and loyalty either to the Orthodox church, of which the czar is the earthly head, or to the Koran and Mohammed; absolute fearlessness in the face of danger; supreme physical strength, presence of mind; intense, doglike affection for the person of the czar and a fanatical hatred of his enemies, are the qualities for which they have been selected.

In the palace at Tsarke-Selo, in the park, and along the roads leading to the park are nearly eight hundred of these men on duty—three hundred for the night watch. Their officers are picked for the same qualities, and are men of the highest personal honor as well. Before a soldier is finally sent to join this picked body of men he must communicate and confess his sins and pass some time in the church in prayer, and every day before going on duty he must visit the church for prayer.

Night and day these great men tread noiselessly along the carpeted corridors of the palace with naked sword in hand. Night and day their comrades prowled through the snows under in the park, on horseback or on foot, peering under every bush, behind every hedge.

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FREDERICKTON NEWS.
University Final Examinations Begin on Friday—Other Matters of Interest.

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Ald. J. R. Golding, chairman; M. Tennant and W. E. Farrell, interest. Joseph Walker has purchased the Dever property on York street, the purchase price being \$1,500. Mrs. W. McLellan has leased the property for the ensuing year. The university examinations begin on Friday next.

FREDERICKTON, N. B., May 2.—The meeting of the city council tonight was an interesting one. The lights committee reported that they deemed it to be in the best economic interests of the city to light the city by tender, and a contract was accordingly made with H. D. White for \$1,500. The tender made by Mr. White has been superintendent of the lighting for many years, was \$1,950, and it was expected by many that his would be accepted. All civic officers were re-elected and the petition against the establishment of a private hospital was referred to a special committee of the council. H. C. Butler was elected chief engineer of the fire department in succession to the late Chief Lipsett, and W. M. Clarke was appointed assistant chief, defeating J. W. Hawthorne in a vote of 6 to 4. The chief engineer was also appointed fire inspector. A. E. Hanson was awarded the contract for watering the streets. The mayor's casting vote decided the contest.

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ROJESTVENSKY'S NEW DESTINATION.
He is Not Heading for Vladivostok— May go to Kamchatka Instead.

TOKIO, May 3.—It is rumored that the destination of Vice-Admiral Rojestyensky's fleet is Petropavlovsk, on the peninsula of Kamchatka, instead of Vladivostok. It is said that the Russians have been collecting coal and stores at Petropavlovsk, but it is regarded as improbable that the Russians intend to use Petropavlovsk to any great extent, because its defence from land is considered impossible.

SALVING SUNKEN WARSHIPS.
TOKIO, May 3.—The work of salvaging the sunken ships at Port Arthur and Chemulpo is progressing satisfactorily.



LOYD C. GRISCOM, U.S. Minister to Japan, who is working with Roosevelt for peace.

to the Japanese. Details are withheld, but it is believed to be certain that the Japanese navy will secure several battleships and cruisers.

HONORING JAPANESE DEAD.
TOKIO, May 3.—A solemn procession escorting the spirits of the dead soldiers and sailors opened the enshrining ceremony at the Shokomae temple today. The impressive Shinto ritual was followed by the throng that filled and surrounded the temple, including thousands of relatives of the dead. High officers of the army and navy, a large force of troops and 1,400 sailors from Yokosuka were present at the ceremonies which will be practically continuous until next Friday night. The emperor and empress will not attend the ceremony today. Prince Fushimi will represent their majesties upon that occasion.

NOT IN FRENCH WATERS.
PARIS, May 3.—Notwithstanding denials now appearing that the Japanese officials are carefully observing the continued presence of the vessels of Admiral Rojestyensky's squadron off the Indo-China coast and are seeking information from the French consulates concerning the nature and duration of their stay. The members of the legation have addressed several inquiries to the foreign office asking particulars whether the ships were inside French waters. The reply given was that all the vessels of the Russian squadron have left French waters.

ROOSEVELT WANTS PEACE.
LONDON, May 3.—The Tokio correspondent of the Daily Telegraph says: "The diplomatic representative of one of the great powers, closely connected with the war, states that it is undeniably true that President Roosevelt is endeavoring to make peace as soon as possible."

"PARSIFAL" INCIDENT.
One of Principals Fulfilled Prophecy of Old Teacher.

J. Parker Coombes, in "Parsifal," who sings the part of Kingsoor, the magician, and enemy of the Knights of Grail, and who is the only American taught principal in the cast, walked into the studio of O. Stewart Taylor, teacher of vocal music, on Friday last and said: "Just five years ago today in Portland, Me., when I left you after having studied with you, you told me that if I struck to character work in opera that in five years' time I would be singing one of the principal roles in a big production. Now I am right here in your own studio to verify your prophecy."

