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SACKVILLE AND CAMPBELLTON LUMBER SHIPMENTS.

M. Wood & Sons have just about closed up their lumber business for the season. Considering the dullness in the lumber market these people have done a big business. The largest shipments have been made from Cape Tormentine, but several cargoes have gone from Shediac and also from Grandstone Island. All the lumber was sent to British ports. The shipment for the season just closed totals 5,200,000 superficial feet, made up as follows: Two cargoes from Shediac 1,000,000 feet; two cargoes from Grandstone Island, 850,000 feet; and seven cargoes from Cape Tormentine, 3,450,000 feet. Chas. Ford, who looks after this firm's lumber business almost entirely, has been a busy man this season, and is probably not sorry that the last cargo has left. -Post.

The following is a statement of the shipments of lumber from Campbellton for the season of 1898:

D. Richards, 9 vessels, 8,520 tons, 8,114,194 feet.

K. Stiven, 9 vessels, 8,863 tons, 7,975,121 feet.

J. D. Sowerby, 2 vessels, 1,557 tons, 1,371,880 feet.

Price Bros., 1 vessel, 1,099 tons, 823,000 feet.

Total 23 vessels, 20,039 tons, 18,280,904 feet.

The above was distributed as follows:

Great Britain, 18 vessels, 14,655 tons, carrying 13,996,206 feet.

Australia, 2 vessels, 2,060 tons, carrying 2,223,172 feet.

South America, 3 vessels, 2,734 tons, 2,070,617 feet. -Telephone.

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.

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FREE FROM CAPTURE.

NEW YORK, Nov. 3.—At the regular monthly meeting of the chamber of commerce today, Charles Stewart Smith, on behalf of the executive committee, presented a memorial signed by Charles Henry Butler for himself and others and addressed to the president of the United States, urging him to convene an international congress at Washington to consider the question of making private property on the sea free from capture during war.

A. P. E. ISLAND STUDENT HONORED.

(Montreal Witness.) Geo. Irving, Arts, 1881, has been appointed by the executive committee of the McGill Young Men's Christian Association, to fill the position of general secretary, left vacant by the resignation of the Rev. A. H. Grace, B. A.

Mr. Irving is a resident of Vernon Bridge, P. E. I., and though still a young man, has become very prominent among the Good Templars in his own province, having represented them at the world's convention at Zurich, Switzerland, in 1896. He entered McGill in September of last year in Arts. That he should be appointed general secretary so early in his college career, is a tribute to his ability and his devotion to the association. He was elected recording secretary at the annual meeting held during the spring, and has filled Mr. Grace's position on several occasions during the latter's absence.

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P. E. ISLAND.

Enforcing the Liquor Regulation Act With Vigor.

Merry Marriage Balls—Meeting of Presbytery—Police Court Returns—Better Mail Arrangements.

CHARLOTTETOWN, Nov. 4.—On Thursday at the residence of Hector McKenzie, Rev. R. McLean, Sinclair, married James MacMillan of Westport Covehead, to Miss Mary McKenzie of Flat River. W. B. Sellers was groomsmen and Miss Lizzie McKenzie bridesmaid.

The new organ for St. James' Kirk is being placed in position. It will cost over \$4,000 and will be the best in the province.

Harry White, one of Charlottetown's best opticians, has gone to Barbados to enter into partnership with Edw. Richards, son of James Richards, this city, who has a successful business in that place. Major Howatt was convicted of violation of the Liquor Regulation Act on Monday, and fined \$100 and costs, or three months in jail. He went to jail.

Ripe strawberries, ripe raspberries and mayflowers in bud and blooming have been gathered during the past week.

Joseph S. Kelly, station master at Royalton Junction, has gone on a pleasure trip to Michigan. Mrs. Ben Rogers has arrived home from an extended visit to Rochester, N. Y.

The police record for October shows nineteen convictions for drunkenness, one for malicious injury to property, four for violation of the Liquor Regulation Act, seven for assault and eight for nuisance. There were four L. R. Act summonses dismissed, and four nuisance cases dismissed. The receipts were \$154.11.

Robert Tombs, harness maker, of this city, has made a beautiful set of harness for the congregation of the Presbyterian church at Lot 48. It was presented to the Rev. Daniel McLean in appreciation of the services on that field.

Percy Armour has gone to Toronto to spend the winter, and Mr. and Mrs. Sydney Fitzgerald have gone on a trip to Kansas.

