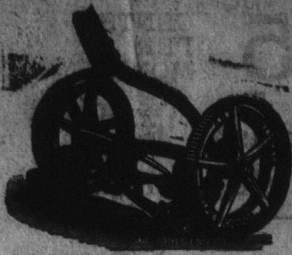


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## KING EDWARD

Presents Medals to Three Thou-  
sand South African Heroes.

Magnificent Spectacle Witnessed on  
the Horse Guards Parade  
This Morning.

LONDON, June 12.—London seldom  
had a finer spectacle than was witness-  
ed on the Horse Guards parade this  
morning, when King Edward presented  
medals to three thousand soldier  
participants in the South African cam-  
paign. The great parade was drawn  
up with guards, drawn from the various  
regiments. In the centre of the ground  
was a purple covered dais, surmounted  
by an Indian tent with silver corner  
poles. In the space between the dais  
and St. James' park were drawn  
three thousand officers and men of the  
Guards, Household Cavalry and City  
Imperial Volunteers, all of whom had  
served in the campaign. The admis-  
sion, however, and other officials  
building fronting the parade were all  
decorated with flags. The Lord Mayor,  
Frank Green, attended in state, and  
the members of the special Moorish  
embassy, in picturesque costumes, were  
interested spectators.

Promptly at 11 o'clock, the King, in  
a field marshal's uniform, the Queen,  
Princess Victoria and other members  
of the royal family, arrived and took  
up places on the dais, and the cere-  
mony began. The recipients of the  
medals, in a long line, marched past  
the King, received the decoration from  
His Majesty, saluted and passed on.  
Lord Roberts came first, followed by  
Lord Milner, while behind them came  
crowds of colonial and lesser officers  
whose names have become familiar owing  
to the war—Buller, Ian Hamilton,  
and a host of others. Among the mem-  
bers of Lord Roberts' South African  
staff who received the medal was Cap-  
tain, the Duke of Marlborough.

The procession, as a whole, was most  
impressive. The officers of the Guards,  
Lancers, Hussars and Highlanders, in  
dazzling uniforms, groups of solemnly  
marched men in frock coats—doctors who  
had served at the front and half a  
dozen foreign attaches in uniform.

There were also groups of time ex-  
pired men in civilian clothing, police-  
men and wounded soldiers, limping  
along in hospital coats. The cere-  
mony lasted nearly three hours, the  
Queen standing beside the King  
throughout.

## BRIEFS BY WIRE.

The Louisville, Ky., Railway Com-  
pany will cut fares, last, increase the  
rates of its motor and conductors  
from 17 1/2 cents to 18 1/2 cents an  
hour.

A report reached Phoenix, Ariz., that  
three Indians have been killed in the  
mountains near Holbrook, in northern  
Arizona by cowboys. The Indians  
were discovered stealing cattle.

Miss Lucy Hanna, bookkeeper for the  
Marietta Ohio Daily Register, was in-  
stantly killed last night by a shock  
from a live wire on an incandescent  
lamp. Heavy electrical storms yester-  
day put the transformer out of order.  
Miss Hanna stepped on an iron door  
sill with the heavily charged wire in  
her hand and was instantly killed.

The judge of the juvenile court, Chi-  
cago, yesterday issued the following  
announcement:—"Children of Chris-  
tian Scientists and of believers in the  
various types of 'mind cure' faith cure  
and Divine healing, will hereafter be  
committed for medical treatment to  
various institutions."

The Supreme Lodge of the Ancient  
Order of United Workmen, with juris-  
diction over the U. S. and Canada, ex-  
pelled the province of Ontario, con-  
vened in Buffalo yesterday, with 200  
delegates. There is a membership of  
400,000.

A terrific electric storm passed over  
Pittsburg, Pa., last night, killing  
Francis Morris, aged 17, and stunning his  
sister.

About 150 machinists of the Snow  
pump works, Buffalo, who have been  
out since May 20, returned to work  
today. Neither side will state the  
nature of the agreement under  
which the men resumed.

The Shenago Machine Company,  
Sharon, Pa., has signed the agreement  
submitted several weeks ago by the  
machinists union, with the strikers will  
return to work today.

C. F. Peterson, Swedish author and  
newspaper editor, is dead at his resi-  
dence in Chicago, after an illness of  
seven weeks. Mr. Peterson ranked  
among the foremost Swedish writers  
of America.

## A MAD LOVER.

NEW YORK, June 12.—Mamie Col-  
lins, of Brooklyn, who was engaged a  
short time ago to be married to Patrick  
Hawkins, also of Brooklyn, lay in wait  
for Hawkins last night because the  
latter had broken his engagement with  
her, and dashed a small cream pitcher  
full of oxalic acid into his face. Then  
she threw her arms about him shriek-  
ing and crying that she did not mean  
to hurt him. The man was blinded  
and will probably lose the sight of both  
eyes.

## A UNIQUE INVITATION.

CHICAGO, Ill., June 12.—President  
McKinley will dine on next Satur-  
day a unique invitation to attend the  
carnival at Deadwood, S. D., beginning  
on July 3, which will celebrate the  
opening of the Black Hills reserva-  
tion by white people 25 years ago. The  
invitation is conveyed on a gold plate.  
Wm. S. Warner, of Deadwood, passed  
through Chicago to day on his way to  
Washington carrying the invitation.  
The celebration is expected to  
prove of great interest in the western  
states.

## THE BODY IDENTIFIED.

Believed Mrs. Blondin Was Murder-  
ed By Her Husband.

LOWELL, Mass., June 12.—The woman whose headless body was found  
in Chelmsford woods last Sunday and  
whose head was found yesterday, was  
identified today as Mrs. Margaret  
Blondin, of Boston. The identification  
was made by Mrs. Margaret Casey, of  
Lawrence, sister of Mrs. Blondin. The  
dead woman married Mr. Blondin, a  
French Canadian mill operative last  
February. It is not known where the  
man is at present.

Mrs. Blondin had been missing since  
April. Her maiden name was Riley.  
She met Blondin in Chelmsford while  
working in a mill there, and their  
courtship covered only a few months.  
The marriage ceremony is believed to  
have been performed in Boston, al-  
though the members of the woman's  
family were not advised of the fact.  
The couple lived in Boston for a time.  
About two months ago Mrs. Blondin  
returned to Lawrence and visited her  
sister for a few days. It was said  
that she and her husband had sepa-  
rated because Blondin wanted her to  
accompany him on a trip to Canada  
and she declined to go. After remain-  
ing with her sister a few days in April  
she came home. Then her sister learned  
that she went to Boston, where she re-  
joined her husband and they lived in  
a lodging house. She was last seen at  
this place late in April. The next day  
Blondin said that she had gone to  
Canada. He disappeared shortly after.  
The authorities are trying to trace  
him.

## WEARY OF LIFE.

NEW YORK, June 12.—Dr. Paul  
Erdmann, a Brooklyn physician, was  
found unconscious early this morning  
near the home of his brother. He was  
suffering from mercurial poisoning, tak-  
ing it is supposed, with suicidal in-  
tent. He will recover. Dr. Erdmann's  
wife said his brother had been in the  
city for some time, and he had been  
much depressed in spirits in conse-  
quence.

