

OTTAWA.

Official Programme of Governor General's Tour of Maritime Provinces.

Timber Berths Carnival on the Programme - Assay Office to be Established in Vancouver

OTTAWA, June 21.—The official programme of the governor general's tour of the maritime provinces was issued today. His excellency and party will leave Quebec by steamer Minto on Wednesday, July 10th, staying at Murray Bay over night. Thence the party will visit the Saguenay Gulf, day, 14th, and Monday will be spent at Gaspe. Dalhousie will be reached at 8 a. m. on Tuesday, the 16th, leaving there at 4 p. m. for Carleton Place. The remainder of the programme is as follows:

- Leave Carleton Place, July 17, 2 p. m.; arrive Miramichi, July 18, 8 p. m.; arrive Charlottetown, July 19, 10 p. m.; arrive St. John's, July 20, 10 p. m.; arrive St. John's, Sunday, 8 p. m.; leave St. John's, July 21, 8 p. m.; arrive Sydney, 8 p. m.; leave Sydney, July 22, 10 p. m.; arrive Halifax, 8 p. m.; leave Halifax, July 23, 9 p. m.; arrive Digby, D. A. R., 8 p. m.; leave Digby, July 27, 1 p. m.; arrive St. John's, 4 p. m.; leave St. John's, July 29, 1 p. m.; arrive Fredericton, 5 p. m.; leave Fredericton, July 30, midnight; arrive St. John's, 8 a. m.; leave St. John's, July 31, 6:25 a. m.; arrive St. Andrew's and St. Stephen, Aug. 1, 4:40 a. m.; arrive St. John's, 8:50 p. m.; leave St. John's, Aug. 3, 9 p. m.; arrive Quebec, I. C. R.

The director general of public health has been advised that consumptives will hereafter be permitted to enter the United States as a result of it is expected that many Canadians who have been accustomed to going south or west for the winter will hereafter be deterred from making the trip.

Mr. Ewart, chief architect of public works, left for England today to inspect the royal mint and public museums before drawing plans for the proposed institutions at Ottawa.

Construction commenced today on the new railway committee room for the commons. It is to be erected in a portion of the quadrangle between the senate and commons chambers. The government military museum is to be erected in a building which will also be the headquarters of the Ottawa military institute.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier leaves for Archarbaskville tomorrow for a brief holiday.

E. L. Newcomb, deputy minister of justice, left for England today. While there, Mr. Mills said he will discuss the copyright question with the home authorities. Hon. Mr. Fisher, it seems, assented to settle the matter with the law office of the crown in England, but got so maddled that he eventually had to throw up his brief, and the justice department will now have to disentangle Mr. Fisher's tangle.

The Canadian Electrical Association will meet in Quebec next year. P. J. Gossler of Montreal is the new president.

The city has to pay \$3.50 for anthracite and \$7.50 for soft coal for next season.

The statement was made today that Major General O'Grady Hely had been recalled. There is not a particle of truth in the report. The facts are that the general's term of office expires on July 15th next, his appointment being for one year. Some weeks ago, however, it was announced the government was considering the advisability of asking the home authorities to allow him to remain in Canada for a further period of service, and the requisite order in council has just been passed under which the general will complete the military business of this season, leaving for England in the October or November. When the general accepted the position of general

officer commanding the Canadian militia he did so on the express understanding that he would not stay the full period of five years. He took the office at the wish of the home authorities, although he had reached the age of retirement, and simply because a younger man was not available at the time owing to the war in South Africa.

OTTAWA, June 23.—The imperial conference which Mr. Chamberlain has called together to consider the question of reorganizing the judicial committee of the privy council will, it is stated, meet at the colonial office next week. Mr. Chamberlain, if in the meantime he has recovered from his attack of gout, will open the conference and outline his proposals, after which he will leave it to the representatives present to deal with the matter. The lord high chancellor, Earl of Halsbury and other law officers of the crown will represent the imperial authorities. Canada and Newfoundland will be represented by Mr. Mills, minister of justice, and other delegates will be J. Rose-Innes, Capt. Colony and Natal, and Mr. Justice Hodges, the Australian commissioner. S. H. Hope, registrar of the judicial committee, will probably act as secretary.

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His excellency the governor general will be home tomorrow, and for the next two weeks will be busily engaged with his ministers discussing the arrangements for the reception to the Duke of York.

Impertunate friends of the government who are looking for timber berths in the Yukon have been shut out by an order in council which restricted the area for one man to 25 square miles. Now Mr. Sifton has got this restriction removed, and the timber berth carnival will commence.

There were several complaints to the labor bureau in May of violations of the alien labor law. In one case six men were deported.

During the general election in Burard district the liberal rallying cry was Maxwell and the mint. It was purely an election dodge, as is evidenced by the fact that the mint is to be located in Ottawa. Mr. Maxwell, the member for the riding, is greatly incensed at the government's decision, and as a sop to him it has now been decided to establish an assay office in Vancouver, although Senator Templeman was sure he was going to get it for Victoria.

OTTAWA, June 24.—Over a thousand persons bade Father Ballon good bye at the station this morning on his departure for Buffalo.

The Ontario servant girls' union threatens legal action against a city newspaper, which alleged that the members of the union recently stopped work at a St. Paul's Hill mansion just as a well dinner was commencing, and that a member of the union was in the habit of entertaining a negro at her employer's house.

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VIRGINIA FLOOD.

Latest Despatches Indicate that Damage Through the Coal Fields Has Been Exaggerated.

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ROANOKE, Va., June 22.—Passengers on a train from the west report that over a hundred people were drowned yesterday evening along the Elkhorn division of the Norfolk and Western railway, and miles of track and bridges are washed out. The passengers on the train were transferred today by ropes from the side of the mountain side near Vivian, Va. All wires are down and no other news is obtainable. It is estimated that the loss of life will probably not exceed seventy-five, and damage to property not more than half million.

ROANOKE, Va., June 22.—There was a great deal of excitement and anxiety created here today when it was reported that an awful flood and cloudburst had swept over the Elkhorn coal region in West Virginia.

Saturday night is said to have been a day of great darkness, and it is supposed that the coal mines were flooded in the district to which the towns of Elkhorn, Vivian, and other towns were swept out. Railroad dispatches say 500 lives lost. One house left in Keystone. Twenty-five to thirty miles of railroad track destroyed.

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TRAGIC DEATH.

Adelbert Stone Hay, Former U. S. Consul to Pretoria, and Son of John Hay, Secretary of State, Instantly Killed by Falling from a Hotel Window in New Haven.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., June 23.—Adelbert Stone Hay, consul to Pretoria, South Africa, was the oldest son of the Hon. John Hay, secretary of state in President McKinley's cabinet, and one of the younger and ablest of the most prominent Yale men, met a tragic death in this city at 2:30 o'clock this morning. The manner of the death, it is believed, was the result of a fall from the very top of Yale's commencement hall, in which the young man was in his class office, was to have been a leader, there cast an unmistakable gloom over the season.

Mr. Hay went to a death, full details of which will never be known. Shortly before 2:30 o'clock this morning he fell from a window in the third story of the New Haven hotel where he had rooms for commencement week. The cause of the fall, it is believed, was that he was leaning over the railing of the window, and, as he stepped back, he lost his footing and fell.

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MANY RELICS.

Greatest Find Ever Known on Lake Champlain—Supplies to be from Benedict Arnold's Schooner.

BURLINGTON, Vt., June 23.—The G. G. Fink, a Chicago diver, has just discovered a cache of relics today, which are known as the Champlain relics. He visited the spot where the schooner Royal Savage, owned by General Benedict Arnold, was sunk in 1776 by a British ship. He secured thirty gun carriages and about thirty cannon balls and other relics of the battle. The relics were discovered in a hole in the bottom of the lake, about two hours' work, and the diver brought up a large quantity of iron and steel. The relics are made of oak and iron, the former now being in the hands of the Smithsonian Institution at Washington, D. C. and the other has been placed in the hands of the Smithsonian Institution at Washington, D. C. and the other has been placed in the hands of the Smithsonian Institution at Washington, D. C.