Patrick Doyle, Mary Jane McQuaid and Gertrude McKenna, for infringement of the Canada Temperance Act at Mt. Stewart, were fined \$50 each and costs.

John McLaughlin, brakeman on the P. E. Island railway, died at his home near Douglas station on Monday. He was a brother of Dr. McLaughlin of St. Peter's Bay, and very much respected.

Through the influence of the Board of Trade new mail arrangements have gone into effect, by which the outgoing mails will leave by the Northumberland as usual, but the inward mails will come by the Premier, leaving Electric at midnight and reaching here about 6 o'clock in the morning.

At the supreme court, W. E. Bentley and John A. McDonald, attorneys, on motion admitted as barristers, and A. J. Arsenault as attorney. The court reserved its decision regarding E. B. Williams, who is to be examined previous to admission as an attorney.

George Essery shipped a pair of draught horses to New Brunswick on Tuesday, weighing 1,500 lbs. each.

John Scrimgeour of Cardigan Bridge has been appointed a measuring surveyor of shipping for Kings county in place of Samuel McDonald, deceased. The presbytery of P. E. I. met in this city on Nov. 1st. Rev. A. Stewart, moderator. The clerk, Rev. T. F. Fullerton, intimated that the Rev. Mr. Dill had placed in his hands his resignation of the pastoral charge of the church at Summerside. On motion it was accepted. The clerk was instructed to give the usual certificates to Messrs. G. C. Forbes and James A. Ramsay, students in theology. The home mission board is asked for a grant of \$24 for Tryon and Bonshaw charges. The amounts to be raised for the augmentation, fund within the bounds of the presbytery were allocated as follows: Tarnish, \$32; Alberton, \$48; Bloomfield, \$48; West Cape, \$32; Richmond Bay, \$58; Summerside, \$100; Beboque, \$62; Princeton, \$90; New London (north), \$84; Clifton, \$38; Cayceville, \$32; Strathalbyn, \$50; West and Clyde Rivers, \$32; Brookfield, \$48; Tryon and Bonshaw, \$37; St. James' (Charlottetown), \$101; Covehead and St. Peter's Road, \$68; Belfast, \$74; Orwell, \$87; Valleyfield, \$64; Caledonia, \$32; Woodville, \$32; Murray Harbor, \$32; South, \$32; Mount Stewart, \$32; St. Peter's Bay, \$32; Dundas, \$32; Cardigan, \$32; Murray Harbor (North), \$32; Souris, \$49; Montague, \$49; Zion (Charlottetown), \$84. Deputations were appointed to visit each congregation in the interests of the college library fund.

On Nov. 1st at St. James' manse the Rev. T. F. Fullerton married David Hiram Houston of Murray river, Lot 64, to Jessie Effie Hann of this city. Johnson & Johnson, druggists, have removed from Queen street to the beautiful new Prouse block.

Yesterday morning the Princess took away 423 lambs for the New York market. W. R. Gillan of Hartland, N. B., was the purchaser. James Murray of Lot 30 has graduated from the P. E. I. Commercial college and received his diploma.

Pte. Walker of the 8th Massachusetts regiment is visiting his home in Brackley Point. He will leave here on the 12th for Boston and thence with his regiment to the south for garrison duty.

On Wednesday at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. James Coffin, Kent street, William H. Small and Miss Emily Maud Coffin, both of this city, were married by the Rev. T. F. Fullerton. Miss Lizzie Bates was bridesmaid and Graham Cooke stood by the groom. The bride was dressed in a gown of cream crepon with satin and pearl trimmings, and looked charming.

The annual shooting match of No. 1 company, 42nd battalion, took place yesterday. The match was for the

company's medals, and the ranges were 100, 200, 300 and 400 yards. Staff Sergeant M. Allan won the medal presented by Hon. B. Rogers, with 78 points, and Sergt. J. Walker the medal presented by Capt. Hooper, with 89 points. Several other prizes were distributed.

The adjourned annual meeting of the Y. M. C. A. was held on the election placed Prof. Robertson in the chair for another year, with Mr. Yeo secretary and Mr. Cusack, treasurer. The old executive was re-elected with but few changes. The working quorum was reduced to five members. The executive have full powers to go ahead with the Y. M. C. A. public library. The bequest of \$500 by the late Wm. Dodd has been added to by other gentlemen, and the public library for Charlottetown is assured.

