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SOUTH AFRICA.

Boers Daily Making Trouble Along the Lines of Communication.

Sir Redvers Buller Makes a Spirited Defense of His Stragety and Pays a High Compliment to the Gallantry of the

OTTAWA, Oct. 16. The militia department announces that 35 more Canadians invalided from South Africa. Among them are the following:

2nd (special service) battalion, Royal Canadian Regiment: No. 7915, Corporal F. W. Coombs, 62nd regi-ment; No. 7833, Private J. Culver, 62nd regiment; No. 7922, Private N. Dorian, Charlottetown Engineer Co.; No. 7967, Private A. J. B. Mellish, 82nd re-

Royal Canadian Dragoons: No. 6, Farrier, Q. M. Sergt. G. J. Simpkin. "A" squadren, R. C. D.: No. 434, Sergeant R. H. Arnold, 8th Hussars: No. 61, Private A. W. Brown, "A" squadron, R. C. D.; No. 268, Private B. Hobbs. "B" squadron, R. C. D., No. 415. Pte. F. E. Bettle, 62nd regiment; No. 419, Pt ?. J. T. Ryan, 8th Husars. LONDON, Oct. 17.-A despatch received here today from Lord Roberts, under date of Pretoria, Tuesday, Oct. 16., reports a number of minor affairs, but says that the only incident of importance was the surrender of Theunis Botha, a brother of Comman lant General Zotha, at Volks Rust, Oct. 13. LORENZO MARQUES, Oct. 17.-Mr. Kruger has postponed his departure for Europe until Oct 20. He will land at Marseilles.

GALT, Ont., Oct. 17.—Private Allen Hughes Charles, with the second contingent, writes his brother bere that he, together with one other member of the second contingent, and one member of the first contingent, have been appointed members of the body guard of 41 to Lord Roberts picked from the mounted colonial troops.

mounted colonial troops.

This body guard will remain with Lord Roberts until after his arrival in England and the reception ceremonies there are over. Private Hughes Charles is a son of Hughes Charles, manager of the local branch of the Bank of Commerce.

(Special to the Sun.)
OTTAWA, Oct. 17.—A cable from Cape
Town today states that Pte. Matthew Leggat, 2nd battalion Canadian Mounted Rifles,

gat, 2nd battalion Canadian Mounted Kines, of St. Charles, Que., was slightly wounded at Noitgidecht on Oct. 10th.

LONDON, Oct. 17.—Under reserve the Daily Express publishes a report that Gen. Sir Redvers Buller has been summoned from South Africa to succeed Lord Wolseley as commander-in-chief, Lord Roberts declining to accept the position without a free hand.

PRETORIA, Oct. 18.—The Boers are daily tearing up portions of the railroad and cutting telegraph and tele-

phone wires. Their attacks are intolerable. The repairing linemen cannot leave the garrisoned points without considerable escorts. The only remedy seems to be to corral all the burghers and deport

LONDON, Oct. 19.—The Pietermaritzburg correspondent of the Daily News wires as follows:

them, as apparently none can be trust-

"In his speech returning thanks for the sword of honor, Sir Redvers Buller made a spirited defence of his strategy. He said that he did not believe that any general had ever faced a situation so difficult as that which confronted him when he disembarked at Cape Town without an aarmy, and with no hope of one for another sever weeks or longer.

"'I found Mafeking and Kimberly beleaguered,' continued he, 'and the two main avenues across the Free State, Bethulie bridge and Narvol's Pont, in the hands of the enemy, with Ladysmith nearly surrounded. If I had waited for the army and then advanced on Bloemfontein it would have been at least twelve weeks before I could have exerted any influence on

the situation. " 'In that time the Boers would have completely overrun and occupied Natal; and what would have been the effect of that on Europe and the Brit ish people?

"General Buller then proceeded to the interesting announcement that Sir Evelyn Wood had wired asking to be allowed to come out to serve under him. He said he was never so tempted in his life to take a man at his word, for he had begun to look upon Natal as a forlorn hope; but it would have been cowardly to have let Sir Evelyn come to take

"'I knew that if I failed to relieve Ladysmith,' he exclaimed, 'I should lose the supreme command. I lost it,

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Blanket Pins, Curry Combs,

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and rightly, I think. But I had taken on the task and was bound to see it through to a conclusion.'

"Sir Redvers paid the highest com-"Sir Redvers paid the highest comof the troops under the tremendous strain, a strain, he believed, such as no soldiers in the history of the world had ever to undergo before."

SPLENDID RECEPTION.

Sir Charles Hibbert Tupper Accorded an Ovation at Pictou Yesterday.

PICTOU, N. S., Oct. 18.-There was Sir Charles Hibbert Tupper arrived this evening and was met at the station by an immense throng. The Conservative Workingmen's Club had prepared a reception, turning out with torches and transparancies. Among the mottoes were "Tupper, Foster, Hugh John and Victory"; "The Working-men's club Welcomes Sir Hibbert"; "Hibbert has always won and will win again"; "No Tarte for us"; "A big turnover"; "No dog biscuit"; "1878-

1900, Tupper and Bell." The Working nen's Club led a monster procession of citizens, numbering 3,000. The streets were lined with cheering crowds. It was the grandest political reception in the history of the county. In the Market square Sir C. H. Tupper spoke briefly, thanking the people for the magnificent ovation, end especially the workingmen who organized the affair, carrying it :o a splendid success. He spoke on the prospects of the party in the west, pointing to the triumph of the conser-He referred to the debate with Hon. Mr. Sifton in Brandon, and said what even the grit press might say, it was a grand success for the conservatives. He left the party in Brandon perfectly satisfied with the result. The conservatives are jubilant.

WEDDED AT ST. MARTINS.

ST. MARTINS, Oct. 17.-At 7.30 o' clock this morning about forty relatives and friends gathered at the residence of Mrs. E. M. Vaughan to witness the marriage of her daughter, Annie L. Vaughan, and Rev. S. H. Cornwall, B. A., pastor of the first St. Martins Baptist church.

At the appointed hour, while the wedding march was being played by Miss Bessie Skillen, the bride entered the room on the arm of her brotherin-law, W. H. Moran, who conducted her to the altar. She wore a light brown travelling suit and velvet toque to match, and carried a bouquet of white roses and carnations. Rev. Mr. Macneill of Hampton performed the marriage ceremony. As soon as the ceremony was concluded, the guests sat down to a sumptuous breakfast. Among those present beside the immediate relatives of the family, were W. H. Rourke, Mrs. Rourke and Miss Lily Rourke, Mrs. Andrew Skillen, Mr. and Mrs. Simon Skillen, Miss Bessie Skillen, Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Brown, Mrs. E. J. Vaughan, Mrs. Annie Dimock, Mrs. A. S. White and her son Donald, Georgie Vaughan. Jennie Davies. Harry Davies, Mrs. Wm. Calhoun, etc. The wedding gifts were very numerous and beautiful.

At 9.30 the happy pair left by train for an extended tour through the

CHINA SITUATION.

SHANGHAI, Oct. 13.—The Germans are withdrawing their 'roops stationed here, and a transport is expected tomorrow.

LONDON, Oct. 18.—The Manchester cham-Associated Press learns that Prince Ching and Li Hung Chang have finally succeeded in drawing up a joint proposal for a settlement. This has just been received by the powers. Beyond the fact that it is likely to require considerable alteration before proving acceptable nothing is ascertainable here receiving the terms. regarding the terms.

SOUTH AFRICAN CONTRACTS.

wer than the British.

MADRID, Oct. 18.—Gen. Linares has been gazetted as mirister of war and General Azcarraga as president of the senate.

SCHOONER CAPSIZED.

for This Port a Wreck.

Captain and All the Crew But One Drowned-Jonas Stafford of Indiantown Held on to the up Turned Schooner for Thirty-eight Hours.

The schooner Rowena, Capt. Stevens, which left Westerly, R. I, for this port on the 4th inst., is now drifting about the Bay of Pundy bottom up, having capsized in Tuesday night's gale. Capt. Stevens, John Leonard, the mate, and Arthur Davidson, seaman, were drowned. Jonas Stafford, the cook, after having been by 88 hours on the keel of the upturned vessel, without food or fresh water, was rescued Thursday afternoon by the steamer City of Monticello, from Yarmouth, and brought to St. John. The Rowena had a hard time of it from the day she left Westerly. She was in ballast. When Vineyard Haven was reached, easterly winds were encountered, and she put into that place for a harbor. She remained there four days, when she resumed her voyage. A couple of days were put in at Salem on account of head winds and bad weather. White Head harbor was the next place of shelter sought, and later on Bass Harbor was made a port of call on account of the weather. The Rowena left Bass Harbor Tuesday morning in a southwesterly wind, which continued moderate till Moosepeckie was reached. Then it breezed up considerably. Grand Manan was passed about 6 o'clock Tuesday evening. The wind was still from the southwest and blowing a smart breeze. The schooner had got within two miles of Partridge Island at 9.30 o'clock,

maritime provinces.

LONDON, Oct. 18.—The Manchester chember of commerce has sent a letter to Lord Salisbury urging that a special mission with a diplomat of the first rank be sent to China to deal with British interests there.

SHANGHAI, Oct. 18.—The Germans are withdrawing their troops stationed here, and

BIRMINGHAM, Eng., Oct. 18 .- The Mid

BIRMINGHAM, Eng., Oct. 18.—The Midland iron masters are inquiring in official quarters about the reported intention to prefer American manufactures to British in awarding contracts for the extensive railway and bridge construction contemplated in South Africa.

Severa: of these principal iron men, who are acting co-jointly in making these inquiries, intend to organize a campaign to press the government ipto favoring British manufactures, if it is found that any contracts are likely to go to the United tSates, even though the American bids should be lower than the British.

when the wind died out completely. The calm was not of long duration, however, for within ten minutes a gale set in from the north, with squalls. This continued with increasing violence till the capsizing of the vessel about midnight. The topsail and ining jib were taken in and a reef put in the foresail. The schooner was attempting to beat up to St. John, and was within a mile of the island when a squall struck her and over she went. She was on the starboard tack at the time. Capt. Stevens was at the wheel and the mate was talking with him. Davidson was looking after the fore sheet and Stafford was standing by the fore rigging. The wind was blowing with hurricane force and the scuall struck the vessel so suddenly that no one was prepared for it. The Rowena permanent followed. It is conceded that the the fore rigging. The wind was blowturned over on her beam ends, when the sails came into contact with the water they served for a few seconds to ease the rapidity with which she was being upturned. Taking advantage of this, Stafford jumped into the fore rigging and then on to the bulwarks. As the vessel went bottom up he was able to crawl up the side and to the keel, which he reached without much difficulty. The weight

of the anchors and chains put the ves-

sel down by the head, and Stafford

moved to the after part of her, where

he took up a position four or five feet

above the water. There he remained

till he was taken off at 2.30 yesterday

afternoon by a boat from the City of Monticello. Stafford was well protected with clothing, or he would never have survived to tell the tale. In addition to his ordinary clothing he had on an oilskin coat and hat, which kept him dry, despite Wednesday morning's snow storm and the fact that seas continually broke over the vessel all the time he clung to her bottom. His feet and legs up to the knees were saturated throughout the 38 hours, and his feet became much swollen. His hands, too, were similarly affected. The snow storm he describes as a very severe one, but it was not as hard to endure as the washing of the waves over the schooner. He says he did not suffer much from want of food and water. His main thought was how he was going to attract the attention of a passing vessel and get out of the perilous position in which he found himself. Stafford says when he jumped into the rigging neither the captain nor mate had moved from the position in which they had been for some time. The mate called out to Davidson to let go the fore sheet immediately before the squall capsized the vessel, and the order was promptly executed by the sailor. Stafford thinks the captain, mate and sailor went under the vessel when she turned over. He heard no cries, nor did he hear anything to indicate that they

ing. He saw the smoke of a steamer, probably the St. Croix, but could not distinguish the vessel, as she was miles Imagine the feelings of the poor fel-

of their lives. The first vessel that

Stafford sighted was a barkentine bound up the bay Wednesday after-

he signalled to her as best he could,

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nalling in each instance was unavail-

Last night Capt. Harding took Staf-

young fellow of about 23 years. He

Capt. Wm. Stevens, who was about 45 years of age, was born at Brown's Flats and sailed in woodboats on the river for years. Before taking command of the Rowena he owned and sailed the schooner A. Gibson. His widow, a Miss Morrell of Bellisle, and three children live on Victoria square, north end. Capt. Stevens was a care ful navigator and was highly esteemed by all who knew him.

Capt. John Leonard, the mate, belonged to Deer Island. He was about 38 years of age and at one time had charge of the schooner Valdare. He was unmarried.

Arthur Davidson, who was about 28 years of age, was born in Holland, but had made St. John his home for years. Up to a year or so ago he boarded with a Mrs. Graham, who now with her husband runs a hotel at Spruce Lake. The Rowens was owned by Capt. Stevens, J. W. Keast and James Day of Day's Landing. She was about 100 tons register and was built at Black River about four years ago. She was partially insured.

It is understood a tug will go out this morning to endeavor to pick the schooner up.

PRACTICALLY ENDED.

The Operators Have Agreed to Abolish the Sliding Scale.

As Well as to Grant the Increase of Ten per Cent. in Wages - A Complete Victory for the Men.

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 17.-The great strike of the anthracite mine workers of Pennsylvania, which began Sept. 17, practically ended today, when the Philadelphia and Reading Coal and Iron Co. and the Lehigh Valley Coal Co. agreed to abolish the
sliding scale in their respective regions and
to grant an advance in wages of 10 per
cent. net, the advance to remain in operation until April 1, 1901, or thereafter. This
action meets the demands of the Scranton
miners' convention. The meision was arrived at after a conference between representatives of the individual coal operators
and the leading coal carrying companies.
The conference began yesterday.
Today's action was the culmination of the
recent meeting of the individual operators
at Scranton following the mine workers'
convention in the same city. Nearly all of
the collieries in the coal region had previous to the mine workers' convention posted notices granting an advance of 10 per
cent. The mine workers in considering this
demanded that the sliding scale in the Lehigh and Schuylkill districts be abolished,
the increase to be guaranteed until April 1,
1901, and all other differences to be submitted to arbitration. The individual operators agreed to everything, and the appointment of a committee to induce the Reading and Reading Coal and Iron Co. and the Le-

lesuit of today's conference is a complete victory for the men. All the demands of their convention are acceded to, and as one of the individual operators put it after the conference, the operators go a little further in agreeing to maintain the wage advance offer April 1 This same operator, who requested that his name be not used, said, in speaking of

the conference:
"Its all up to the miners now. We have "Its all up to the miners now. We have agreed to everything, and nothing remains now but for them to return to work as soon as the notices are posted by the colliery managers. These notices will be practically similar to the Reading Co.'s notice, the phraseology only being changed. I look for a resumption of operations by Monday at the latest. The conference was entirely harmonious, and every phase of the strike situation was gone over."

ation was gone over."

Just how soon the official order notifying the men that the strike is ended and to return to work will be issued by President Mitchell can only be conjectured. It is believed here that no order to return will be lieved here that no order to return will be issued until a notice similar to or in line with that of the Reading and Lehigh companies is posted at all the mines.

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 17.—No formal announcement has yet been made by the Lehigh Valley R. R. Co. regarding its intentions, but after the Reading Co's statement had been made public Vice-President Garrett of the Lehigh Valley said:

"Concerning our operations in the Schuyl-

had been made public Vice-President Garrett of the Lehigh Valley said:

"Concerning our operations in the Schuylkill region you may say that the action of our company will be similar to that of the Reading Co. In other districts, however, certain conditions exist, for instance, the price of powder, which must be treated separately, and we have not decided definitely with regard to them. These matters are now in the hands of Superintendent Lathrop, whose headquarters are at Wilkesbarie."

Supt. Lathrop, who attended the conference, prepared a number of official notices, but refused to make public their purport. Calvin, Pardee & Co., extensive individual operators in the Hazleton district, late this afternoon announced that they will post to the conference of the conference of

operators will do.

BIG COAL STRIKE.

SCRANTON, Pa., Oct. 18.—No notices have been as yet posted at any of the mines in the Lackawanna region acceding to the de-pards of the strikers as made in the Scranton convention.

There is no conference of the individual of craters here today, but some of the mining superintendents have gone to Wilkesbarre to attend a meeting of superintendents. were struggling for the preservation

SCEANTON, Pa., Oct. 18.—Representatives of all the big coal mining companies met bere today and decided to insist on a re-

here today and decided to insist on a recrease in the price of powder being computed as part of the increase in wages to centract miners.

District President Nichols of the United Mine Workers says the mine workers' officers were directed to get a straight advance, and that another miners' convention will be necessary before the strike can be declared off, even though the officers were disposed to accede to the condition that powder should figure in the preyent negotiations. noon. She was about a mile off, and but no notice was taken of his appeals for assistance. Yesterday afternoon' three schooners passed within a few miles of him, two inward bound and figure in the pred int negotiations.

The operators' meeting this afterneon agreed to post not see extending the offered becreese of 10 per cent. to April 1.

TOWED TO PORT BY A CRUISER.

Imagine the feelings of the poor fellow when he saw the City of Monticello heading for the upturned craft. Capt. Harding of the Monticello sighted the schooner about nine miles southeast of Point Lepreaux, and headed for it at once. A boat was launched and Stafford taken on board the steamer. Stafford says Capt. Harding and the officers and men on board the Monticello did everything that men could do to make him comfortable.

Last night Capt. Harding took Stafford.

W. H. THORNE & CO, LTD

Last night Capt. Harding took starford over to the residence of his sister, Mrs. Leonard, on Bridge street.

A Sun reporter saw the rescued man
there last night. Stafford does not
seem much the worse for his terrible
experience. He is a well built, active

LONDON, Oct. 18.—It is officially announced that the Duke of York will be accumpanied to Australia, where he is to open
the commonwealth perliment, by a guard
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Delicious Biscuit

are made with Royal Baking Powder, and are the most appetizing, healthful and nutritious of foods.

Hot biscuit made with impure and adulterated baking powder are neither appetizing nor wholesome.

It all depends upon the baking powder.

Take every care to have your biscuit made with Royal baking powder, if you would avoid indigestion.

ROYAL BAKING POWDER CO., 100 WILLIAM ST., NEW YORK.

RALPH COES INSTANTLY KILLED The Sun's White's Cove, Queens Co.,

correspondent writes under date of Word was received here today that Ralph Coes of McDonald's Corner had been instantly killed while working with a wood cutting machine at Hiram Humphrey's vesterday afternoon I appears that Mr. Coes went to the post office; and while waiting for the mail to arrive took the place of one of the men engaged in sawing wood by means of horse power. While occupied in throwing some blocks of wood out of the way his coat sleeve caught on to the end of a spindle, winding his arm around a pulley. His arm was crushed in a terrible manner and his shoulder was pulled from the socket. His head was also badly crushed by coming in contact with the blocks of wood while being whirled around on the pulley. The deceased, who was a highly esteemed young man, was a son of Edward Coes of McDonald's Corner and a brother of Mrs. Burton Ferris

for the bereaved family. (An erroneous report reached St. John a few days ago that Mr. Coe's accidental death was caused by falling from the roof of a house.)

of this place. Much sympathy is felt

SIFTON IN DISGRACE.

The Electors of Lisgar Give a Cold Reception to the Minister of the

(Special to Montreal Star.) WINNIPEG, Man., Oct. 16 .- Now

that the excitement over the Sifton-Tupper meeting at Brandon has subsided, it is the general feeling that Sir. Hibbert has scored a great success and left Mr. Sifton more exposed to public censure and ridicule than ever; Elsewhere the campaign is going strongly conservative and the feeling among the farmers is very manifest against Mr. Sifton, as shown last night at Miami, where Mr. Richardson was cheered repeatelly, while Mr. Sifton, who bitterly attacked Mr. Richardson, got a very cold reception. Ed. Martin, a liberal, assisted Mr. Richardson, and scored the government on the tariff policy. In all joint meetings held so far the feeling is strongly in favor of tthe opposition in every constituency.

Ship Marabout reached Plymouth yester-day from Sabine Pass. She has been sold on the other side.

MAJOR FORRESTER.

From letters received from South Africa it appears to be quite on the cards that Major Forrester will settle permanently there, and will not return to the force in Canada. The news will be received with much regret, as Mafor Forrester was probably one of the most popular officers who left for the front, while Mrs. Forrester (daughter of the late Senator Thos. Temple of York, N. B.) has also a host of friends in Toronto.—Empire.

Major Forrester is well known in St. John and Fredericton, having resided in the latter city for some years.



Stanley barracks, Toronto, for the past ten years. He was for a time with the 8th Hussars of New Brunswick, and left that regiment when he received the commission of ligutenant at Torento. In 1896 he took a course of instruction in several of the large cavalry stations of England, and holds no fewer than six diplomas. In social circles he is popular, and as an enthusiastic sportsman he is well known. He was assistant master of the Toronto Hounds, and an active member of the Toronto and Country Hunt

Ship William Law will proceed this week from Cork for Cardiff to load for Yokohams.



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WORS JAUNNA Of the Central Agricultural

Society of Kings. Very Fair Exhibits of Live Stock, Fruits, Grain and

The Prize List The Display Did Not Lack Interest in Several Particulars, But Domestic Industry was Not Well Represented.