LONDON, June 24.—A paper written by Jean de Bloch (the Russian councillor of France) and member of the Russian ministry of finance, on the lessons of the Russo-Japanese war, was read at the United States Institution here today. The Russian councillor declared the military service as practiced today was absurd and that the sacrifice made on the continent to support conscription was unnecessary. He showed that the theatrical spectacles called conscription in no way related to real warfare. One of the most remarkable features was the constant possibility of determining the result of a battle. This was not attributable to the British military reconnaissance, but to the new conscription. It was a mistake to believe that the British, nor the qualities of the Boer strategy, but an entire lack of rational strategy and tactics which produced the result. This was not attributable to the British military reconnaissance, but to the new conscription. It was a mistake to believe that the British, nor the qualities of the Boer strategy, but an entire lack of rational strategy and tactics which produced the result.

PITTSBURG, Pa., June 24.—Train No. 22, known as the Cleveland flyer, was wrecked at Monaca this evening and at least two persons are dead, and probably thirty are injured. J. W. Cunningham, fireman of the train, struck McKee Rocks, Pa.; Larry or Kelly, conductor, struck McKee Rocks, Pa.; and striking a balcony one Mrs. Mary Young was very heavy.

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ANNUAL MEETING Of the N. B. and P. E. Island Methodist Conference.

Next Year's Session Will Be Held at Sackville—Striking Addresses by Rev. Dr. Carman and Others.

Dealing With the Report of the Committee on Trust Funds. List of Standing Committees Appointed.

MARYSVILLE, June 19.—Marysville never looked prettier than it does today. The day is gloriously fine, the neat buildings half hidden by the trees with which they are surrounded.

The ministerial session of the conference opened at 2:30 June 18, Rev. George Steel in the chair. A hymn was sung, Scriptures were read by the secretary and prayer offered by Rev. Dr. Read, after which the Rev. C. W. Hamilton gave an address on Heb. 3, chapter and 12th verse. It was earnestly orthodox and practical, full of wise counsels alike to ministers and people, and delivered with much force and effectiveness.

The conference opened in the usual manner today, after which Rev. Mr. Carman addressed the members at some length. Rev. G. W. Fisher was elected president on the first ballot, and Rev. A. D. McCully, B. D., as secretary, by a practically unanimous vote.

The conference and the general public regret to learn that the Rev. Dr. Brockman has applied for a year's leave of absence, which is understood to be preliminary to his removal to the west. His passing away from us will be regarded as a great loss, for as an effective preacher, a liberal supporter of our institutions, and a good, kind general brother, his loss will be hard to fill.

Rev. R. J. Campbell leaves us to take work in the United States, probably at the Baltimore conference of the Methodist Episcopal church. Being a young man of good abilities and much promise his resignation is much regretted.

After the opening exercises this a. m. 1901, the examination of Jacob Heaney took place, the same being conducted by the Rev. Dr. Evans in his usually able way of doing things. The examination was very thorough, and the young man acquitted himself with much credit.

The standing committee were at work all this morning—the 19th—trying to so dispose of the moving brethren in the best interests of the church as a whole. As circuits in the end usually make a demand for some part-time man after perhaps refusing some other one probably as well fitted to serve them, it would be better to make their choice in advance, or not interfere at all at the last moment.

The first draft of the station sheet was issued today under correction. It is as follows:

CHATHAM DISTRICT. Chatham—C. Matthews, Newcastle—F. H. W. Pickles, Derby—John F. Estey, Richmond—A. J. McLeod, Buctouche—A. L. Lewis, Harcourt—D. B. Bayley, Buctouche—John Goldsmith, Campbellton—H. B. Thomas.

SACKVILLE DISTRICT. Sackville—Howard Sprague, Ralph Brecken, M. A. D. D., Mount Allison University; Charles E. Rowley, D. D., professor of theology; Charles H. Paisley, M. A., D. D., professor of church history and New Testament exegesis.

ST. STEPHEN DISTRICT. St. Stephen—Dr. Reid, Milltown—Wm. Lawson, St. Andrew—J. S. Allen, St. David—W. H. Harrison, Albert—J. K. King, Alma—H. S. Young, Hillsboro—J. B. Brown, Petticoil—J. Howie, Salsbury—C. H. Manston, Eglar—W. E. Johnson.

CHARLOTTETOWN DISTRICT. Charlottetown (First church)—G. M. Young, Charlottetown (Grace church)—J. W. McConnell, Cornwall—W. B. Thomas, Little York—Thomas Hicks, Winslow—J. Parkins, Foxton—W. I. Thomson, Vernon River—W. W. Mason, Montserrat—F. Frisla, Murray Harbor—D. McCullery, Souris—H. S. Rice, Mount Stewart—H. Pierce.

SUMMERSIDE DISTRICT. Summerside—McLaughlin, Bedouard—W. Davidson, Tyrone—G. F. Dawson, Margate—W. J. Thomson, Grandview—D. Ryan, Bideford—C. F. Flemington, Alberton—W. J. Howard, West Cape—W. R. Pepper.

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Rev. G. W. Fisher was elected president on the first ballot, and Rev. A. D. McCully, B. D., as secretary, by a practically unanimous vote. Rev. W. H. Daniels was introduced and delivered a brief address. An invitation from the people of Marysville to attend a social reunion on the premises on the Nashwaak now occupied by Rev. W. W. Brewer, was accepted, the same to come off on Saturday afternoon.

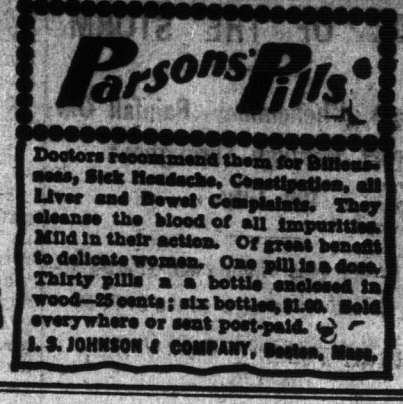
Votes of thanks were tendered the retiring president and secretary, and were suitably acknowledged and a committee on nominations constituted and directed to make up the several committees as required by the discipline. This committee reported later in the afternoon. Most of the connexional funds report an increase, and there is also an increase of 205 in the membership of the church.

The conference missionary meeting this evening was addressed by Rev. Mr. Carman, Dr. Spencer of British Columbia, Rev. W. H. Daniels of the Methodist Episcopal church, and the representative of the Woman's Missionary Society, Mrs. Lawson. The treasurer reported an increase in receipts to the amount of \$375, but the Woman's Society showed a slight falling off.

MARYSVILLE, June 20.—The weather is quite cool today and pleasant when so hot. At the afternoon session yesterday the following were reported as supernumeraries for the present year: John A. Clarke, A. M., H. J. Clarke, William Tweedy, James A. Duke, Edwin Evans, Stephen T. Teed, Joseph Pascoe, John J. Teasdale, J. J. Collier, S. T. B. George, B. Payson, Charles Comben, George Harrison.

Following is the report of the nominating committee: Contingent Fund—Revs. George Steel, G. M. Campbell, W. H. Spargo, A. E. Legage, Wm. Howard, D. R. Chown, S. H. Rice, W. D. Baskin, Wm. Munroe, Geo. A. White, R. W. Evans, H. Copp, W. H. Stevens, G. Howard.

The president introduced the Rev. Dr. Carman, general superintendent, who in an address of great vigor and power dealt with many of the questions of the day. The gist of the address was the danger of proving unfaithful to the truth by embracing erroneous views of truth and duty.



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MARYSVILLE, June 21.—The day opened darkly, with every appearance of a rain storm, which, however, is much needed for the agricultural purposes as the ground is very dry and vegetation is beginning to suffer. Business is progressing fairly well, a large amount of routing but necessary work having been put through yesterday. Minutes of the several sessions of the ministerial conference were read, and the proceedings of the conference special committee held in St. John last autumn.

The general superintendent having, in connection with some warm subjective remarks, spoken by ex-President Steel, and a invitation from the general superintendent spoke to the conference in a very happy and pleasing manner.