PORT CHESTER, N. Y., June 12.—  
Wm. W. Gardner, Jr., the son of a re-  
tired merchant of Port Chester, N. Y.,  
blew out his brains from the porch of  
his father's residence today. Gardner  
returned recently from the Klondike,  
where he had been unsuccessful. It is  
believed he killed himself on account  
of financial troubles.

## FREDERICTON.

FREDERICTON, June 12.—Rev. Father  
Murphy leaves this afternoon to  
take his new charge at Debec. His  
parishioners have presented him with  
a purse of \$100.

Mrs. Scott, wife of Prof. Scott, of the  
U. N. B., is dangerously ill. They  
were married about a year ago. She  
is an Ontario lady.

Hon. Mr. Lablanc is here today. He  
and Hon. Mr. Farris have visited Car-  
leton, Victoria and Madawaska counties  
and report crop and other conditions  
favorable. The new Hartland bridge  
will be formally opened early in July.

The Fredericton Methodist district  
will convene at Boletown tomorrow.  
John J. Timmins is county councillor  
to succeed the late Com. McNally. He  
was elected by acclamation.

Dr. J. Davidson, of the U. N. B.,  
leaves tomorrow afternoon for the  
west to study the railway, commerce  
and transportation problems there.  
He expects to be away for several  
weeks. Mrs. Davidson will not ac-  
company him.

The members of the F. O. M. W. club  
on Monday evening entertained one of  
their popular members, Bedford Phil-  
lips, who is this evening to wed Mrs.  
Mabel Edgcombe. The prospective  
bridegroom was presented by the club  
with a set of meerschaum pipes and the  
club will present the bride with a Mor-  
ris chair. The post office staff, of  
which Mr. Phillips is a member, have  
presented him with a handsome clock.

## EMPEROR WITNESSES LAUNCH.

KIEL, June 12.—Emperor William,  
accompanied by the headquarters staff,  
Prince Henry of Prussia and the chiefs  
of his majesty's private cabinet, ar-  
rived here this morning to witness the  
launch of the battleship Zaehring, at  
the Germania yards. The emperor  
boarded the imperial yacht Hohenzol-  
lern amid salutes from the war ves-  
sels present. Owing to the unfavorable  
weather the launch was postponed un-  
til the afternoon. While the work of  
removing the shores, preparatory to  
the launch, was in progress a crane col-  
lapsed, killing two men and seriously  
injuring three others.

## Y. M. C. A. JUBILEE.

BOSTON, June 12.—The work of the  
international jubilee convention of the  
Y. M. C. A., which began yesterday,  
was resumed today. The presentation  
of Y. M. C. A. problems and of sub-  
jects bearing on the progress of the  
work of fifty years was the main fea-  
ture of today's programme. The con-  
vention was opened with a praise serv-  
ice. Scripture was read and prayer of-  
fered by W. H. Hollister, of Troy, N. Y.

CANADIANS WERE PRESENT.  
GLASGOW, June 12.—The week's  
celebration of the four hundred and  
fiftieth anniversary of the foundation  
of Glasgow University commenced to-  
day with a religious service at the  
cathedral. The gathering was strictly  
international. America was repre-  
sented by delegates from California  
and Massachusetts and by several Can-  
adians, while most of the universities  
of the continent were represented.

MONTREAL, June 12.—As expected,  
an action for damages was entered today  
against Archibald Bell by several Cana-  
dians for five thousand dollars damages and res-  
toration of his rights and privileges as a  
citizen of the diocese of Montreal.

TORONTO, June 12.—W. A. Gidden, a well  
known marine man, died today, aged 55.

## THE NORTH SHORE

Bathurst, Newcastle and Chat-  
ham and Their Attractions.

Delightful Scenery, Good Fishing  
and Hunting and Hotel  
Accommodation.

Speaking of her trip to the North  
Shore, Mrs. Rupert E. Olive, repre-  
senting the Tourist association, said to the  
Star yesterday that Bathurst was a  
particularly attractive site for a sum-  
mer resort because of the excellent  
bathing facilities. There are lovely  
beaches and at the point where the  
summer cottages are located the sandy  
beach stretches for miles. The drives  
all around Bathurst are very beauti-  
ful and that up the Nepisiquit river,  
with its series of rapids and  
falls, is particularly so. The  
Grand Falls, twenty miles up,  
have a drop of one hundred and twen-  
ty-five feet in a series of falls. Tet-  
agouche Falls, nine miles from town;  
Nigadoo, eight miles, and the Pabineau  
Falls, are also very attractive.  
There is plenty of fishing on the Ne-  
pisiquit, and among the camps men-  
tioned to Mrs. Olive were Camp Ad-  
ams, Micmac Lodge, Grand Falls  
Lodge, Burnham's and Pabineau Falls.  
The fishing rights at some of these  
falls have not yet all been sold. There  
is also good fishing in smaller streams  
around Bathurst. Enquiries relative  
to fishing in vicinity should be made to  
Henry Bishop or Mr. Stewart of Bath-  
urst.

Mrs. Olive spent a couple of days on  
the Miramichi and here, as at Bath-  
urst, and on the Restigouche was most  
cordially received and given every op-  
portunity to gather information of in-  
terest and value in connection with  
summering. While at Newcastle she  
was given information relative to fish-  
ing at Indian town, Bartibogue, Ta-  
basintac, Ox-Bow and other places, and  
also information concerning the moose  
and caribou hunting in that region. As  
Y. N. B. has recently won two of the  
best authorities on fishing and hunting  
on the Miramichi are R. H. Armstrong  
and J. R. Lawlor of Newcastle. At  
Chatham, from D. F. Smith and others  
Mrs. Olive was given full informa-  
tion respecting the attractions of that  
place and the fishing and hunting  
grounds within easy reach. Last year  
on the Tabusintac, which is near Chat-  
ham, ninety-three trout, weighing one  
hundred and thirty-eight pounds, were  
taken in one day's fishing. Bass may  
be taken on the river near Chatham,  
while deep sea bass may be had at  
the mouth of the river and in the lower  
bay in their season gages and brant are  
very plentiful, while snipe and wood-  
cock are also plentiful in certain  
places. Chatham is also within easy  
reach of moose and caribou hunting  
grounds. There is of course splendid  
boating on the Miramichi, with steam-  
ers running between Chatham and  
Newcastle and other points down the  
river. There are good hotel accommo-  
dations at Chatham and Newcastle at  
reasonable terms, and there are also  
good livery stables for the North Shore  
folk have a good horse.

Mrs. Olive also visited Moncton and  
Shediac, and while she was struck  
with the progressive spirit of the rail-  
way town she was delighted with the  
natural beauties of Shediac as a sum-  
mer resort. As stated yesterday Mrs.  
Olive goes up river to Woodstock on  
Thursday.

## A MURDEROUS CHINAMAN.

HONOLULU, June 5.—Via San Fran-  
cisco, June 12.—Details of a tragedy  
at sea were brought last Sunday by  
the American schooner J. A. Campbell,  
Captain A. L. Smith, from Port Blake-  
ley, with lumber. The mate of the ves-  
sel, Adam Huber, was murdered by the  
Chinese cook, and the latter after ter-  
rorizing the whole crew by holding  
possession of the galley for nearly 24  
hours, during which it was every mo-  
ment feared he would set fire to the  
vessel, was subjected to a steaming  
process to bring him out, but he shot  
himself rather than come forth and  
was captured, when the crew finally en-  
tered the galley they found the Chin-  
aman's body literally cooked by steam.