Mr. Taylor had forgotten the incident of years ago, it is said, but recalled it when Mr. Coombes brought it up. The reunion of pupil and teacher was felicitous and the opera singer spent a couple of hours in his instructor's studio.

ROBBERS HELD UP STAGE.
Over Twenty School Teachers the Victims.

Masked Bandits Stopped Coaches Near the Lick Observatory—
Lose Money and Jewelry.

SAN JOSE, Cal., May 1.—In true bandit style two Hall Valley vagrants gave a party of New England women school teachers and their attendants, they told, a touch of "Red Western" life when they held up two Lick Observatory coaches and a survey of the Mount Hamilton Stage Company and robbed the passengers of all their possessions at the point of sawed off shotguns. The two highwaymen almost had their labor for their pains, for they obtained only \$37 in cash, four gold rings and five watches from the entire party.

The small spoil is due to the advice of a hotel clerk, who informed the excursion party that they would need no money on their way up to Lick Observatory and back, except for luncheon. The two highwaymen almost had their labor for their pains, for they obtained only \$37 in cash, four gold rings and five watches from the entire party.

The party arrived in San Jose early this morning from the East by the way of San Francisco. They left San Jose at noon on the regular trip of the stage company for the Lick Observatory. The trip was made under Grand View and Smith Creek without incident. There were 27 women in the party and three men.

From Smith Creek, the road to Lick Observatory, grows more steep and enters into wild country. At a point about one and a half miles beyond Smith's Creek the band robbers opened the enshrining ceremony at the Shokomae temple today.

NEGRO PREACHER'S ODD PRAYER.
Acting Chaplain of Assembly Amused Legislators by His Unique Appeal to Supreme Legislator.

ALBANY, May 3.—Probably the strangest prayer ever made in a legislative body was uttered in the assembly this morning by the Rev. C. H. McDonald, a negro preacher of Albany. Apparently without hope for their well being in this world, he prayed that the members of the house might some day be brought into the great assembly above and that business "be transacted there without graft or the dictation of money."

The smile which was visible all over the assembly chamber at its conclusion was not distinctly reverential. The Rev. Mr. McDonald said: "Oh, the most merciful Father, who thank Thee this morning for the realization that Thou art the Supreme Legislator of the universe. Therefore, we beg Thy special guidance as we shall proceed with this morning's session. We ask Thy special blessing upon the chief executive of this nation; bless the cabinet and the members of both houses; we ask Thee, O God, to bless his excellency, the governor of this state; bless, Gracious Master, the subjects of this state, and last, but not least, we would ask Thy special blessing upon this, our able and most efficient speaker. Bless the members of this distinguished body, and bless the lobbyist. We ask it all in the name of the Father, the Son and the Holy Ghost. Amen."

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STMR. TERRA NOVA WILL LEAVE FOR ARCTIC REGIONS.
W. S. Champ Has Sailed For Liverpool to Join Her.

LONDON, May 3.—The former Newfoundland sealing steamer Terra Nova, commanded by Captain Kjeldsen, is expected to leave England this month for the Arctic regions to relieve the expedition headed by Anthony Fiala of Brooklyn on board the steamer America, fitted out by William Zeigler of New York, which left Norway in 1903 in an attempt to reach the North Pole by way of Franz Josef Land. The Terra Nova, which flies the burgee of the New York Yacht Club, has been entirely refitted. The Terra Nova will be steam direct to Tromsø, Norway.

IS ONE HUNDRED AND FIVE YEARS OLD.
Sole Survivor of the War of 1812 Receives His First Telegram.

UTICA, May 3.—Eliam Cronk, the sole survivor of the war of 1812, today celebrated the 103th anniversary of his birth at his home in the village of Dunbrook, Oneida county. The occasion was made notable owing to the visit of representatives of the Society of the War of 1812 from various places, headed by G. H. Richards of Orange, N. J., president of the New Jersey branch of the society. Cronk is in feeble health, although today, in honor of his birthday, he sat in an easy chair and shook the hands of scores of well-wishers. The veteran is one of the few persons living who personally greeted the Marquis de Lafayette on the occasion of his visit to America in 1824. Cronk yesterday received the first telegram he ever received in his life. It came from Richard P. Hill, commander of a Brooklyn G. A. R. post.

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STEEVES' BODY BROUGHT HOME.
Father of Young Hillsboro Man Murdered in Maine Taking Body Home for Burial.