It will be gratifying to many to learn that the amounts contributed to the missionary and sustentation funds are respectively \$6,953 and \$2,348, an increase in the former of \$375, and of the latter \$102. This is especially gratifying in the case of the sustentation fund, as the total of the late Senator Levin there was a loss of \$250 which he gave as his subscription, but which has been more than made up, and \$102 in addition thereto.

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Rev. Mr. Beatty, Congregational minister at Sackville, was invited to the conference by Rev. A. C. Bell, and having been requested to speak, delivered a brief but beautifully worded address, rich in thought, suggestive in idea, and original in spirit, and to which the closest attention was given, and which called forth hearty applause. It should have been said he sang a solo at the missionary meeting last evening, which elicited the warm commendation from all who could appreciate good music.

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MARYSVILLE, June 22.—The service held in memory of the late Rev. John Prince deceased, more than a passing notice. The deceased gentleman was born in Moncton in 1820, entered the ministry in 1848, filled a number of the best charges in New Brunswick, Prince Edward Island and Newfoundland; filled the office of chairman of district and president of conference, was a member of the first general conference of the Methodist church of Canada, and was a successful minister of the Gospel. To these things allusion was made by the brethren who spoke at the meeting. He died in his native town in the first year of his age and the 55th of his ministry.

According to the statistical report the number of ministers in the conference is 114, and members of the official board 1,353.

Rev. Dr. Williams when addressing the conference took occasion to correct a statement that has appeared in some of the western papers, that Mr. Torrance of Montreal, who is a prominent member of the church, had gone with other harbor commissioners to inspect the harbor on the Lord's day. The Rev. Dr. Williams stated that Mr. Torrance is a believer in the sanctity of the Sabbath. Rev. Mr. Hartwell, one of our missionaries in China, is here, but what his plans for the future are your correspondent does not know.

The educational meeting last evening was well attended, and was not the dry, uninteresting service it frequently has been. There was hearty singing, an encouraging report, an increase of income, and unusually good speeches. The institutions were reported to be in a very healthy condition, the attendance encouraging and the work of the year quite successful. Professor Palmer's address was plain, clear, commonsense and practical. His report as in his wont, was earnest, orthodox and forceful, and good things and said them well. Dr. Williams was humorous, racy and gave several striking illustrations of the need and value of a Christian education, especially in a new country. Dr. Allison is always listened to with attention, not only for the good things he says, but because of the popular manner in which he speaks. Ex-President Steel gave an interesting account of the work done by him in company with the president, and his testimony to the excellent work being done at these now famous institutions. The income of the year is \$1,189, an increase of \$555.

The Rev. Dr. Williams gave a very full and detailed account of the financial condition of St. James church, Montreal, from which it appeared that the present indebtedness amounts to \$20,000. Of this amount there is provided for in property yielding rents and interest of \$2,000. The Montreal conference is pledged to raise \$50,000, and the other conferences \$100,000, which will leave another \$100,000 to be borne by the church. Of the amount to be raised by the conference, over \$4,000 is allotted to us, which about one-third has been paid.

The church is a poor one financially, the statement having been made that no six persons who are connected with it are entirely worth \$300.00. The great majority are young men and women who are practically without means, and it is therefore claimed to be real missionary work and is necessary to the saving of these from drifting into Romanism or worse. In view of the possible sale of the property, it is determined that it is in order to prevent it, the church must be helped from outside. That somebody has seriously blundered is admitted, but that cannot now be remedied and money is now what is wanted and not useless censure. And while the redemption of St. James may not be absolutely necessary to the success of Methodism in Canada, or even in Montreal, the Methodists feel that it would be a great pity to have it pass into other hands.

A committee is to take our share in hand and see what can be done in the case.

MARYSVILLE, June 23.—Saturday afternoon was given up to pleasure and a goodly number of the members of conference and their hosts availed themselves of the invitation to take an outing on the Nashwaak River by train. The affair was quite enjoyable. The churches of all the Protestant denominations in the neighborhood, with the exception of the Episcopal, were supplied by members of conference, and as far as heard from, were well attended and the sermons much appreciated. Of course Marysville was the great centre of attraction. Ex-President Steel delivered the official sermon on The Opportunity of Methodism. It was worthy the man and the occasion and made an excellent impression upon the large audience in attendance. Rev. Dr. Read officiated in the evening with much acceptance. Rev. Messrs. Rice and Estey preached in the Free Baptist and the Baptist churches. Rev. Mr. Ross and Rev. R. S. Crisp preached in Gibson and Rev. Job Shenton and Dr. Brockman in Frederickton. Today will be remembered as one of much spiritual profit by the several congregations.

A COMMERCIAL TRAVELLER'S STORY.

Interview with Mr. J. H. Ireland one of the Old Time Knights of the Gripe.

His Flight on a Recent Occasion in the Maritime Provinces—How Dodd's Kidney Pills Came to His Help—High Words of Praise for that Remedy.

TORONTO, June 21.—(Special).—Mr. J. H. Ireland, the well-known traveller for hats and caps, left for the maritime provinces one day last week. He had in his trunk a box of Dodd's Kidney Pills, the medicine famous throughout Canada as a specific for all troubles of the kidneys.

"I never go out on a trip of any length without a box of Dodd's Kidney Pills," he asserted. "Are you afflicted with Kidney Trouble, a great deal, then," Mr. Ireland was asked. "Not a great deal now, no," replied Mr. Ireland. "I take Dodd's Kidney Pills more as a preventive than anything else. But in the winter of ninety-eight I was, I can tell you. I was down in Nova Scotia when I first knew Dodd's Kidney Pills. The water there, the climate, riding so much in the train or what, but certainly my kidneys were on the point of a complete break down. Backache! It was one continuous misery. It spoiled my business, broke my rest and wore me down until the life was taken right out of me."

"And you used Dodd's Kidney Pills?"

"I used the only remedy I knew of that was a specific for the kidneys," answered Mr. Ireland. "The first dose of Dodd's Kidney Pills seemed to go right to the spot. In a few days I was feeling as well as ever I did in my life. They are a splendid medicine. I have recommended Dodd's Kidney Pills to scores of men on the road like myself and none of them but have the warmest praise for the medicine being just exactly what we need in our walk of life, a safe, reliable, strengthening stimulant for the kidneys."

DIED IN AFRICA.

Rev. D. W. LeLachur, a Well Known Missionary, Formerly Stationed in This Province.

A despatch was received by the Sun Friday announcing that Mrs. D. W. LeLachur of Portland, Me., had received a cablegram from Freedom, Africa, announcing the death of her husband, Rev. Dr. W. LeLachur there.

John LeLachur, carpenter and builder of Brussels street, an elder brother of the deceased, received his first intimation of his brother's death from a Star reporter at 2 o'clock this afternoon. He was deeply shocked and grieving that he had the sad intelligence as he had expected Dr. LeLachur to arrive in a few weeks. He had not heard directly from him for several months, but had received a letter from his wife in Portland about four weeks ago, stating that her husband was then in Africa, but expected to return to America about the end of August. The deceased was aged about 60 years, and the cause of his death is unknown.

Rev. Dr. E. W. LeLachur was a native of E. I., and was prominent in his own city. For many years he occupied pulpits throughout this province, being at different times pastor of Methodist churches at Gibson, Springfield, Andover and Pugwash, N. S. From here he went to the pastorate of Tangier street church, Portland, Me. About eight years ago he became connected with the Christian Alliance Missionary Society and since then has been making a tour of the world in that interest, which has taken him through China, Japan, Palestine and lately to Africa, where he died.

He visited this city last fall on behalf of his society and preached in Centenary, Zion and Reformed Baptist churches. He leaves a wife and one daughter, resident in Portland, Me.—Star.

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CASTORIA For Infants and Children. The Head of a large family residing at the north end remarked to a Herald reporter last evening that the census taker had neglected to call at his house. He had not been asked to give his name nor had any member of the household been approached. The census taker not only neglected to call at the residence of the man in question, but it seems he passed other houses, and from evidence obtainable it appears that he neglected one district entirely.