HAMPTON, Kings Co., Oct. 13.-The fair and exhibition of the Central Agricultural Society of Kings county open-ed in the hall and grounds of the society at Hampton Village on Tuesday last, 9th instant, but although great preparations had been made for that and the following day, the heavy rain which prevailed and which continued through Wednesday and Thursday had a most deterrent effect upon any possible success which might have been anticipated. The society has no shed upon its grounds in which stock can be housed, and the result of the storm was to cause the whole affair to go over until Friday, on which day all nature seemed to put on its best gala dress to honor the occasion, so that notwithstanding the break, the show and the attendance alike came up to the average of former and apparently more promising years. Some of the stock exhibited was very fine, although a number of the lines called for were prominently marked with a blank. Within the hall the show of fruits, grain and roots was good, although their arrangement was not equal to their merits. The display of objects of domestic injustry was neither as full or varied as would probably have been secured with more active efforts and a wider advertisement of the classes of goods and material the management desired to secure. However, the fair did not lack interest in many particulars and afforded warrant for the belief that this part of the county can upon occasion hold its own in any competitive show of products of the farm and home. The upper part of the hall was converted into a dining room and restaurant, and here a committee of ladies was kept busy in supplying refreshments of a most substantial and appetite-satisfying character. The stage of the main hall was occupied with a number of fine pianos, exhibited by Beebe Brothers, and the music furnished from time to time contributed in a marked degree to the interest and success of the exhibition. The money prizes offered were not very large, but this was natural in a contest which was merely local, still the lists add up over \$135 for winners in the first class, over \$107 in the second class, and about \$45 in the third. The following is a list of the prize winners:

CATTLE.

Judges: B. V. Millidge, M. H. Parlee. Bull, 3 (years old—A. C. Burnett, 1st; Jas. Clichrist, 2nd.
Yearling bull—J. K. Hayes, 1st.
Bull calf—James Glichrist, 1st.
Cow, 4 years old—James Glichrist, 1st; C.
D. McAvity, 2nd; Jas. Glichrist, 2rd.
Cow, 2 years old—Jas. Glichrist, 1st.
Heifer, 2 years old—Jas. Glichrist, 1st.
Yearling heifer—Jas. Glichrist, 1st.
Heifer colf—Jas. Glichrist, 1st. Jerseys

Heifer calf-Jas. Gilchrist, 1s Ayershires. Bull, 3 years old—S. E. Frost & Son, 1st. Bull, 2 years old—J. W. Fowler, 1st; E. Cow.

all calf—S. E. Frost & Son, 1st.

W, 4 years old or over—S. E. Frost & 1st; H. J. Belding, 2nd; S. E. Frost & 3rd. on, 3rd. Yearling heifer—S. E. Frost & Son, 1st. Heifer calf—H. J. Belding, 1st. GRADE STOCK.

Cow, 4 years old and over—S. T. Fair-yeather, 1st; A. C. Burnett, 2nd; J. K. Hayes, 3rd.

Cow, 3 years old—S. L. T. Wiggins, 1st;
J. K. Hayes, 2nd; C. D. McAvity, 3rd.

Cow, 2 years old—J. K. Hayes, 1st; John
Raymond, 2nd; C. D. McAvity, 3rd.

Heifer, 2 years old—Samuel Tabor, 1st; J.
W. Fowler, 2nd; F. L. Titus, 3rd.

Yearling heifer—John Raymond, 1st; J. K.

Hayes, 2nd; J. K. Hayes, 3rd.

Heifer calf—W. Piers, 1st; S. L. T. Wiggins, 2nd; J. E. Fairweather, 3rd.

Yoke oxen, 4 years or over—J. Allan Hill Yoke oxen, 4 years or over—J. Allan Hill, 1st; S. E. Frest & Son, 2nd.
Yoke steers, 3 years old—J. Allan Hill, 1st; F. L. Titus, 2nd.
Yoke steers, 2 years old—F. L. Titus, 1st; Samuel Tator, 2nd. Yoke yearling steers—F. L. Titus, 1st; S. E. Frost & Son. 2nd.
Fat ox or steer—S. L. T. Wiggins, 1st. HORSES.

Judges:-G. C. P. McIntyre and James Agricultural Class.

Matched team—W. E. S. Wetmore, 1st. Mars or gelding—Isaac Schofield, 1st; E. L. DeMille, 2nd. Stallion, 3 years old or over-S. H. Flew-Stallion, 3 years old or over—S. H. Flew-welling, 1st.

Brood mare—Alex. Prince, 1st; J. Heber Smith, 2nd.
Colt or filly,3 years old—C. D. McAvity, 1st; E. R. DeMille, 2nd.
Colt or filly, 2 years old—J. E. Hoyt, 1st.
Yearling colt—John Raymond, 1st.
Spring colt or filly—Alex. Prince, 1st;
Pcyd Wetmore, 2nd.

Draught Class. Mare or gelding-S. H. Flewwelling, 1st; W. Breod mare-J. T. McVey, 1st; B. C. Wil-Spring colt-B. C. Williams, 1st.

Driving Class. Matched team-Jas. Gilchrist, 1st; Henry Pierce, 2nd.
Brood mare—A. C. Burnett, 1st; M. Crabb, 2nd.
Mare or gelding—S. H. Flewwelling, 1st;
C. A. Frost, 2nd.
Golt, 3 years old—S. E. Frost & Son, 1st;
J. Heber Smith, 2nd.
Colt, 2 years—Frank Hayes, 1st; J. Heber A. Wetmore, 2nd. Log colt—S. H. Flewwelling, 1st ; A. Wetmore, 2nd. Log colt—M. Crabb, 1st.

SHEEP AND SWINE. dges:—B. V. Millirge and M. H. Parlee propshire ram larm—S. E. Frost & Son

st.
Southdown 1am—Jas. Gilchrist, 1st.
Pair Southdown ewes—Jas. Gilchrist, 1st.
Southdown ram lamb—Jas. Gilchrist, 1st.
Pair Southdown ewe lambs—Jas. Gilchrist, Leicester ram-R. P. Piers, 1st.

GRADE SHEEP. Ram-John Raymond, 1st; J. W. Fowier 2nd.
Pair ewes, 2 shears or over—S. H. Frost
Son, 1st; Jas. Gilchrist, 2nd.
Pair ewes, 1 shear—Jas. Gilchrist, 1st.
Pair ewe kambs—S. E. Frost & Son, 1s
Jas. Gilchrist, 2nd. s-S. E. Frost & Son, 1st

SWINE. Berkshire boar, over 1 year—S. E. Frost & Son, 1st; Jas. Glichrist, 2nd.

Brood sow, over 1 year—S. E. Frost & Son, 1st.

Boar, under 1 year—S. H. Frost & Son, 1st. Yorkshire brood sow, under 1 year—S. E. Frost & Son, 1st; R. P. Piers, 2nd. Grade sow, under 1 year—R. P. Piers, 1st; T. Fairweather, 2nd. POULTRY.

Judge: -W. A. Jack.

Plymouth Rock, cock-S. H. Flewwelling, lst; S. L. T. Wiggins, 2nd.

P. R. hen (pullet) -J. W. Fowler, 1st;

B. H. Flewwelling, 2nd.

Victe Leghorn cock-N. M. Barnes, 1st;

J. T. Wiggins, 2nd.

White Leghorn hen-S. L. T. Wiggins, 1st;

L. T. Wiggins, 2nd.

Black Minorca cock-S. H. Flewwelling, 1st;

st. 1st.

Black Minorca hen—N. M. Barnes, 1st;
S. H. Flewweiling (pullet), 2nd.
Grade fowl, hen—R. Wannaker, 1st; J. K.
Hayes, 2nd.
Pair Pekin ducks—S. L. T. Wiggins, 1st.
Pair common ducks—J. H. Smith, 1st.
Pair Bronze turkeys—C. H. Hendricks, 1st.
Pair common turkeys—Andrew S. Beyea,
1st; R. P. Piers, 2nd.

AGRICULTURAL PRODUCE.

Judges:-A. W. Hicks, N. M. Barnes and R. H. Warneford.

Fall apples—R. H. Fairweather, 1st; C. E. Dixon, 2nd; S. L. T. Wiggins, 3rd.

Winter apples—C. E. Dixon, 1st; C. J. Hendricks, 2nd; J. K. Hayes, 3rd.

Summer squash—J. K. Hayes, 1st; A. H. Fairweather, 2nd; Boyd—H. Wetmore, 3rd.

Winter squash—John Raymond, 1st; S. T. Fairweather, 2nd; Boyd A Wetmore, 3rd.

Three pumpkins—M. Crabb, 1st; S. L. T. Wiggins, 2nd; C. H. Dixon, 3rd. Wiggins, 2nd; C. H. Dixon, 3rd.
Three head cabbage—C. H. Dixon, 1st; J.
E. Fairweather, 2nd; John Raymond, 3rd.
Three red cabbage—Boyd H. Wetmore, 1st;
C. H. Dixon, 2nd; J. E. Fairweather, 3rd.
Cauliflower—Boyd H Wetmore, 1st; J. E.
Fairweather, 2nd.

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Six head celery—C. &H. Dixon, 1st; R.

Wai bamake, 2nd; J. A. Hill, 3rd.

Peck onions (named)—J. T. Burnett, 1st;

M. Crabb, 2nd; C. T. Hendricks, 3rd.

Peck tomatoes—R. Wenramake, 1st; S. L.

T. Wirgins, 2nd; C. E. Dixon, 3rd.

Bushel wheat—Boyd A. Wetmore (Captain), 1st; J. Heber Smith (Monarch), 2nd; Alkan Hill (Well Fife), 3rd.

Bushel barley—R. Wannamake, 1st; Boyd A. Wetmore (Nugent), 2nd; S. E. Frost & Son, 3rd.

Bushel white cats—C. J. Hendricks, 1st; Boyd A. Wetmore, 2nd; R. P. Piers, 3rd.

Bushel white cats—B. A. Wetmore, 1st, Silver Hull buckwheat—R. Wannamake, 1st; E. P. Seely, 2nd.

lst; E. P. Seely, 2nd. Rough buckwheat— Isaac Schofield, 1st;

Hendricks, 2nd; Boyd A. Wetmore, New Queen potatoes—J. E. Hoyt, 1st; J. E. Fairweather, 2nd; S. T. Fairweather, 3rd. Snowflake potatoes—J. K. Hayes, 1st; Frost & Son, 2nd; R. Wannamake, 3r potatoes-R. Wannamake, 1st

A. H. Fairweather, 2nd; S. J. Fairweather, Beauty of Hebron potatoes—Boyd A. Wet-More, 1st.

Any new variety—J.W. Fowler (Rosedale),
1st; A. H. Fairweather (Empire State), 2nd,
C J. Hendricks (White Beauty), 3rd.
Mangolds, long red—C. H. Dixon, 1st; S.

E. Frost & Son, 2nd; J. E. Fairweather Long yellow-C. H. Dixon, 1st; S. L. T Wiggins, 2nd. Yellow globe—S. E. Frost, 1st; S. L. T.Wig-Yellow globe—S. E. Frost, 1st; S. L. T.Wiggins, 2nd; J. E. Faïrweather, 3rd.
Swede turnips (table)—C. H. Dixon, 1st;
J. W. Fowler, 2nd; J. E. Hoyt, 3rd.
Swede turnips ,stock)—E. H. Seely, 1st; C.
H. Dixon, 2nd; M. Crabb, 3rd.
Turnip Blood Beets—J. T. Fairweather,
1st; C. E. Dixon, 2nd; Alian Hill, 3rd.
Long Blood Beets—A H. Fairweather, 1st. Long Blood Beets-A. H. Fairweather. Sugar Beets-C. H. Dixon, 1st; C. J. Hen

dricks, 2nd.

Parsnips—Allan Hill, 1st; S. L. T. Wiggins, 2nd; C. J. Hendricks, 3rd.

Improved short white carrots—S. E. Frost & Son, 1st; C. E. Dixon, 2nd; G. F. Bur-Inversion Champion carrots—S. J. Fairweather, 1st; J. E. Fairweather, 2nd; C. 11. Dixon, 3rd. Ox-heart carrots—C. E. Dixon, 1st; J. E. Fairweather, 2nd; John Raymond, 3rd.
Chautenay carrots—C. E. Dixon, 1st; M.

Nautes carrots-S. E. Frost

Scarlet Naties carrots—S. E. Frost & Scn. 1st; A. H. Fairweather, 2nd; G. T. Burnett, 3rd.
Half bushel field peas—M. Crabb, 1st; B. A. Wetmore, 2nd; J. E. Hoyt, 3rd.
Half bushel beans—S. E. Frost & Son, 1st; R. P. Piers, 2nd; Isaac Schofield, 3rd. Dog Ears yellow corn—G. T. Burnett, 1st; M. Crabb, 2nd; A. Hill, 3rd. Dog Ears sweet corn—S. E. Frost & Son, 1st; C. J. Hendricks, 2nd; M. Crabb, 3rd.

Ist; C. J. Hendricks, 2nd; M. Crabb, 3rd.
Assortment field roots—C. E. Dixon, 1st;
S. L. T. Wiggins, 2nd.
BUTTER, 5 EBS., IN ROLLS OR PRINTS.
Three rrizes \$3.30) to be divided equally
between: Isaac Schofieid, J. K. Hayes, S.
L. T. Wiggins, M. Crabb, R. Wannamake
and A. S. Beyea.
Packed butter, not less than 12 lbs.—Prizes
(\$8.00) to be divided between: S. L. T. Wiggins, C. E. Dixon, J. E. Hoyt, E. H. Seely,
I. Schofield, J. W. Fowler and M. Crabb. WOOLLEN GOODS AND MISCELLANEOUS. Woollen blanket-John Raymond, 1st; R

Gilliland, 2nd.
Women's stockings—A. H. Fairweather, 1st; Isaac Schofield, 2nd. Men's socks-Isaac Schoffeld. 1st: C. J. Hendricks, 2nd.

Men's mitts—M. Crabb, 1st. Woollen gloves—R. Gilliland, 1st White yarn—A. Beyea, 1st. white yarn—A. Beyea, 1st.
Colored yarn—A. Beyea, 1st.
Assorted fancy needlework—E. L. Whittaker, 1st; S. H. Flewwelling, 2nd.
Sofa pillows—S. H. Flewwelling, 1st; Miss
M. Flewwelling, 2nd.

Assorted crotchet work—Wm. Dann, 1st; H. Fairweather, 2nd. Table cover—E L. Whittaker, 1st. Toilet set—C. E. Dixon, 1st. Knittutg—C. J. Hendricks, 1st. Hearth rug—J. H. Smith, 1st; W. H. Frost; 2nd; S. L. T. Wiggins, 3rd. Patchwork quilt—C. E. Dixon, 1st; Isaac Schofield, 2nd; Wm. Dann, 3rd. Knitted or crotcheted quilt - J. H. Smit!

Knitted or crotcheted quilt — J. H. Smith, 1st; R. Gilliland, 2nd; Wm. Dann, 3rd.
Two pairs women's fancy mittens—C. J. Hendricks, 1st,
Loaf bread—R. Wannamake, 1st; W. H. Frost, 2nd; C. H. Dixon, 3rd.
Assorted fruit in glass — R. Wannamake, 1st; C. H. Dixon, 2nd; A. H. Fairweather, 2rd.

photographs (local talent)-(O. McAvity, 1st; W. J. Flewwelling, 2nd. Collection photographs (professional) — b. McAvity, 1st; W. J. Flewwelling, 2nd. The judges make honorable mention of hisk mats by R. Gilliland, and very much regret there is no prize for same.—Mrs. J. B. Hammond, Mrs. Pritchard.

REPORTED MASSACREE.

ROME, Oct. 16 .- The Tribuna publishes correspondence today from Asmara, southwest of Massoway, describing the massacre of an expedition to Lake Assal. The expedition is said to have been composed of British, but it is more likely that the members were French, as the lake is situated in possessions ceded to France by Emperor Menelik of Abyssinia. It seems that the column, numbering two hundred, went to Lake Assal to obtain the tax on salt exported. The natives replied that they had no money, but would give cattle. To this the chief of the expedition agreed. Thereupon a large number of natives entered the camp of the expedition on various pretexts and massacred the disarmed members during bivouac. A second expedition was sent to assist or avenge the first, but it is believed that this also met with a similar

PRACTICAL PHILANTHROPY. The whole voluminous literature of practical philanthropy may be boiled down to the proposition that the best way to help young people is to help them to help themselves. That is just what the Currie Business University of this city is doing for the young people who attend the institution. The school is now in session lay and evening, and a catal gue may be obtained oar, under 1 year-S. H. Frost & Son, 1st. | free on application.

SIR HIBBERT TUPPER

Brings Glad Tidings from the Pacific and Prairie Provinces,

He Sees Sure and Certain Evidence of Rousing Conservative Victory at the Polls.

A Sun reporter had a short talk with Sir Charles Hibbert Tupper last night. "Excuse me," was the answer the scribe received when he proposed an interview, "I want to go to bed." The hour was late. Sir Hibbert, however, recognized that the reporter had a mis sion and consented to talk a little bit. He sald in effect: I left Vancouver on Tuesday a week

I have no doubt whatever that we will carry every seat in British Columbia. Two elections, in Burrard and Yale, come off after the general elections. These would be ours if ran simultaneously with the general elections,

but as we will win the general we are

ago, and reached St. John this even-

sure to win these later events. I stopped off at Calgary, where an address was presented to me in the city theatre and where I spoke in support of a brilliant New Brunswicker. R. B. Bennett, who is said to be the best speaker ever heard on a Calgary platform. I was received by a conservative deputation and was conducted to the theatre in a procession which contained 100 torches. Judging from this meeting, I should say that Mr. Bennett will poll the largest conservative vote ever recorded in Calgary, and I consider his election in Alberta

Passing through to Nicholas Flood Davin's constituency, I learned that his chances of victory are very good. The president of the liberal association in Regina is supporting Mr. Davin. being thoroughly disgusted with the records of Tarte and Sifton.

Before leaving Vancouver I sent a telegram to Mr. Sifton asking him to meet me at Brandon. Sifton wired that he could not meet me there, as he was to speak at Cartwright. But by the time I reached Brandon, Sifton had been forced by his friends to agree to a joint meeting. We met in the rink. It was before 3,500 people, the largest political gathering known in Manitoba outside of Winnipeg. Mr. Sifton had three squads of his supporters primed to prevent my getting a hearing, but notwithstanding this I spoke for an hour and a half and never got a better show. I repeated the charges I had made against Mr. Sifton and his mal-administration of the Yukon district in the house of commons, and conclusively established the fact that he had deceived the commons during the debate on my resolutions asking for a judicial commission, (1st) by stating that he had no request from Mr. Ogilvie, the commissioner, to extend the commission, and (2nd) that the only report from Ogilvie ing the so-called private communication which had been brought down ring Sifton's absence in Europe last communication and contained an earnest appeal for the extension of his powers and a statement that the enquiry had broken down at the outset by virtue of the limitation in the commission. I gave my reasons for charging him with corruption in his administration of the district, and established, as I think, that the only reason for voting down my resolution was the fear of the government that the enquiry would show that the crimes of the Yukon officials were shared in by

the government. Mr. Sifton, in his reply, was exceedingly abusive. He was evidently ratiled and devoted a great deal of time to outside subjects, as for instance the abuse of all concerned in the publication of a campaign sheet, which he described as filthy because it contained extracts from the Toronto Globe from 1880 down to 1900 on various public questions of the day, establishing the hypocrisy of the liberal party. Mr. Sifton went on to say he had been told I had been guilty of drunkenness during the session of parliament in which I made my charges against Major Walsh; abused Sir Charles Tup per in very coarse language and de voted some time to a letter connected with the suit of Philp v. Tupper. Mr. Sifton further stated that

if time permitted he would let in a flood of light on my character, instancing the release, when I was minister of justice, of one Chamberlain, :



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convict for personation in Winnipeg as a sample of my bad deeds.

In my reply, continued Sir Hibbert, pointed out that Sifton's failure to meet my direct charges indicated the strength of my indictment. As to the charge of drunkenness, I reminded Mr. Sifton that when the matter was hinted at in the house, I instantly arose and asked the leader of the opposition if he dared make such a charge, and my question was followed by a prompt disavowal on the part of Sir Wilfrid Laurier. I explained the difference between such an empty charge or insinuation and the charges made by me against Mr. Sifton and his administration on the floor of the house, backed by an undertaking to prove them before a 'udicial commission. Regarding the Philp-Tupper case, I pointed out that while it had nothing to do with the charges I had made regarding the conduct of Mr. Sifton, it was a contemptible thing for a public man like Sifton to now bring up a charge based on a telegram which had turned out to be a forgery.

Mr. Sifton had sat silent in parlia-

ment when this matter came up, al-

though he knew of the forgery.

I showed the audience, continued Sir Hibbert, that in the sole specific charge made against my official col duct by Mr. Sifton, the case of Chamberlain, I had acted on sound principle. Though I received, when minister of justice, a petition to the governor general, asking the pardon of Chamberlain, which petition was signed by all the leading citizens of Win nipeg, irrespective of party, incliding he name of Issue Campbell, the leading liberal of Manitoba, I reported to his excellency that ir my opinion there was no ground for clemency, but subsequently on the report of the present inspector of penitentiaries, I did recommend that Chamberlain's term of imprisonment be reduced. The inspector instanced special services cender ed by the prisoner, which services in England are always regarded as calling for the exercise of clemency. My action, said Sir Hibbert, on this report am prepared to justify at any time

it is called in question. Sir Hibbert expressed himself abundantly satisfied with the result of the joint meeting with Mr. Sifton; said that Mr. Richardson was carrying everything before him in Lisgar, and reiterated his conviction that from the Pacific slope, on through the prairie province and the great west the con servative host was marching to certain victory.

OUR RETURNING SOLDIERS.

Programme for Their Reception Formulated-The Council Asked for Financial Assistance.

A meeting of the citizens, adjourned from Oct. 8, was held in Citl Hall Wednesday afternoon, with Mayor Daniel in the chair. A. O. Skinner presented the programme as prepared by the committee last Monday. In the discussion which followed Mr. Robertson suggested that it be arranged that the men come over in the night train on on the subject was private, by producthey may arrive in the morning, and colonist sleepers or Pullman's, so that the celebration would be confined to one day. His worship showed the un session, and which was an official Halifax concerning the entraining of certainty as to the arrangements at the men and the impossibility of determining positively in this matter at

H. D. McLeod held that representations should be made to the I. C. R. to have the men brought to Moncton on the night train, and to St. John by a special arriving here about 9 a. m., when the procession should be held. This was warmly supported by Ald. White, as the natrual enthusiasm of the people would not be so well expressed if the celebration were carried over until the day after the arrival.