The P. E. I. association Sunday school convention will hold its annual convention in the Baptist church of this city on the 22nd and 23rd inst. The call to the Rev. A. L. Giegge to become pastor of Zion church has been declined, that gentleman having accepted a call to the Presbyterian church in Halifax.

A three year old son of Wm. Mallard of New Zealand was so severely burnt while playing near the stove during his mother's absence that he died in about an hour.

John G. Scrimgeour of Cardigan has been fined \$50 and costs for violating the C. T. act.

George W. McNeil of Cavendish died suddenly today of his 45 years of age, much respected and a consistent member of the Baptist church.

MT. ALLISON.

SACKVILLE, Nov. 3.—Hallowe'en passed at Mt. Allison without any misadventures or noticeable practical jokes. The young ladies held high carnival in Beethoven hall, and the students in the residence and academy were treated to a supper in their respective dining halls.

At least it seems as if an athletic grand worthy of the university and its athletes were to be provided. A large number of men with horses and carts are employed in levelling the field at the end of the residence, running down to the newly opened street. Mr. Irons, the maker of the Wanderers' grounds in Halifax, was here and laid off the field. He also gave directions about the work, and will probably return later to inspect it when near completion. As much as possible will be done this autumn, so that it may be finished early next spring and got ready for use after the next summer vacation. The field will be a great addition to the appearance of the grounds and afford fine facilities for college sports and games.

On Friday evening the athletic association held an entertainment in the university residence. There was not a large attendance from outside the institution, but about fifty dollars was raised. This is to be used toward the expenses of the trip of the football team to Wolfville and Halifax. The trip is planned for next week, and games will be played with Acadia, Dalhousie and the Wanderers. A good many of the well known players of other years are gone, but it is expected that the team will still play some good games. On its trip two years ago it beat Acadia and tied with the Wanderers.

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ST. MARTIN'S LUMBER NOTES.
Bentley & Fulmer of Five Islands will get about 2,000,000 feet of lumber for the O'Neill Lumber Co., on Irish river, about twelve miles eastward of St. Martin's. They have contracted to cut, saw and haul it to the wharf. White, Fowles & White of St. Martin's have moved their mill from Clarendon to Havelock to the timber property of John Fowles, where they will cut about 2,000,000 feet during the winter.

J. P. Mosher will probably get out about 1,500,000 feet this winter at St. Martin's. Robert Carson will cut about the same quantity. All the lumber cut at St. Martin's last winter has been sawed and shipped.

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WOMAN SUFFRAGE.

That whereas, the exercise of the franchise has been a great factor in the civilization of men; and whereas, many feel it an injustice to deprive women of the benefit accruing from the franchise; and whereas, women everywhere are showing an increasing interest in the affairs of state; and whereas, the franchise as exercised by women in several parts of the British Empire has already proved beneficial to the state, and has stimulated the intellectual advancement of the women of those countries.

Therefore, believing that equality with men, women are entitled as a matter of public welfare, justice and equity, to the right of suffrage, and desiring that the right to the ballot should be extended to women on the same terms as those now enjoyed by men.

Such is the text of the petition now in circulation in this province through the initiative of the Women's Franchise Association.

In this province, as in many other parts of the empire and in Great Britain itself, women voters are permitted to vote in municipal elections.

It is difficult to follow a line of reasoning which admits women to the polls for municipal purposes and excludes them from a share in a provincial election.

It will be observed that the bill resembles a notable one of the late Mr. Falstaff, in the proportion of bread and sack, and that there is an "intolerable deal" of the latter commodity.

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and Mr. A. L. Sifton, a brother of the minister of the interior, undertook to capture it. Mr. Sifton is not unknown in Banff. The minister, with more filial affection than good taste, sent him further to investigate the government officials employed on the reservation.

AN INCIDENT RECALLED.

If the Mr. Perrault who has been appointed commissioner to the Paris exposition is the same who was secretary-treasurer and general manager of the Canadian department of the Centennial exhibition at Philadelphia, the bills to be paid may be generous enough to meet the approval even of Mr. Tarte.

Most of the expenses were incurred from April to December, 1876. Mr. Perrault himself served more than two years, taking \$6,500 for salary, and over \$3,000 personal expenses in addition, of course, to "living expenses at Philadelphia."

The new bridge across the east branch of the Point Wolfe stream was completed on the 1st inst. The span is about 75 feet, with east and west approaches. The first horse to cross the bridge was that of James Hayward, the builder.