THE OLD AMERICA. BOSTON, June 19.—The old schooner yacht America, which won the America's cup in 1851 in the famous race around the world, is now fitting up at Lombard's wharf, East Boston. Capt. James Waters, in charge, will put her into commission as soon as she is ready. She will celebrate the 50th anniversary of the winning of the cup by being present at the race for the cup against the Shamrock II. off Sandy Hook in September.



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THE SEMI-WEEKLY SUN

ST. JOHN, N. S., JUNE 26, 1901. TWO CANADIANS ON SOUTH AFRICAN HISTORY.

The English book market is filled with historical works evoked by the war in South Africa. Among these the reviewer of the London Telegraph mentions the work of a Canadian as one of "very exceptional merit."

It happened that Dr. Theal had been good enough to send to the library of the university on which staff I have the honor to be, a copy of the records of Cape Colony, as far as they have yet been published, consisting of a mass of original documents, letters, private and official reports, investigations, census returns, and such like, from which, with the help of other contemporary evidence such as may be had in the literature of that time, you may be able to form an independent judgment on the early period of British rule in South Africa.

In offences of the kind charged against Dr. Theal one naturally looks for a motive, as the accomplished author could have no natural bias toward the Dutch. Professor Cappon undertakes to satisfy this desire and states that Dr. Theal himself makes a disclosure which helps to an understanding of the case.

is perhaps ingenious enough to lead Dr. Theal astray. Professor Cappon is not, however, disposed to let Dr. Theal off on the score of ignorance, but draws attention to the fact that the historian does not mention in the English edition of the book any part that Mr. Theal had in it.

THE BOER MEETING.

A former minister of Cape Colony, who is one of the persons responsible for the war in South Africa, and whose brother has been convicted of treason, was one of the speakers at the recent pro-Boer meeting in London. Probably England is the only country in the world where a man of such a character would be allowed to be at large, much less be permitted to hold meetings to denounce the conduct of the British in Africa.

This will be used for the encouragement of the Boers now in the field. They will be led to believe that the meeting represented British sentiment in favor of the Boer cause. The natural consequence will be the slaughter of more soldiers, the destruction of more homes, and a delay of the inevitable result.

A SOLID PROVINCE.

The end of county prohibition has been reached in Quebec province. Last week Richmond county repealed the Dunkin Act, which had been law there for thirty years. This law, like the Scott Act, is a local option measure, entirely prohibiting the retail sale of liquor within the jurisdiction.

A DIVIDED PARTY.

The recent attacks made on the imperial government for its uncompromising attitude in South African affairs have apparently given additional strength to the ministry by dividing the opposition. The position of the nominal leader of the liberals is almost satisfactory to the pro-Boers, while that of Mr. Morley is wholly so.

liberal comrades who took part in the recent meeting over which Mr. Labouchere presided. Mr. Asquith's condemnation is supposed to reach as far as his nominal leader, Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman. A recent speech of Sir George Grey, one of the rising hopes of the liberal party, was very open and decided in censure of the veiled support given by a section of the liberal party to the Boer cause.

TROUBLE IN SCOTLAND.

The small town of Scotland in Ontario is disturbed over a question of dismissal. Postmaster Eddy, who seems to have been popular, was recently turned out, and one Mr. Hooker, an active party worker, appointed in his stead. It appears that Mr. Eddy had not been an offensive partisan. He was not even a conservative, and was a satisfactory officer. Residents of both parties are insisting on his reinstatement.

There is a pretty dispute among the Hamilton liberals. In that city the government candidates last autumn were Mr. Wood and Mr. Teetzel. Mr. Wood, who is a man of wealth, and perhaps eligible for a senatorship on the terms proposed to Mr. Cook, has been rewarded for his defeat by appointment to the senate. But the election bills are not paid, and the Hamilton Times has sued the two candidates for a \$765 printing bill.

It is a singular circumstance that while civil servants in England as well as in this country are exempt from income tax on the ground that they are employees of the King, the King himself pays. The income of the sovereign is of course exempt, but Queen Victoria always paid the same as her subjects, and her son is doing the same.

The Times editor in saying so is an unmitigated liar," observes the Transcript. Mr. Boyd of the Times can not sympathize with Mr. D. G. Smith of the Chatham Advance, pronounced by the Transcript to be "a sow's ear."

The Montreal Star hears that Mr. Scott, now secretary of state in the Laurier government, is to succeed Sir Oliver Mowat as governor of Ontario, and that Mr. Costigan will take his place in the cabinet.

FREDERICTON.

Shoemaker's Failure—London Belles Barred Out of the Opera House and Did Not Arrive.

FREDERICTON, June 24.—A meeting was called for Saturday by the creditors of John Donahoe, shoemaker, of Regent street who recently made an assignment to Sheriff Sterling, but none attended. The liabilities are about \$650, the largest creditors being Amherst, Book & Shoe Co. of Amherst, McRobbie & Co. of St. John, and J. Linton & Co. of Montreal. The assets amount to about \$30.

The London Belles did not arrive here upon the noon train, as expected. Mayor Crockett had given strict orders to the Management of the Opera House to refuse to open the hall for the intended performance.

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Dear Mr. Kerr:—Combining the two courses, your College fits a young man for most any kind of office position. When I took my present position as secretary to the President of this Bank, I was a little in doubt as to whether I could hold it, but I found that the training you gave me was just what was needed, and I was equal to the occasion. S. KERR & SON (ODDFELLOWS' HALL).

HAVOC OF THE STORM.

Monday's Phenomenal Rainfall Did Great Damage Throughout the City.

Nearly Five Inches of Rain Fell—Park Gardens Ruined—Washouts on the C. P. R.—Minor Destructive All Over the City.

The rain storm, accompanied by fierce thunder and lightning, which began about 10 o'clock Sunday night and lasted until noon Monday, with varying degrees of force, broke all existing local records for violence, quantity and amount of rainfall. The precipitation, as recorded at the Observatory, measured 4.86 inches, a phenomenal amount for so short a time.

At Rockwood Park since the storm the carefully prepared flower beds are a mass of ruin. In some cases the ornamental trees have been blown down and in many cases valuable gardens were almost entirely ruined for the season.

The Canadian Pacific railway suffered somewhat from the storm. There were two washouts, neither of which they could delay traffic a couple of hours. Both were this side of Grand Bay. One was at Ross's, where there was a big washout last fall. Piling was delivered and then the earth filled in. On Douglas avenue, where the city is making extensive repairs, the rain played havoc with the half-completed road. It washed it out pretty nearly bare and turned and twisted some of the materials so that they cannot be used.

In the north end the rain flooded the new pipe range as it did last fall, when work of construction had to be suspended. The plank walk yesterday for a considerable distance was submerged, and the water was up almost two feet on some of the telephone posts. Not all the marsh was under water, but a large area of it, several acres of the firing point, was badly perceptible above the flood.

A retaining wall in the rear of James Crawford's place at the foot of Main street was loosened and washed down. It will cost considerable to reconstruct it.

In the north end the police station the water poured in through the storm wall in such a torrent that it could not be swept out, and as a last resort the officers were compelled to carry the holed through the floor to carry it off.

A barrel of lime left on the corner of Wall and Cannon streets took fire from the rain and attracted a considerable amount of attention. It was extinguished by Mr. Craig, a mason.

Minor bits of damage of like description are reported all over the city, although the effects of the storm were very little felt at points up river. All through Sunday night the downpour was accompanied by a brilliant electrical display. The light-

ning, especially about 3 o'clock, was fierce and vivid, and the accompanying crashes of thunder were so near and incessant that sleep was prohibited during most of the night for the sensitive or the nervously inclined.

THE INVENTOR'S WORK.

Feeling confident that the report of patents granted, which we have been in the habit of publishing heretofore, interests a great many of our readers, we have decided for the future to supply regularly a list of patents granted by the Canadian or American government. Information regarding any of these patents will be supplied free of charge by Messrs. Marion & Marion, patent attorneys, Montreal and Washington, D. C., to any reader who mentions the name of this paper when applying.

GOLD MINING.