The remains of John F. Steeves, who was murdered by Earl Diblee, a short time ago, passed through the city yesterday on the way to Hillsboro, his native town, for burial. His father was in charge of the body. The coroner's jury on Monday brought in a verdict that Steeves was murdered by some unknown person. Five witnesses were examined. These were A. M. Johnson of Falmouth, who owned the body; Hiram Crossman, who came to Portland about a month ago with Steeves; Dr. C. M. Leighton, who examined the body and stated that Steeves must have been murdered; and Robert Crossman and Sanford Crossman, brothers, who are cousins of Hiram Crossman and who saw Steeves after the latter arrived in Maine. The grand jury of the May term of the superior court is now sitting, and among the cases it will consider will be that of Edward Cole, charged with the murder of Steeves. There is more than the usual amount of business being done for this jury, and it is not likely to finish its deliberations in time to report at least before the end of the week.

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DR. OSLER HONORED IN NEW YORK.
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NEW YORK, May 3.—A guest from as far away as Egypt was among the more than two hundred physicians who gathered last evening in the large ballroom of the Waldorf Astoria to do honor to and bid farewell to Dr. Wm. Osler, hitherto professor of medicine at the Johns Hopkins University and now about to depart for England to fill the vacant professorship of medicine at Oxford. The visitor from Egypt was Dr. F. M. Sandwith, who came from Cairo. Among the guests were Francis J. Sheppard, Montreal, and Dr. Archibald R. Malloch, Hamilton, Ont. Dr. A. C. Jacob, of this city called forth a storm of applause by incidental reference in responding to one of the toasts to Dr. Osler's mother, who is still living at the advanced age of 88.

SYDNEY FLYER WILL BE REINSTATED.
(Special to the Sun.)
HEALFAX, N. S., May 3.—The Sydney Flyer between Halifax and Sydney will be reinstated on Monday. It has been off since February. Messrs. Tiffin, Giffins, general manager of D. A. R., and T. Ronald, vice-president of the company, are in Sydney, the guests of J. C. R. officials.

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RECENT DEATHS.
MISS MARGARET McHUGH.
Miss Margaret McHugh, a former resident of St. John, died in Boston yesterday morning. Her body will be brought here for burial. Miss McHugh had many friends in St. John. She leaves two sisters and one brother, Patrick, resident in Boston, and three brothers, Arthur, Frank, and Thomas in St. John.

MRS. JOHN BRAYLEY.
Mrs. Isabella C. Brayley, wife of John Brayley, freight inspector of the I. C. R., died yesterday morning. Mrs. Brayley was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Bell of Norton. Besides her husband and parents she leaves three children—two brothers and three sisters. Burial service will be held at the house at 8.30 tomorrow evening.

MISS NANCY DIBBLEE.
The death of Miss Nancy Diblee, daughter of the late John Diblee, and sister of William Diblee, police magistrate of Woodstock, occurred at Woodstock on Monday. The deceased was 72 years of age. The greater part of her life was spent on the old homestead below town, but since the death of her brother, Frederick, she spent part of the year with her surviving brother, and part with her cousin, Henry Davidson. The funeral will take place at 2 o'clock today at the parish church, from Mr. Davidson's.

DUNCAN P. KIRKPATRICK.
Duncan P. Kirkpatrick died at his home at Gaspareaux Station, Queens Co., on Tuesday, 28th of March, 1905, after an illness of about a year's duration. The deceased, who was about thirty years of age, was the youngest son of the late George Kirkpatrick, J. P., who entered into rest on the 17th day of August, 1904.

MISS HESTER HOLDEN.
SACKVILLE, May 2.—The death of Hester, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Holden, occurred on Saturday evening, after a short illness of spinal meningitis. The funeral was held on Monday afternoon and was largely attended. Interment took place at the R. C. cemetery, Middle Sackville.

GEO. M. WETMORE.
A number of people in this city and elsewhere are sorry to learn of the death of Geo. M. Wetmore, which took place at the General Public Hospital yesterday after a somewhat extended illness.

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STMR. TERRA NOVA WILL LEAVE FOR ARCTIC REGIONS.
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LONDON, May 3.—The former Newfoundland sealing steamer Terra Nova, commanded by Captain Kjeldsen, is expected to leave England this month for the Arctic regions to relieve the expedition headed by Anthony Fiala of Brooklyn on board the steamer America, fitted out by William Zeigler of New York, which left Norway in 1903 in an attempt to reach the North Pole by way of Franz Josef Land. The Terra Nova, which flies the burgee of the New York Yacht Club, has been entirely refitted. The Terra Nova will be steam direct to Tromsø, Norway.