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The St. John Globe considers it quite improper for a member of the Newfoundland government to be in the pay of a contractor with the government as his solicitor.

It is never safe to commend Sir Wilfrid's government. The other day the Sun congratulated the minister on the fact that they had not omitted from the plebiscite court one of the constituencies in which they had ordered the vote to be taken.

The South Ontario reaction is of this character: Government majority in 1894, 339. Opposition majority last March, 90. Government majority last week, 100.

Major Walsh's Yukon report is said to be in favor of Mr. Sifton's officials. Of course he is one of them himself. He also says that it is all right for officials to deal in mining claims.

The Salvation Army is about to open a maternity home. This will be the second institution which the army has established in this city for the shelter and care of the unfortunate and the erring.

The latest information available is to the effect that the Nile is a British stream. It is not quite so certain about the Yang Tse Keang.

At last accounts the election courts of Ontario had unseated four liberal and two conservative members elected last March.

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S. KERR & SON, Oddfellows' Hall

WOLFVILLE NEWS.

WOLFVILLE, N. S., Nov. 7.—Miss Grace Calhoun of St. John is visiting her brother, A. L. Calhoun. On Saturday a very pleasant "at home" was given by Mrs. Calhoun.

Mrs. G. White of Sussex has been visiting her son, M. G. White, a member of the sophomore class.

MONCTON. The First Death in the Public Hospital.—T. V. Cooke's Condition Improved.

MONCTON, Nov. 7.—Mrs. Orr, a woman 35 years of age, died in the hospital last evening of typhoid fever. This is the first death in the institution.

Pastor Hinson baptized three converts in the First Baptist church yesterday morning. At the evening service the annual thank offering was taken up, amounting to between \$700 and \$800, the largest collection in the history of the church.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Y. Smith leave on Wednesday for New York, where they will take the steamer on Saturday with a party of New York friends for Genoa.

HILLSBORO. Celebrating Guy Fawkes Day—Signs of a Provincial Election.

HILLSBORO, Albert Co., Nov. 6.—The Orangemen of Golden Gate, L. O. L., No. 109, Scarlet Banner, No. 104, and Eastern Star, No. 132, held a public meeting in the hall here on Nov. 5th.

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Orders have been placed by the Intercolonial railway department for 5,000 tons rails, weighing 80 pounds to the yard. This is 13 pounds heavier than the standard rail now in use on the I. C. R.

McADAM JUNCTION. McADAM JUNCTION, Nov. 7.—The Orangemen of McAdam Junction gave their friends a treat on Guy Fawkes' day. At 8.30 p. m. over one hundred ladies and gentlemen sat down to an oyster supper served in first-class style.

CONSUMPTION CURED. An old physician, retired from practice, had placed in his hands by an East India company the formula of a simple vegetable remedy for the speedy and permanent cure of Consumption, Bronchitis, Catarrh, Asthma and all Throat and Lung Affections; also a positive and radical cure for Nervous Debility and all Nervous Complaints.

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SLOWLY WASTING AWAY. Mrs. Geo. Annie, who resides near Orillia, Ont., says: "I thought at one time we were going to lose our eldest daughter. She was run down, weak, and had no ambition. She did not seem to have any life in her. She was under treatment from two doctors, but neither seemed to benefit her, and for nearly two years this condition of affairs went on. Having seen Dr. Williams' Pink Pills highly recommended, I decided to try them. Two months' treatment worked wonders. She gained so much strength that she is now able to do any work about the house, and her cheeks, once so pallid, now present a rosy glow of health. I gladly recommend Dr. Williams' Pink Pills to mothers whose daughters may be feeble."

PALE AND EASILY TIRED. Miss Minnie V. McNeill, St. Peters, N. S., says: "It gives me much pleasure to acknowledge the benefit I have derived from the use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. I sincerely believe but for their use I would be in my grave. My health was completely broken down. The least work or exertion would fatigue me, and I was subject to headache and palpitation of the heart. I was very pale and my appetite was poor. I had heard of many good words spoken of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills that I determined to give them a trial, and after using four boxes I began to feel as well as ever I had been. In recommending them to others I feel that I am doing a service to our common humanity."