Is Being Pushed Rapidly Along This Year in Guysboro Co., N. S. B. E. Paterson, secretary of the Modstock Mining Co., is in St. John on a brief visit. This mine, which has been worked for about six years, is in the Stormont district, about 42 miles from Amigonish. In 1888 it passed into the control of a syndicate composed of Hon. A. G. Blair, Hon. Fred P. Thompson, Senator Snowball, W. T. Whitehead, M. P., Willard Kit, and J. L. Black of Sackville, who are now operating the mine under cheering prospects.

Nova Scotia, remarked Mr. Paterson to the Sun, is the gold mining country par excellence for small capital. Owing to the fact that the majority of cases the surface is shallow and the spid free milling, that timber is abundant and labor moderately cheap, the miner is able to get a return from his investment much more than in places where extensive surface works and deep tunneling are necessary. While there have been many losses in Nova Scotia by outsiders, these losses could have been largely prevented had the capitalists of our own gold more personal attention to the mines in which they invested.

During the last few years compressed air has supplanted the old-fashioned hand drilling. Where there are broad belts of mill rock to be handled, the machines deliver this rock at the foot head at a cheaper rate than can be done by hand, yet in many of the mines in Nova Scotia hand drills are far more economical, since they allow of a better assortment of the ore.

CAPE BRETON.

On the Eve of Another Industrial Development. At Sydney despatch to the Halifax Chronicle of the 22nd inst., says: Cape Breton county may be the eye of another industrial development. Senator David McKee, H. S. Poole, as representatives of wealthy capitalists, who have bonded the immense coal fields, known as the Moseley, McVey, White, Hickey and Keefe properties, are in town. Hugh Fletcher, of the geological survey, Ottawa, is with the party, and a complete examination of the property will be made, and if found satisfactory, development on a large scale will follow.

The party will remain here for several days. Tonight they had a conference with the controllers of the property, and it is expected a sale will be made in a short time. Senator McKee, speaking on the subject tonight, said: "Nothing definite has been decided on yet. The owners of the property consider it very valuable, but whether or not it is worth developing remains to be proved."

BELEAST, Me., June 24.—The city officials have been notified that the sailors in quarantine on a vessel at Port Point have escaped in a tub. The police are guarding the harbor front to prevent a landing being made there. There are several cases of smallpox on the schooner.

LEWISTON, Me., June 24.—Lake Auburn was dragged for the bodies of the two drowned young men Joel A. Boomer and Guy N. Ross, today without success. The funeral of Nicholas Doyle, Jr., will take place from St. Patrick's church at three o'clock tomorrow afternoon.

NOVA SCOTIA NEWS.

LAWRENCETOWN, N. S., June 19.—The Newport Nursery Co. has set out one thousand pear trees on Alex. Oswald's farm.

WOLFVILLE, N. S., June 21.—Miss Carrie Blair, Acadia '98, has returned from Columbia, where she has been taking an extended course. She received the degree of M. A. Miss Georgia Palmer, a graduate of Sackville Conservatory of Music, has returned from Virginia, where she has been teaching music in a large school for girls.

HALIFAX, June 24.—Four men arrested at different times within the past month are now awaiting trial in this city charged with rape. The fourth case came to light today, when Edward Fitzgerald was arrested at Bedford.

AMHERST, June 24.—Frank Griffiths, a brakeman on Conductor H. C. Thompson's special, was, at about eight o'clock this morning, run over while shunting operations were being carried on. He was climbing on a moving car to out the cord when he missed his footing and fell with both legs across the outer rail. He managed to throw his right leg off the rail, but two wheels passed over his left leg just above the ankle. He was removed to McKim's boarding house, where Drs. McDougall, McQueen and Tupper amputated the leg below the knee. Griffiths is twenty-five years of age, unmarried, and belongs to Norton, N. B.

Dr. J. W. Cove, one of the oldest medical men in the county, died at his residence here this morning after a week's illness from Bright's disease. The deceased was in his sixty-fourth year, and previous to coming here two years ago practiced in Springfield.

For Pains and Lameless use KENDRICK'S LINIMENT.

HE STIRRED THEM. (Eastport News.) The Scott Act Inspector from St. Andrews visited Campobello Island on Tuesday and caused somewhat of a stir among the dealers of the island.

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Get the reliable KENDRICK'S. A fisherman of Cape Island recently made \$27 in one day cod fishing.—Sheburne, N. S., Budget.

There was launched at Port Greenville on the 21st the three-masted schooner Dora C. She will engage in the plaster trade. Her register is 402 tons net.

Marshal Campbell of St. Stephen was in the city yesterday in charge of Church Buzzell, son of Frank Buzzell of that town, whom he was bringing to the insane asylum.

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The woodcock harvest home, which owing to an unfortunate accident previously chronicled in the Sun, now rests peacefully on a farm some distance from Grand Lake, is going to receive a new coat of paint at the hands of Samuel Thorne, one of the owners, who leaves on the Victoria for that purpose this morning.

Hon. H. A. McKewen left yesterday for St. Stephen, where he will act as prosecuting attorney in the case of Geo. McLanshlin, charged with the murder of Harris McLaughlin. Detective Ring, who made the arrest and who will be one of the crown's witnesses in the case, accompanied him.

The other day the Sun published an article indicating that the Brier Island fishermen purposed employing dynamite in the prosecution of the fishing business. At that time that seemed to be their intention, but they appear to have changed their views since they discovered what the results would be in the event of its use becoming general. The owner of one Westport fishing vessel, prepared from Eastport dynamite battery, but when it was found that he had got it the Westport fishermen in a body waited upon him and demanded either that he should return the thing or agree not to use it.

After a time the man acceded to the demand of his neighbors, and said he would return it to Eastport as soon as possible. The next day the man started out with his schooner with bait instead of dynamite. Lots of pollock and cod caught in the bay of late are bruised, and it is said this is in consequence of the use of dynamite. It was not thought that cod, which keep to the bottom, would be affected, but recent developments go to show that they are.

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MAIL BAG FOUND. A mail bag was found in the ditch beside the I. C. R. track near the white bridge about a mile east of Humphrey's Mills on Wednesday afternoon, by two young men named Samuel Dujay and Wm. Crowley. The bag contained some parcels and a few papers, and was carried by the young men to the Humphrey's Mills post office officials. So far as can be ascertained, it appears that the bag was lost off the C. P. R. going east on Wednesday afternoon. The bag, it is thought, did not contain anything of very great value, such as \$500 packages of gold, but nevertheless it will strike the public that in the ditch beside the railway track is no place for one of His Majesty's mail bags.—Times.

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B. W. ROBERTSON, M. D.

WEBSTER V. RAILWAY CO. Warren Webster v. St. John Railway Company was on for trial in circuit court yesterday, a number of witnesses testifying for the defence. The motorman denied knowledge of the accident until some time after it occurred. Both he and the conductor testified that the boy was on the steps of the car or that they ordered him off.

A motion for non-suit was refused, and the case went to the jury in the afternoon. After considerable discussion the jury returned a verdict in favor of the railway company, awarding to the plaintiff \$1000 damages, with costs and interest.

One of the severest and most protracted thunders experienced in St. John for years, began Sunday with light rain, about 8:30 o'clock, but by ten o'clock it had assumed a most violent form. The lightning was especially brilliant and the peals of thunder deafening and long continued. Rain fell in torrents throughout the night and the streets were flooded. Telegraphic service was considerably interfered with and the telephones were too dangerous to think of using them.

THE ST. JOHN DRY DOCK. George Robertson, president of the Imperial Dry Dock Company, has forwarded the following letter to the editor of the Montreal Star: "Dear Sir—I notice in your issue of the 18th inst. an interesting interview with the Honorable Senator Wood of Westmorland, N. B., in which he stated that the last news he had of the dry dock project at St. John, N. B., was not so favorable."

"I am pleased to inform the senator, and I am sure he will be glad to hear, that the dry dock project is being carried out with vigor, and we hope to have plans and specifications prepared at an early date, and tenders for construction asked for within three months."