## NO MORE BRASS BUTTONS.

NEW YORK, June 12.—By an order  
just issued by Police Commissioner  
Murphy, the 7,500 uniformed men on  
the police force of greater New York  
will be compelled to provide them-  
selves with buttons gilded with 24 carat  
gold instead of the cheaper ones now  
in use. It is estimated that the cost  
of the new buttons will amount in the  
aggregate to \$80,000 a year and that  
the personal expenses to which each  
police officer will be put in making the  
change will be nine dollars a year.

## THE WEATHER.

TORONTO, June 12.—Light, variable  
winds. A few scattered showers, but  
mostly fine and warm today and  
Thursday.

WASHINGTON, June 12.—Eastern  
states and Northern New York: Gen-  
erally fair tonight; Thursday, showers  
probable; variable winds, mostly light  
southwesterly. Western New York:  
Generally fair tonight; Thursday,  
showers and thunder storms are prob-  
able, winds mostly light, southwester-  
ly.

## DIED OF HYDROPHOBIA.

CHICAGO, June 12.—Mrs. J. W. Nash  
was taken to the Pasteur Institute  
today suffering from hydrophobia. Her  
husband died last Friday from the ef-  
fects of a mad dog bite. In caring for  
him Mrs. Nash contracted the disease,  
a wound in her finger becoming in-  
fected while wiping the froth from the  
dying man's mouth.

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p. m. for Hampton and intermediate land-  
ings; returning, will leave Hampton on  
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## ST. JOHN STAR.

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### REV. MR. HOYT'S LETTER.

The suggestion made by Rev. Mr.  
Hoyt in a letter to today's Star is worthy  
of careful consideration. If it were  
possible to utilize the old penitentiary  
building as a house of correction for  
the longer term prisoners it would re-  
lieve the congested condition of the jail,  
and the certainty that hard labor  
would really mean hard labor  
would have a salutary effect on those  
who now regard jail life as a welcome  
period of healthful relaxation. The  
truth of what Mr. Hoyt says from the  
economic standpoint of the value of  
the stone deposits near the old struc-  
ture, for macadamizing purposes, is  
apparent to all who have gone over the  
road leading to Silver Falls in connection  
with the project of jail enlarge-  
ment; it is not yet too late to give fur-  
ther consideration to this suggestion.

### MORE WHARF ROOM NEEDED.

The work of reconstruction on the  
wharf at Reed's point is not progress-  
ing as rapidly as was expected. The  
work was to be done by July 1st, but if  
that is accomplished there will have to  
be some lively work. The St. Croix,  
of the I. S. S. line will then come on  
the route and the new wharf will be  
needed. If it is not ready, the situa-  
tion will be a little awkward.

There is a lot of talk on the street of  
the possibility of the D. A. R. putting  
a steamer on the St. John-Boston  
route. This is altogether unlikely, as  
the company would not be anxious to  
invite new competition in their own  
field. Even if they came here, or if a  
steamer were put on the New York  
route, there would be great difficulty  
in securing a berth. The same would  
be true if the Prince Edward went on  
the south shore route—unless she  
could get the use of the idle wharves  
at the head of the harbor owned by  
the government.

The question of increased wharf ac-  
commodation on the east side of the  
harbor is one of special importance.  
Any increase of traffic would make  
more wharf room an imperative need.

### THE FABIAN LEAGUE.

The meeting of the Fabian league  
last evening was an affair of much  
interest, and a number of the addres-  
sors given were worthy of a much larger  
audience. The paper read by Mr.  
Dykeman showed that he had given a  
great deal of care and attention to  
its preparation, and it was of the sort  
to challenge the close attention of his  
hearers. The general discussion took  
a rather wide range, but was none the  
less interesting; and it was brought  
back to the particular subject in hand  
—that of municipal ownership of light-  
ing plants—by the admirable address of  
Ald. Macrae and Baxter, who, with  
Ald. Waring, were among those pres-  
ent. Ald. Macrae pointed out with  
great force that the Fabian league  
should consider a matter now before  
the city council, and if they favored  
the acquisition by the city of the west  
side lighting plant and franchise, they  
should bring their influence to bear  
upon the aldermen who are opposed to  
such action—dealing with a concrete  
question now before the public rather  
than general statements concerning  
public ownership. Ald. Baxter endor-  
sed this view, and very clearly set forth  
the present position of affairs with re-  
gard to the west side lighting system.  
He was rather pessimistic as to  
the possibility of getting a two-thirds  
vote of the council in favor of the pro-  
posed purchase, but remarked that  
the gentlemen who professed to favor  
the principle of municipal ownership  
would have an opportunity if the pur-  
chase were not made, to vote on the  
question of lighting the west side from  
the north end station. If that failed,  
makers would go on as at present un-  
til it pleased the Street Railway com-  
pany to extend their wires to the west  
side, drive the weaker company, to the  
wall, and control the business. Years  
hence, he believed, if the latter alter-  
native prevailed, the present city council  
would be condemned for not seizing  
the opportunity to acquire a very valu-  
able franchise. The alderman was op-  
posed to any harsh criticism of those  
members of the council who opposed  
the purchase because they did not fa-  
vor so large an expenditure for a sec-  
ond hand plant, for, he observed, there  
was sometimes a tendency to rush  
things, and a wise caution was com-  
mendable. There was a majority of  
the council in favor of the purchase,  
and they might have rushed it through  
the other day, but they felt that such  
a course would be very unwise, since  
a two-thirds vote would be necessary  
to the issue of the debentures to com-  
plete the bargain.

### A WORD TO THE OVER-WISE.

The Star is pleased to observe that  
it has excited the interested attention  
of the valued Telegraph. It is really  
time that large and empty journal in-  
terested itself in a live topic.

Realizing how much more interesting

and more widely read are the excellent  
police reports in this paper than are  
its own dreary and dry-as-dust editor-  
ials, the Telegraph sorely calls for  
the suppression of the former. That  
would be very unwise. The Telegraph  
admits that the other evening papers  
have tried to profit by their careful  
reading of the Star, and this ambi-  
tious young journal is equally and cheer-  
fully willing to set the pace for the  
morning sanitarian for variety editors.  
The Telegraph's hypocritical appeal  
to the "sober Christian people of St.  
John," and its allusions to "coarse  
wit," will be taken at their real value  
by a discerning public. The Star has  
no desire to ridicule the misfortunes  
of any individual or any class. The  
daily police record, as presented from  
day to day in this paper, is an object  
lesson that reveals certain conditions  
of life among us just as they are. It  
is not necessary, for example, to use  
silly cartoons; neither is a black bor-  
der needed. What is pitiable about these  
cases is obvious. If there be a touch  
of humor in the picture, let us have it.  
There is need of it.