The mayor stated that the matter of entraining the men rested with the military authorities at Halifax rather than with the I. C. R.

A. O. Skinner moved that if an arrangement could possibly be made to get the troops here in the morning, that the celebration and the holiday be held that day, and if this proved impossible and the men arrived in the evening, that the programme as suggested by the committee be carried out.

It was moved in amendment by Mr. Robertson that the military authorities and the I. C. R. be at once communicated with, on behalf of the council and citizens of St. John, toward bringing the men to this city in the morn-

ing at 10 o'clock. Mr. Skinner withdrew his previous motion and Mr. Robertson's amendmen carried.

Ald. Seaton moved that if this be arranged, a procession be held in the morning on their arrival and a torchlight one in the evening. Carried. Regarding the expenses of the celebration, Mr. Robertson and Ald. White supported the idea of the council bear-

ing the larger part. Mr. Robertson moved and Col. Jones seconded that the Common Council be asked to grant an amount not to exceed \$500 to cover the necessary expenditure not otherwise provided for by the societies participating, the same to be controlled by a committee appointed by the chair. Carried.

It was moved that the programme committee be continued as an executive to control the details. It was also moved that the citizens be requested to decorate and illuminate their houses, and that the various merchants be asked to decorate their teams and participate in the processions.

WEDDED AT GREENWICH.

At the residence of the Rev. Mr. Bonnell, Greenwich, Kings Co., N. B., on the 20th Sept., a very pleasant and happy wedding took place. The contracting parties were Ephraim S. Sterritt of Hampstead, Queens Co., and Miss Charlotte VanWart of Wickham, Queens Co., N. B. The immediate friends of bride and groom were present to witness the interesting ceremony, The popularity of the bride was evinced by the numerous valuable presents which she received. The happy pair will make their home in the parish of Hampstead, Queens Co.

A man often thinks he is obeying the dictates of his conscience when he is merely taking the course that looks easiest.

THE STORM

in Years.

Stories of Wrecks or of Vessels in Distress from Nearly All the Cape Cod Life Saving Stations.

It is evident that October is to be a month of storms. Tuesday afternoon signal number two, signifying moderate gales from the west and northwest, was put up at the custom house. Late at night the promised gale came, and between midnight and 6 o'clock Wednesday morning, the wind moving at from thirty-three to forty miles per hour, with occasional short periods of velocity of forty-eight miles. Rain and sleet began to fall about half-past two and quickly changed to snow. By seven yesterday morning the ground was covered with about one inch of snow. The temperature at the same time dropped to freezing point, and the wind shifted to most of the points of the compass with commendable speed and irregularity.

Last year the first ice formed or October second, and the first snow fell on the third, but the fall was light. The temperature dropped on that day to thirty-one degrees. The first heavy snow storm of 1899 was on November eleventh and twelfth, when some seven inches fell, blocking the street cars.

Snowstorms in October, while they have occurred off and on within the memory of the middle aged citizen, have not by any means been of frequent occurrence. An elderly resident of Queen street recalled for the Sun's edification on Wednesday a pretty heavy downfall of snow on the last day of September, 1824, but its doubtful if there are many boys of that time living in St. John today, who snowballed one another on that remarkable occasion. It might be interesting to state the years which have October snowstorms to their credit, or discredit whichever it may be:

October 18th, 1868-3 inches. October 1869-1.30 inches. October 14th, 1876-2 inches October 1870-4 inches. October 31st, 1884 .- 0.30 inches October 31st, 1885-1 inch. October 22nd, 1888-0.30 inches. October 23rd, 1889-1 inch. October 23rd and 24th, inches.

October 21st, 1895-1 inch. October 3rd, 1899-light. October 17th, 1900-1 inch.

Up along the St. John river tae storm had particular effect. The only portion of the crops yet in the ground are a few carrots, but these were unharmed. However, the fall of snow was quite heavy, in some places attaining a depth of three inches. In the backlands of Wickham and Hampstead sleds were produced and hauling done on runners. The sun was welcomed when it ap-

peared at moon, but it took a few more rays than Old Sol could apparently muster to dispel the chill air and melt the wintry element about. A fine willow tree, the largest in Queen square, was blown down by the gale.

REPORTS BY WIRE. HIGHLAND LIGHT, Mass., Oct. 17. -Nearly every life saving station along Cape Cod had some tale today of wrecks or vessels in distress as the

result of the gale of yesterday. Captain Cole of the Cahoon's Hollow Station reports that at 7 o'clock last night a large steamer, carrying two masthead lights, north bound, stopped suddenly off his station and began to use the searchlight, sweeping the sea for some distance around for half an hour. During the time what appeared to be a boat in which was a ship's lantern put off from the steamer, and it looked as if something had been picked up. Captain Cole today stated been specially strengthened and the that he believed that some wreck or collision had occurred.

Later in the day, Captain Rich of the Pamet River Station, four miles north of that at Cahoon's Hollow, reported the finding of the quarterboard with the name "Robert W. Lyle" upon it. The life saving men seem to think that there is some connection with the steam 14 knots. She is a very fine stopping of the steamer and the finding of the quarterboard.

The gale last night caught a great fleet of vessels off Cape Cod, and the complete story of the damage done and the terrible experiences of the sailors is yet to be told. Some of the vessels have no doubt been driven well off shore, perhaps as far as the Gulf Stream, while others managed to Evangeline and her sister vissel the reach some port of a lee and are holding on like grim death with both anchors down.

A large three-masted schooner is riding heavily just clear of the shoals off Wellfleet. Should she drag fifty yards nearer shore her keel will touch and she may become a wreck. Another three-master, the Lena A. Cotton, has set signals of distress off Wood End Bar at Provincetown, and the crew at that station have gone to her assistance. Her sails are all blown away. She is bound for Boston.

The tug J. B. King, with two heavily laden barges, struggled for hours last night in attempting to round the end of the Cape and reach a harbor in Provincetown. Finally the hawser connecting the rear barge parted, and as it was impossible for the tug to go to her rescue, she was left to her fate, while the tug just managed to reach the harbor. Nothing could be seen of the second barge today, and as there is a tremendous sea running, there seems to be little hope for her safety. At 11 o'clock today, the bark Willard Mudgett, which passed in by the end of the Cape yesterday, bound for Boston, could be seen drifting rapidly to the leeward before the gale. She had just a patch of canvas set on her main The schooner Genl. Sheridan broke

up this afternoon and her cargo of drainpipe is buried in the sand. The Highland Life Saving Station is considerably crippled through the loss of gear, the greater portion of the breeches buoy tackle going down with the vessel. Captain Anderson of the

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Sheridan was almost the sole owner the vessel, which was not insured

PLATTSBURG, N. Y., Oct. 17.-Th. first snowstorm of the season occur. red in this section last night and was general in the Adirondacks region About two inches of snow fell. ROCHESTER, N. Y., Oct. 17.

captains and crews of several barges and big tugs report thrilling experiences while trying to make the harbor of Charlotte, yesterday. The heaviest storm in many years raged all day off the harbor and the powerful tug Antelope, sighted ten miles off shore, was seen to be making frantic efforts to keep above water. When she reached port she was found to be in a badly damaged condition, as was also the Thrush, the Mary P. Hall, the Bolivar and the Proctor, which came in

NEW FURNESS LINER.

(Glasgow Mail, Sept. 26.) Yesterday there was launched the shipbuilding establishment of Messrs. Alex. Stephen & Sons, Linthouse, Glasgow, the handsome passenger steamer Evangeline, which is the first of two vessels ordered by Sir Christopher Furness. The vessels are intended to run on the Furness line with passengers and cargo between London, Halifax and St. John, N. B. The Evangeline has been specially designed to meet the passenger and cargo requirements of this line, and will have most luxurious passenger accommodation for 70 first-class passengers arranged amidships under the bridge d also in large deckhouses on top the bridge, with a very handsome and commodious dining saloon the full width of the steamer at the fore end of the same. On top of the bridge deck there are spacious deckhouses for large music saloon, and smoke room etc., which will be most artistically decorated and finished elegantly. Abaft the music room in the deckhouse there are a number of large special state rooms. The captain and officers are berthed in a separate deckhouse on top of the saloon-house, in close proximity to the navigation bridges. The bridge deck, being extra long, affords a very fine promenade for the passengers, and is considerably more spacious than is usual in passenger steamers. The vessel is built to Lloyd's highest class. and also to the board of trade for a passenger certificate. The scantlings of the hull have in many instances been considerably increased above Lloyd's requirements, in addition to which the bows of the vessel have shell plating doubled, and the internal scantlings and stiffening built extra strong as a preventive against ice. The vessel is 385 feet in length, and 45 feet beam by 30 feet 6 inches depth moulded to the upper deck. She is designed to carry 5,000 tons of cargo on Lloyd's summer freeboard, and to model, and together with cut-water bow and carved figurehead is a vessel of very handsome appearance. The Evangeline will be commanded by Captain Williams, who has been a number of years in the Furness line. As the

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vessel left the ways she was graceful-

ly named Evangeline, by Mrs. F. J.

Stephen. It is anticipated that the

Loyalist (which will be launched by

the same builders in about six weeks'

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FREDERICTON, Oct. 16.—It is safe to say that the conservative party of York never had a larger or more enthusiastic convention than that which assembled in the Y. M. C. A. building here this afternoon.

Notwithstanding the very bad condition of the roads leading to the city, all parts of this county were represented by large and influential delegations, some of the delegates, such as those from far away North Lake, having come nearly one hundred miles over the worst of roads to be present. one and clearly predicted victory for the candidate, Rev. Dr. Joseph Mc-Leod, who was unanimousy selected as the standard-bearer. Prominent among those present were many who in past political conflicts took a leading part in assisting the liberal party, and who, having become disgusted with the misrule of the new liberals, have decided to cast their lot with the

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At 3 o'clock President J. S. Neill took the chair. He stated the object of the meeting, which was to select a candidate to contest the county for the dominion parliament in the present election. Before proceeding to nominate a candidate a resolution of confidence in the conservative party and their veteran leader, Sir Charles Tupper, was passed by the meeting. The onvention also expressed deep regret that the best interests of the party necessitated that Hon. Geo. E. Foster severed his connection with York, and expressed its thanks to Mr. Foster for the faithful manner in which he represented the interests of his party and the county generally during the past four years. It also welcomed back to federal politics Hon. Hugh John Macdonald, a gifted son of a gifted and noble father.

Major W. T. Howe then delivered an eloquent speech, pointing out the broken pledges of the government during their regime.

Harry F. McLeod was the next speaker, and in his usually spirited manner roused his hearers to the highest point of enthusiasm. He asked if men of York were going to exerrise their rights as free men, or if Alex. Gibson was going to use them or his own personal interests.

Capt. McLeod, who is a son of the andidate, and who has a brother lighting for the Queen in South Africa, referred to the action of the dominion government at the time when other colonies were sending their sons to fight the nation's battles, and he precertain victory for the standard-bearer of the conservative party

he approaching contest. ohn Black, ex-M. P. P., stated that private and urgent business reaons he could not allow his name to go before the convention. This he deeply regretted. He said it was to be greatdeplored that Mr. Foster could not present contest the county, and he Black) would take the liberty of suggesting the name of a worthy man to arry the standard to victory. He

amed Rev. Dr. McLeod. several minutes after Dr. Mcs name was mentioned the buildfairly shook with cheers. Coun. of Dumfries seconded the nomin, and a committee consisting of Black, Coun. Scott, Major Howe, Humble and J. A. Young were inted to wait on Dr. McLeod at residence and see if he would ac-

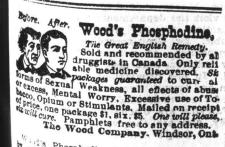
After a recess of about half an hour committee, accompanied by Dr. eod and Hon. Geo. E. Foster, who arrived by boat from St. John in meantime, entered the hall. Their ntrance was marked by prolonged ering, numbers of the electors takng their stand at the entrance to the ling and cheering the candidate Mr. Foster as they passed in. It several minutes before Dr. Mccould get a hearing, and his adwas interrupted at times by ap-

doctor said although he had been

-long conservative he had never a very prominent part in politigatherings. His forte had been bition. He was a conservative was a prohibitionist, first, last lways. If he accepted his nomihe would do so on condition e put prohibition first, that there be no bribery, and he would do ng in this election which would eneath the dignity of a clergy-The watchwords of his battleould be prohibition, purity, and tism. He asked if the convenwere willing to accept him as a date on those terms. As an anto this the convention rose to a

and with loud applause signified intention of doing so. Dr. Mchen said he would be proud to He felt confident their work be found in the right place on ber 7th, and although he would bly not be able to visit all secof the county and did not have experience in the work of oration, he trusted his friends work to the best of their abil-

G. E. Foster, who was loudly for, then took the platform, and 1st indeed have been proud at the tion here. He felt sad, he said, vering his connection with the in York. He was sorry that he not accede to the wishes of the



by all wholesale and retail druggists.

SEMI-WEEKLY SUN, ST. JOHN, N B., OCTOBER 20. 1900 large number of electors who had waited on him to contest the county. He did not leave York on account of any dissatisfaction either on the part of the conservatives or himself, but lecause the party and himself thought that his duty was to run in St. John and try conclusions with the minister of railways. He thought his chances in St. John were good. He did not krow of a better man the party could get in York than Dr. McLeod. He had advised the doctor to accept as a call to duty, and was glad the conservatives had accepted Dr. McLend, with the conditions which every one would agree were honest. Mr. Foster said that the degrading means of securing an election had never been so much in use as by the present party, who expected to win by boodle. Now was the time to make a stand against it, and no better man could be found for this purpose than the present candidate, Dr. McLeod. "Does York county own itself or is it owned by selfish intercets?" asked Mr. Foster. It was the outy of the county to show that it was not owned. It was the duty of the party in the county to see that the candidate they had selected was not stranded but to put him at the head The gathering was a most harmonious of the poll. To do this they must work. If they worked it would be an easy matter to place such a candidate as they had at the head of the poll on the 7th of November. The speaker gave a most encouraging account received from all points of the dominion. In British Columbia the party expected six out of seven seats. Not since 1882 had the party been so united and in such fighting trim as at present. At least 23 stats were safe in Quebec, and if the maritime provinces did their part the party would certainly win. At the conclusion of Mr. Foster's speech

committee were selected to arrange the work of organization. The friends of the conservatives in the city tonight are jubilant over the selection of Dr. McLeod. On the other hand the government managers are at a loss what to think. The nomination of the respected doctor has fallen like a wet blanket and cast a gloom on their hopes of success. A meeting of backers of the latter concern is being held this evening, and resembles a funeral more than anything else.

A quiet wedding was celebrated at St. Dunstan's church at 5 o'clock this morning, when Lieut. Arthur P. B. Nagle of the R. C. R. I., only son of Lieut. Col. Nagle of the 30th regiment, Halifax, was united in marriage to Florence Shaw, youngest daughter of the late Capt. Sunliffe Powys of the 2nd Cheshire regiment, Halifax. The eremony was performed by Bishop Casey in the presence of the immediate friends of the happy couple. The bride was given in marriage by her brother, Percy Powys, and was unattended. The groom was supported by Lieut. Fairell of Halifax. After the wedding breakfast was partaken of they took their departure on the stmr. Aberdeen for Woodstock and thence for a tour through the New England

the late Denis Lynch, was united in marriage with Philip Sullivan, a wall known Cross Creek farmer. Bishop Casey performed the ceremony. Miss Fiffie McMahone acted as bridesmaid and the bridegroom had the assistance of Harry Crotty.

Miss Mabel McKeen, daughter of John McKeen of this city, and W. Thomas Murchie, manager of the Phoenix mill, formerly of Calais, are to te married at the bride's home tomorrow evening by Rev. Wilard MacDon-

BACK FROM AUSTRALIA. Jamés Cummings, a former resident of St. John, arrived here Thursday from Australia, where he has been living for over a score of years. While in this city Mr. Cummings was a furrier, having his shop on Sydney street, near St. Malachi's hall. His father was the late M. A. Cummings, veterinary surgeon, and later station agent at Rothesay. After leaving St. John Mr. Cummings went home to Scotland and was married. He then came across the ocean again to Portland, Me., which city he left on the outbreak of the American civil war. Australia next included him in its citizenship. He settled in a small place outside of Melbourne, where his home is at present. Mr. Cummings speaks glowingly of the sister colony and its advancement. In coming to this country again Mr. Cummings touched at Capetown, but saw no Boers. The only really interesting item in connection with the steamer's call at that port was the fabulous price of coal, £5 per ton. In consequence of this the steamer was coaled at Teneriffe. Mr. Cummings is the guest of his cousin Hugh Crawford, Garden street, and is being warmly greeted by his old time friends.-Star.

IT NEEDS A NAME.

A. Gordon Leavitt has another natural history specimen, for which it has proven so far impossible to find a local habitation and a name. It is a skull picked up on the Nova Scotia coast in a splendid state of preservation. In length it is wixteen inches, the greatest breadth ten inches, and the height at the back reaches eight inches. In shape the skull is somewhat peculiar, the upper jaw is long, two holes run down from the upper portion to the roof of the mouth, showing that the original owner was a "blower," like a whale or porpoise. The brain cavity is an exceedingly large one. Moss that has grown in the upper jaw shows that the skull is a very old one, as moss never commences to grow on a bone until all the oil is excluded. There has been considerable speculation as to the previous character of the animal. It has been called many hard names, and still there is room. It occupies the place in the present owner's affection made vacant by the sudden demise of the great antedeluvian coon cat .-

ALGOMA ELECTION.

FORT WILLIAM, Oct. 17.-The election in Algoma will be held November 12, five days after the general election. The conservative candidate has not been chosen yet, but will be either A. C. Boyce of Rat Portage or George T. Maks of Port Arthur. The former has sociation of that town.



The popular idea expressed in the phrase, "the art of self-defense," shows ohrase. the opinion that the chief enemies a man has to defend himself from are visible and external. But the real danger of every man is from minute and often invisible foes. In the air we breathe and the water we drink are countless minute organisms leagued against the health of the body.

The one defense against these enemies is to keep the blood pure. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery thoroughly purifies the blood, removing poisonous substances and accretions. When the blood is pure there is no harborage for the germs of disease which find a lodging only when the blood is impure and

ing only when the blood is impure and corrupt,

"I consider your 'Golden Medical Discovery' one of the best medicines on the face of the earth," writes Mr. Wm. Floeter, of Redoak, Montgomery Co., Iowa. "While in the southwest, three years ago, I got poisoned with poison ivy. The poison settled in my blood and the horrors I suffered cannot be told in words. I thought I would go crazy. I tried different kinds of medicine, tried different doctors, but all the relief they could give me was to make my pocket-book lighter. I then began taking Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. Took four bottles without relief. Kept taking it. I took in all ten bottles and got entirely cured."

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A "SPIDER" FROM LIFE. Millionaire Burglar Who Robbed for

Love of Excitement. When the Silver King was first produced many sepectators believed that "Spider" was an impossibility. But there have been several gentlemen burglars in real life, and one of the most astonishing specimens has just

been brought to justice in Paris after a career of eleven years. His name is Auguste Fevrot, and M. Cochefort, the veteran chief of detectives, describes him as one of the strangest criminals ever caught. Fevrot was the heir of a millionaire,

is well educated, and has always mixed in most respectable society. He is thirty years old. His first burglary was committed before he was twenty, and he has engaged in the nefarious career ever since, his headquarters, with sublime audacity, being fixed in a pretty mansion next door to the police headquarters.

At St. Denstan's church at six o'clock time been sent to the penitentiary or this morning Mrs. Lynch, widow of the guillotine, but Fevrot inspired such fear among his associates that inson, 2nd; G. V. Peck, 3rd. dared denounce him

His capture took place during a desperate fight, in which he and three of his gang sought to escape from the police. A detective was killed. Fevrot is now held for trial, but declares that he will escape. Fevrot's father acquired rapid wealth in the sale of leather and was known as a merchant Auguste, his only son, and prince. Julie, his only daughter, two years younger, received the best education. The girl, now dead, was a fine vocalist, and Auguste always managed to keep up his practice on the 'cello.

One day he fell in with young criminals, who mistook him for one of their stamp, and took him upon a night expedition. The plan failed and two of the gang were caught, Fervot himself barely escaping. A week later it was he who led the thieves against the same safe, and this time the undertaking was successful.

"The business attracted me from the first," he says, and one factor that added special relish to the calling was that he often took tea or dinner in the very mansion he had planned to rob. When his time for military service came he was alrealy pretty well recognized in the profession.

While in the army he retained control of some dozen skilled housebreak ers and directed their movements. Twice, under his instructions, they looted the treasury of he regiment When discharged he took a trip to London to work under some expert English burglars. "Wonderful fellows they are, these Englishmen!" said Favrot to a questioner.

From the time he returned from London, where he worked a year, he has remained in Paris, where he had under his orders at one time or another almost every French criminal who is prominent. Fevrot occupies the very cell where Colonel Picquart lived nine months during the Dreyfus agitation. During the preliminary examination before the magistrate he made the following statements:

"My share of gains in our operations I distributed among my best men to promote intelligent endeavor or employed it in the relief of the women and kids of pals who had been pinched To make money is not my aim. But life is monotonous unless there is risk in every moment. I love excitement.

'Why did not I become a soldier then? Yes; I might have been a uniformed mercenary, killing savages when they resisted the desecration of their temples, or I might have become like a famous explorer working with arson and rifle when whisky failed to accomplish my ends. But there is something repugnant in doing criminal work under the protection of the flag. As for the conquest of the North Pole, I couldn't think of that-the mere idea of condensed food, even with the walrus steak and fish oil to lend variety, simply turns my stomach. So that was out of the question.' When asked if he had ever commit-

ted murder, he replied: "If I had killed I would not tell you, for my love of excitement does not go so far that I wish a trial for murder. Nor is climbing the guillotine steps one of those emotions I have on my programme."