THE POWER OF THE PRESS. ST. JOSEPH'S, N. B., June 24. To the Editor of the Sun: Sir—In my regret that the publication in the Sun of my grievance against the P. O. department, re irregularity in the arrival at this office of the New York Sun, has proved most effective. For the past four or five weeks my copy of that paper has invariably reached me on time. It is only fair play to the department thus publicly to write the cessation of an abuse of which I made public complaint. In doing so, permit me to congratulate the Sun on its power as an effective agency for good. Very truly yours,

A. B. O'NEILL, C. S. C.

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PROVINCIAL NEWS

SUSSEX, June 18.—It has been the talk for some time to have a series of bicycle races, one a week, for the summer, and to provide a cup for the winner of the season. As a result the first race took place Monday night at 7.30 o'clock, the distance was about four miles from the railway crossing to Upper Corner and return. About fifteen entered, and at 7.50 a large crowd assembled to witness the sport. The race was won by Will McLeod, closely followed by Ernie Howes, with George Hall third. Just as Howes crossed the line he met with quite a severe accident. His knee struck the handle bar, and losing control of the wheel he pitched head foremost to the ground, striking on his head and right shoulder. He carries several rough scratches, but fortunately no broken bones, and is unable to move his right arm. The next race will be on the 24th inst. to Apohaqui and back, a distance of about 9 miles.

BVELYN HARNETT of Hamilton, Bermuda, arrived in town on Tuesday for the summer. He is visiting with Mrs. Harnett at her mother's, Mrs. Boal. The house and three barns of Chas. McNutt of Hammond were burned on Sunday night. The fire caught in the roof of the house, and the wind carried the cinders to the barns. Part of the house furniture, together with all farm implements, including mowers and rakes, four tons of hay, were consumed by the flames. Mr. McNutt carried only a light insurance of \$500. Hammond people are very indignant because nothing has been done towards bringing the rest of the guilty parties concerned in the late blazing and burning racket to justice.

Messrs. Armstrong and Knowlen have been very successful in their lobster fishing at Martin Head. They have been there about one month. A case of brutality to children occurred on Tuesday night at Apohaqui, when a well known resident beat an orphan child till he broke a whip in pieces. Because the child went to the river bank to wash his playmates in the water he was taken to the mill and his clothes and belt him with a whip till the end was broken into bits. Then he used the handle.

Stipendiary Magistrate Morrison's court was occupied today hearing the case of Laura Grogan, charged with Crimpr for assault by her husband on her. Her husband was fined five dollars and costs, or in default of payment 20 days in jail. Fred M. Sproul for defendant, J. M. McIntyre for complainant.

SACKVILLE, N. B., June 18.—A wedding ceremony took place in the Baptist church here this morning, the occasion being the marriage of Jennie, daughter of Mrs. H. L. Mitchell of this town to Peter W. MacNaughton, of Joggins Mines. The church was prettily decorated with potted plants and ferns, and the bride came up in a carriage which could be desired. The bride was becomingly gowned in a brown cloth travelling suit with silk trimmings, and hat to match, and looked charming. She entered the church to the strains of the wedding march as played by Miss Jennie Grogan, leaning on the arm of her uncle, Prof. Albert Bowser, professor of mathematics in Rutgers College, State of New Jersey. The groom was supported by George McLeary, lumber merchant, of Joggins Mines. The ceremony was performed in the presence of a large gathering by Rev. E. B. McClellan. The bride was the recipient of many valuable presents, the groom's being a magnificent diamond brooch. Mr. and Mrs. MacNaughton left on the maritime express for a trip through Nova Scotia, and will be back next week with their numerous friends.

SACKVILLE, N. B., June 21.—The Sackville Water and Sewerage Co. have about 30 men employed. A. R. Wetmore, chief provincial engineer, and Whitman Brewer, bridge inspector, were in town yesterday, examining the bridge of the road, destroyed bridge, and consulting with some of the leading men as to the feasibility of building a temporary structure. Mr. Wetmore will report to Chief Commissioner Lablouis.

H. Berton Allison and wife of Cambridge, Mass., arrived last night and will remain in the city for some time. Mrs. Laura Miller is ill with a severe attack of rheumatic fever. Dr. and Mrs. B. C. Borden of the ladies' college returned from their trip to New York, Toronto, and Buffalo yesterday. Speaking of the Pan-American Exposition, Dr. Borden says that it is excellent from an architectural and electrical standpoint, and is being exploited to the utmost as a money-making scheme. The hotels charge exorbitantly, and most of the railroads have as yet made little or no reduction in their rates, the exposition is as yet far from being completed. In Montreal, Dr. Borden says Prof. Hammond, Dr. Archibald, Senator and Mrs. Wood, of New York, Dr. Borden engaged Prof. George Wilson as director of the musical conservatory for the coming year. Prof. Wilson is a graduate of Leipzig conservatory. From 1892 to 1895 he was professor in the Davenport school, St. John, and was highly spoken of there by Rev. J. M. Davenport, who said that he was "an excellent pianist and a good teacher." Since that time he has spent one year in London, and three years in Leipzig, where in addition to the regular conservatory course, he was a pupil of the eminent pianist Silloti. He has taken extensive courses in harmony, counterpoint and form, and received pupils from Prof. Schrock of the Leipzig conservatory. He is spoken of by his teacher, Johannes Weidenbach, as having "increased his technique to a high degree and gained for himself an eminent grade of musical proficiency." His work as a teacher is endorsed by President B. W. Smith of La Grange college, Ga., who says: "In all my forty years' teaching and employment of teachers I have never had one who was more thorough or competent." Prof. Wilson, who married a St. John lady, is now in that city.

GASPEREAUX STATION, June 20.—On Saturday, 15th inst., the annual school meeting took place. The trustees for the ensuing year are: Wm. Jones, Geo. A. Trott and Wellington G. Kirkpatrick; secretary, W. H. Jones. Inspector H. V. Bridges visited the schools recently in this section. On Monday, 17th inst., Thos. Kelly, sr., an aged and respected citizen of Blissville, died. He leaves a wife, three daughters and three sons, beside a large number of relatives and friends to mourn their sad loss. There was a heavy frost in this section a few nights ago, doing much damage to crops. Frost at this season is almost unprecedented. The weather has been quite cool since. Geo. E. Harron is allied with Wm. J. Whitaker for the ensuing season. Mrs. David Kirkpatrick has gone to the hospital in St. John. Wm. Timmons is having extensive repairs placed on his residence. Miss Ida Kirkpatrick has returned from St. John, where she had been visiting friends. The people in this section are doing their statute labor and many rough places in the roads are being filled up. Rev. Mr. Pinkerton preached his farewell sermon here on Sunday, 16th inst.

MONCTON, June 19.—Mr. Creighton, the new press and advertising agent of the I. C. R., arrived today and entered upon his duties at once. The maritime express arriving here today had a close call from a disastrous collision with the Quebec Central train near Levis last night. She crosses the Quebec Central train at Harlow Junction, and as a result of a blunder on somebody's part a train load of militia and express were permitted to make an effort to pass on the same track. Shortly after the express left Levis, Express Messenger Lavlin, on looking out the door, saw the Quebec Central train coming around a curve at full speed. He put on the emergency brake and jumped, and the brakes were applied from the locomotive, though owing to the curve the driver could not see the danger, and the train was brought to a standstill within a few feet of each other. When Messenger Lavlin caught sight of the approaching train she was about entering a snow shed a quarter of a mile away, and running thirty miles an hour. The express was fortunately on an up grade and going over fifteen miles an hour. Had Lavlin not seen the danger, a terrible accident must have occurred, as the driver of the express was on the wrong side of the engine to see the approaching train and the fireman was shovelling coal. Both drivers struck to their knees and it was a thrilling moment for them till the danger was over. It is said a mistake was made by the despatcher in giving the Quebec Central train an order to cross at Levis, while the express had an order to cross at Harlow Junction.

MONCTON, N. B., June 21.—The case of King on complaint of Henry C. Graves v. Benj. R. Blakney, in which conviction was obtained before Justice Leahy of Hillsboro on the 27th of May last, and a fine of \$7 or thirty days' jail imposed for destruction of the Lord's day, was came up for trial before Judge Wells today. The point taken is that the territorial jurisdiction of the justice did not appear on the face of the conviction. Decision reserved. Blakney is a seventh day Adventist. A new trial has been granted in the case of Charles S. Goggin v. Hiram Goddard, reviewed from Justice Morton's court, Cardwell, Kings Co., where a verdict was found for the plaintiff. The ground for review was the admission of oral evidence contradicting documentary testimony.