Without presuming to dictate, the  
Star begs to commend to the capable  
editor and editors as well as those who  
edit the valued Telegraph, the follow-  
ing observations from the pen of  
George Elliot:

"Thus if I laugh at you, O fellow-  
men! If I trace with curious interest  
your labyrinthine self delusions, and  
smile at your helpless endeavors in a  
rashly chosen part, it is not that I feel  
myself aloof from you. The more in-  
timately I seem to discern your weak-  
nesses, the stronger to me is the proof  
that I share them. No man can know  
his brother simply as a spectator. Dear  
bunderers, I am one of you. I vince  
at the fact, but I am not ignorant of  
it, that I too am laughable on unsus-  
pected occasions; nay, in the very  
whirlwind and tempest of my anger,  
I include myself under my own indig-  
nation. If the human race has a bad  
reputation, I perceive that I cannot  
escape being compromised. And thus  
while I carry in myself the key to other  
men's experience, it is only by observ-  
ing others that I can so far correct my  
self-ignorance as to arrive at the cer-  
tainty that I am liable to commit my-  
self unawares, and to manifest some  
incompetency which I know no more  
of than the blind man knows his own  
face in the glass."

### BRETHREN AT VARIANCE.

Relations are strained between the  
Moncton Transcript and the Chatham  
Advance. Brother Hawke has criti-  
cized the crown land administration of  
the local government. Brother Smith,  
with his usual eagerness to defend all  
governments, rushes to the defence and  
assails the Transcript with sound and  
fury. Whereupon Brother Hawke ob-  
serves that Premier Tweedie would  
get along better without the support  
of the Chatham Advance. "But, per-  
haps," concludes Brother Hawke, "it  
is unfair to hold Mr. Tweedie alto-  
gether responsible for the Advance, as  
he might point to the personality of its  
editor and plead with convincing force  
and truthfulness that he should not be  
held responsible if he fails to create a  
silk purse out of a sow's ear like the  
Advance man."

This is not fair journalism. Mr.  
Smith is an opportunist, but it can be  
proved in any court that he is not a  
sow's ear.

### NO MORE BAD DREAMS.

Musical dentistry is the newest thing  
in Paris. It was expounded before a  
recent meeting of the Academy of Medi-  
cine, by an enthusiastic physician who  
has adopted it. The idea is to have  
sweet music played before and when  
the anaesthetic is administered. By  
the new method a phonograph is used.  
The patient puts the tube to his ear,  
the music is started, the gas adminis-  
tered, and shortly afterwards the oc-  
cupant of the once-dreaded dental  
chair awakes from pleasant dreams to  
see the smiling surgeon showing him  
his tooth. Of course, it is pointed out,  
a varied choice of musical selections can  
and, indeed, should be made to  
suit different temperaments and teeth.  
The physician spoke quite enthusias-  
tically about the new process to the  
assembled academicians, and is eager  
to apply the musical method to surgi-  
cal operations in general. If teeth  
can be drawn to music why not limbs  
cut off and tungs extracted? The pos-  
sibilities appear to be unlimited.

### VERY FREE USE OF TAFFY.

Grant Richards, a London publish-  
er, is at present in America studying  
the methods of American publishers,  
and endeavoring to secure English  
copyrights for recent American novels.  
He says that there is a great demand  
for American literature in England,  
which is quite a new taste, due to the  
better knowledge which now prevails  
of American conditions. Mr. Richards  
says that there is a much wider pre-  
valence of the reading habit on this  
side of the Atlantic, and the reading  
public is on a much higher plane. Mr.  
Richards' humble views of his coun-  
try's taste for literature, and his laud-  
atory statements about America and  
her work is quoted at length in a  
New York paper. The following is a  
sample of his conversation when inter-  
viewed. He had evidently very shrewdly  
guessed the capacity of his audience  
for taffy:

"Nothing in the whole United States  
has impressed me more than my dis-  
covery a few days ago of a little news  
stand, the proprietor of which was a  
boy sixteen years old. On his little  
four-foot counter he displayed for sale

ten recent novels. With all my expe-  
rience as a publisher, I could not have  
made a better selection than the news-  
boy did. Now such a sight would be  
impossible in London. Six-shilling  
novels on a news stand? Never."

And again he says:

"Magazines, to my mind, constitute  
another field in which Americans ex-  
cel us. No popular magazine pub-  
lished in England can, in my opinion,  
compare in its general excellence with  
the leading magazines of the same  
class in this country.  
"Even the cheaper ones seem to be  
written and made up for a more intel-  
ligent and higher class of readers than  
ours. The articles are more timely.  
Their subjects are selected more with  
a view to what people want to read  
about than with us. Taken as a whole,  
American magazines are a splendid  
mirror of contemporary American  
thought and progress."

As if suddenly becoming aware of  
his confessions being unfair to his own  
country this loquacious publisher con-  
cludes with:—"So far as the mechan-  
ical production of books is concerned,  
American popular editions are, as a  
rule, better than English, but, on the  
other hand, we can produce a better  
book if we want to. For example, the  
'Outward Bound' is a much finer edi-  
tion of Kipling than has ever been at-  
tempted with us, but it is excelled by  
the recent Edinburgh edition of Robert  
Louis Stevenson."

### LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE.

#### A HOUSE OF CORRECTION.

ST. JOHN, June 11, 1901.

To the Editor of the Star:  
Sir,—The reason given by Judge  
Forbes for sending the convict Man-  
son to exile, as well as your amusing ar-  
ticle upon Jimmy the Squaller, are  
among the evidences which have been  
accumulating of late, proving the nec-  
essity of a house of correction, which  
would make provision for the idle as  
well as the vicious, and at the same  
time relieve the congested state of the  
population in the jail.

Previous to the removal of the pro-  
vincial penitentiary from St. John, the  
"drunken" and other minor offences  
found asylum in that institution. The  
sentence "forty days with hard labor"  
had a meaning.

Why could the same building not be  
applied to the same purpose now?  
A large solid stone structure, which  
could not be put to any other purpose,  
is going to decay. A few thousand dol-  
lars would make it fitted for the pur-  
pose, and it would be worth many  
thousand dollars more than the out-  
lay.

It can be of no value to the govern-  
ment, and therefore, I should think,  
could be easily conveyed to the county.  
The county already owns the adjoining  
land, as Alma house property, so that  
a road could be easily constructed  
without interfering with the Indus-  
trial home in the front.

Besides this, the best material for  
roads has been found upon the lot on  
which this building is situated. This  
has been proved upon trial. If any  
one wishes to test it, let him drive out  
to Silver Falls and note the material  
with which the road is macadamized.  
A stone crusher connected with the  
establishment would afford employ-  
ment to the inmates, and at the same  
time produce a much needed improve-  
ment on the roads of the city and  
county.

In this way a trip "across the flats"  
would be a terror to evildoers, as it  
was in the old time.

Yours, etc.,  
LEO. A. HOYT.

### DISTRICT MEETING.

Financial and Statistical Reports Re-  
ceived This Morning.