WEAK AND LOST FLESH. Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Reep live in the township of Carleton Place, Middlesex Co., Ont., and their home has been the scene of one of those remarkable cures which follow the fair use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. Mrs. Reep says: "My daughter Dora became weak and gradually lost flesh until she was merely a living skeleton. She was so weak that she could not walk across a room without the most serious effort, and her heart would beat so rapidly and violently that we feared she would die. After trying a number of medicines without benefit we gave her Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and five boxes completely restored her health, and I can assure you we are grateful for what your medicine has done for her. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills build up the blood by supplying it with the elements which enrich it, and strengthen the nerves. In this way they cure all diseases having their origin in poor and watery blood."

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The Brownies at the Zoo.

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The moon that rose at shut of day
Among the stars to hold her way
Ne'er smiled upon a brighter scene
Than met her gaze when Brownies
Keen
For sport that had been duly planned
From Primrose Hill surveyed the land

And blocks of buildings stretching
Quite
Beyond the range of sharpest sight.
Sold one, who seemed to be aglow
With love for all things here below,
"To us the look of nature lies
An ever new and glad surprise

Each day a leaf that does unfold
Some glories that will never grow old,
The twinkling stars our joys renew
That with the light of morning gleam;
The moon, though seen in every phase,
Is still the subject of our praise;
The water rolling on the shore

But makes us wish to know it more;
The trees beneath whose shade we rest
Shall ever be admired and blessed;
The brook that leaps its mountain
course
But urges us to seek its source.
How sad to be a mortal man

Who worries through his earthly span,
Concerned in money-getting schemes,
Annoyed by debts, disturbed by
dreams;
No time to glance around and trace
The beauty spread on Nature's face."
Then talk extended through the band



About the garden near at hand,
Where they could view in cage and
pen
The creatures gathered in by men.
Not broken glass upon the wall,
Nor spikes to pierce you like an owl,
Can keep the Brownies from a place
Or gather from some foreign state,
To which they care to turn their pace.
They laugh to scorn the schemes and
traps
To keep one out, or in perhaps,
That men display in show of power
Or right to rule their little hour.
Ere long they found themselves inside

And were amused and gratified
To find a large collection there
Of birds and beasts on which to stare.
Few greater pleasures Brownies find
Than viewing beasts of every kind,
Though quite domestic in their tread.
Or gathered from some foreign state,
To glare on man with eyes ablaze
From narrow cages all their days.
They soon made bold to gently lead
Some animals from bed or feed,
And birds as well that in their way
Could give delight till morning grey.
The tall giraffe was not above

Their reach, and necks as a dove
He took the bit and bore the strain
Of saddle girth and bridle rein.
A ride on such a novel steed
Was something they enjoyed indeed.
And nights began to lower
Before each Brownie had his turn.
The only danger seemed to be
From narrow cages all their days,
Which raked its back as round it
strode
And brought alarm to all the lead.
The ostrich was no less a prize
That soon attracted Brownie eyes,

And yielding to their mystic hand,
He humbly sat upon the sand,
Until enough were booked to go
To make their legs bend like a bow.
Thus while the fun was at its height,
And every face was smiling bright,
And nothing seemed to hover near,
To stop their sport or waken fear,
Some trouble was not far removed
That all their art and cunning proved.
While fumbling at a bolt or bar
By chance a gate was left ajar,
And seizing their advantage soon
Chimpanzee, monkey and baboon,

Came prooping-out and lost no time
But here and there began to climb,
A task before the Brownies spread
From tree to shrub and flower-bed.
That fully taxed the hand and mind
And all their native tact combined,
Without a hook or steel or prod,
A wooden club or iron rod.
At once a general move was made
To rectify the escape.
While through the trees some wily
chased,
Around the houses others raced,
With such an active swarm to have



They had to keep their wits alive,
And never had that garden green
Revealed before so strange a scene.
Those who course for many a mile
The ape through Madagascar's Isle,
Explore the dark Brazilian shade
To catch the creatures for the trade,
Or in Australian bushes get

The little whiskered marmoset,
Had learned some points to help their
case,
Could they have seen the flight and
chase,
No housetop was a safe retreat
Where one might long maintain a seat,
For Brownies like a vine can climb

The smoothest wall of stone and lime,
With bite and scratch that garments
frayed,
The work on hand was much delayed,
Until at times it seemed as though
The morning sun his face would show
Ere those evincing strength and rage
Were safely lodged within their cage.