Sch. Bahama, Capt. Anderson, from Savanah for Victoria Cove (near Quebec), was driver ashore at Mulgrove, on the outside of the Strait of Canso. been endorsed by the conservative as- She is on soft bottom and will probably be floated.

ANNUAL **EXHIBITION**

Of the Albert Agricultural Society at Hopewell Hill.

Fine Weather and All Other Conditions Helped to Swell the Attendance.

Display of Home Manufactured Articles and of Grain Smaller Than Usual—The Prize List.

HOPEWELL HILL, Oct. 16.-The annual exhibition of the Albert Agricultural Society was held at this village today, and was a good success in every way. Fine weather, a rarity of this season, prevailed throughout the day, and there was a large attendance from this and the neighboring parishes. The exhibit on the whole was a very creditable one, being fully up to the average in nearly all lines, and in some above the ordinary. The cattle show was not quite as large as usual, but the animals shown were in fine condition. The horse exhibit was fair and that of sheep about an averege. Poultry was good and there was a particularly fine exhibit of roots and fruit. There was scarcely as much grain shown as usual, but the quality was fully up to the average. Among the cattle exhibit were two very fine Durham bulls, one, Arthur's Milker, bred by Arthur Johnson, Ontario, owned by Job Stiles, and the other, Baron Hilhurst 7th, owned by Chesley Smith. The former took first prize. Both animals, it is understood, are for sale. The display of home manufactured articles, fancy work, etc., was much smaller than usual. A few good specimens, however, were shown, among which might be mentioned a very handsome oil painting, by Miss Ida Peck of this village. Dinner was served in the basement of the hall by the ladies of the Baptist church. Following is the prize list.

CATTLE

Three-year-old Steers-Job Stiles, 1st; John Russell, 2nd. Two-year-old steers-A. S. Mitton,

1st; Byron Peck, 2nd; Job Stiles, 3rd; W. L. Peck, 4th. Yearling steers-A. S. Mitton, 1st; Henry A. Peck, 2nd; Job Stiles, 3rd; John Russell, 4th; Valentine Smith.

Pair steer calves, more than six menths old-Job Stiles, 1st; A. S. Mitton, 2nd; Byron Peck, 3rd. Pair steer calves, less than six

months old-Job Stiles, 1st; Allen Rob-Heifer calf, more than six months cld-Job Stiles, 1st; Chesley Smith, 2nd; J. C. Wright, 3rd.

Heifer calf, less than six months old-A. S. Mitton, 1st; Lather Archibald, 2nd. Two year-old heifer-A. S. Mitton,

1st; Job Stiles, 2nd; Byron Peck, 3rd; Luther Archibald, 4th; Valentine Yearling heifer-A. S. Mitton, 1st: Job Stiles, 2nd; G. V. Peck, 3rd; Chesley Smith, 4th; Valentine Smith, 5th. Dairy cow-G. V. Peck, 1st; W. B.

Keiver, 2nd; Valentine Smith, 3rd. Stock cow-A. S. Mitton, 1st; Valentine Smith, 2nd; W. L. Peck, 3rd. Registered Durham bull-Job Stiles, st; Chesley Smith, 2nd. Rebistered Durham cow-O. C. West,

1st; W. A. West, 2nd. Judges-Isaac T. Pearson, M. C. Tingley, W. H. Newcomb.

HORSES, SHEEP AND FOWL Draught brood mare - Valentine Smith, 1st; A. S. Mitton; 2nd; Job

Stiles, 3rd. Three-year-old draught colt-J. C. Wright, 1st. Two-year-old draught colt - Job

Stiles, 1st; A. S. Mitton, 2nd. Yearling draught colt-Job Stiles, lst; A. S. Mitton, 2nd. Draught foal, 1960-Valentine Smith, lst; Chesley Smith, 2nd.

Three-year-ald roadster colt-James G. Stuart, 1st. Two-year-old roadster colt-W. B. Keiver, 1st; Luther Archicald, 2nd. Yearling roadster colt-Allen Robin-

son, 1st; Luther Archibald, 2nd. Roadster foal, 1900-Luther Archibald, 1st; A. S. Mitton, 2nd. Registered ram, any age or breed-W. B. Keiver, 1st.

Grade ram lamb by registered sire-Luther Archibald, 1st; Valentine Smith, 2nd. Grade ewe lamb, by registered sire-

Luther Archibald, 1st; Valentine Smith, 2nd; W. A. West 3rd. Ewe, any age-W. B. Keiver, 1st; Valentine Smith, 2nd; C. C. West, 3rd; Luther Archibald, 4th. Cock and hen-Chesley Smith, 1st; Luther Archibald, 2nd; W. L. Peck,

Pair spring chickens-W. B. Keiver 1st; J. C. Wright, 2nd; C. C. West, 2rd; Chessley Smith, 4th. Pair turkeys-W. A. West, 1st; C. C. West, 2nd.

Pair geese-W. B. Keiver, 1st; Valentine Smith, 2nd; Byron Peck, 3rd. Pair ducks-W. T. Wright, 1st. Judges-J. C. Bishop, J. S. Fullerton, W. H. Downey.

GRAIN AND ROCTS.

Wheat-A. S. Mitton, 1st; Valentine Smith, 2nd; W. A. West, 3rd. Black oats-Geo. H. Peck 1st; A. S. Mitten, 2nd; Byron Peck, 3rd. White oats-A. S. Mitton, 1st; Byron Peck, 2nd; J. C. West, 3rd. Rough buckwheat-Geo. H. Peck,

1st; Valentine Smith, 2nd; Byron Peck. 3rd. Timothy seed-A. S. Mitton, 1st. Beans-Henry A. Peck. 1st; Luther Archibald, 2nd; Valentine Smith, 3rd; Byron Peck, 4th; Geo. H. Peck, 5th.

Peas-A. S. Mitton; 1st; Byron Peck, Potatoes, Early Blue-J. E. Peck, 1st; Byron Peck, 2nd; Henry A. Peck, Potatoes, Beauty of Hebron-Geo. P

Peck, 1st; Henry A. Peck, 2nd; Valen-

tine Smith, 3rd.

Byron Peck, 2nd; Luther Archibald, Other kinds of potatoes-John Russell, 1st; J. C. Wright, 2nd; Henry A.

Turnip beets-C. C. West, 1st; Job Stiles, 2nd; Chesley Smith, 3rd; J. C. Wright, 4th; Valentine Smith, 5th. Long blood beets-Byron Peck, 1st; Chesley Smith, 2nd; Job Stiles, 3rd. Mangold wurtzels, red - Chesley Smith, 1st; W. L. Peck, 2nd; Job Stiles,

Mangold wurtzels, yellow-Chesley Smith, 1st; W. A. West, 2nd; J. E. Peck, 3rd.

Table carrots-J. C. Wright, 1st; A S. Mitton, 2nd; J. E. Peck, 3rd; Chesley Smith, 4th; Job Stiles, 5th. Feeding carrots-Chesley Smith, 1st: A. S. Mitton, 2nd; Luther Archibald, 3rd; Job Stiles, 4th; Byron Peck; 5th. Parsnips-Chesley Smith, 1st; W. A.

West, 2nd; J. C. Wright, 3rd; Luther Archibald, 4th; Job Stiles, 5th. Turnips-Allen Robinson, 1st; John Russell, 2nd; A. S. Mitton, 3rd; Chesley Smith, 4th; J. E. Peck, 5th. Cabbage-A. S. Mitton, 1st; Valentine Smith, 2nd; J. E. Peck, 3rd; Chesley Smith, 4th.

Table corn-C. C. West, 1st; W. A. West, 2nd; J. E. Peck, 3rd; Geo. H. Peck, 4th. Ensilage corn-J. E. Peck, 1st; W. A.

West, 2nd; C. C. West, 3rd. Cauliflower--W. J. Peck, 1st. Celery-John Russell, 1st.

Table squash -A. S. Mitton, 1st; Valentine Smith, 2nd; W. L. Peck, 3rd; J. C. Wright, 4th. Mammoth squash-A. S. Mitton, 1st; Job Stiles, 2nd; W. T. Wright, 3rd. Pumpkin-A. S. Mitton, 1st; W. A.

West, 2nd; W. L. Peck, 3rd; J. E. Peck, Judges-Geo. Nelson, J. T. Connor, Byers E. Steeves.

MANUFACTURED GOODS, BUTTER AND FRUIT.

Tomatoes-J. C. Wright, 1st; Chesley Smith, 2nd; J. E. Peck, 3rd; No. 50,

Onions-John Russell, 1st; Geo. H. Peck, 2nd; Luther Archibald, 3rd. Crab apples-Geo. H. Peck, 1st; Henry A. Peck, 2nd; J. E. Peck, 3rd; Chesley Smith, 4th.

Eating apples-Alex. Rogers, 1st; J. C. Wright, 2nd; Henry A. Peck, 3rd. Chesley Smith, 4th. Cooking apples-Luther Archibald, 1st; Geo. H. Peck, 2nd; Henry A. Peck, 3rd; G. V. Peck, 4th.

Apples, New Brunswickers-John Russell, 1st; Geo. H. Peck, 2nd. Apples, Gravensteins-Henry Peck. 1st.

Bishop Pippins-W. Apples, Wright, 1st; Henry A. Peck, 2nd. Apples, Russets-A. S. Mitton, 1st; Henry A. Peck, 2nd. Apples, Winter Boughs-Henry A. Peck, 1st; Geo. H. Peck, 2nd.

Butter, packed-W. A. West, 1st; Byron Peck, 2nd; J. E. Peck, 3rd; G. V. Peck, 4th.

Butter in prints-J. E. Peck, 1st; C. Pair mitt Chesley Smith, 2nd; John Russell, 3rd.

Pair socks-C. C. West, 1st; Allen Robinson, 2nd; Valentine Smith, 3rd. Pair stockings-Byron Peck, 1st; W. T. Wright, 2nd; J. E. Peck, 3rd. Fancy work, berlin-Chesley Smith, 1s;; C. C. West, 2nd.

Fancy work other than berlin-W. L. Peck, 1st; Luther Archibald, 2nd; A. S. Mitton, 3rd. Best variety of apples-Henry Peck, 1st; Chesley Smith, 2nd; W. T.

Wright, 3rd. Quilt-J. E. Peck, 1st; Byron Peck, Hearth rug-Chesley Smith, 1st. Judges-Levi Downey, Frank Car-

ANNAPOLIS.

ney, H. A. Turner.

Sir Charles Tupper Made a Pleasant Visit to St. Andrew's School.

ANNAPOLIS, N. S., Oct. 17.-Yesterday morning St. Andrew's school was honored with a visit from Canada's 'grand old man," and a very enjoyable morning was spent by all present. Sir Charles Tupper was received on the verandah by Mr. and Mrs. Bradford, Mr. and Mrs. John B. Mills, Mrs. Owen, Mrs. Ritchie and other leading Annapolis people, and the weather being exceptionally fine, the boys paraded on the lawn, and went through the manual, bayonet exercise and physical drill with guns, then stood "at ease" while Sir Charles spoke to them. Sir Charles pointed out how English schools and colleges had long been famous before all others for physical training, combined with sound and a curate scholarship, which fact accounted for British excellence in the field whenever occasion arose. He was glad to see a school here conducted on these lines and tought by English university men. He congratulated the boys on their appearance, their school and beautiful surroundings, and expressed his belief in the The boys then gave three cheers for

great future before St. Andrews when it should become more widely known. Sir Charles and mached off, and shortly afterwards the veteran statesman left for the station en route for Digby. A large crowd was on the platform to see him off, but the St. Andrew's school cry was quite audible in the midst of the general cheering.

P. E ISLAND SAMSON.

Little Harber, Lot 46, Kings Co., P. E. Island, has a son now living in Providence, Rhode Island, that is a "terror." He is a pile driver, and has beaten all records in that business. An exchange says:

"While the building of the long ocean wharf at the Narragansett pier shore resort wharf at the Narragansett pier shore resort was in progress about two years ago, he found it necessary one evening to discipline some of the men who were making too much ado about the erection of an engine platform. Pushing eight men to one side, Mc-Kinnon went into the job with his coat off and put the 2,700 pounds of logs and flooring into place. and put the 2,700 pounds of logs and flooring into place.

"At Darlington last year, where he had the contract to destroy 2,900 old fashioned ten-ton dump cars, he lifted the trucks of one of them on a wager of \$50, and threw them on to a sandbank over his head.

"In a labor riot while constructing the Queen's docks he is credited with whipping ten men single handed. He is only 32 and about 185 pounds in weight, all bone and sinew."

Early home associations have a postate.-Child.

Potatoes, Coppers-Job Stiles, 1st; ST. JOHN PRESBYERY. MEDITAVINE

Reports Submitted and Business Transacted at Yesterday's Session. The St. John Presbytery met in regular session Tuesday morning. There were present Rev. J. M. Robinson, mind moderator, presiding; Rev. J. S. Suth erland, clerk; Revs. D. J. Fraser, A. S. Morton, L. G. Macneill, Dr. Morison, A. H. Campbell, A. H. Foster, J. Burgess and Elders M. McLean and Jim odt

Willet. The clerk stated that he had notified the congregation of Nashwaak and Stanley of Rev. Jas. Mullin's deposition. He had also notified the various presbyteries, but had received a reply from only one. The clerk's action was approved.

A communication from Rev. L. A. McLean was received, accepting the call to Pisarinco, and arrangements were made for his induction on the 23rd

It was arranged that Rev. A. S. Morton, preside, induct and address the minister; Rev. Dr. Morison preach the sermon and Rev. H. H. Foster address the people.

The issue of a certificate of licensel by the clerk to Frank Baird was constituted firmed. Testimonials were ordered to be giv-

en to C. D. McIntosh, who desires to thatbut attend Princeton University bas stuices a mi In regard to the necessity of obtains select ing registration for the solemnization and of marriage, it was decided that the clerk and moderator make the proper application. A form of application and submitted by Mr. Willet was adopted reteining It was also ordered that the moder-work of ator and clerk from time to time attend to the registration of future mem-

bers upon induction, and appointment. I but The report of the augmentation com-augustical mittee was presented by the clerk, at cale The following collections were recommended: St. David's, St. John, \$200; St. Stephens, \$176; St. John's, Moncton, \$176, St. Andrews, St. John, \$161; blass ad St. Paul's, Fredericton, \$159: Harvey. \$55; St. Stephen's, St. Stephen, \$47; St. John's, St. John, \$45; Prince William, \$45; Sussex, \$38, Chipman, \$38; St. George, \$34; St. James and Union, \$33; (and like South Richmond, \$33; Glassville, \$33; Kincardine, \$33; Pisarinco, \$33; Waterford, \$33; Buctouche, \$33; Carleton, \$30; Granoch, St. Andrews, \$28; Woodstock, \$25; Shediac, \$25; Florenceville, and moral \$20; Springfield, \$20; Milltown, \$15; and TM Richmond, \$15; Nashwaak and Stanley, \$15; Calvin, St. John, \$10; Waweig, \$10; Grand Bay, \$5; Edmundston, \$5; Grand Falls, \$5; Andover, \$5; Riverside and Regioni

Alma, \$5. Arrangements were also recommended for the visitation of augmented congregations. The report was adopt-

The report of the 20th century fund was presented by the secretary. It stated that arrangements had been made for carrying on all the work except in five fields. Fifteen congrega-C. West, 2nd; W. A. West, 3rd; Byron to date. \$22,342.50, of which \$3,521.87 tions have subscribed for the fund up are for the common fund, and \$18,820.63 for the debt fund; of this there has been paid up to date \$9,192.35, of which \$1,624.50 are for the common fund, and \$7,567.85 for debt. In addition to these amounts the Sunday schools report giving \$374.74 for the fund. Further subscriptions bring the grand total to \$26,871.24, of which \$6,107.11 are for common fund, and \$2,074.13 for debt fund. The report was adopted.

A communication in regard to Sunday school work was referred to the committee on that work. The clerk reported he had certified the bills of Messrs. Dickie, McLean,

McClure and Lamb. The clerk's action was approved. In the absence of Rev. Jas. Ross, the clerk, a number of communications in regard to home missions, which were

referred to the home mission commit-Rev. A. H. Foster moved that permission be given to St. Matthew's church congregation to hold their annual meeting on the third Wednesday in January; seconded by Rev. D. ... Fraser. Carried.

Presbytery adjourned to meet at Pisarinco on the 23rd.

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THE ISSUE IN YORK

The liberal conservatives of York have done a good thing. They found themselves confronted with an extraordinary situation and have faced it in a resolute and determined way. Mr. Foster has accepted an invitation to St. John, so that instead of meeting Mr. Blair's nominee in York, he meets Mr. Blair himself in a position of the minister's own selection. His friends in York recognize the force of this call to a post of greater responsibility. and to a conflict with a more conspicuous opponent. But they know also that great forces were arrayed

against them in York.

Regarding the York situation it may be said that the minister of railways last year entered into certain negotiations, which on the part of the minister were partly business and partly political, and on the other side chiefly commercial. Following these discussions the whole vote, influenced by Mr. Alexander Gibson, was transferred from the liberal conservative side to Mr. Blair's party, and Mr. Alexander Gibson, tr., became a candidate for the provincial election in Mr. Blair's interest. On the eve of a federal election, other negotiations have taken place, understood to be connected with the same railway transaction discussed last year. Following this comes the resignation of Mr. Gibson from the local house, and his engagement to run as a government candidate for Ottawa.

It has been assumed by the parties to the compact and their friends that the election of the representative cof cally completed. The calling of a party convention and the holding of the poll are regarded as mere formal ceremonies, required by usage, but having no real importance. The matter was supposed to be settled in the private discussion between a minister who was willing to buy a railway if hecessary, and the local magnate who is recognized in the proceedings as the owner of the votes. The people of York, who have been invited by the Queen's writ to elect a representative, are not expected to have anything to do except to give at the proper time the ratification that is required to made the transaction constitutionally valid. "Mr. Gibson's vote" is computed all the way from 500 to 1,000 ballots, and the contractors naturally assume that the transfer of this vote from one side to the other gives the county to Mr. Blair. It had this effect

last year. Now the liberal conservatives of York propose to test this matter, not altogether on behalf of their party, but on behalf of all the people of the county, including the 500 or 1,000 mentioned. Of course it is recognized that an elector such as Mr. Gibson has the power to transfer his political influence from one party to another when reasons satisfactory to himself are furnished. But it does not follow that he should transfer 500 or 1,000 voters from side to side as often as he changes his own allegiance. Still less does it follow that he should take a great county like York, with its thirty thousand people, and seven thousand voters, with its intelligence, its knowledge, and its convictions of right and wrong, and should make that county speak with a different voice every time he changes his mind, and every time he changes sides without changing his mind. This may prove to be a good time for the people of York to protesi which they are the chattels. Mr. Gibson has strong and good qualities, and as a captain of industry has done his county great service, but no service that he has done or can do would justify him in dragging the county of York into such a bondage as Mr. Blair has required at his hands. It would not be surprising if the people of York should now feel that the most important public issue before them is the question whether they have the power to elect their own representative,

In this condition of things the candidate selected is well chosen. Dr. Mc-Leod is a man of strong convictions and the courage to maintain them. He white Star liners have received newspaper of the services rendered the services rendered the services rendered to the services rendere ercised a large and worthy influence as these companies for the services a clergyman and a religious journalist by the vessels of these firms as transports during the South African campaign.

He belongs to a denomination which has always stood for free speech and free institutions. The manly address: with which he accepted the nomination must win him new friends and please his old ones. He is a candidate for whom any York county man can safely vote, knowing that the trust will not be betrayed. Even a true liferal must see that the old liberal principles will be better vindleated by their veluntary election of Mr. MoLeod than by obedience to the order for the return of Mr. Gibson.

MR. TARTE'S SCANDALOUS AP-PEALS.

It is a poor day in which Mr. Tarte cannot find a new "fanatic" in the conservative anks. Sir Charles Tupper las long ago been denounced as an intolerant. Hugh John Macdonald s held up to execration as an enemy of the French Canadians and of Roman Catholics. Clarke Wallace, Dr. Montague and Mr. Haggart have been put under the ban of La Patrie. Mr. Foster is daily presented as a fanatic, a promoter of race and religious strife, and, what is worse, "a water drinker," which means that he is an obnoxious prohibitionist. Mr. Hetherington, who has denounced Mr. Tarte in about the same terms as those used by Mr. Casgrain and other loyal and honest French Canadians, has been singled out for special treatment, and all manner of offensive phrases which he never used are put into his mouth. When Mr. Stockton was nominated he was declared to be a 'fanatic." When Mr. Fleming was elected to the legislature from Carleton it was falsely announced by Mr. Tarte's journal that he was elected on an anti-French platform. Dr. Weldon of Albert is of course a fanatic, and so is Mr. Hale of

The latest discovery of Mr. Tarte is that Mr. Cahan, the opposition candidate in Cumberland, is the worst kind of a fanatic. Wednesday's Patrie says: "In the county of Oumberlaid, Mr. Cahan, opponent of Mr. Logan, has begun a campaign of prejudice and fanaticism. Mr. Cahan, who has never been able to win an election. carries about slily today the torch which Mr. Hetherington found so valuable in Queens, and firmly believes that this lespicable means will open to him the doors of parlian.ent. In truth, all the fanatics go with Sir Charles Tupper and Mr. Clarke Wallace." It is well known that Mr. Cahan has

nothing narrow about him. He is a broad-mindel, 'iberal man, and has never said a word to justify these reflections of the Tarte organ. While tales for the purpose of making the French Canadian vote solid for Sir Wilfrid Laurier, the Tarte party in Cumberland is circulating the story that Mr. Cahan is a Roman Catholic. Tomorrow we shall probably hear that Mr. Powell is a fanatic and an enemy of the French race. Next day it will be Mr. McAllister or Dr. Mc-

These false statements are made and circulated by the Tarte journals with a well considered purpose. The liberal conservatives have some very strong candidates in the field in Quebec constituencies. Such men as ex-Premier Taillon, ex-Attorney General Casgrain, Mr. Bergeron, Mr. Monk, are hard men to beat. They are honorable and loyal and are also popular.