BLOOMFIELD, Kings Co., June 20.—Shad fishing still continues here, though not so many have been caught as usual. Oliver Vezeay has taken over 200 fish. A large quantity of lumber belonging to the G. & G. Flewelling Manufacturing Co. is locked up in the creek here, not having been rafted in time. The frost on Sunday morning did considerable damage in the neighborhood of Passakeag. Messes of a severe type have been prevailing at Passakeag, causing the closing of the school. F. A. Gower, local agent for emigrant children from the Middlemore Home, Birmingham, had a large number of applications this year for children. Last week 13 arrived on the train from Halifax, a number having been left off at intermediate stations. Most of those who came were taken away at once by parties who were waiting for them.

At the annual school meeting W. E. S. Wetmore was elected trustee, and 375 voted for school purposes. The trustees were authorized to make the school library free to all residents of the district. A school concert is in preparation which will be held on the 1st July in the hall, near John McVeys'. An entertainment in the hall at the station will be held on Friday, 21st, at which D. A. Morrison of the 2nd Contingent will give an account of his experiences in South Africa.

APOHAQUI, June 19.—The funeral of Mrs. I. P. Gambin, which took place this morning, was very largely attended. Rev. H. Ferguson, pastor of the Free Baptist church, of which she was a member, conducted the service. Rev. B. N. Nobles of Sussex assisting. The church was draped and trimmed with potted plants and flowers. The casket was also covered with floral tributes. The flag was waving at half-mast from the hall of the I. O. F., of which Mr. Gambin was a member. The deceased was a daughter of Edwin Fenwick of Berwick. Interment was at the Baptist cemetery, Lower Millstream.

Miss Baird of Chipman, who has been visiting Mrs. G. B. Jones, returned to her home last week. Mrs. C. B. McCready is visiting her son at Bangor. Miss Sadie Manchester, who is training for a nurse at Newton hospital, is spending her holidays with her mother.

SUSSEX, N. B., June 21.—R. C. Hocken, formerly of Chatham, but now of Moncton, will open a wholesale and retail flour and feed store in the old Mill store on Saturday, 22nd inst.

The date for the next road race has been changed to the 26th instead of the 24th. Chas. F. Givan has on exhibition three handsome prizes for the race, the first being a pair racing handle bars; the second, Ned Gortford's racing saddle; third, foot pump. The race starts at 7.15 sharp and has a limit of fifty minutes. It will be from Mr. Givan's residence on Main street, around Apohaqui down one side of the river and back on the other. J. T. Prescott has entered Biju for the races at Springhill, July 1st. The Sussex Water and Electric Co. has placed an order with the Robb Engineering Co. for one of their famous 100 horse-power Bab-Arump engines. The new engine will arrive in time to be installed before the exhibition.

The residents of Church avenue will hold a garden party on Tuesday evening, June 26th, on the grounds of T. White. Refreshments will be sold during the evening and the proceeds will be used for lighting the streets. Miss Grace McKay is home from Halifax for the summer. Raleigh Trites of Sussexville is in Sussex visiting his uncle, Dr. J. E. Ryan. RICHIBUCTO, June 20.—Robert Phinney has purchased the Rusk building and removed it from Water street into Court street, near his tannery, to be used as a shoe factory, the present premises being too small for the increasing demand for his goods. Graham's Farm, of the Royal Bank of Canada at Truro, N. S., has left week in the bark Valona for Liverpool. He goes for the benefit of his health, which his friends will be glad to hear is much improved since his arrival at his home in Rexton a fortnight ago. Hotel LeBlanc is receiving a coat of paint, which adds much to its already nice appearance. S. O'Donnell of the New Kent hotel is having hardwood floors laid all through the house. Harry McLaughlin, of Geo. V. Moloney, arrived home from St. John's College yesterday. There were also a number of students for other parts of the county.

W. A. Cowperthwaite and wife arrived yesterday afternoon from Eastport. Mrs. Mary's whom he holds a position as teacher, Mrs. Mary's daughter's sister, Miss Fanny Sayre, accompanied them from Boston. Mr. Cowperthwaite is a son of Principal C. H. Cowperthwaite. Gordon Dickie and Miss Bray of Shediac are visiting at the home of J. F. Black. The coasting trade has been lively this week, several schooners arriving and departing every day.

ST. STEPHEN, June 20.—Billy Fairbanks, an expert driver, who has been handling horses for the late J. F. F. Whodden and C. H. Black, is here and is in charge of Langwoods and the other speedy ones owned by Fred Waterston. John M. Stevens, barrister, of Edmundston, son of Hon. Judge Stevens, and (Miss) Dickie, daughter of James McKenzie, are to be married at Milltown on Tuesday next. On the following day Wm. A. Mills, one of our most enterprising young merchants, and Miss Flora Cook of Calais will be principals in a similar event.

Rev. Harry DeWolfe of Foxboro, Mass., who has accepted the principality of Acadia Seminary, is a son of Benj. R. DeWolfe of this town and a graduate of the St. Stephen schools. A large suit of the coat and vest fitted to his satisfaction, but the pants did not please him. He expressed his dissatisfaction, but offered to pay \$25 and take the clothes. The clerk would not make the discount of \$1 and afterwards the proprietor made the same determination. The young man refused to pay and was sued and arrested for the claim. He had accepted a good job in a Maine town but gave it up to stay at home and "fight it out" over that one dollar. The tailoring firm was equally determined to have its case sent into court. It was commenced in the county court at St. Andrews, both parties attending with lawyers and witnesses. Then it was adjourned and resumed here yesterday with further attendance of lawyers and witnesses. Judge Stevens denied that the action was not properly brought, but the plaintiffs were allowed to amend their writ on payment of costs to date and postponement of the case until the next term of court. So far the costs have probably amounted to \$50 or \$70, and will be more if the suit is continued. If that dollar had been put into speculation and piled up profits as rapidly as it is now piling up costs it would be counted a dandy.

WELLSVILLE, N. B., June 20.—The weather is beautifully cool and pleasant, and the grass is unusually heavy. The Methodist conference, now in session in Marysville, has appointed Rev. William Lawson pastor of the Methodist church here. By the action of the same conference Rev. Mr. Kirby had been elected to the head of the work in evangelistic work amongst the young people of the Sunday schools and Epworth leagues.

Rev. Dr. Barker, well known in this province and now preaching at Matiaswanke, Maine, leaves on the 26th of July for a trip to California to see his sons and take in the great Epworth league convention. Andrew Mungali, who has been to England and the continent in the interest of the cotton mill, has returned home. Frank Libby of New Hampshire is visiting Charles Libby of this town. Angus Dewar and Willie Whitney have returned home from Normal school. A house on Glebe street belonging to Harris Maxwell was almost entirely destroyed by fire last week. A peculiar case is promised the courts unless something prevents. It appears a man named Day of Princeton has entered a complaint against the authorities for refusing him permission to refuse two moose which says destroying his crops, and which the law will not allow him to kill. Mr. Day threatens an action against the state for damages. Mrs. Beek, on Glebe street, received word today that her husband, employed in Sawyer's Mill, Harland, had in some way broken one of his arms and was returning home. A very pretty wedding was witnessed by a goodly number of invited guests tonight at Mrs. James King's, Queen street, mother of the bride, when Harry Shaw of Milltown and Miss Teresa King were married by the

Rev. W. J. Kirby, who came back from conference for this purpose. This bride looked handsome, dressed in white and carrying a bouquet of white carnations. Miss Nettie C. King, sister of the bride, attended her, and Joseph N. Clark of Eastport stood by the groom. After the ceremony the guests were helped to cake and ice cream and spent a very pleasant evening. Mr. Shaw is a seaman, having followed that business for a great number of years. Mrs. Hannevel, who lived with her daughter, Mrs. A. C. Libby, at Old Ridge, died very suddenly and was buried in the Old Ridge Methodist cemetery today. Mrs. Hannevel was in her nineteenth year, and had enjoyed excellent health up to a few moments before she died. She rose as usual to breakfast, but feeling faint she was assisted back to bed, and in a very short time after she had back and fell to calm sleep like a tired child. Rev. J. A. Sellar officiated at the funeral.