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UTICA, May 3.—Eliam Cronk, the sole survivor of the war of 1812, today celebrated the 103th anniversary of his birth at his home in the village of Dunbrook, Oneida county. The occasion was made notable owing to the visit of representatives of the Society of the War of 1812 from various places, headed by G. H. Richards of Orange, N. J., president of the New Jersey branch of the society. Cronk is in feeble health, although today, in honor of his birthday, he sat in an easy chair and shook the hands of scores of well-wishers. The veteran is one of the few persons living who personally greeted the Marquis de Lafayette on the occasion of his visit to America in 1824. Cronk yesterday received the first telegram he ever received in his life. It came from Richard P. Hill, commander of a Brooklyn G. A. R. post.

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SYDNEY FLYER WILL BE REINSTATED.
(Special to the Sun.)
HEALFAX, N. S., May 3.—The Sydney Flyer between Halifax and Sydney will be reinstated on Monday. It has been off since February. Messrs. Tiffin, Giffins, general manager of D. A. R., and T. Ronald, vice-president of the company, are in Sydney, the guests of J. C. R. officials.

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EQUITY SALE.
There will be sold at Public Auction at Chubb's Corner (so-called), corner of Prince William Street and Princess Street, in the City of Saint John, in the City and County of Saint John, in the Province of New Brunswick, on SATURDAY, THE TWENTY-FOURTH DAY OF JUNE, next, at the hour of twelve o'clock noon, pursuant to the directions of a Decreeal Order of the Supreme Court in Equity made on Tuesday, the twenty-first day of March, in the year of Our Lord one thousand nine hundred and five, in a certain cause therein pending wherein Jarius Harb, surviving trustee of the Nova Scotia Permanent Benefit Building Society and Savings Fund, is plaintiff, and J. Boyd McMann and Eliza S. McMann, his wife, and Robert G. McMann are Defendants with the approval of the undersigned Referee in Equity the mortgaged lands and premises described in the plaintiff's Bill of Complaint and in the said Decreeal Order in this Cause and all their piece or parcel of ground situate, lying and being in the Parish of Simonds, in the County of Saint John, in said Province, being a part of the lot of lands heretofore conveyed by Winthrop Robinson and Charlotte, his wife, to one, George N. Robinson, by indenture bearing date the 2nd day of October, A. D. 1855, registered in Book No. 4, of Records for the City and County of St. John, pages 558 and 559, and shown in a plan of Mr. Winthrop Robinson's farm, prepared by J. C. Minette, Land Surveyor, dated the 20th September, A. D. 1855, a tracing of which plan is filed with the Registrar of Deeds in and for the City and County of St. John, and bounded as follows: Beginning at the southeast corner of an iron bolt on the southeastern side of the post road from St. John to Hampton, the said bolt being distant four chains and fifty-two links from the most northerly angle of Adeline E. Robinson's property or from the junction with the Main Road of a reserved road laid out between the property of A. E. Robinson's and Sarah E. Quinton, going thence south 85 or east four chains and eighty links to a certain post in the fence bounding the Intercolonial Railway, thence along the western boundary of the Intercolonial Railway, south 17 or and twenty west three chains and eighty-three links to an iron bolt; thence north 55 or west five chains and thirty-one links to an iron bolt at the aforementioned road; thence north easterly along the road three chains and seventy-five links to the beginning of the said road embracing an area of two acres more or less, save and except therefrom a part of the said piece and parcel of land conveyed by the said J. Boyd McMann and his wife and others to Harb McMann, by Deed, bearing date the 17th day of September, A. D. 1888, and registered in said Book No. 21, beginning at page 667; and also save and except therefrom a part of the said piece and parcel of land conveyed by the said J. Boyd McMann and his wife and others to Harb McMann, by Deed, bearing date the 4th day of October, A. D. 1888, and registered in said Records in Book No. 4, beginning at page 667; together with all and singular the houses, out-houses, buildings, ways, easements, profits, commodities, hereditaments and appurtenances whatsoever of the same belonging or in any way appertaining and the reversion and reversions, remainder and remainders, rents, issues and profits thereof and of every part thereof and also all the estate right, title, interest, claim, property and demand of them, the said Eliza S. McMann and J. Boyd McMann, of, in, to, or out of the same and every part thereof." For terms of sale and other particulars apply to the Plaintiff's solicitor or to the undersigned Referee. Dated the seventeenth day of April, A. D. 1905.

J. JOSEPH PORTER, Referee in Equity for the City and County of Saint John.

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ROAD CONTRACT AWARDED
Chief Commissioner Labllois last evening informed the Sun that he had awarded the contract for building a road from Plaster Rock in Victoria county, to the main highway to Manser Gullickson. The object in building a new road is to avoid a very steep hill.

With reference to the joint committee appointed to look into the question of French text books for use in Nova Scotia and New Brunswick, Mr. Labllois said that a meeting of the committee had recently been held in Halifax. Owing to the delay of the Nova Scotia board of education in issuing its new set of English readers the commissioner said that the French readers would probably not be ready before September, 1904.

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