The hope of the master of the goverament is to destroy these and other strong candidates, by naking the French Canadians believe that they are allies and accomplices of those who hate the French and intend to drive them out of the country.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier and his master do not believe a word of these slanders. They are men of the world and know all about it. But they hope to M. P. P., Coup. R. F. Davis of Gagemake less intelligent or more passionate French electors believe it. If they can but make a few hundred in each French county believe that the liberal dates in the Engish provinces have Roman Catholic religion, then the thing will be done. Quebec will be

will have five years more of power. It is absolutely shameful that ministers of the crown and masters of the administration should deliberately and maliciously, for their own selfish purposes, carry on such a miserable campaign. If they should be successful against a mercantile transaction in the effect would be to drive out of public life some of the best men in Quebec province, leaving a worthy people represented by politicians who are professional boodlers, as well as profes-

sional agitators. Sir Wilfrid Laurier will consent to an enquiry into the charge that a seat in the senate was offered to Mr. H. H. Cook for \$10,000. The premier consented to an inquiry into the West Huron election frauds. But he took care that the inquiry should not be carried through. He would do he same in Mr. Cook's case.

OUELNS AND SUNBURY.

Candidate to Represent the Two Counties Will be Selected Saturday.

Condition of Travel Made It Impossible for Some of the Delegates to

in close proximity to Gagetown, but all the avenues of travel are interrupted to such an extent that delegates could not be present from some of the parishes. There was no boat down from up river till in the evening owing to the arrangement made by the Star line for the handling of the C. P. R. engers. The roads and bridges are in such a condition as a result of the recent storms that it was utterly impossible to reach Gagetown by teams from many directions. Among the ninent gentlemen present were: J. D. Hazen, M. P. P., for Sunbury; Councillors Gale and Wiggins, E. C. Lockett and L. Wiggins of Waterborough, Coun. H. W. Woods. Wellington Fowler W G Armstrong and Thos. Martin of Petersville, John Hoben, county auditor; H. B. Hall, secretarytreasurer; Wm. Belyea, E. Crothers, John McKinney, T. S. Peters, J. R. Dunn, B. Crothers, Angae McAllister and A. Boyd of Gagetown, S. L. Peters and Robt. Scott of Hampstead. Coun. Case of Wickham, H. Bridges of Shef-

the convention was called to order. S. preside, and in taking the chair he made a short address. He said he appreciated the devotion of those present to the liberal conservative cause. They must be good party men or they would not be present under such unfavorable conditions. The house of commons having been dissolved, it was the duty of Sunbury and Queens to elect a representative and of this party to name a candidate. After referring to the defeat of the party at the recent local by-election, Mr. Peters said that proved that there was a large portion of the electors of Queens in favor of better government. The party in the united counties was strong and there was never a time when they should take more careful counsel. He was satisfied that what was done in convention would be satisfactory to the party as a whole, (Applause.)

granted that all present were liberal conservatives and all determined to do plause.) The party should not be disfeat in Jueens. Two governments had operated against Mr. Hetherington. and the names of many conservatives had been left off the lists. Mr. Hetherington got a good vote under the to the result of this election. Mr Hazen spoke of the candidates of the party throughout New Brunswick as good men. His remarks were enthusiastically applauded.

John R. Dunn moved for the appointment of an executive committee to serve throughout the campaign

support the candidate named. It was decided under the circumstances of travel not to nominate a candidate, but to elect a nominating committee, to whom it should be left to select the candidate. The convention undertook to support the candi-

The following gentlemen were elected for the purpose: Parker Glasier, town, Asa Slipp of Hampstead, Robt. Scott of Hampstead, Wellington B. Fowler of Petersville, Coun. J. V. Wiggins of Waterborough, Coun. Duncan Case of Wickham, Arch. Worden of conservative leaders and the candi- Johnston, Ford C. Taylor of Blissville, Dr. Murray of Gladstone, Geo. Perley of Maugerville, Henry Mitchell of Linentered into a conspiracy to destroy coln, St. Clair Fraser of Chipman, J. the French race and to crush out the R. Dunn of Gagetown. Coun. Joseph Beach of Brunswick, Alex. McM. Thorrott of Canning, Geo. Robinson of Cambridge. Morris Scovil of Camsolid for the government and Mr. Tarte bridge, James Miller of Canning, Coun. Roland Corey of Brunswick, T. A. Stevenson of Petersville, Thos. Thompson of Sheffield, John Cambridge of Burton, Alfred West of Johnston, Wm. Egars of Northfield, Coun. Lewis Bliss of Lincoln, F. I. Dingee of Gagetown, Coun. Gale of Waterborough, Fred Babbitt of Burton, John H. Lelong of Wickham, Capt. A. Camp of Cambridge, Coun. D. O. Nickerson of Hampstead, W. G. Armstrong of Petersville, Coun. David Hamilton of Johnston, O. H. Carle of Canning.

The committee will meet at Gagetown on Saturday next at 2 o'clock in the afternoon. J. R. Dunn referred feelingly to the

late Thos. H. Gilbert, who was for years the president of the liberal conservative party in Queens county, and who died since the last convention of the party. He moved for a committee to draw up a resolution of condolence to be sent to Mrs. Gilbert.

late Mr. Gilbert.

committee. Str. Nether Holme, which took in

I will arise and go to my father.

be Present.

The liberal conservative convention held at Gagetown Wednesday did not select a standard-bearer to contest the united counties of Sunbury and Queens, but instead named a nominating committee, which will on Saturday meet at Gagetown to select a candidate. The convention was well attended by delegates from the parishes

It was late in the afternoon when

Mr. Hazen, M. P. P., took it for heartened on account of the recent decircumstances. The party were justified in looking forward with confidence

The motion passed and the following were appointed such committee: J. R. Dunn, John Hoben, R. D. Wilmot, H. W. Woods and S. L. Peters. The committee were given power to add to their number.

Letters were read from gentlemen in several parishes regretting that the conditions of travel interfered with their attendance. They undertook to

data so chosen.

H. W. Woods seconded the resolution, and spoke in feeling terms of the

The motion passed, and S. L. Peters and J. R. Dunn were appointed the

some deals here, and is completing her cargo with apples at Annapolis, will, it is expected, sail for London today. Return.

SUNDAY SCHOOL.

The International Lesson.

Lesson IV -October 28, GOLDEN TEXT

THE SECTION. includes the lesson, with a brief review of the other parables of the chap-

PLACE IN THE LIFE OF CHRIST Early in his Perean Ministry, during is fast three months. This, with the two previous parables was a further unfolding of the truth that the gospel was for all men. It prepared the way for the reception of the Gentiles. Chart number 93.

HISTORICAL SETTING. Time-Probably in January, A. D

Place.-Somewhere in Perea.

THE PRODIGAL SON.-Luke 15:11-24 Commit verses 20-24. Read Luke 15.

11. And he said, A certain man had to his father. Father, give me the portion of (a) goods that falleth to me And he divided unto them his living 13. And not many days after the

younger son gathered all together, and took his journey into a far country, and there wasted his substance with riotous living. 14. And when he had spent all, there

arose a mighty famine in (b) that land, and he began to be in want. 15. And he went and joined himsel to a (c) citizen of that country; and he sent him into his fields to feed

16. And he would fain have filled his belly with the husks that the swine did eat; and no man gave unto him. 17. And when he came to himself, he said, How many hired servants of L. Peters of Hampstead was elected to my father's have bread enough and to space, and I (e) perish with hunger! 18. I will arise and go to my father and will say unto him, Father, I have

swine.

49 And am no more worthy to b called thy son; make me as one of thy hired servants.

singed against heaven, and (f) before

200 And he arose, and came to his father. But when he was yet a great way off, his father saw him, and had (g) compassion, and ran, and fell on his neck, and kissed him. 21. And the son said unto him, Fath-

er, I have sinned against heaven, and in thy sight, and am no more worthy to be called thy son. 22. But the father said to his serv ants. Bring (h) forth the best robe

and put it on him; and put a ring on his hand, and shoes on his feet: 23. And bring hither the fatted calf. and kill it; and let us eat, and (i) be metry:

24. For this my son was dead, and everything possible to cust the preside alive again; he was lost, and is found. And they began to be merry,

REVISION CHANGES.

(So far as they effect the sense.) Ver. 12. (a) Of thy substance. Ver. 14. (b) That country.

(c) To one of the citizens. Ver. 16. (d) Have been filled with. (e) Perish here with hung-Ver. 18. (f) And in thy sight

Ver. 20. (g) Was moved with com passion. Ver. 22 (h) Bring forth quickly.

Ver. 23. (i) Make merry.

LIGHT ON THE TEXT.

The three parables of this chapter should be studied together, as each one is completed by the others. In the first, the lost is a sheep wandering away in ignorance or untrained wilfulness. In the second, it is a coin, of precious metal, stamped with the Divine image, perhaps doubly precious because an heirloom with "whole poems and tragedies hidden within it." It belongs to the owner, and the loss expresses the wrong done to God, and the feeling of loss on the part of God. Here it is a son who is lost, wilfully choosing evil and departing from his

father's house. 12. His living-His property from which he obtained his living. God's gifts to his children for their spiritual

welfare. 13. Not many days after-First is the sinful heart; soon follow the sinful act and life. Far country-A life of sin is far from God, morally. Wasted his substance.—As the riotous and dissipated waste health and property, so sinners waste what God gives them -good influences, Bibles, Sabbaths, the

Holy Spirit 14. A mighty famine.-The soul cannot be satisfied in sin; it must starve without God. And he began to be in want.—The soul has many hungerings and thirsts, and the nobler the soul the more of these hungerings and the more intense the hunger. And the world, with its riches and pleasures, can never satisfy the soul. This is a sign of its

divine nature and greatness. 16. Husks.-The fruit of the carob tree—a tree something like our locust tree, with large pods six or eight inches long, rather sweet to the taste, and sometimes eaten by poor people. 17. Came to himself.-To his right

reasonable self. 20. And he arose, and came to his father.-Toward, not to. He did not come to his father; his father came out to him. Great way off, . . ran .-Showing God's desire to have the sinner return. Kissed him.-A proof of

reconciliation and love. 22. Best robe.-A garment of elegance and cost given as a special act of hospitality. The robe of Christ's righteousness. Ring.-His signet-ring, a token of acceptance of love; the witness of the Spirit. Shoes.-Worn by members of the family, not by slaves 23. Be merry—Expressing God's joy, the joy of angels, of all the good, and of the penitent sinner, in his restora-

tion. SUGGESTIVE QUESTIONS. (For written and oral answers.)

Subject:-The Wanderer's Return: or, the History of a Sinful Soul and its merly attacked me frequently." One

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I. Father, Home and the Two Sons

(v. 11).-Who is represented by the

father? The home? Who by the "two

II. The Wandering (vs. 12, 13) .-

What "living" has our heavenly Fath-

er given us? Why did one son wish

to leave home? Whom does he repre-

sent? What is meant by going to a

far country? What is it to be far

from God? What by wasting his liv-

III. The Famine (vs. 14-16) -What

was the result of his sin? What is re-

presented by "the husks?" What by

the neglect of friends? Name some of

the hungers of the soul. Why does

God let the sinner come to so much

IV. The Return (vs. 17-20) .- Name

the four steps of his return. What is

meant by coming to himself? What

V. The Welcome Home (vs. 21-24).-

How was he received by his father?

What does this teach us about the

love of God? Meaning of the "ring."

the "shoes," the "feast?" How does

this encourage us to repent and come

BLAIR AT CAMPBELLTON.

Some Four Hundred People Present a

I. C. R. Employes' Wages.

Last Night's Meeting-Will Increase

CAMPBELLTON, N. B., Oct. 17 .- Some

three buildred or four hundred people at-

tended the liberal meeting here tonight

Hen. Mr. Blair was the chief speaker. He

did not say anything very new, but the fol-

lowing statements may be of interest. In

regard to the Galena oil contract he claimed

to save by it 35 per cent. or 40 per cent.,

that the old government paid 61 cents per

thousand miles while he paid 41 cents. In

regard to the Gilbert dredging business he

claimed to be carrying out an agreement made by Mr. Haggard and in paving \$4.25 per day the same as Mr. Haggard.He said in 1896 we were on the verge of a rebellion

over the Manitoba school question, and the Laurier settlement saved bloodshed. He said life and property is and has been absolutely safe in the Yukon, and that Lar. Sifton deserved credit for the way it was governed. Speaking of the South African

gryerred. Speaking of the South African war, he said our contingent was en the way there before any other colony made a move. Spraking of the I. C. R. extension to Montreal he said that to go to Montreal by the C. P. R. line north of the St. Lawrence was

C. P. R. line north of the St. Lawrence was a roundabout way and necessitated the building of an expensive bridge. The Drummond read was as good as any part of the I. C. R., and that Mr. McAllister voted against his convictions when he opposed its extension to Montreal. He claimed to have increased or would increase the wages of all I. C. R. employes. He said the C. P. R. nad for some time had its eye on an important section of the I. C. R. and wished to control or over the I. Would make this section of

or own it. It would make this section of the road a mere branch and added: "I am not in favor of it, but I have reason to be-

lieve the conservative party is committed t

In closing he blamed the liberal conserva

tives for the commercial depression from 18

to 1896, and took credit to the Laurner gov

to 1896, and took credit to the Latiner seriment for better times since. He claimed that in New Brunswick the conservatives will not carry more than four seats.

John L. Carleton followed, defining 119 issue in this province to be Blair or Foster.

OTTAWA.

Old Time Liberals Enlisting on the Con-

servative Side-Militia Manoeuvres.

OTTAWA, Oct. 18.-Accessions to the

conservative side of old time Ottawa

liberals continue. The liberals already

concede the election of Mr. Birkett,

doubt, however, that both seats will

In the neighboring county of Russell

George H. Perley, an extensive land

owner in the county, is meeting with

splendid success. Edwards, the free

trader, has already lost scores of sup-

porers by his servile following of

A series of military manoeuvres were

carried on today before Major Genera

O'Grady-Haley. Five hundred men o

the two regiments of infantry partici-

pated. The force attacking the city

from the south succeeded in crossing

the Rideau river, turning the defend-

ers' right flank. The invaders to the

north were repulsed. The general

A CURE FOR RHEUMATISM.

Mr. S. Mann, Stittsville, Carleton

Co., Ont., writes: "I was afflicted with

rheumatism, had severe pains in the

knees, hip joints and across the back.

Rheumatism remedies did not help me

and I began using Dr. Chase's Kidney-

Liver Pills, which have since com

pletely cured me. There is not the

least trace of rheumatism left and I am

no longer subject to biliousness, head-

ache and stomach sickness which for-

pill a dose, 25 cents a box.

complimented the signal corps.

Laurier on the tariff policy.

be redeemed.

English conservative. There is little

that his repentance was sincere?

was the resolve? How did this prove

the occasion of this parable?

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NOVA SCOTIA NOMINATIONS.

BADDECK, C. B., Oct. 17.-The lib-

eral conservatives of Victoria county

held a large and representative con-

vention here today. D. A. MacCaskill

of Montreal was unanimously nomina-

ted, and was at once notified by tele-

graph. Mr. MacCaskill has accepted

the nomination and will immediately

D. A. MacCackill is a self-made man

Some 25 years ago he left Victoria

county to make his way in the world,

without a cent in his pocket. In Mon-

treal he obtained employment, where

in due time he started in business for

himself, establishing a vernish mak-

ing business. The venture was highly

successful. Some time ago he took into

partnership with him Mr. Dougall, a

valued employe, and the name of the

firm became MacCaskill, Dougall &

Co. Mr. MacCaskill has always taken

a lively interest in the liberal conser-

vative party and is now president of

the Sir John Macdonald Club of Mont-

real. Mr. MacCaskill is a cousin of

Justice Henry of Halifax, and has

ST. PETERS, C. B., Oct. 17 - Joseph

A. Gillies was nominated here today in

the conservative interest by a conven-

tion representing every section of the

mainland. A ratification meeting of

48 Isle Madam delegates, who could not

cross the bay on account of the

storm, met in Descousse. It was the

largest convention ever held in the

county and there was perfect unani-

today nominated E. M. McDonald, M.

P. P., in place of Mr. Fielding, who de-

clined to contest the county with J.

D. McGregor. A week ago he refused

for "personal" reasons to become a

candidate, but pressure has been

brought to bear upon him to change

his mind, and he has, at the last mo-

ment, consented to run. The weather

was very unfavorable and the attend-

ance was small, an indication probably

of what the vote will be on the even-

SICKNESS AND DEATH.

Norwegian bark Brilliant, from New-

castle, N. B., today, landed at this

port eight seamen suffering from beri

beri, and the body of one man who

had died from the disease, all of whom

had been taken from the Norwegian

bark Homewood, which was spoken

by the Brilliant Oct. 8, in a waterlog-

ged condition in lat. 48 N. Ion 25 W.

Captain Rotter and six of the crew of

the Homewood refused to leave that

vessel. The Homewood will proceed

The Norwegian bark Homewood is of

1,065 tons net. She was built at St.

John, N. B., in 1874, and is owned by

PRINCE HOHENLOHE'S RETIREMENT

BERLIN, Oct. 18.-The retirement of

Prince Hohenlohe is, naturally, the

principal theme of discussion here.

The agrarian and liberal press says

the chancellorship has practically

long been vacant. The press generally

adopts an expectant attitude, and

there is much curiosity as to Count

Von Buelow's policy in respect to the

Prussian Diet and the imperious de-

mands of the Junker Squirearchy. The

general feeling is that a strong, young

statesman becomes the responsible

chief in command of the state and em-

Johan Johansen of Christiana.

FALMOUTH, Eng., Oct. 17 .- The

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Harvest Thanksgiving held in St. Mary's a churches, Chatham, N. last. There were large and handsome decorati fruits and flowers. T ered harvest sermons, appropriate musical sel special services. The off ed to \$163.63.

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AT GOVERNMENT HOUSE.

HOPEWELL HILL, Oct. 18.—His bonor Lieut. Governor McClelan entertained the members of the executive council and their ladies at Thanksgiving dinner this evening at Government House, Riverside. A meeting of the government was also held.

A DISAGREEABLE EPIDEMIC

A very disagreeable form of skin disease has been almost epidemic in the Fairville public school within the last week or two. The authorities are at a loss to know how or by whom it was introduced, but from one or two cases it spread until the matter became serious enough to form part of the business at a recent meeting of the school rustees. It was decided to have a physician visit the departments and take some action towards stamping out the trouble. Dr. Grey accordingly made an inspection, as a result of which many children were sent home from school. In one department between fifteen and twenty were temporarily released from their studies. The people of Fairville are discussing the trouble freely, and are thoroughly in

accord with Dr. Grey's action.—Globe.

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once more accepting goods for all New Brunswick points and the west. The new bell in the St. George Bapist church can be heard for miles

Mrs. McGaghey of Doak Settlement has presented the Fredericton Capital ith an egg, laid by one of her hens, thich measures 7 1-2x3 1-2 inches.

Clearings for the week ending October 17, 1900, \$557,316; corresponding reek last year, \$516,906.

Dr. Canby Hatheway left this week for Brooklyn, New York, to see his sister, Mrs. Samuel J. Roberts, who is

estimated that it will cost \$5,no to repair the schooner Leonard Parker, which recently put into New ork in distress, while on her way om Pernambuco to St. Johns, Nfid.

The wrecked sch. Wawbeek, before reported capsized off Bastern, Point, was towed into Boston on the 14th after being righted. She is totally dis-The body of the captain's son was not found on board.

Rev. B. N. Nobles of Kentville, N S. who has been called to the pastor ate of the Carleton Baptist church, will commence his work here in No

Stephen Hamm of Hampstead sent this city Wednesday a hog weighing ightly over 500 pounds. It is one of trio the smallest of which tips the am at 450.

The Sun has received a letter signed David Lawson, containing a sum of money. Will Mr. David Lawson please write to the Sun Printing Company one with the money?

George F. Beverley, hardware merhant, made an assignment Tuesday Thomas Bell. A meeting of his editors will be held in the office of Barmhill & Sanford on the afternoon Thursday, October 25th, at three

service during the Fenian raid. Mr. Sutherland was the government drill instructor for the Niagara district at that time, also captain of No. 1 Co. and adjutant of the 44th Batt. He retired from the service retaining rank.

Harvest Thanksgiving services were last. There were large congregations and handsome decorations with grain, fruits and flowers. The rector delivered harvest sermons, and there were ppropriate musical selections for the special services. The offerings amount-

St. Charles' church, Amherst, N. S. as the scene of a very pretty weding Tuesday morning, when John Mc-Murray of St. John, N. B., was united the holy bonds of matrimony to ttie McDonald of Amherst. N. S., aughter of Angus Mclonald. The emony was performed by Rev. F. The bride was attended by Lyde Bradshaw and the groom supported by Will Hanington of John. The harpy couple received useful and handsome presents, ing the esteen in which both were

The infant son of Conductor William mith, of the I. C. R., Truro, upset a tub of boiling water Tuesday, and was scalded so badly that it is not expected

plasant and harmless. HON. T. W. DODD'S WILL.

The will of the late Hon. Thos. W. Dodd of Charlottetown was admitted to probate on Friday last. The total value of the estate is \$139,695.72, of which \$27,987.50 is real estate, \$35,000 is left to the widow, \$35,000 to his daughter (Mrs. Mahon) and \$15,000 to his son, Dr. Simon Walker Dodd. The public bequests are \$5,000 for a public library in Charlotetown, \$2,000 for the P. E. I. hospital and \$1,000 for St.

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Paul's church.