The Methodist district meeting con-  
tinued its session today. Rev. Geo.  
Steel presided. After the opening de-  
votional services reports were received  
from the different circuits and mis-  
sions. The membership statistics were  
first given. They are:

Church.	Mem.	Inc.	Dec.
Central	215	12	8
Centenary	345	10	1
Emmanuel	344	1	1
Portland	270	11	11
Carlton	170	1	1
Carmanthorpe	197	1	1
Fairville	194	1	1
Sussex	144	1	1
Apollon	122	1	1
Springfield	132	1	1
Hampton	106	1	1
Upham	27	1	1
Courtenay Bay	84	1	1
St. Martins	30	1	1
Jordan	10	1	1
Welford	174	1	1
Kingston	92	1	1
Total	2,925	57	61

Total decrease, 51.  
The statistical returns were then brought  
in. They were the amounts raised for all  
purposes, ministers' salary, circuit purposes,  
and benevolent funds:

Church.	Amount.
Queen square	\$4,912.91
Centenary	14,222.44
Emmanuel	4,175.82
Carlton	2,281.83
Carmanthorpe	2,063.90
Fairville	1,628.70
Sussex	856.93
Apollon	1,084.03
Springfield	913.28
Hampton	857.45
Upham	884.00
St. Martins	231.20
Jordan	400.85
Welford	720.10
Kingston	1,070.00
Total	63,700

The district adjourned until this af-  
ternoon, when the reports of the Sun-  
day schools and Epworth league will  
be presented.

### COL. CHAR. W. RAYMOND.

Colonel Charles W. Raymond, an es-  
teemed resident of Woodstock,  
and father of Rev. W. O. Raymond, of  
this city, died at his home Monday  
evening, a few moments after his eld-  
est son, Rev. Mr. Raymond, arrived.  
Col. Raymond was 81 years of age.  
There are three sons, Rev. W. O.  
Raymond, Leas and Arthur, and one  
daughter, Bessie, unmarried. From  
his boyhood days Col. Raymond was  
active in militia work, and was very  
prominent in his church, being liberal  
in his offerings, and a constant attend-  
ant. It is said of him that he leaves  
behind a record of a spotless life.

ALEXANDER, Man. June 11.—John Bon-  
nie, a farmer, aged 45, blew off the top of  
his head with a shotgun this morning. Cause  
unknown.

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### A FINE STORY OR TWO.

(Toronto Star.)

"On this question as to whether fish-  
ermen tell lies," said Brown, "I want  
to say that queer things happen,  
which, when related, cause people who  
know nothing about fishing to suspect  
that somebody's lying."

"That's just it," said Smith. "That's  
the point."

"Now, I was up the Georgian Bay a  
week ago and I got talking to an in-  
telligent fisherman, who told me of a  
trout caught at Byng Inlet that was  
found to have a table-knife inside it."

"A what?"

"A table-knife. They have the knife  
yet, having kept it as a curiosity, but  
I was inclined to doubt the story, but  
since coming home I met a man who  
had just been to Byng Inlet, and asked  
him about it. He said he hadn't heard  
the story, but since I mentioned it he  
felt quite certain it was true, as he  
had seen a table-knife there."

"No doubt that's how it got to Byng  
Inlet," said Smith, "but how did it get  
into the fish?"

"Easy enough. The fisherman told  
me that lake trout are notorious for  
gobbling any moving thing in the wa-  
ter. A slavey in one of the steamers  
had probably thrown the knife out  
when emptying a pan of fish-water,  
and in a hurry the trout couldn't tell  
a knife from a spoon."

"I know cases quite as strange," said  
Smith.

"Hold on—hold on. I thought of  
fish-stories. You let me talk. The  
fisherman related another little  
incident that inexperienced persons  
would doubt. He caught a big trout  
and observed that it was remarkably  
thin and worried looking. Its condi-  
tion surprised him. When opened he  
found in it a stone the size of a hen's  
egg. Finding it couldn't do any thing  
conclusively with that stone, the fish  
just naturally worried itself to a skele-  
ton."

"I suppose somebody on a steamer  
had thrown the stone at a sea-gull,"  
said Smith, "and as it sank, the fish  
saw it. It's reasonable enough. Did  
you let that fisherman get away with-  
out telling him any of your own ex-  
periences?"

"Well, not altogether, but it was a  
story I saw once in the New York Sun  
that seemed to make the greatest im-  
pression on him. You remember it—  
the story of the big mudcat?"

"No, I don't recall it."

"Very remarkable case. Big mud-  
cat—fished 'em all. Got away with a  
dozen lines—mouth rimmed with hooks.  
Man at last hit on a scheme and went  
down all prepared—put heavy sinker  
on line and a cork on hook for bait.  
The mud-cat took it—died it again, and  
so on for an hour. At last the mud-cat  
fastened—simply couldn't stay down, he  
was so full of corks. It was pathetic  
to see him diving and trying to grab  
a root to hang to at the bottom. He  
went out in a boat and roped him in."

"You shouldn't have told that one."

"Well, it's a little too much of a  
corker."

### MINISTER'S VISITS.

That Baltimore preacher who declared  
recently that a minister visiting a sick  
room does more harm than good, seems  
to have called forth a good deal of  
censure from his brethren of the cloth,  
and from others as well. Leslie's  
Weekly in discussing it says:—"The  
ministerial visitor is represented as  
tip-toeing around and offering consola-  
tory prayers, things, it is said, which  
are ofttimes enough 'to make a well man  
sick.' Pastoral visitation upon the  
sick might have been of this order in  
times past, but it is the rare exception  
today. The ministerial profession is  
made up generally of intelligent and  
sensible men, who realize as fully as  
any one can do that such conduct as  
that described would be utterly out of  
place in a sick-room. It is unfair and  
unjust to give out the impression that  
ministers are a kind of pious ogres  
whose presence at the bedside of the  
sick and suffering is unwelcome and re-  
pellant. As a rule, the facts are the  
contrary of this. The pastoral visitant  
brings comfort, hope and cheer to the  
weak and languishing, and his presence  
is often like a benediction rather than  
a source of gloom and depression."

### AN ENDLESS TASK.

She—"Do you think it is work for a  
woman to talk?"

He—"Oh, yes; you know they do say  
woman's work is never done."—Yonk-  
ers Statesman.







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A prominent citizen of Halifax  
writes as follows to a St. John news-  
paper man:"Perhaps, in view of the fact that I  
am deeply concerned in the project,  
you could advise me as to whether it  
has been definitely resolved to start  
Turkish baths in the city of St. John,  
and if so, when the project likely to  
materialize? This institution flourish-  
ed for a while in Halifax, greatly to  
the joy and postulate of a few of us,  
but from lack of sufficient patronage  
it expired. If such an enterprise should  
become permanently established in St.  
John it is not unlikely that not infre-  
quent visitations will be made thither  
by the inhabitants of this great com-  
mercial port for the express purpose  
of enjoying the benefits of treatment.""Patterson's,"  
Cor. Charlotte and Duke Sts.SAILOR  
HATS.A 75c. one for  
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## LOCAL NEWS.