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Children Cry for CASTORIA. OTTAWA, June 23.—The department of Finance received yesterday the sum of one thousand dollars conscience money, deposited by a priest with the Bank of Montreal.

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GOES Preliminary of Harry Nelson.

The preliminary of Harry Nelson, appropriation of property of D. J. Nelson, was commenced yesterday. Nelson was confined in the prison, and the defense was conducted by J. D. Haren, and the prosecution by Geo. F. Burk. The defense was conducted by J. D. Haren, and the prosecution by Geo. F. Burk. The defense was conducted by J. D. Haren, and the prosecution by Geo. F. Burk.

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GOES TO TRIAL

Preliminary Examination in Case of Harry Nelson Concluded.

The preliminary examination of Harry Nelson, charged with the misappropriation of cash letters, the property of D. J. Purdy and P. Nase & Sons, was concluded Friday.

Geo. F. Burke, from the Range, Queens Co., the first witness called for the crown, testified that he had been in business for a space of about twenty years, and had known Captain Brannan all that time.

Examined by Mr. Hazen, witness said that on a return trip of the boat he had been informed by Capt. Brannan that the letter had been delivered to Mr. Purdy, and afterwards had written Mr. Purdy to that effect.

Re-examined, said that when the crown returned to the lake without his receipt, he asked the captain, "Did Mr. Purdy get that letter?" and the captain answered in the affirmative.

Geo. H. Smith, of Young's Cove, who had known Capt. Brannan for several years, swore that on Thursday, 13th, he had placed \$100 and a few odd cents in an envelope addressed to P. Nase & Son.

Witness further stated that the prisoner had asked him for letters for D. J. Purdy and had received two. Whom the other was from he could not state.

Capt. Brannan recalled by Mr. McKeown, stated that he remembered the circumstances of Mr. Burke giving him the letter.

The witness then described the circumstances of the prisoner's arrest by Capt. Hastings, when he had identified him as the man receiving the letters.

Cross-examined by Mr. Hazen, he stated that on Friday, June 14, after he had learned that the letters had not been delivered he had been in Nelson's barber shop on Main street and had his hair cut by the accused.

THE LATE ROBT. B. VAIL

Robert B. Vail, ex-sheriff of Gloucester, died at Bathurst on Tuesday, the 18th instant, aged 81 years.

Mr. Vail came to Bathurst from Kings county about twenty-seven years ago, and his wife, well remembered as an estimable lady, died about two years ago.

Mr. Vail was known from end to end of Gloucester county, and his fearless and impartial disposition added to his thorough knowledge of his business rendered him respected by all who knew him.

Another munificent gift. T. D. Adams of Bathurst has presented to his parish the Bishop Barry fund, to provide an altar for the Church of the Sacred Heart, Bathurst, and has intimated that if more is required he will give it.

H. A. Price. Discusses improvements in the I. C. R. Train Service. (Montreal Star.)

H. A. Price, assistant general passenger agent of the Intercolonial railway, today the course of an interview at the St. Lawrence hall, reviewed some of the important improvements which have been made in the train service of the I. C. R. since the tenth of the present month.

The road this year is acquiring many new dining cars, sleeping and first class cars. A very large number of visitors from the maritime provinces have signified their intention of visiting the I. C. R. during the summer months.

Admiral Sir Frederick Bedford is fond of telling a story concerning the days when the Duke of Cornwall and York served in the British navy.

A Quiet Sunday in Denver. No drinks were for sale Sunday in Denver, except in the saloons, restaurants and drug stores.

ROTHESAY COLLEGE CLOSING

The closing exercises of the Rothessay Collegiate School Friday were well attended in spite of the fact that a heavy downpour of rain that started at 3.30 o'clock, which necessitated the postponement of the athletic sports being cut out.

For studies the prizes were awarded as follows: Form IV—Billis (gold medal), H. Ritchie, Oct. 1, Ritchie.

Form III—Brook (silver medal), Merritt, Oct. 1, Merritt.

Form II—McLean, Crookshank, Porter, D. Adams.

Form I—Jones, J. Adams, Donville, R. McAvity.

Form I—Jones, J. Adams, Donville, R. McAvity. Juniors—Saddler, Shaw, Gilbert.

Form I—Jones, J. Adams, Donville, R. McAvity. Special prize awarded by Lieutenant Governor for English essay awarded to Brock special prize given by Old Boys' Association for English essay awarded to Cutler.

Form I—Jones, J. Adams, Donville, R. McAvity. Special prize given by R. B. Emerson for reading, writing and arithmetic awarded to McLean.

Form I—Jones, J. Adams, Donville, R. McAvity. Good conduct prize to J. H. McIntyre.

What the Doctor Does. The first thing the doctor does when he is called to see a fretting, worrying, crying baby is to give it a medicine to move the bowels and sweeten the stomach. Baby's Own Tablets. (REGISTERED) are a ready-at-hand doctor. They gently move the bowels, sweeten the stomach, promote digestion, cure colic, check diarrhoea, break up colds, prevent croup, reduce fever, expel worms and promote healthy sleep.

WHERE THE MONEY GOES.

At the athletic banquet of the New York National Exchange bank, Geo. W. Wingate spoke as follows on the question, Where the Money Goes?

It must be self-evident to all who have studied finance, and particularly to you gentlemen who have, as I understand from my invitation, been all connected with the bank for the last fifty years.

A very large number of the things which our physicians and ministers teach us are harmful to morals and body, and which grow upon what they feed on, the love of dress, cards, the clubs, the scandals of society, the fever for stock speculation, the female shopping mania, all live and thrive upon credit.

It is possible and, indeed, probable that the introduction of this system may at first lead to some complaints on the part of a few creditors.

Resolved, that a copy of these resolutions be placed upon the records of this organization, a copy printed in the local papers and a copy forwarded to the bereaved family.

C. T. Duffy, treas.; J. S. Pond, F. S.; W. Wright, F. C. H.; Rev. M. R. Knight, chap.; W. H. Irvine, M. D.; C. R.

VERSE OF THE DAY.

Little Be-Beep has lost her sheep, And can't tell where to find them; Leave them alone and they'll come home And bring their tails behind them.

Dear I loved, but to weep I know does no good—and the folks—won't it frost them?

Now it went to my heart to discover her sad news, And an eye that was made hot for laughter and gladness.

And if across the desert and thy sheep have wandered while thou sleepest—put to weep.

Myself, bereft of many a fleecy lamb, Have meditated on the wretch I am.

For Pains and Lameness use KENDRICK'S Linctament.

NOTICE OF SALE

To James Miller of Newmarket, in the County of Queens and Province of New Brunswick, Merchant, the Heirs, Executors and Administrators of the late George F. Barré, late of the City of Saint John, in the County of Saint John, in the Province of New Brunswick, deceased, and all others whom it may concern.

Notice is hereby given that under and by virtue of a Power of Sale contained in a certain Indenture of Mortgage made and entered into on the thirteenth day of October, A. D. 1888, between James Miller of Newmarket, in the County of Queens and Province of New Brunswick, Mortgagee, and Dea E. Miller, his wife, of the one part, and Joseph Horrocks of Portland, in the County of Saint John and Province of New Brunswick, of the other part, and recorded in Book O No. 2 of the County of Queens, pages 383 and following, and also in Book O No. 3 of the County of Queens, pages 383 and following, and also in Book O No. 4 of the County of Queens, pages 383 and following, and also in Book O No. 5 of the County of Queens, pages 383 and following, and also in Book O No. 6 of the County of Queens, pages 383 and following, and also in Book O No. 7 of the County of Queens, pages 383 and following, and also in Book O No. 8 of the County of Queens, pages 383 and following, and also in Book O No. 9 of the County of Queens, pages 383 and following, and also in Book O No. 10 of the County of Queens, pages 383 and following, and also in Book O No. 11 of the County of Queens, pages 383 and following, and also in Book O No. 12 of the County of Queens, pages 383 and following, and also in Book O No. 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