Capt. Swatridge has received cable message from his son, W. O. Swatridge, who has been with the contingents in South Africa, saying that he was to sail from Liverpool yesterday by S. S. Dominion.

Miss Susan Yardy, daughter of Edward Yardy, formerly foreman of the Royal Gazette office, this city, was married recently at the Church of the Beloved Disciple, New York, to Wil-The Dominion Express Company are liam Archer Butterfield.-Fredericton Capital.

> There is talk of dividing up the Church of England diocese of Nova Scotia, forming a new one to take in eastern Nova Scotia, Cape Breton and P. E. Island. The last provincial synod favored it, and the Sydney Post thinks that town should be the Episcopal seat.

> YOKE OF OXEN DROWNED. A valuable team of oxen belonging to David Hughes, of Washademoak while being ferried across the river or Monday bolted and jumped into the stream. A heavy team-load of produce was attached to the beasts, and they were unable to swim, drowning after a strenuous struggle for existence About a half hour after they sank they came to the surface again, having broken away from the wagon in the tide, and were hauled on shore. The produce and wagon are still at the bottom of the river. Charles Hughes who had charge of the oxen, also the ferryman, did everything possible to save the animals

LEARN TO THINK. Unlike a machine, a business is not today as it was yesterday, and it may not be tomorrow what it is today hence the young man who is to rise in business must early in his course learn to think. Herein lies the high value of the new actual business method of business training in use at the Currie Business University of this city. It constantly throws the student upon his own rescurces, and compels him to think about his work.

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VISITING HIS OLD HOME. Rev. Father O'Reilley of Portland, J. N. Sutherland, general freight Oregon, who has been visiting his agent for the C. P. R. at St. John, has cousin, John McCann of Indiantown, just received his medal for active left last evening for Montreal, where he rejoins Archbishop Christey of Oregon to proceed back home. Father O'Reilly was born in St. John. but left for the west some years ago. He is now a very prominent priest in his adopted home. Besides his pastoral duties he edits a denominational paper The Catholic Sentinel, and takes parheld in St. Mary's and St. Paul's ticular pleasure in literary pursuits churches, Chatham, N. B., on Sunday Yesterday morning Father O'Reilley celebrated mass at St. Peter's church

> SHIPPING AT SYDNEY. There was quite a rush at the International pier on Tuesday. Thirteen large steamers were in port: Tritonia Laconia and Carlo, awaiting bunker Larne, Bruce and Rapidan, bunkering Cape Breton, Louisburg and Avona loading coal for Montreal; Turret Crown and Bjorgven, in the stream waiting for a berth to load coal, and the Florida, discharging ore, the Oscar II. having discharged and sailed

for a fresh cargo. There were 55 schooners and four steamers in port at North Sydney on

The council of the board of trade at a meeting held Wednesday afternoon agreed to furnish W. T. Goffe, assoclate editor of the Canadian Trade Review, with industrial, commercial and other information, for an illustrated article on St. John, to be published in a special edition of the Review.

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ANOTHER SUCCESS.

Splendid Liberal-Conservative Meeting in Carleton, Thursday Evening

City Hall Filled by Enthusiastic Voters Who Have St. John's Welfare at Heart.

Eplendid Address by Dr. A. A. Stockton-Hon. Geo. E. Foster Sums up the (Winter Port Matter in a Masterly Manner.

There was a large turnout in the Carleton City Hall. Thursday to hear the addresses of the candidates upon the issues of the day. A. C. Smith occupied the chair. Dr. Alward, J. D. Hazen, M. P. P., W. H. Phorne, Robert G. Allen, Jas. O. Stackhouse, D. W. Clark, D. C. Clark, Charles Emmerson, Ald. Maxwell, Ald. Baxter, E. J. Neve. W. O. Slipp, John Galey, John F. Ring, S. Herbert Mayes and others occupied seats on the platform. The chairman briefly introduced the first speaker,

DR. A. A. STOCKTON. Dr. Stockton referred to the majorities which he had always received in Carleton, and expressed the conviction that on the 7th November he and his colleague would again receive a majority from that portion of the city. After a brief reference to his experience in the local legislature, he referred to the system of cold storage and fast transportation enunciated by Sir Charles Tupper. This province was specially adapted to mixed farming, and the policy of the opposition would not only encourage the agricultural industry, but would assist in building up the city of St. John by the system of transportation. What the people of the west side wanted was permanence for their winter port business. The policy of the opposition was to give the west side its just rights with respect to the export trade. It was of vital importance to the city to have the present feeling of unrest allayed. (Cheers.)

The speaker then dealt with the pledges of the liberal party, emphasizing that of the plebiscite. He had heard Sir Wilfrid in parliament say that the would legislate in accordance with the will of the people. Surely that meant that a majority vote should govern. The people so understood is But Sir Wilfrid afterwards explained that he required a majority of the total vote. This was not a question as to the advisability of prohibition. It was a question of the honesty of the government, of which three members took an active part against prohibition.

Mr. Blair was now postng as a friend of St. John. He was just as much a friend now as he was when he took about \$50,000 every year out of the city by provincial legislation. He also posed as a friend of the laboring man-until the general election. He bought a lot of engines lately for the I. C. R., but he got them in the United States. while the Kingston locomotive works were closed up and 400 nen thrown out of employment.

Referring to the Telegraph's attacks upon him, he quoted Dr. Hannay's opinions of that paper. That gentleman called it the champion crow eater of the maritime provinces. That

He next dealt with the emergency food scandal in good style. He referred to the case of J. Harry

Robertson, who was sent from Quebec to St. John in a second-class car and was turned out of the first-class car. In closing, the speaker made an eloquent appeal for the support of the candidates, not on personal grounds but as the representatives of the party whose principles were identified with the progress of Canada. After three hearty cheers for Dr.

Stockton, the chairman introduced

HON. GEO. E. FOSTER.

Mr. Foster said the men who would deceive the electors as to the plebiscite would deceive them on other issues. There was an agreement between the representative and the people to carry out the promises which were made. If they confessed that they had been unable to carry out their pledges they might be forgiven, but when they shamelessly declared that they had kept all their promises they should be

He asked his hearers if they be lieved, had Sir Charles Tupper been in power in October, 1899, five minutes would have elapsed from the firing of the first gun until he would have said to the people of Canada, "Come." That was a short and easy way of settling the question. But Sir Wilfrid's first position was a refusal, then a denial that the government had the power to send troops except to protect their own homes. The fundamental lack was that these gentlemen could not grasp the idea of the solidarity of the British Empire. There was no doubt in the people of Canada at that time; the doubt and the lagging behind were all in the government of Canada.

The liberal party was talking of the tariff preference for Great Britain as evidence of their loyalty. How about 1891, when they offered unrestricted reciprocity? Where was their loyalty to Great Britain then? What would have been the result had the liberal party then succeeded at the polls?

As to the winter port, he trusted all the citizens would carefully consider the whole matter, which Mr. Blair had declared was the chief issue in this election. After confederation, and as one of its conditions, the I. C. R. was built. Then the C. P. R. was constructed, stopping at Montreal and Quebec, where it was content to stop, so far as that company was concerned. But both the interest as well as the patriotic sentiment of the maritime provinces demanded that this railway should have all its termini in our own country. This view was shared by the upper provinces. The government then practically required he completion of the railway to the city of St. John, and St. John. N. B. for this purpose gave a subsidy equal coes was sor to \$2,700,000. The city also assisted by nent farmer.

making an experimental expenditure for the construction of whatves and warehouses, and thus the winter port became possible. At the instance of the city's representatives, fesses. Hazen and Chesley, a subsidy was granted for a line of steamships. This was an experiment, and by the work of the vast organization of the C. P. R. it was proved to be a success. All of that was done before Mr. Blair was in dominion politics at all. Why was the winter port not then carried out by the I. C. R.? Because everyone agreed that the length of the I. C. R. made it impossible that it should be a successful competitor of Portland, Maine. 11 that had not been the fact the Short Line would never have been built.

The business having passed from the experimental stage into success before 1896, what had Mr. Blair done to make it any better? Nothing. To obtain the best results subsidies for this service needed to be granted for a term of years. Yet the present government had only given the substilles from year to year, and then only closed their arrangements late in the year.

The old government in 1895 gave notice that in future no subsidies would be paid to steamers calling at any other than a Canadian port. When the present government came into power they cancelled the notice and kept the steamers running to Portland, Me., for another year, endering uncertain that which their predecessors had established. In 1899 a delegation from menent arrangement, and Mr. Blair suggested the possibility of a three year subsidy, which he never tried to obtain. Was the service now permanent? No. Not until 14th Sept. last year was any agreement made with the C. P. R., and then the latter road went to work at once. Three days later Mr. Blair backed out of the arrangement, but the C. P. R. kept its side of the bargain. Mr. Blair had agreed to try to make a permanent agreement with the C. P. R., and so far he had not made on his part the slightest effort to do so. The C. P. R. had tried to get an arrangement, but could not get one. Now, within three weeks of the time when this business should be arranged for, nothing was done. If theré should be no change in this state of affairs, in place of a distribution of \$200,000 to \$300,000 this winter, we would have no expenditure for export trade at all. Already, owing to the uncertainty, some shippers had arranged for other routes to handle their goods. This would certainly mean loss to St. John. The only excuse Mr. was working a game of blug. This was not the answer of a statesman. Referring to the claim of the C. P

R. for roturn freights, he pointed out the great advantage which the Grand Trunk possessed in having large return freights so as to make its trips profitable both ways. He then explained the old traffic arrangement by which the I. C. R. re-

ceived from the C. P. R. pay for hauling freight 330 miles, though i would never be actually hauled more than 275 miles and often greatly less. But Mr. Blair said business was business, and handed his freight for western points over to the G. T. R. at Montreal. which latter road would hand the freight over at Detroit to American roads, employing foreign labor and distributing its payments to build up other than Canadian inter-

Even Mr. Tarte had to justify the action of the late government, and said that the port of St. John would practically be closed if the C. P. R. took its business to Boston.

Mr. Blair had said that the unconsigned freight from the west should come through the I. C. R. Suppose it was picked up as far west of Montreal as St. John is east of that place, 741 miles, it would seem fair that each road should be paid equally. Yet the agreement was that the I. C. R. should only get pay for 375 miles. The speaker challenged Mr. Blair to handle freight under this agreement in competition with the Grand Trunk and get more than about one-third what it would cost to haul it. Mr. Blair had had the agreement with the Grand Trunk for a year. Let him say what freight he had carried under it. Let him now use his road and bring the freight if he could do it. Mr. Blair had offered to give the Grand Trunk a little active competition. Now was the time to do it. The people of St. John wanted the

work. Over in Halifax there were wharves and an elevator. Why did Mr. Blair not use these? If he were not bluffing himself, why did he not fulfil his promises?

The C. P. R. had offered to hand to the I. C. R. at Montreal all their winter export business and to lend them engines and cars enough to do it with, Why did not Mr. Blair accept that offer?

In three years Mr. Blair had given to the Grand Trunk what was equal to \$5,000,000, and this was for a road which carried all its winter business to a foreign port.

On closing, Mr. Foster was head dy cheered, and one of the most enthusiastic demonstrations ever seen in the west side was brought to a close by singing God Save the Queen.

HE HAS A BIG FARM.

Walter Black, formerly of Moncton, and a son of George M. Black of Sackville, who went out west over a year ago, has settled on the outskirts of Wolseley, nearly three hundred miles west of Winnipeg. Mr. Black has a farm of 1,200 acres, and is just harvesting four hundred acres of wheat, and has to cut about one hundred and fifty acres of mixed grain for horse

KILLED AT WASHADEMOAK.

Mrs. Edward Straight and Mrs. William Hamm of Milford received sad intelligence by telephone from their brother's home at Washademoak Wednesday morning. They were told that their unmarried brother, Ralph Coes, whilst doing some carpenter work on Monday on Malcolm Straight's house, about a mile below the Narrows, fell off and was instantly killed. It was supposed his neck was broken by the the reason and the essence of Thanksfall. Deceased was one of the best known young men in the Washade- historical sketch of Canada and of the moak district and greatly respected. wars which had preserved Canada as a Monday morning he put several pas- British country. Our soldiers in Afsengers aboard the down-coming steamer Star, and shortly after went back to his carpenter work. Ralph for this purpose gave a subsidy equal Coes was son of John Coes, a promi-

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THANKSGIVING DAY.

the choirs.

(From Friday's Daily Sun.) Special Thanks: ving services were held in various St. John churches yesterday, at which addresses appropriate to the occasion were delivered. Many of the churches were handsomely and appropriately decorated and choice programmes of music were provided by

In St. Andrews church, Rev. L. G Macneill preached ably from the text, "Giving thanks always for all things," Eph. v.:20. He dwelt on England's successful recovery from the terrible war in South Africa, from which has arisen a closer bond of union throughout the whole empire and from which will emerge a free and regenerated South Africa, governed by British laws and Christian civilization. The advance of the spirit of imperialism has killed the issues of annexation and independence. He referred to the prosperity of the country, for which thanks were due, not to any political party, but to the Ruler of all. In closing, he ably reviewed the educational, moral and religious forces at work in Canada during the past year, and pointed out the special cause the people have in these directions for thankfulness.

In St. Stephen's Rev. D. J. Fraser preached from the text Deuteronomy 8:3, "He humbled thee and suffered thee to hunger, and fed thee with manna which thou knowest not, neither did thy fathers know: that he might make thee know that man doth not live by bread alone, but by everything that proceedeth out of the mouth

of the Lord doth man live." A united Baptist service was held Leinster street church, Rev. H. F. Waring being the speaker. He took as his text Ps. 117, and called attention to giving. In opening, he gave a brief historical sketch of Canada and of the wars which had preserved Canada as a British country. Our soldiers in Africa had gone willingly and had fought bravely to help weld the empire together, and they had rendered a service to the mother country that would never be forgotten. He referred to the

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prosperity of the past years, and said that no matter to what political party this might be attributed, yet there was in that prosperity abundant cause for gratitude. They should express their personal blessing by charity and assistance to unfortunates, about the n. The preacher referred also to our national blessings, and spoke of social corruption and how it was being overcome, and referring to the coming elections, said the efforts of all Christian people should be towards maintaining a pure and honest government,

free from political corruption. At the thanksgiving service in the Queen Square Methodist chu.vn. Rev. George Sellar preached, and Rev. C. T. Phillips held a service appropriate to the occasion in the Waterloo street.

Free Baptist church. At Centenary church Rev. Dr. Read preached a special thanksgiving sermon from the words, "The Lord reigneth, let the earth rejoice." The choir rendered music appropriate to the oc-

At Zion church a thanksgiving service was held last evening. Rev. Dr. Wilson preached an eloquent and ap-

PROVINCIAL NEWS

Meek has been laid up for the past ten days with an attack of quinsy.

Miss Ida Hudson, organist of St. screatest anxiety now is regarding a Mary's church of England, is ill with typhoid fever. Wm. Michaud lost a valuable mare

J. & T. Jardine's bark Ossuna sailed this morning for Liverpool. The sch. Ella Maud sailed today for Charlotte-

SUSSEX CORNER, Oct. 13.—The annual school meeting of this district was held this morning. C. W. Stockten was appointed chairman. The re port of the trustees showed that the district was in a good financial and educational condition. H. T. Hayes the retiring trustee, was re-elected, and C. W. Upham was re-elected audi-The sum of \$265 was voted for running the school from January 1st to June 30th, 1901.

King MacFarlane is preparing for his extensive lumbering operations. The heavy rain raised the water in Trout Creek so much that persons were unable to cross it on the post road, where a new bridge is being built. The substructure is completed, but through some delay the steel for the superstructure will not be ready before next spring. A temporary superstructure of wood will be put on for the winter. Why the delay?

SUSSEX, Oct. 15 .- J. E. Ryan, administrator of the estate of the late Patrick McCreary, killed at Paardeberg, has received a check for \$1,000 insurance.

Dr. Johnson, who has been visiting Dr. W. M. Sharp at Binghamton, has returned home. He was hung up some time by the C. P. R. washouts. Miller Bros. have purchased from Pat. Doherty the lot on which they

are now doing business. RICHIBUCTO, oct. 15. -The annual school meeting of the Richibucto district was held on Saturday. John T. Caie was elected chairman. The trustees' report shows receipts for the year of \$2,147.38, and expenditure \$1,387.01 leaving a balance of \$760.37 on hand A bond of \$200 was paid during the year, which reduces the standing debt to \$650. A resolution was passed that the debt be reduced \$200 more during the coming year. An assessment of \$1,000 was passed for next year. The total attendance during the year in the four departments was 161 pupils. Miss Chrystal, teacher of the primary department, applied for an increase of fifty dollars to her salary. The meeting voted her forty Jollars, which now makes her amount from the district \$200. The retiring trustee was Allan Hains. Wm. E. Forbes vas clected to fill the vacancy. W. D. Carter was reelected auditor. A vote of thanks was passed to the chairman.

The American three mested schoone Henry Weller was towed out on Saturday evening. J. & 'F. Jardine's bark Ossuna was damaged a little while anchored off the bar in last Thursday night's gale. The injury was principally to her rudder. She started on Saturday evening for Pictou, in tow of the Charlottetown tug Wm. Aitken, to receive repairs.

Gill, is about to open an office in Dr. Fred Tozers' large practice at Kingston during the latters' illness of several months.

The body of young LeBlanc, who met his death by walking off the draw of the new Kingston bridge during the storm of last Thursday night, has not yet been recovered. The deceased carried one thousand dollars' insurance on his life.

MILLTOWN, Oct. 15 .- A young fellow known as "Bulger" Scott was lying on the Washington County R. R. track between Calais and Milltown on Saturday, so intoxicated he was insensible to the fact that the working train locomotive passed over him. He was caught by the fire box and held there until released. It is reported he has since died of his injuries.

Many are the strange stories of the heavy frechet, which is within a few inches of being as high as that of last spring. Several persons living near the millpond did not retire on Friday night. Milltown, Maine, fared worse than we did. Some cellars had four feet of water in them. Horses had to be taken from their stables through water almost deep enough to swim in. A rowboat was used along some of the streets and was rowed over the fences. Pigs were rescued and put up hay lofts, and in one instance in the back kitchen. A most remarkable story was told regarding the grist mill of a Mr. McCann, which was floated

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down a stream six miles and stranded on a flat, right side up, and the grist and grain still inside. The United States mail has to cross the bridge here and go up on the New Brunswick pile of between two and three millior of logs just above the Milltown bridge. If this gives way the destruction will be large. The foot bridge across the river at the old covered bridge, built by the private subscription of the mill nands, has been swept out again, and now they have to walk round by the upper bridge. On Monday last the water in the river was so low many crossed it on the rocks, and now it is

a swollen torrent. Frank Allwood has resigned the position of marshal, and Dan McInnis has been appointed. Richard Wheeler and wife drove from Centreville, Carleton county, and have been staying at J. H. Hennigar's.

A serious accident occurred Saturday last. Mrs. Deacon, mother of Jeremiah Deacon of this place, was returning to her home at Beaconsfield from St. Stephen, when her horse shied at a running stream caused by the recenfreshet and threw her into the water, and she was drowned before help could

We have had no mail here since Thursday noon of last week. Our last Daily Sun bears the date of Oct. 11. The mails are now being carried by stage to St. George and from there to St. John by the Shore line. We expect a maii today, Monday.

HAMPTON NEWS The annual school meeting of district No. 2, Hampton, was held at the Superior school at 10 o'clock Oct. 13. The attendance of ratepayers was very small, which would seem to indicate that the ratepayers have uncounded confidence in the school trustees and the teachers in their employ. T1:-2 chair was occupied by Philip Palmer, who read the report of the board of trustees, a very brief document, which stated that the expenditure for the current year was \$638.08, and the receipts from all sources \$620.14, with \$336.03 still uncollected. As the board of education has changed the date upon which the school year ends, from December 31st to June 30th, it becomes necessary to ask that the amount to be assessed in the coming year should be sufficient to cover the expenses of a year and a half, and they therefore call for \$700 for the school year ending June 30th, 1902. The report was signed by Jas. W. Smith, James F. Giggey

The report was laid on the table until after the report of the auditor had been received. The auditor, F. M. Sproul, reported that he had carefully examined the books and accounts of the board to

and George Langstroth

date and found all correct. The report was adopted, as was also that of the trustees, and on motion the sum of \$700 was ordered to be assessed for school purposes, as set forth in the

trustees' report. J. Fred Giggey, the retiring trustee, was unanimously re-elected. F. M. Sproul was again elected auditor, and after the reading and adoption of the minutes the meeting adjourned.

Arrangements have been made for public meetings in the interest Dr. Fred Richard, son of Dosithie Geo. W. Fowler, the liberal conservand had every reason to be pleased Richard, and a recent graduate of Mc- ative candidate, to be addressed by F. M. Sproul, as follows: Monday, Oct. eral conservative candidate, made a Chatham. He has been looking after 15th, Annagance Ridge; Tuesday, Oct. 16th, Kingston; Wednesday, Oct. 17th, Long Reach; Thursday, Oct. 18th, Lower Greenwich; Friday, Oct. 19th, Oak Point.

> At the last sitting of the probate court of Kings county Judge Gilbert issued a citation, returnable Dec. 16th, for the passing of the accounts of Nelson Jeffries, administrator of the estate of the estate of the late John Jeffries. G. W. Fowler, proctor.

Argument of counsel in the claim of the Pugsley heirs for damages to meadow lands at Penobsquis (now of and Sir Charles confidently expects many years' standing) was heard by Mr. Cahan to be returned in Cumber-Judge Wedderburn sitting as commissioner at the court house on Friday last. H. A. McKeown for the government; G. W. Fowler for the claimants. The judge promised to go very carefully over all the evidence taken, to give his best judgment to all the points raised by the counsel on either side, and to give his decision at an early day. Mutual expressions of congratulation were exchanged between counsel and judge at the manner in which the whole enquiry has been con-

ducted. In the cause of John C. Wild v Eugene F. Hampton, the examination for disclosure and discharge of defendant was had before R. LeB. Tweedie, Q. C., commmissioner under chap. xxvi. of 1896 to take evidence in the case of debtors, the defendant was discharged. J. M. McIntyre for plaintiff; F. M. Sproul for defendant.