The Roman Catholics are to erect a  
\$20,000 hospital at Glace Bay.The annual meeting of the Back-  
ville district of the Methodist church  
begins at Nine o'clock today.An insane woman named Casey, from  
Cocagne, was taken to the asylum  
Monday.The annual conference of the A. M.  
E. church of this district will be held  
in St. Phillips church the first of Aug-  
ust.An effort is being made to bring Rob-  
ert J. Fitzsimmons, ex-heavyweight  
champion, to this city, to give an ex-  
hibition.Delegations from Gurney and St.  
George's visited Granite Rock division  
S. of N., west end, last night, and spent  
a very enjoyable evening.Imported strawberries are selling at  
fifteen cents wholesale. Native ber-  
ries are very scarce as yet. Only a few  
boxes have so far been brought to  
town.The Loyalist left Halifax at eight  
o'clock last night and will be due to  
arrive this evening, when she will be  
docked at the Pettibone wharf to dis-  
charge her inward cargo.Up to the present there are three  
hundred and three dogs who are per-  
mitted by civil license to roam around  
the city and back. The remaining  
two thousand will probably do as much  
roaming and barking.The death is reported, of John Dun-  
lavy, which occurred early this morn-  
ing at his home, 105 Queen street. De-  
ceased had been ill for a long time and  
death was caused by the results of in-  
juries received on labor day 1899. Mr.  
Dunlavy leaves a widow and five chil-  
dren.The Policemen's Relief Association will  
have their annual moonlight ex-  
cursion up river on the steamer David  
Weston, on Tuesday evening, June  
25th. The steamer will leave their  
wharf at 8.30 local time. The tickets  
are 50 cents each.THE FABIAN LEAGUE.  
The Question of Public Ownership—  
Carleton Lighting Plant.The meeting of the Fabian league in  
Foresters' hall last evening was a very  
interesting one. W. F. Hatheway pre-  
sided. P. A. Dykeman read a care-  
fully prepared paper on municipal own-  
ership of gas and electric lighting,  
stating what has been done in some  
other Canadian cities and in Detroit,  
giving figures of comparative cost, and  
dealing lastly with lighting in St. John,  
pointing out that it would be of ad-  
vantage to the city to do its own light-  
ing. Miss Peters, who with a number  
of other ladies, was present, stated  
that the reform in Detroit was due to  
the efforts of one man, Mayor Pingree,  
and therefore the Fabian league should  
not be discouraged if its membership  
were not large. H. E. Odner read a  
statement showing how largely munici-  
pal ownership has extended in Eng-  
land and Germany. Rabbi Rabinovitch  
argued very strongly in favor of  
state and municipal ownership of all  
productive agencies, with a system of  
old age pensions James Lee, Mr.  
Robertson, of the Pender Co., R. G.  
Murray, D. M. Ring, Ald. Macrae and  
Ald. Baxter also spoke, the two last  
named speaking directly to the ques-  
tion of the purchase of the Carleton  
lighting plant and franchise, suggest-  
ing that here the question before the  
meeting was presented in a concrete  
form and therefore in a shape to be  
dealt with in a practical way.  
It was suggested by the chairman  
that a meeting might be held to dis-  
cuss especially the Carleton lighting  
matter, and Ald. Macrae and Baxter  
expressed their perfect willingness to  
attend and speak if called upon.

INSURANCE PAYMENTS.

The Insurance Press, of New York, in  
a list of life insurance payments in the  
United States and Canada last  
year, includes some New Brunswick  
amounts. St. John being \$13,433; Fred-  
erickton, \$21,054; Campbellton, \$6,250;  
Amalgam, \$1,700; Bathurst, \$3,776; Bay-  
field, \$5,500; Moncton, \$13,083; Petitcodiac,  
\$1,500; Petit Rocher, \$3,500; Sackville,  
\$2,500; St. Andrews, \$4,500; Sussex,  
\$4,154.The Insurance Press received reports  
of claims paid equalling or exceeding  
\$10,000 during 1900 as follows:St. John, N. B.—C. F. Woodman, \$16,  
283.  
St. John, N. B.—James J. Bostwick,  
\$25,933.  
Yarmouth, N. S.—L. E. Baker, \$25,000.  
Halifax—Michael Dwyer, \$60,000.

CONFERENCE OF CLERGY.

A regular conference of the  
Roman Catholic clergy of St. John,  
Sussex, St. Martins and Petersville  
was held in the clergy house at St.  
John the Baptist church this morning.  
There were present Bishop Casey, Mgr.  
Connolly, and Rev. Fathers McMurray,  
Gaynor, O'Neill, Meahan, Porter, Dono-  
van, Walsh, Savage (of Sussex), Coughlin  
(of St. Martins), McDermott (of Peters-  
ville), Collins (of Fairville), Cormier  
(of Silver Falls). Matters such as are  
regularly discussed at these confer-  
ences were dealt with, and the assem-  
bled clergy dined together. This is the  
first conference held under the new  
bishop.

PROBATE COURT.

Letters of administration of the estate of  
Andrew Pater, were granted to his widow,  
Catherine A. Pater. The estate is valued  
at \$3,000 personal property, J. R. Armstrong,  
probator.  
Letters of administration of the estate of  
David A. Spanglet were granted to his widow,  
Ellen Spanglet. The value of the estate  
is \$3,000 personal property. John Kerr, K. C.,  
probator.

THIS EVENING.

Concert in Glad Tidings Hall.  
Lecture in St. John's (Stone) church  
Union Lodge, K. of P.  
Albion Division, S. of T.TORONTO, June 11.—Hon. Mr. Hardy's  
favorable opinion, and that there is  
still a possibility of his recovery.

## POLICE COURT.

Akseel Will be a Good Boy and Go Back  
to Work—Manson Remanded.Akseel Arntsen prefers going back to  
his work on the schooner with Capt.  
McBride to spending a couple of months  
in jail for deserting and looting the  
wages now due him. With the assist-  
ance of an interpreter the matter was  
thoroughly explained to him this  
morning and he promised to rejoin his  
ship.William Manson was brought before  
the magistrate. The charge was read  
and the prisoner remanded for a week.  
In anticipation of sensational develop-  
ments in this case the usual curious  
crowd was present in the court room,  
but went away disappointed.Margery Hughes, charged with as-  
sault on Miss Barbara Lupton, of Blood  
Alley, was again before the court. Bar-  
bara has during the past day or two  
acquired a slight limp, probably from  
the Carleton style of amusement  
indulged in by Margery, which, al-  
though it detracts considerably from  
the graceful movement of her figure,  
it adds greatly to the realistic effect of  
the performance. This city, it was  
postponed for a week, on account of  
the illness of one of the witnesses.The matter of encumbering Hazen  
street was referred to this morning,  
and it was decided to let the matter  
rest a week, during which time  
Charles T. Jones and James J. Jones  
& Son may have an opportunity of mak-  
ing some arrangement with the city.  
If the street is to be re-opened for the  
use of the public the articles complain-  
ed of will be removed, but if it is not  
to be opened both parties are prepared  
to purchase the land.

## A STRANDED ONE

And What He Did at an Uptown Hotel.

One of the members of a theatrical  
company which lately stranded in  
Maine was under spiritual influences  
moved to come to this city, and while  
here he was provocative of more fun  
than at any time when on the stage.  
When disaster struck the company this  
morning, he secured a position with a  
moving picture concern, which was  
touring Quebec. He was somewhat over-  
joyed to leave the Maine town, and  
he looked hard at the Maine wine be-  
fore he left. The result was that when  
he woke up he was in St. John hotel.The city was familiar to him, and he  
immediately sought the hotel where he  
had previously stayed."Souse me," he remarked, "but can  
you lend me a locomotive?"  
Unfortunately for all concerned, the  
company could not be obtained, and the  
stranded one let himself out to amuse  
the company. He did it not wisely but  
too well, with the result that in the  
course of time he was again without  
a place to lay his head.This condition of affairs was not  
pleasing and later on he returned sur-  
reptitiously through the kitchen win-  
dow. Somehow or other he obtained  
a son of beer, and with that re-  
turned to his room, blissfully im-  
conscious. The last seen of him he was  
trying to jump a freight at Fairville.