But if a score of keepers strove
To hinder rogues inclined to rove,
Had such a task as that in hand,
They would have paled before the
band,
No ape could leap a garden bed
By more than natural powers sped,
Nor climb a wall or slippery limb

With more than natural skill and vim,
While Brownies own a mystic gift
Which gives them over all a life,
And so from branch and chimney top
The chase went on without a stop.
A stranger, busier time than this
Was never carried on, I wot,
Some were submissive to their will,



But others showed a temper still,
And set on freedom such a price,
They acted any way but nice,
Though puffing back, resisting still,
And chattering like a fanning mill,

No choice was left in mystic hands
But to comply with all demands;
No pains or breaks the rogues en-
dured;
They simply were again secured.

The minutes fled and hours did, too,
Before the gathering in was through.
But to the Brownie band belongs
The spirit that will right all wrongs,
To cage they led, no easy job.

The long-tailed monkeys and the
bob,
And thrust them in behind the bars
To chatter at the moon and stars,
Then turning quickly from the place,

The band commenced the homeward
race,
And, crowding through the tunnel
dark,
At highest speed, they left the park.

N. S. FORK PACKING CO.
Enough Capital Subscribed and the Factory Will be Finished at Once.
(Bridgeport Monitor.)
A meeting of the directors of the Nova Scotia Pork Packing Co. was held on Monday afternoon, 21st ult. Directors present: P. A. Parker, W. H. Westhead, T. E. Jones, G. B. McGill, A. J. Morrison and G. W. Andrews.
Vacancies on the board were filled as follows: E. D. Dawson of Bridgeport, in place of Hector MacLean, deceased, and W. G. Clark of Bear River, in place of Dr. A. L. Helyer, resigned.
By unanimous vote E. D. Dawson was elected president.
G. B. McGill then gave a statement of the present condition of the company, showing, among other things, that \$20,000 of capital is already subscribed, with promises amounting to about \$5,000 more, which he expected would be subscribed within a few days. Under these circumstances the directors decided to push the enterprise with all speed.
The question of a site for the building, drainage, etc., was fully discussed, and it was finally decided to select the site donated by Mr. Poes and drain into the river.
Also resolved that operations in laying the foundations, etc., be undertaken as early a date as possible within the option of the board ought to be within two weeks.
T. E. Jones was appointed to interview the water commissioners of Middleton with

the view of obtaining a free water supply. The president and secretary were directed to secure a set of books for the company, and have them opened up in proper form. A general discussion followed, in which the directors were unanimous in the expression of their determination to put forth every effort to have everything ready to begin active operations by April next.
The board of directors consists of the following gentlemen: E. D. Dawson, Bridgeport; P. A. Parker, New Germany; A. J. Morrison, Middleton; W. H. Chase, West-

ville; T. E. Jones, Nivisauk West; W. H. Westhead, Grandville; Perry, G. W. Andrews, Middleton; W. G. Clark, Bear River; G. B. McGill, Middleton.
The establishment of the industry is now practically guaranteed and the outlook is encouraging. The directorate is composed of good, solid business men, who may safely be trusted with the interests of the company; sufficient capital has been subscribed for the limited period decided upon for the early stages of the industry.

FREDERICTON.

Death of John Moore, the City Treasurer.

Son of John Kilburn Shot Himself While on Hunting Expedition.

The Orangemen Celebrate Guy Fawkes' Day With a Social Meeting.

FREDERICTON, Nov. 6.—John Moore, city treasurer, who has been ill for some time, passed away at noon today. The deceased had occupied the position of city treasurer for about fifteen years, and was a most efficient and careful officer. As a citizen he had the respect and honor of all. The place vacated by his death will be difficult to fill as satisfactorily. The deceased was seventy-five years old. He was a prominent member of Hiram Lodge and treasurer of the Fredericton Royal Arch Chapter. His wife died some years ago, and but one sister survives.

The death also occurred today of James Miskel, tailor of this city, aged 85. A son of John Kilburn, lumberman of this city, shot himself through the arm while hunting yesterday. He was attempting to draw a twenty-two calibre file towards him by the barrel when the trigger caught and the weapon exploded. Fortunately the bullet did not shatter a bone but merely inflicted a flesh wound.

The Orangemen of this city, about one hundred strong, and headed by the 7th battalion band, paraded to the Free Baptist church this morning, where a sermon was preached to them by Rev. Mr. Hartley. The funeral of William Beariste took place today. The freemen attended in a body.

Argument in *Dugald v. Merchants' bank of Halifax* was concluded in the supreme court this morning. John M. Stevens supporting motion for non suit or for new trial, Fred La Forest contra; court considers.