I. C. R. NEWS.

Blair's New Rule About Suspensions and His Fairy Tale of More Pay for the Men.

MONCTON, Oct. 16.—There is a rule on the I. C. R. to the effect that no employe leaving the permanent service shall be eligible for re-employment. How this rule has been carried out under Mr. Blair's management is well daylight, with hardly any breakfast. illustrated in the case of Moses L. and got in at dusk in a pouring, cold painter, left the service of the I. C. R. in a spruit some miles out, and the gaged in the restaurant business. He its emergency ration. We had none, when the change of government took place in 1896 Mr. Tracey applied for a position. The rule of the railway or something else stood in the way, however, and Mr. Tracey was not at once appointed, but at last he was enabled to bring the necessary pressure to bear, and the office of inspector of car cleaning was created for his benefit. About a year ago certain rumors affecting Mr. Tracey began to circulate, and he was removed from the position, the charge being that he had taken improper liberties with female passengers. An investigation was held, and Mr. Tracey was kept under the ban, though the exact nature of the evidence was never made public. Mr. Tracey asked for reinstatement, but this was refused. When the elections were announced he made one last desperate pull for his old job, and went on duty again on Monday last, and, it is said, will receive back pay from the

date of his suspension. It is thus that the L. C. R. has been taken out of politics.

There is a rumor that the pay of al laborers on the I. C. R. will be ined from \$1.10 to \$1.25 a day, and that the mechanics in the shops here will be graded into three classes, and are granted an increase in wages dating from October 1st. The next monthly pay will come a day or before polling.

SUSSEX.

Death of George H. Wallace, Stipendlary Magistrate and Collector of Customs.

SUSSEX, Oct. 17. - Stipendiary George Wallace died at the residence of his son, F. W. Wallace, here at 6.30 this evening. The deceased was one of the best known and most respected residents of this part of New Brunswick, and his death leaves a gap which it will be hard to fill. He was in his 74th year and had been a sufferer for some time from Bright's disease, which finally proved fatal.

Judge Wallace took a leading part in all matters of a public nature, but particularly in those things that pertained to the welfare and advancemen of Sussex. He gave his time freely and his pen was ever ready to boom the place he loved so well. Few towns of its size in the maritime provinces are as well known in Ontario and Que bec as Sussex, thanks to Mr. Wallace's labors as a newspaper correspondent. He was for fully 20 years the Sun's regular correspondent, a position he filled with satisfaction to the newspaper and its Kings county readers. The Sun printed whatever Mr. Wallace contributed without question, having implicit confidence in his honesty and impartiality as a news gatherer.

Besides occupying the position of stipendiary magistrate, he was also customs officer at the outport of Sussex. He was a member of the Sussex Masonic and Oddfellows' lodges. Wallace was an Englishman by birth and came to this country when quite young, engaging in the business of carpenter. He leaves a wife and four children, the latter being F. W. and W. H., of Wallace Bros., undertakers of this place; Mrs. A. D. Sharpe of Campbellton and Mrs. Quigg of Bos-

SIR CHARLES TUPPER Well Pleased With the Outlook in Nova Scotia-Expects the Con-

servatives Will Carry

Fifteen Seats. Sir Charles Tupper arrived at St John Wednesday by boat from Digby. He is the guest of W. H. Thorne, and left on Thursday by boat for Fredericton on the way to Montreal. Charles addressed meetings at Digby and Annapolis on Tuesday. A report of the Digby meeting has already appeared. The Annapolis meeting was held in the largest hall at Annapolis Royal, and was said to be one of the most enthusiastic and effective ever held in the town. People were there from all parts of the county. Sir with his reception. Mr. Mills, the libpowerful address. He seems to be exceedingly popular in his constituency, and is said to be gaining strength every day. Sir Charles thinks that his majority will be much increased. The opposition leader visited Colchester,

where there had been some conflict of opinion in the party over the choice of a candidate. He believes that Mr. Gourley will receive the party support and that he will be returned, as Colchester is a conservative constituency. Mr. Kenny's acceptance of the Halifax nomination makes that county secure "I am not making predictions," land. said Sir Charles, "but my best judgment is that we shall carry fifteen of

have never seen the party so strong there since 1878." EMERGENCY FOOD CRIME.

(Ottawa Citizen.) When the truth respecting the emergency ration becomes known the seriousness of the crime against our brave boys at the front will appear in its awful heinousness. Already a portion is disclosed, and that which we do know calls for condign punishment of the politicians who perpetrated and condoned the crime. In a private letter to a friend in this city, received yesterday, Lieut. E. W. B. Morrison writes of the food as follows: It was very sad about young Borden

the twenty seats in Nova Scotia.

He was a gallant officer and would have been mentioned in despatches if he had lived. As you say, the event will soften the feeling against the minister on the emergency ration scandal, but it was a disgraceful thing for all that. To give a soldier a useless emergency ration is like throwing a useless life-preserver to a sinking man. The ration is never opened, exof the railway, or dismissed for cause, cept in cases of great extremity, such as the 2t5h July, when we made a forced march of 21 miles to Balmoral in bitter cold. We had started before Tracey. Mr. Tracey, who was a rain. The transport convoy got mired a dozen years or more ago, and en- whole army had nothing to eat except became quite an active liberal, and as we had found the Canadian lot was completely useless and left the boxes unpacked at De Aar. An officer and five men in our division died from exposure that night, and I don't know how many more throughout the army. None of our battery died, but sever are in the hospital at Pretoria from the effects of that night. The whole ra tion, even to the box and label, was so cheap and nasty that we thought it had been given to the contingent by some firm as a cheap ad. We never imagined it was a government affair

until we saw the row in the papers. This reduces the emergency scandal to the concrete and submits a practical illustration of the gross injustice done to the lads who, taking their lives in their hands, went forth to uphold the honor of Canada and the integrity of the empire.

Perseverance often accomplishes more than power.

Canadian Election Campaign Attracting Considerable Attention.

Portland Wants to Benefit 'All It Can Out of the Government's Hostility to the Port of St. John.

Recent Deaths of Former Provincia-- Wool Smugglers Foun Guilty - New Brunswick Moose The Lumber and Fish Markets

(From our own correspondent.) BOSTON, Oct. 13 .- Although Ameri cans have a campaign of their own to be decided the day before the Canadian elections, the latter are attracting considerable attention in this country, but not so much as they otherwise would. There is little change in the situation in the United States. The McKinleyites are claiming everything in sight, and unless there are some pronounced surprises in store for the republicans they will probably carry the country by a safe margin. It is noticeable that several countries have the election fever this fall, including Great Britain and Ireland, Canada, the United States, Newfoundland and Cuba.

As usual, quite a percentage of Canadians residing in New England will return to vote on Nov. 7, and if the system employed by the master of the Canadian administration-he of the "business is business" precepts-is again brought into play, no doubt the fares and expenses of thousands of former residents of Quebec will paid, so that they can vote for the Tarte-Laurier candidates. It seems to be the opinion of New Brunswickers here that the fight in their province will be fully as interesting as any in Canada. A good deal of surprise was expressed when the news was announced that the rejected of Westmoreland, who has been a political exile from his own county since his emphatic defeat years ago, had been forced by Mr. Blair to begin all over again. With Emmerson running where he is thoroughly known, Mr. Powell's majority ought to approach near the

one thousand mark. The people of Portland are making preparations for the opening of the Grand Trunk winter port traffic. There is every promise of a busy season there, and some of the papers not satisfied with the G. T. R. business think that the board of trade should and a mandate issued forthwith to do something towards figuring in any transfer of traffic from St. John, should any change be made there through the hostile attitude of the bridge house of correction for two Canadian government toward St. John. years. The Thomson line is already doing a hig business at Portland

The Episcopal church in New York city is engaged in a war on vice on the east side. The pro-cathedral, of which on a thoroughfare in the east side where houses of prostitution have even charged that the police have refused dock and the rector of the Church of the Intercession called at the police dian and eastern boards. station in the precinct to complain charge. The case has been laid before Bishop Potter, and it is said there is a panic in police circles.

James R. Saxton of Goffstown, N. H. has received a silver medal for the part he took to repel the Fenians in 1866. Mr. Saxton at that time belonged to the first company, Halifax dry bank are now worth \$4.50 to 4.75, Volunteer Artillery.

Hunters are returning in large numbers from the New Brunswick forests. and in many instances they are coming home with big moose and caribou heads. Dr. Heber Bishop of this city, an occasional visitor at St. John, captured another monstrous moose. The latest one was shot on Canaan river, and stood seven feet two inches at the shoulders. The spread between the tips of his antlers was 57 inches. C. A. Eaton of Brockton, W. H. Goodwin of Dedham, N. E. Nash of Cambringe, Thomas Martindale of Boston and J. H. Kisnet of Washington also had good luck in the New Brunswick woods.

William D. Haley of Fort Fairfield, Me., has been found guilty of smuggling in the United States district court at Portland. He was charged with smuggling wool across the New Brunswick border. Haley claimed that his suspicious acts were committed in an attempt to aid justice by securing the apprehension of another man whom he suspected of being engaged in the wool smuggling business. Michael Bryson of Fort Fairfield, alleged to have been a confederate of Haley's, was a wit-

ness against the latter. Among deaths of former provincialists in Boston and vicinity recently were the following: In Everett, Oct. 10, Mrs. Rebecca Whelpley, aged 80 years, at one time a resident of St. John. also of Fredericton; in Dorchester district of this city, Oct. 8, Miss Maude Clarke, aged 26 years, daughter of William L. and Mary A. Clarke of Monoton (funeral held Wednesday from residence of her sister, Mrs. Michael J. O'Brien, Everett); in East Boston, Oct. 2, John L., young son of Lawrence and Eliza Hayes of Cape Breton; in Somerville, Oct. 3, Michael T. Quan, formerly of Miramichi, aged 44 years; in East Cambridge, Oct. 6, Mary E. McDuff (nee Coughlin), wife of Frank McDuff, formerly of St. John; in Jamaica Plain, Oct. 11, Mrs. Alice MacNeill, aged 34 years, wife of Daniel F. MacNeill, formerly of Amherst

The Prince Edward Islanders of Bos ton and suburbs are to hold their annual ball here on Nov. 14. Sir Malachi Daly, Lady Daly and Miss Daly of Halifax were in Boston this week.

Rev. S. M. Hunter of St. John addressed the Maine Unitarian convention at Waterville Wednesday. The famous Nova Scotia counterfelting cases came up again this week nowadays.

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here. George E. Litchfield waived a writ of error in the United States circuit court of appeals Tuesday, brought for the purpose of reversing a judgment of guilty in the district court for having assisted a counterfeiter named George Davis, formerly of Truro, in the counterfeiting of Canadian \$2 bills. and the writ of error was dismissed carry out the sentence of the court below. He was thereupon re-sentenced in the district court to the East Cam-

Lumbermen state that spruce is still in very good request, with full agreement prices being enforced. Matched spruce boards are scarce and very firm, with No. 2, 12 feet long, quoted at Dr. Paddock is the rector, is situated \$17. Dealers expect higher prices in the local market during the next few months. For 10 and 12 inch dimensions taken in children off the streets. It is \$17 is still asked, \$15 for 9 inch and under, and \$16.50 for 12 inch random to curb the evil, and when Dr. Pad- lengths, 10 feet and up. Hemlock is

scarce and firm at \$13 to 15 for Cana-Shingles continue quiet at \$2.60 to 2.70 for extra they were sworn at by the captain in cedar and \$2.25 to 2.35 for clear. Laths are steady at \$2.60 to 2.75 for 15-8 inch and \$2.25 to 2.30 for 11-2 inch. The fish market is more active and is firmer as a whole. Mackerel out of vessel have advanced to \$16 to 16.50 a barrel. In the codfish market prices have been advanced 25 cents. Large

and medium \$3.75 to 4; large pickled bank, \$4.50 to 4.75, and large shore and | and she was eligible for the 2.25 class, George's, \$5.25 to 5.50. Herring are firmer on account of the decided scarcity of fish. Nova Scotia large split are held at \$6.25 to 6.50; medium, \$5.75 to 6, and Scatterie (nominal), at \$7 to 8. Live lobsters are steady and unchanged at 16c., and boiled at 18c.

SHEEPDOG TRIALS

Tip and Rap Pen Three Sheep in Four and One Half Minutes.

LONDON, Sept. 28.—Out on the bleak face of Muswell Hill there were some interesting sheepdog trials yesterday. was a special event in connection with the big dog show of the Ladies' Kennel Association, and fringing the crown of the slope upon which the tests were made was a line of men in Melton coats, broad check continuations, stout boots, and gai-They were enthusiasts—drovers from the

morth mostly, and savants from Smithfield. The process of testing the sheepdog is simple, and at the Alexandra Palace it was

simple, and at the Alexandra Palace it was worked in this way.

Three sheep are taken from the flock on the crest of the hill and led to a hollow about 400 yards away. Then the trainer or drover issues instructions to the dog. If he hails from the north he whistles in code, and the sound of it in short staccato "peeps" and long-drawn notes is more like a bos'un piping away the gig than anything else on earth. The dog squats in the grass. "Peep-peep," and he is scampering downhill towards his black-muzzled quarry at the foot. The three bewildered sheep he has foot. The three bewildered sheep he ha to drive uplill through narrow paths fiagged cut on the upland, over the crest, and—greatest test of all—through a pen gate so parrow that but one animal can pass at a ime. The dog starts cautiously, now slinking

stealthily alongside his charges, and now, with short rushes, bunching them together. Uphill they come until the narrow flagway is reached, and here the master may 'shoo' the errant sheep to help the dog, but he must not touch them The passage of the straits is difficult, but with marvellous judgment the dog, fearing to frighten the creatures and so scatter to frighten the creatures and so scatter them, lets well alone by sitting stock still until the last of the trio is through.

Then the final stage is reached, as the sheep turning their frightened faces to the crowd above scamper pell-mell within the narrowing circle of the ever-watchful dog towards the pen. Amid a terrifying roar of "In, ba goom!" the sheep squeeze through, and the test is done

Yestercay the owners of the best came from the north, Mr. Mackareth's Tip and Mr. Barcroft's Rap dividing the first and second prizes pooled. In each case the trial was stages.

SUPPLANTED.

Sillicus-What has become of Volapuk, that was destined to become the universal language? Cynicus-Oh, everybody talks golf TWO FAST HORSES.

Brief Sketches of Ferron and the Fast Daughter of Brazilian.

With the discussion as to the merits of Lina Belle and Ferron, some facts concerning them will be of interest. Lina Belle was foaled in 1894, being bred by J. C. Mahon, Truro; she was sired by Brazilian, and her dam was Blue Bell, by Hermes, a brood mare which Mr. Mahon imported from Ohio, and which is also the dam of Virginia J., 2.251-4; Gussie Bell, the pacer, which took part in the Exhibition races; Clonwell, by Clonmore, and two others. She was purchased from Mr. Mahon by J. I. LaRoche, her present owner, who sent her back to the provinces in 1896 to be trained by A. Slipp. Her first start was in the Maritime Colt Stakes at Amherst, when she won second money in the 3-year-old race, May Fashion winning the second and third heats in 2.423-4, 2.393-4. Mr. Slipp gave Lina Belle her first mark in this race, she winning the first heat in 2.41. The next year she won second money in the 3-year-old race at Amnerst when she won the first heat in 2.34 1-4, and Wilmont (now Bilmont) won the race in 2.30, 2.35. She afterwards went back to Quebec, and in the following year obtained a mark of 2.261-4 and got a record of 2.221-4 before coming to Halifax for the exhibition last year, but the entries here had closed winning both of them in straight heats, and won the five-heat free-forall from Special Blend in 2.21 3-4. This year she lowered her record at Quebec to 2.191-4, and since coming to the provinces has won five races, her first at Amherst, when she beat Minota, Arclight and Parkland in straight heats in 2.20 3-4, 2.20 1-2, 2.20 3-4; her second at Springhill, when she again won from Arclight, Minota and Ladybird in straight heats in 2.201-2; her third at Halifax, when she won the first, third and fifth heats in 2.20 1-2, 2.22 1-4, 2.25 3-4, Ferron winning the second and fourth in 2.211-2, 2.211-4; her fourth at Charlottetown, when she won the fourth, fifth and sixth heats in 2.20, 2.24, 2.27, Warren Guy winning the second and third in 2.22, 2.22 1-2, and Arclight the fourth in 2.23 1-2; her fifth at Sussex, when she won the fourth, fifth and sixth heats in 2.24, 2.22 1-2, 2.24, Brazilian winning the first in 2.201-4, and Jock Bowen, the Milltown horse, capturing the second Ferron is one of the best bred horses

and third in 2.21, 2.21 3-4. ever brought to the provinces. He was bred by C. W. Williams, Galesburg, Ill., and was foaled in 1891. He was sired by the great Allerton, 2.09 1-4, sire of 42 in the list at 11 years old, dam Directorine, 2.32, by the great Director, 2.17, sire of Directum, 2.05 1-4, Direct, 2.05 1-2. He had a record of 2.24 1-4 when he was sold at the Fasig sale in New York, November, 1899, when he was bought for Nova Sctoia parties for \$385. Ferron, since coming to the provinces, has proved himself a great horse by lowering his record in his first season on the provincial turf, which was last year, and which mark had been made on a mile track. He won the 2.25 class at Kentville in straight heats in 2.221-2, 2.25, 2.231-4, defeating Rock Farm Grace, Onward, Almont Charta and Joe Youngheart, and at Bridgetown in the free-for-all he won the first heat in 2.25, but Warren Guy won the race in 2.25, 2.27, 2.27. Ferron, however, beat Special Blend, Provider and R. T. M. He has only started twice this year, when he was beaten by Warren Guy in straight heats in 2.21, 2.22, 2.25, and at Halifax, when he made such a great fight with Lina Belle, obtaining a record of 2.21 1-2, and which race brought about the recent match.

Do what you think is right and don't worry about what other folks say.

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Important Factors in British Electioneering Work

LADY CANVASSERS

The Radicals Have Taken a Leaf Out of the Book of the Primrose League.

(London Telegraph.)

The lady canvasser has come to be recognized as a very important factor in electioneering work. So much is this the case that the radicals have taken a leaf out of the book of the Primrose League, and rely to no inconsiderable extent upon the activity of the feminine political missionary Today the Primrose dame is to be seen trudging up and down the stairs of model lodging-houses and penetrating such dingy quarters of the town as are known, by a fanciful but inaccurate nomenclature, as Paradise square and Pleasant row. Mere male canvassers have before now complained that in the attempt to carry political enlighterment into such thoroughfares they have narrowly escaped with a whole skin. Yet in these same squalid streets the lady canvasser pursues the even tenor of her way, meeting with never a saucy word or a deprecating look. She walks unharmed, while in a neighboring cul-de-sac the candidate in whose success she is so much interested is, perhaps, being pelted with

something stronger than argument.

But while the lady canvasser may

rely on experienced courtest wherever the goes, there are certain qualifications for her work which, if she is wise, she never neglects. For instance, it is just as well for her to don a pretty toilette, for a well-dressed woman commands added respect, and inst. The Rev. George Lamb of the a visit from her is invariably taken as a compliment. There is a notion that a brilliant equipage is essential to successful canvassing. That this is not the case is shown by the fact that in the present campaign ladies are turning the bicycle to account. Not a few Primrose League dames are still away in the north, so that the carriage and pair will hardly play so large a part in the London elections as in 1895, when the dissolution took olace in the month of July. But the success already achieved by lady cyclists is such as to suggest that the carriage is by no means indispensable. While, however, a vehicle is usually only necessary from the standpoint of convenience, it is surprising how much attention is attracted by an equipage which is a little out of the common. A Primrose dame who has done some exceptionally successful canvassing in a Surryside constituency attributes her good fortune very much to her smart pony cart and the diminutive "tiger" who accompanies her. It was touching, she said, to see the interest taken by costern ongers in the pony's teeth. When other lady canvassers came into the The gentle art of canvas

district, they were told, "We're glad orders have been placed with the above to see ye, mum, but will ye send us firm from Canada, and even from New the lidy with the pony cart and tiger?" Brunswick, but the last report from quires plenty of ready tact as well as a persuasive and winning style, and little preliminary training is essential. A young radical, full of enthusiasm. and in no sense deficient in politeness. called the other day to canvass for a vote in one of the divisions of Islington. His knock was answered by a middle-aged woman, and then the following colloquy ensued:

"Is your husband in?" "No, poor man, he's in heaven." "Dear me, I'm very sorry."

The unhappy canvasser retired in confusion. His mistake in knocking at the wrong door is one which the experienced Primrose league canvasser never commits, for her instructions are very precise. "Where there are many bells in a house ascertain which bell, or how many knocks, are required for the voter, and note the fact. Time will thus be saved for the next canvasser, and inconvenience to other occupants who do not wish a useless journey from the top of the house to answer the door." Careful observance of this rule saves a good deal of unpleasant-

To be successful a lady canvasser requires to be a careful student of human nature. The first sentence addressed to her by the voter should give her the cue, and it is fatal to do all the talking. A valuable lady in Chelsea began her political experiences by delivering a brief speech to the first elector she called upon. For a full five minutes she breathlessly descanted upon the shortcomings of her opponents, when she was interrupted by the remark, "Stow it, missus, give the other beggars a chance." Rarely was rebuke more justified, for a torrent of eloquence was wasted for want of a few judicious inquiries at the outset. Sometimes, of course, the canvasses has to do all the talking. In other cases it is the voter who welcomes that task. It is pretty certain that it a man is at home during working GEN'L LORD KITCHENER. hours he is a politician, and very likely a faddist. In that event he may corner the lady canvasser, perhaps on a local subject as to which she is imperfectly informed, and there is nothing for it but to note the case as one in which it is desirable for the candidate to call, more especially if the voter says that he knows nothing of him. The Princese dame feels that she has met with perfect courtesy, but with a little too much argument. The candidate very likely will receive neither the one nor the other next day. He may explain with a smile that he is the candidate, and get the abrupt any today." This makes him think whether, after all, the lady canvasser in question is quite as discriminating as she is pleasing.