## THE I. C. R. OX-TRAIN.

Another Slow Record Smashed to  
Smithereens.Messrs. Russell, Tiffin, Horne, Bur-  
ges, Jarvis and Seaman, of the I. C. R.,  
should be waylaid by a delegation of  
enthusiastic subordinates and taken for  
an excursion on the "ox-train."It would do them a world of good and af-  
ford them an opportunity to reflect on  
their sins of omission.  
The ox-train did not leave at 11.15  
yesterday, which is her time to go.  
She rested in the depot for 25 minutes,  
waiting for way bills as usual. Then  
she started on her mad career, arriv-  
ing at Coldbrook at 12 o'clock. When  
she reached the freight station, she was  
met by the faithful exertion of travel-  
ling three miles in 19 minutes, she sat  
down on the rails at Coldbrook and  
rested till 12.30. Then she pulled out  
and got to Rexton at 12.55. The nine  
miles was done in one hour and four-  
teen minutes, breaking the crawling  
record in slowness by a good margin.  
The passengers stopped their watches  
and forgot the commandments.

## A NARROW ESCAPE.

Victor Dykeman had last evening a  
narrow escape from serious accident.  
He was at Quispamsis waiting for the  
late suburban train. Mr. Dykeman had plac-  
ed a box, which he was carrying, on  
the steps of the car, and resumed con-  
versation with a friend. The train  
started out quickly, and Mr. Dykeman  
made a grab at the car rail, and just  
caught it, and was dragged and thrown  
with considerable violence, though he  
escaped severe injury.

## PERSONALS.

Fred. Brewster, of Moncton, is visit-  
ing friends in this city. Miss Jennie  
Burpee, of McLean Hos-  
pital, Waverly, Mass., is visiting her  
parents in this city. Miss Burpee re-  
cently passed a very successful exami-  
nation as a trained nurse, and will  
graduate to the Massachusetts General  
Hospital in July.Friends of Hon. A. F. Randolph, who  
has been in delicate health for some  
time, were pleased to see him out driv-  
ing this afternoon. Miss Fainney, who  
has been seriously ill for the past two  
months, is slowly recovering her health,  
and is able to go out for a drive.—Fred-  
erickton Herald.

## ROAD REPAIRS NEEDED.

The condition of the Sandy Point  
road is a source of great complaint to  
the people residing there. It is said  
that a considerable sum of money has  
been spent in wages for repairs, but  
that the results are not discernable to  
the naked eye. If half what is said  
about the condition of the road be true,  
there should be a little heart-searching  
on the part of whoever is respon-  
sible.

## VERY BAD BOYS.

A number of boys destroyed a  
set of flowers in the porch of Mrs.  
Narraway's house, Orange street, last  
evening. The lot included a valuable  
century plant. The police are on the  
case, and if the young rascals are  
found they will doubtless be severely  
dealt with. This sort of vandalism de-  
serves prompt punishment.

## JUNE WEDDINGS.

William H. Davis and Miss Mary E.  
Garlick, daughter of Philip Garlick,  
74 Queen street, were married in St.  
James church at 4.30 this morning by  
Rev. A. D. Dewdney. The bride was  
attended by Miss Sadie Gourley, and  
the groom by the bride's brother, John  
Garlick. A wedding breakfast was  
served at the home of the bride's par-  
ents, and the happy couple left by  
steamer for a tour in the Annapolis  
valley. The bride received many gifts,  
and quite a large party of friends were  
at the wharf to speed the pair on their  
wedding tour.The cathedral of the Immaculate  
Conception was this morning the scene  
of a very pretty wedding. Joseph O'-  
Brien, in the employ of Vassie & Co.,  
Brien, in the employ of Vassie & Co.,  
was united in marriage to Miss Nellie  
O'Leary, daughter of James O'Leary,  
of 15 Brunsell street. The ceremony  
was performed by Father McMurray  
in the presence of a large number of  
friends of the contracting parties. The  
bride was attended by her sister, Miss  
Alice O'Leary, and Fred. Coghlan sup-  
ported the groom. The costume worn  
by the bride consisted of a brown  
brocade travelling suit with taffeta  
silk waist and blue chiffon picture hat  
with gold lace trimmings. The brides-  
maid wore white muslin with pearl  
and chiffon trimmings, and a white  
chiffon hat. Both carried handsome  
bouquets.Among the many presents received by  
the bride was a beautiful dinner set  
from the groom's employer. The  
groom's present to the bride was a  
pearl crescent and to the bridesmaid  
an opal ring.After the ceremony breakfast was  
served at the bride's home. Mr.  
and Mrs. O'Brien left by boat  
this morning on a visit to different  
American cities. Upon their return  
they will reside on Rockland road.The flags on the different fire sta-  
tions are all flying today in honor of  
the marriage of James Traynor, former  
member of Chief Kerr's wagon, to Miss  
Celia Donohue, daughter of James  
Donohue, of Brunsell street. The  
ceremony was performed at six o'clock  
this morning in the cathedral by Fa-  
ther McMurray. The bridesmaid was  
Miss Maude Donohue, and Owen Tray-  
nor attended the groom. The bride  
was charmingly attired in a dress of  
purple with black silk trimmings and a  
chiffon hat to match, and carried a  
large bouquet. The young couple were  
the recipients of many beautiful pre-  
sents, among them being a fine oak  
sideboard, from the bride's employer,  
and associates in Oak Hall, and some  
handsome bronze statuary from Chief  
Kerr.Mr. and Mrs. Traynor will be at  
home to friends at the residence, 155  
Sydney street, on Tuesday and Wed-  
nesday, June 12th and 13th.At St. Paul's church this forenoon  
the marriage took place of Arthur S.  
Bowman and Miss Annie Ethel Beer,  
daughter of the late William Beer. The  
bride was attended by her sister, Miss  
Louise Beer, and Miss Lucy Wellington,  
and the groom was supported by his  
brother. The ceremony was per-  
formed by the Rev. C. Schofield, a cousin  
of the bride, and Rev. A. G. H.  
Dicker. The bride was given away by  
her brother, William Beer. The church  
was most prettily decorated on the  
occasion, apple blossoms being the chief  
feature.At 6.30 o'clock yesterday morning, in  
St. Peter's church, Rev. James  
Woods, C. S. R., united in marriage  
Miss Rose W. Burns, daughter of  
Dennis Burns, Harrison street, to  
Robert Daley, of the I. C. R. Miss  
Burns, who was attired in a dove-  
colored suit, with hat to match, was  
attended by her sister, Miss Jennie  
Burns, dressed in a cadet blue suit  
with picture hat. P. Higgins sup-  
ported the groom. Among the beautiful  
gifts of which the happy couple were  
the recipients was a china dinner set  
to the bride from the employees of the  
F. C. Colwell-Candy Co.At the home of the bride, St. James  
street, at 6.30 this morning, occurred  
the marriage of Joseph R. McConnell,  
formerly of this city, but now of Yar-  
mouth, and Miss Annie Maud Lahey,  
daughter of Pilot Wm. Lahey. The  
ceremony was performed by Rev. Geo.  
Steel. The bride was dressed in a tra-  
ditional suit of blue broadcloth and  
wore a Tuscany hat. Among the bridal  
gifts was a silver salad dish from the  
members of the North End Salvage  
corps, of which the groom was form-  
erly secretary. The happy couple left  
by steamer for Yarmouth.