Minnie Sharpe v. school district No. 5, parish of Woodstock—Skinner, Q. C., and W. P. Jones for plaintiff move to set aside verdict of \$1 and for new trial, Currey, Q. C., and F. B. Carvell contra. Court granted the motion, the chief justice and judges Hanington, Landry and McLeod holding that verdict was perverse; Vanwart, J. dissenting, and Barker, J. expressing no opinion. This is the action for false imprisonment which was tried at the Carleton circuit two weeks ago.

The chief justice called the attention of the attorney general to a letter of Mr. Fry in the St. John morning paper. He characterized it as a piece of impudence and a reflection upon the court. Judge McLeod made remarks to a like effect. Judge Hanington disclaimed that the court was in any way responsible for neglect of duty on the part of stenographers.

ALL TROOPS ORDERED OUT.

LONDON, Nov. 6.—The military authorities at Devonport, the site of the largest naval arsenal in Great Britain, received orders today for the immediate mobilization of all the troops in the western district. The defence committee will meet tomorrow.

Children Cry for CASTORIA.

The causes of death reported at the Board of Health office for week ending Nov. 5th, 1898, were: Cerebral tumor, 2; old age, 1; paralysis, 1; tonsillitis, 1; consumption, 1; typhoid fever, 1; cerebral meningitis, 1; softening of brain, 1; total, 9.

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ON, JOHN, N. B. 25 CENTS HS LIDS RELIEF

Hon. George E. Banquet to the Gov.

There has been much praise of the Hon. Mr. Foster's speech, but in these days of effective speeches. After referring to the terms of the Canadian and the good work done in the Hon. Mr. Foster's speech, said: "I deny it I protest with all the inference. The initiative, the cohesive, the neither dead nor past has burst energy that has lifted the world as a whole. The eruptive energy of the age are there still, the empire is ever far distant. Pan-American of her guns and steel in the rock. Her banners long and Wel-Hal floats over the vast of the Southern. From Bulawayo to the outpost sentinel, while her cannons at Esquimaux, 50,000 loyal sub- and sponsor for the of her possessions. Who dares imperial eye is dim- heart numbed, or the might of her shattered? Rast the insular has that the merely into the sphere of Brit- the grandeur of manfully ad- Mr. Chairman, Ottawa, the part of so im- tant his excellency and cordial- him Farewell and great applause.)

THE GREATEST Horse Remedy IN THE WORLD. Little's Elixir.

person who can prove his...

SHIP NEWS.

PORT OF ST. JOHN. Arrived. Nov 5-3rd... Ship Name, from, arrival details.

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BOSTON LETTER.

Crowds from Canada Seeking Work in New England.

Undertake to Supply the City and Its Environs With Gas at Fifty Cents a Thousand Feet.

May Have a French Protestant Church—Recent Maritime Visitors—Charles G. D. Roberts' New Canadian Novel—Exports to the Provinces—The Markets.

(From Our Own Correspondent.) BOSTON, Nov. 5.—The tide of travel from Canada just now is very heavy. Many people from Quebec and a respectable percentage from the maritime provinces are coming to southern New England, where they expect to find work for the winter.

MEMORANDA.

Passed down from Marcus Hook, Nov. 2, str. H. M. Pollock, for Havana. Passed Pasacoula, Nov. 2, str. Sirocco, Redd, for Barbados for quarantine.

SPOKEN.

Ship Lisias Burrill, from Montreal for Boston, Oct. 10, lat. 27, long. 43 west.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

BALTIMORE, Oct. 30—Capt. Kelly of tug A. W. Booth reports whaling buoy off Penikese Island about 1/4 mile in shore of its proper position.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa. Nov. 3—Notice is hereby given that the first quarantine of the national quarantine anchorage near the Delaware entrance, Delaware Bay, being necessary, has been removed, by order of the United States Health Officer.

MARRIAGES.

FERGUSON-SLIPP—At the residence of the bride's brother, Nov. 2nd inst., by Rev. W. W. Clarke, Harry H. Ferguson of St. John to Miss Fannie M. Slipp of Upper Hampstead, Queens Co., N. B.

DEATHS.

DIAPER—In this city, Nov. 4th, Francis Gilbert Diaper, aged 23 years, son of Oliver Cromwell Diaper, late of St. John, N. B., and now of Hamilton, Ontario.

DOHERTY—On Nov. 6th, in Montreal General Hospital, James E. Doherty of this city, aged 47.

LITTLEFIELD—In this city, Nov. 6th, after a lingering illness, Benjamin Littlefield, late of St. John, N. B., aged 82.