## WEDDED AT APOHAQUI.

In the Methodist church, Apohaqui,  
at eight o'clock Wednesday evening,  
June 6th, Harry S. Jones, of the firm  
of Jones Bros., was united in marriage  
to Freda K., youngest daughter of  
Thomas Burgess, both of that place.  
Rev. Mr. Hamilton performed the cere-  
mony.The bride looked charming in white  
tulle, veiling, with veil and orange  
blossoms, and was attended by her  
bridesmaid, Miss Florence Ellison, and  
little Miss Muriel Jones as flower girl.  
The groom was supported by his bro-  
ther, H. S. Jones.The wedding party left the church to  
the strains of the wedding march played  
by Miss Johnson.The immediate relatives of the bride  
and groom repaired to the bride's  
home, where refreshments were serv-  
ed. Mr. and Mrs. Jones left on the  
midnight train for a trip through P.  
E. I.The bride received a number of valu-  
able gifts. The bride's parents,  
Stephen Jones, bedroom suit; Mrs.  
Belle Burgess, table linen; Mr. and  
Mrs. H. Parlee, parlor lamp; Miss Ethel  
Burgess, silver butterdish; Mr. and  
Mrs. Connelley Johnson, parlor table;  
Doctor and Mrs. Burgess, silver pud-  
ding dish; Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Jones, din-  
ner set; Miss Hallett, cut glass cracker  
jar; Palmerston Burgess, silver sugar  
bowl and dozen spoons; H. S. Jones,  
hat box; Miss Johnson, silver berry  
basket; Miss Margaret Johnson, silver  
sugar shell; Conductor Burgess, St.  
John, parlor lamp; Master Colby and  
Miss Muriel Jones, silver pie knife;  
Mr. and Mrs. Beverly Burgess, silver  
cake basket; Miss Ellison, silver card

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Mrs. James Henderson, soup ladle;  
Mr. Hewitt, Ottawa, carrying set; Miss  
Steen, St. John, lace handkerchief;  
Miss Thompson, St. Stephen, silver berry  
spoon.  
Mrs. O. B. Jones deserves great credit  
for the beautiful appearance of the  
church.

## SUSSEX NEWS.

Pure Breed Ayshire Cattle—A Rifle  
Club—Personal News.SUSSEX, June 11.—S. F. Goodfellow,  
who bought the Col. Beer farm, receiv-  
ing on yesterday last from Ontario  
twelve head of pure bred Ayshire  
cattle, four pigs and a saddle horse. It  
is understood he wishes to purchase an-  
other farm with a view to raising  
stock.David Alton, one of our prosperous  
farmers, has sold and delivered two  
carloads of feed cattle to St. John  
butchers. Mr. Alton is now offering a  
part or the whole of his large farm  
for sale.The Sussex milk factory, with Nel-  
son Eveleigh as manager, is receiving  
large quantities of milk daily. On  
Monday last 2,100 lbs. were taken in  
and today 1,444 lbs. of butter was made.  
The average amount of butter being  
made per week being 5,500. This is a  
good showing for the farmers in and  
around this place.John A. Wheaton of St. John is in  
Sussex today, looking over the plans  
of the water works and the grounds  
where pipes are to be laid, with a view  
of putting in a tender for the job.  
A number of militia men and local  
sports met last night with a view of  
forming a rifle club. As there was  
some disagreement the meeting was ad-  
journed for a few nights.The officers of the fire department  
met last night to see what arrange-  
ment could be made to go to Halifax  
in August.Geo. G. Scovill, M. P. P., was in Sus-  
sex Monday on local business. Fred.  
M. Sproul and daughter, Miss Winnie,  
left, spent Sunday and Monday in St.  
Martins.James M. McIntyre was called out to  
ward's check today to draw the will of  
J. Marshall, who is not expected to  
live.Miss Eleanor Dobson, accompanied  
by Miss Alice Howes, is spending a  
few weeks in Sackville. They intend  
making a return trip on their  
wheels if the roads permit.Diphtheria that broke out here is  
supposed to have been brought here  
from Boston by a party who spent the  
winter there. Miss Eva White, one of  
the victims, is lying very low, having  
had a relapse last night. It is under-  
stood there are several cases of diph-  
theria in Norton.

## KING ALFRED.

Whose Millennium is Shortly to be  
Celebrated.Prof. Brander Matthews celebrates  
the millennium of King Alfred's death  
in a paper in Harper's. We quote from  
it the following passage:It is a thousand years since the death  
of the great Englishman, King Alfred,  
in whose humble translations we may  
see the beginnings of English litera-  
ture. Until it has a literature, how-  
ever unpretending and however art-  
less, a language is not conscious of it-  
self; and it is therefore in no condi-  
tion to maintain its supremacy over  
the dialects that are its jealous rivals.  
And it is by its literature chiefly that  
a language forever binds together the  
people who speak it—by a literature  
in which the characteristics of these  
people are revealed and preserved, and  
in which their ideals are declared and  
passed down from generation to gen-  
eration as the most precious heritage  
of the race.The historian of the English people  
asserts that what made Alfred great,  
small as was his sphere of action, was  
"the moral grandeur of his life. He  
lived solely for the good of his people."  
He laid the foundations for a uniform  
system of law, and he started schools  
wishing that every free-born youth  
who had the means should "abide at  
his book till he can understand Eng-  
lish writing." He invited scholars from  
other lands to settle in England, and  
what most told on English literature  
was done, not by them, but by the  
King himself. He "resolved to throw  
open to his people in their own tongue  
the knowledge which till then had  
been limited to the clergy," and he  
"took his books as he found them," the  
popular manuals of the day, Bede  
and Boethius and Orosius. These he  
translated with his own hand, editing  
freely, and expanding and contracting  
as he saw fit. "Do not blame me if  
any know Latin better than I," he ex-  
plained with modest dignity; "for  
every man must say what he says and  
must do what he does according to his  
ability." And Green, from whom this  
quotation is borrowed, insists that,  
"simple as was his aim, Alfred created  
English literature."—The English  
literature which is still alive and  
sturdy after a thousand years, and  
which is today flourishing not only in  
Great Britain, where Alfred founded  
it, but here in the United States, in  
a larger land, the existence of which  
great race King had no reason ever to  
surmise.MONTREAL, June 11.—The Trackmen's  
Union of America yesterday sent an al-  
lusion to President Shaughnessy, demand-  
ing an answer to their requests by noon to-  
day. Shortly before that time the C. P. R.  
president made an appointment with the  
committee for a meeting tomorrow.MONTREAL, June 11.—An unknown man  
trapped from the centre square of Victoria  
bridge yesterday afternoon, and was either  
killed or drowned. The man was attended  
by three other men, who made their escape  
when the police were notified by onlookers.