MILLER—In this city on Nov. 4, James Miller, aged 52 years.

STERLING—Suddenly, in this city, Nov. 7th, Mrs. Rebecca Sterling, wife of James Sterling, leaving two sons and two daughters.

NEW INVENTIONS.

Below will be found a list of new patents recently granted by Canadian and American governments, the patents being secured through Marton & Co., solicitors of patents, New York Life building, Montreal, and reported by them for the benefit of the Sun's readers.

61,444—Jas. W. Brotherton and George W. Walk, Winnipeg, Man., foot fastener.

61,448—L. E. Paton, Napierville, P. Q., boat propelling mechanism.

61,514—Robert Hetherington and Jas. G. Hunter, Winnipeg, Man., improvements in sack holders.

61,900—P. Q. Provincial, St. Germaine de Grantiam, P. Q., wheel arrow.

61,948—E. Alfred Manny, Beauharnois, P. Q., canal locks.

62,147—N. J. Curry, Namamoo, B. C., crank.

62,175—Geo. Hurry, St. Anne du Sault, P. Q., whistle tree connection.

62,194—Elsaeur Dore, Laprairie, P. Q., cultivator.

62,194—Anthony Lucas, Edmondston, N. B., rail spike lock, tie and gauge protector.

"Now," said the man who was collecting testimonials for a patent medicine, "we use the name of a man of prominence like yourself to give an endorsement of our wonderful cure."

"Well," replied the truthful citizen, "I don't mind saying that one bottle of your medicine has put my youngest boy's feet in a marvellously short time. You see he broke the bottle and then accidentally set down on it."

Sub. Genesis leads fish here for New York.

What is CASTORIA

Castoria is Dr. Samuel Fitcher's prescription for Infants and Children. It contains neither Opium, Morphine nor other Narcotic substance. It is a harmless substitute for Paregoric, Drops, Soothing Syrups and Castor Oil. It is Pleasant. Its guarantee is thirty years' use by Millions of Mothers. Castoria destroys Worms and allays Feverishness. Castoria prevents vomiting Sour Stomach, cures Diarrhoea and Wind Colic. Castoria relieves Teething troubles, cures Constipation and Flatulency. Castoria assimilates the Food, regulates the Stomach and Bowels, giving healthy and natural sleep. Castoria is the Children's Panacea—the Mother's Friend.

Castoria is an excellent medicine for children. Mothers have repeatedly told me of its good effect upon their children. Dr. C. O. Osmond, Lowell, Mass.

THE FAC-SIMILE SIGNATURE OF

Dr. H. Fitcher APPEARS ON EVERY WRAPPER.

The Certain Company, 57 Broadway Street, New York City.

RECENT DEATHS.

James Miller, a Prominent Lumber Operator, died at 10:15 a.m. at his home, 105 St. James Street, after a long illness.

The death of James Miller, which took place at his home, 105 St. James Street, after a long illness, occasioned great genuine regret among all his relatives and acquaintances.

The New England Gas and Coke Co., of which President Henry M. Whitney is the Dominion Co. Co., is the head, has undertaken to supply the Boston and environs with gas at 50 cents a thousand feet.

The Boston police have been unable to find any trace of the \$45,000 alleged to have been stolen from Edward J. Cusack, a Kings county, N. B., inventor, by highwaymen last Monday evening.

It is said that Prof. Charles G. D. Roberts' new Canadian novel, "A. S. Dickson's Death," will make its appearance here next month.

The funeral of James M. Watson, formerly of St. John, who died in Dorchester on Wednesday, was held this afternoon. Mr. Watson was 68 years old.

Among other deaths the following are announced: At Lowell, Nov. 3, J. C. Trenholm, formerly of Amherst, N. S., where internment will occur; at East Cambridge, Nov. 1, Geo.

Major General Hutton has shown a practical interest in the Canadian Military Institute, Toronto, by promising that two field guns shall be placed in front of the club quarters on Queen's avenue. At present there is nothing about the building to denote that it is the home of a military organization.

The cargo of schr. James E. Woodhouse, from Hillsboro, N. B., for New York (before reported foundered), was insured by Boston Marine Insurance Co. for \$1,200.

Major General Hutton, formerly of the 66th Batt. P. L. Fusiliers, Halifax, and obtained his army commission in the 1st Battalion of the 4th Regiment of Foot Guards, and was promoted to Major General in 1870.

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