The lady canvasser is always polite. ever asks an elector bluntly for his vote, and is particularly non-committing in her first dealings with his wife. She soon knows, however, if a woman is aware as to which party her husbands intends to support, and she wickly discerns if the wife is not made the repository of her spouse's political secrets, or is entirely indifferent to the whole subject. Each case needs its

times the tady convasser gets a written reply sent on to her from the elec-tor she has vainly endeavored to see. One careful voter wrote the other day: date. "Another forwarded a long explanation. "I am a liberal—a winig of the old school. I cannot vote for a liberal-unionist. I could vote for a liberal-tory. I am unwilling to be dragged through the inconsistent acts of Joseph Chamberla" THE ORSERS. of Joseph Chamberlain." This reads like a case in which a really clever lady canvasser might with advantage have made another call.

PRAT-HARRIS.

A very interesting event took place in the Church of England at Annapolis, N. S., on Wednesday, when Rupert Prat of St. John was united in marriage by the Rev. Henry Howe with Miss Lillian Sybil Harris of Annapolis. The church was very prettily decorated for the occasion, the bride having been the leading member of the choir for several years. The bridegroom was assisted by Harry Nase of this city. Miss Carrie Harris, sister of the bride, was the maid of honor. The other bridesmands were Miss Hall of Halifax, Miss May Prat and Miss Grace Harris of Annapolis, Richard Porter Louis Harris of Hallfax and Fred W Harris were the ushers. The presents were numerous and beautiful, and showed the great esteem in which Mr and Mrs. Prat are held. The happy couple will reside in Fredericton. Am ong the guests were Miss Cornell of Ithica, N. Y., Mr. and Mrs. Wilcox, Windsor, and Mrs. Thompson of Wolf.

WEDDED AT DORCHESTER.

The marriage of Charles Neville Baird of Wolfville, N. S., to Miss Myrtle Dickie, daughter of John T. Dickie of Dorchester, took place at the home of the bride's father on the 10th Presbyterian church officiated on the occasion. Relatives of the contracting parties, with other guests from Nova Scotia and New Brunswick, were present in goodly numbers. The presents to the bride included a set of massive oak chairs and room lamp presented by members of the Presbyterian church choir and congregation, to which the bride had for years rendered valuable services as organist. After a sumptuous wedding breakfast the happy couple left on the C. P. R. train to spend the next three weeks travelling through Nova Scotia. They will make Wolfville their home for

some time. CAMPAIGN BUTTONS HAVE AR RIVED.

Campaign buttons have appeared. They are from that great American manufactory, the Whitehead, Hegg Co., of Newark, N. J., and are very pretty. The conservative button has Sir Charles Tupper's head-an excellent likeness-backed up by a Union Jack. The liberal button has Sir Wilfrid Laurier's picture on it, with handsome color decorations. Large the manufacturers was that they could not fill any more orders before elections. They are working night and the novice is apt to find that even a day as it was with campaign insignia for both the American and Canadian elections, and even duplicate orders would run a chance of not being attended to. An order has been placed for a button with Colonel Domville's head upon it, and bearing the words, "Queen and Country." This is to be used in the Kings County campaign.

MEMORIAL WINDOW.

The A. A. Mabee Co. of north end have just completed placing a large Gothic memorial window in the new St. James Episcopal church at Westfield. The window is in memory of Peter Lingley and his wife Mary, two old residents, the heads of the present generation of Lingleys in this part of New Brunswick. Both died a good many or New Brunswick. Both died a good many years ago, at the ages of 93 and 91 respectively. Relatives of this aged couple have borne the expense of the memorial window, which is a very beautiful piece of glazing. A Toronto firm, through W. H. Thorne & Co., supplied the glass, which is beautifully designed, representing the Apostle St. James in its central piece, and two large scrolls with inscriptions on either side.

SOCIAL ARITHMETIC.

It is calculated in America, where things are expensive, that to bring a girl "out" in society, from the time she is a child, costs £12,000! It would be an interesting experiment in social arithmetic to de termine the expense at a similar rate (to three places of decimals) of: (1) Keeping a son in a crack cavalry regiment; (2) Marrying a daughter, aged twenty-seven, with no "parlor tricks"; (3) Liquidating a charity bazaar; and (4) Getting over Christmas with "satisfaction to all concerned."—Lady's Pictorial.

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LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE

To the Editor of the Sun:

Sir-The most fitting and appropriate designation for the so-called liberal party is the one given at the head of this paper, for it has stod in the way of everything that has tended to make our country known and respected. That this is no reckless and groundless charge, the reader is respectfully requested to note the following:

1. Everybody admits today that the confederation of the British North American provinces was a wise and important movement, and that a continuation of the old order of things would have been perilous to British interests in America. That movement was opposed by the liberals, its promoters were denounced in all the moods and tenses, and the utter ruin of the maritime provinces would be sure to follow the union. The advocates of confederation had political foresight and courage, faced and fought down their opponents, and the logic of events has proved they were right.

2. The acquisition of the Northwest was denounced as the maddest of all mad speculations, the country was described as unfit for a white man to live in, a region of ice and snow, the home of the wolf and the bear. What torrents of eloquence vere poured forth in the effort to describe the folly of the purchase, and what insinuations were thrown out as to the motives of the purchasers? But who decries the Northwest today, for instead of the ice and snow it is found to be a land of unlimited possibilities, and the great est grain-producing country in the world. The conservative grasped the situation, anticipated events, and secured to Canada a territory that probably would have ere this rassed under the Stars and Stripes.

3. British Columbia came into the union on condition that railway connection should be established between the east and the west within a specified period. The bargain was a hard one, the country to be traversed was but little known, the distance long, the engineering difficulties great, and the cost enormous. But again the conservative leaders were equal to the o :casion, and having faith in themselves and in the future of their country, the conditions were accepted. Once more the grits came to the front with the cry of blue ruin. There would not be business enough to pay for the oiling of the axles, no company would un. dertake it, and for the government to do so would mean bankruptcy and beggary. When the grits came into nower in 1873 they found an elephant on their hands. They were incapable

of grappling with so gigantic an enterprise, and sought to break the bargain, but this the colonial office would not consent to. Their next proposal was to "utilize the water stretches," i. e., the lakes and rivers along the route, connect these by portage railways, and build just as population increased. Of course the scheme was a failure. But when in 1878 the conservatives returned to power the matter was again taken up and carried through. Today we have a superb railway service from ocean to ocean, immigrants are coming in in large numbers, the resources of the country are being developed, the trade of the east has been brought within our reach, and the motherland has now an highway to the east for trade, travel, and the transportation of munitions of war without touching foreign territory. All of which would have been impossible if the grits had had their way. When the conservatives returned to power they found the country in a bad way. Business was at a stand still, trade was paralyzed, our credit was depreciated, and we were met at the border with hostile tariffs. The national policy was introduced, which was declared the worst of all the bad things originated by the conservatives, and everything was done that could be done to neutralize its influence. But under it the country prospered, trade revived, our credit abroad was re-established, and Canada became a great producer. Indeed, so popular did it become that when the grits again attained power in 1896, they did not dare to make any material alterations therein. They did not even seek to resurrect their old pet fads of commercial union, unrestricted reciprocity, or "Free trade as they have it in England.

5. Our flag was insulted, our territory invaded, and our fellow subjects driven from their homes, robbed and murdered. Other colonies promptly resented the insult, and contingent after contingent went forth to help the motherland in her hour of need. Canada held back, and was placed by her grit rulers in a false position. Her premier declared he had no power to act, members of the cabinet endorsed his inaction, and some of his support-In sinaction, and some of his supporters said Canada had nothing to do with the wars of the empire. At wast, when forced to act by an indignant public, and by the pressure brought to bear upon them by her majesty's loyal opposition, the announcement was made that such action was lot to be cited as a precedent. And despite pretty speeches and that kind of thing the people of this country can never forget that Britain's greatest colony, instead of being he first, was the last to show her practical sympathy with the motherland in her hour of peril. Such a course would have been impossible under conservative leaders. Canada would have taken her proper positions at the most proper to one would have taken her proper positions. The first of these admirable works, written and would have taken her proper positions. ers said Canada had nothing to do ada would have taken her proper position at the head of the colonial contingents, and in the days to come we would have spoken of it to our chilaren with patriotic pride. But what our government hesitated to do, and for the doing of which they kept apologizing, our people did spontaneously and our brave boys showed they were not made of the poor material their

leaders were made of. These facts, and they are undeniable stance being if possible to leave a pleasant impression behind. Some
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Tully sustain the charge made, and shows the appropriateness of the designation given the grit party. What they have been they are and are likely for; a statesman knows what he is voting against."

to be, and the people should emphatically declare that such a party is not to be trusted and that their interests are not to be committed to the hands of incapable obstructionists.

OUR LAND. (R. S. G. A., in The Westminster. There is no Land like our Land,
The Sea calls to the Sea,
"The Mistress that has ruled us
Has a daughter fair as she."
Oh! this may love the kopje,
And that the blue gum tree;
But this Land is our Land:
And Canada for me!

There is no Land like our Land; Where is no Land like our Land;
Where, mistress of our own.
Ye lead the breed of Empire
To guard the ancient throne.
And the Old Land keeps a welc
For her kin beyond the sea;
But this Land is our Land;
And Canada for me!

There is no Land like our Land!
We want no other Jack;
The flag that fired our fathers
Is the pilot on our track.
O! this may woo with thunder,
And that in wiles be free,
But this Land is our Land;
And Canada for me!

Ther is no Land like our Land;
Our day is at the dawn;
Our waking stirs the nations;
We are no feeble pawn.
And the Old Land grimly listens;
And the Allen frowns to see;
But this Land is our Land;
And Carada is free!

There is no Land like our Land;
God keep it ever so;
And heart-throbs shall be drum-beats;
When we find our country's foe.
O! this may love the Southland,
And that may cross the sea;
But this Land is our Land;
And Cauada for me!

EMMERSON'S MARRIAGE MUDDLE

(Chatham World.) Mr. Emmerson's chief work as com-

missioner of public works was the introduction of the system of paying two prices for steel bridges that are put together in the province, and his only monument as attorney general is a law making it a penal offence for any clergyman to solemnize marriage without having first obtained a license from Mr. Tweedie or his successor for that purpose. That is to say, should the Bishop of Chatham, or the Bishop of Fredericton, or any priest or minister, solemnize a marriage, after Nov. 1st, without petitioning Mr. Tweedle for permission to do so, and obtaining that permission, he will be liable to a fine of \$100 and to six months' imprisonment. This is worse than shooting caribou without a license, and a license obtained after the act would not make the marriage legal even if it did relieve the offender of the legal pains and penalties. This foolish act is Emmerson's monument on the statute books. Not a half dozen clergymen of the province would have heard of this mischievous law if the newspapers had not called attention Tweedie ought to try to get his government out of the hole by immediate ly sending licenses to all ministers of the province, without waiting for petitions for them. Should this not be done there will be trouble.

A NOVEL SUICIDE.

NEW YORK, Oct. 14.—Henry Wilkens, a Nassau street saloon keeper, killed himself today. He was despondent over continued ill health. Wilkens left his home in Brookill health. Wilkens left his home in Brooklyn in the morning after kissing his wife several times. When he got to his saloon in this city he telephoned an undertaker, telling him a friend of his was dead and the undertaker would probably get the job of burying him. At noon he sent a bootblack with a note to Mrs. Wilkens, and followed this with another by a second bootblack to the undertaker.

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The two notes announced his suicide and brought the wife and undertaker to the saloon. Not being able to get in, the police were brought and broke down the door. On the bar was a note which read: "Body in the ice by."

Wilkens was found dead in the big ice Wilkens was found dead in the big ice box in the cellar. The door of it was shut tight and gas fumes filled it.

The body hung by a piece of clothesline from two hooks driven into a joist over the head. A 45 calibre revolver was tied over his chest and a rubber hose fastened to the gax fixture hung at his side. The arrangement of the revolver showed great care and pains. It was fastened with a raise of ment of the revolver showed great care and pains. It was fastened with a piece of clothes line, the strands of which had been unwound and so fastened to the weapon as to make it point almost directly towrds the man's heart. A yard of twine, fastened to the trigger had a loop in the other and of it, so as to make it possible for Wilkens to the slip his foot into it and pull the trigger in that way. He had evidently stood on a half barrel nearby, adjusted the rope and the revolver and had turned on the gas and put the end of the tube in his mouth. He had then stepped off the half barrel. There was a bullet wound in his chest and two cartridges in the revolver had been discharged.

CONFUCIUS, THE KEY TO CHINA.

You will never understand China until you study Confucius, or at least learn enough about that extraordinary personage to get scme notion of the way in which, and of the reasons because of which, he, and he alone, has crystalized the Middle Kingdom into that changeless mass of custom and impenetrable convention which gives it its practical invulnerability.

China cannot and will not be altered. No spread of commerce, no impulse of education, no influence of scientific inventions, it seems to me, will for many generations to

seems to me, will for many generations to come transform the minds and lives of the "Flowery Land." And the reason is ever Confucius! The Chinese, one and all, it may be roundly stated, have allowed their souls and bodies, their homes and business, their social, civil and political condition to be foreover regulated by "Kong-fu-tse." In every city, town and village of China you will see the vermilion-colored temple of the great teacher. Everywhere are painted and gilded tablets inscribed with his precepts. The emperor and the chief magnates of the seems to me, will for many generation The emperor and the chief magnate

ar and liberal churchman, shows clearly enough that Confucius was an opportunist the most unmoral of moralists, the most unspiritual of theologians, an advocate of expediency above principle, of propriety above rectitude, of custom above convenience, of this life rather than of what he deemed the doubtful future. One of the gloomy and paralyzing sayings he has bequeathed to his country is this: "Hath heaven ever spoken?" And nevertheless, he was a religious and a superstitious man, as are his compatriots."—Sir Edwin Arnold in The Youth's Companion.

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BRYAN IN NEW YORK.

NEW YORK, Oct. 16.-Wm. J. Bryan arrived in the city at 2.55 o'clock today. His reception was an emphatic ovation. As the train steamed into the annex of the Grand Cetral depot that part of the immense building was packed with a waiting multitude.

For almost two hours before the announced arrival and for fully a half hour after Col. Bryan was driven to the Hoffman house in an open carriage, in which he sat next to Richard Croker and with uncovered head bowed and smiled to the thousands who cheered him. Forty-second street presented an animated scene. From Lex- Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat Only. ington avenue on one side to Sixth avenue on the other the sidewalks were lined with the populace.

At 2.35 o'clock the carriage containing the Tammany hall reception committee rode to the annex. Wm. R. Hearst led the way, followed by Rich ard Croker, O. H. P. Belmont, president of the borough; James J. Coogan, James Shevlin, Thos. Nixon, Lawrence Delmour and about a dozen others Three cheers for Croker were given. The parrow passage vay along the tracks was a seething mass of people when the engine of the Bryan train blew its warning whistle. Then came the mad scramble to reach the rear car of the train in which Col. Bryan was best re supposed to be. Mr. Croker, Mr. Hearst and the other members of the reception committee tried to walk in a dignified manner toward the train to greet Mr. Bryan, but the crowd war. too great. They were pushed and shoved and hustled along until they had almost to break into a run before

rear platform and give Col. Bryan a greting. Meanwhile the crowd had worked itself up to what it considered a proper degree of enthusiasm. It cheered and ballooed and cat-called as Col. Bryan stepped out on the platform. As he entered the open carriage and took his seat Mr. Bryan took off his hat and smiled and bowed on every side. Richard Croker sat next to him while Mr Hearst and Mr. Shevlin occupied the other two seats in the carriage

they could swing themselves upon the

The party drove through 42nd street to Fifth avenue and then down to the Hoffman house.

SHALL WE EVER BE ABLE TO FLY ?" FREIDSCHAFEN. Oct. 17.-Count Zeppelin's airship ascended this afternoon, was steered against the wind. and put successfully through various tacks and manoeuvres. It was then sailed in the direction of Immenstadt. The King and Queen of Wurtemberg witnessed the trial.

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ON TRAINING MEN

Rev. Dr. Talmage's on Temptations of College Life.

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WASHINGTON, Oct. 14.—Dr. Tal
Mage stayed in London to occupy the
mous Wesley pulpit in the City Read

My subject also impresses me with chapel, where he has preached several times before, always receiving a hearty welcome. Thence he went to Ireland, welcome. Thence he went to Ireland, preached in Belfast and Dublin. The discourse he has sent this week de-scribes the behaviour of a young man away from home and suggests practicaway from home and suggests practically lessons for people of every age and class. The text is Daniel i: 5: "And iet, which means "God, my judge;" the king appointed them a daily provision of the king's meat and of the wine which he drank; so nourishing them three years, that at the end thereof they might stand before the king.

My text opens the door of a college in Babylon and introduces you to a Babylon. I wish I could write upon eth like an adder." young student 17 years of age, Daniel by name. Be not surprised if in the college you find many allarities. Put a hundred young men together and they are sure to have a good time. There is no harm in that. God does not write out the trees and the grass and the blossoms in dull prose. The old robin does not sit moping in the nest because of the chirpings and the lively adventures of the fledglings that have just begun to fly. Do not come into an orchard looking for winter ap-

ples on a May morning. But Daniel of the text is far from being gay. What oppressive thoughts must have come over him as he remembered that he was a captive in a strange land! The music that came into his study window, was not the song of Zion, but the sound of flute, sackbut and duloimer in the worship of the heathen god. Moreover, he had no hope of even getting back home ly useful. again and meeting those who had miss ed him bitterly, wondering if he were still alive and finding many, a luxury tasteless because they did not know but Daniel might be lacking bread.

SCHOOL AND COLLEGE DAYS.

When you and I were in school or college and the vacation approache we were full of bright anticipation and we could not study the last day and we could not study the last night The lexicon and the philosophical apparatus were transparent, so we could see right through them into the meadows and the orchards. Not so with poor Daniel. He did not know that he should ever escape from captivity, or escaping, he did not know but when phasis in the right place and on the he got home the loved ones would be dead, and he would go wandering and weeping among the sepuichres of his he should go, and when he is old he fathers. Besides that the king tried will not depart from it." May you ali to make him forget his home and for- have the glorious satisfaction of seeget his country; for that purpose actuwanted him to be a prodigy in personal appearance, and so he ordered meat and wine sent from his own table to Daniel, but Daniel refuses all this and the beauty of Christian sobriety. The puts himself upon the humblest diet, meat and the wine that were to come the poorest of all herbs, called pulse, to Damiel's table were to come from and plain water. His attendants cry the king's table. Well, Daniel had no out against this and tell him he will right to take that food. The king was perish under such a diet. "No," he a heathen and, like all the heathen, was says, "you try us for ten days, and if accustomed to ask a blessing before at the end of that time we are not full he partook of food, and in that blesscheeked and robust as any it will be ing they always dedicated the food to surprising." Ten days pass along and the gods. So that if Daniel had taken the students come up for examination this food he would have broken the and all declare that none are so rud- law which forbade the taking of food dy and robust as Daniel and his fel- dedicated to idols. He chose pulse. It low captives. The days of industrious was a miracle that he did not dwindle pupilage and the years pass by, and the away. There is nothing in pulse, such day of graduation has come, and Daniel gets his diploma, signed by the king healthful. Some people talk as though and reading as follows: "In all mat- that were a kind of diet which would ters of wisdom and understanding that the king inquired of them he found them ten times better than all the not the lesson at all. But for a posimagicians and astrologers that were in tive miracle Daniel would have dwindall his realm." "And so Daniel took led away and when God for his selfthe first honor, and here the story ends denial puts upon him this benediction for Danjel the student bereafter will he puts a benediction upon all Chrisbe Daniel the prime minister.

The first thought suggested to me by this subject is that young men may be carried into captivity by their enemies. There is a captivity more galling than the one in which Daniel was transported; it is the captivity of evil they make a religion of their hunger habit. Men do not go into that wit- as the Pharisees expected heaven for tingly. Slyly and imperceptibly are the chains forged upon them, and one day they wake up to find themselves away down in Babylon. Cyprus afterward consented that some of his captives should return, and 50,000 of them accepted the opportunity, but tell me what evil habit ever consented to let a man go. Ten plagues made Pharach consent to the departure of God's people, but tell me what Pharaoh of evil habit ever cheerfully consented to, let any of its victims go. Men talk sufficient inquiry send them out to of evil habits as though they were light and trivial, but they are scorpion whips that tear the flesh; they are spikes more bloody than the path of a Brahman; they make the poisonous robe of Nessus; they are the sepulchres in which millions are buried alive.

PERILS OF YOUNG MEN. The young are in more peril because they are unsuspecting. The lions are asleep in their souls and their power is not suspected. The time when ship's company makes mutiny is when the watchman is off his guard. When a spider meets a fly, it does not say, "Go down with me to the place where I murder insects." No; it says, "Come and take a bright morning walk with me on this suspension bridge of glittering gossamer." Oh, there is a difference between the sparkle of a serpent's eye and the crush of its slimy folds. There is a difference between the bear's paw toying with a kid and the crackling of the bones in the terrific hug. Pike's peak looks beautiful in the distance, but ask the starved travelers by the roadside what they think of Pike's peak. Are there those around whom suspicious companions are gathered? Do their jests and their entertainments make the bours go blithely by hen you are with them? Have you taken a sip from their cup of sin or gone with them in one path was at last outwitted of his own ap- Oh, how many graves there are in the

now, his name is to be Belter which means "the treasure of the good Bel." Now you expect to see him everthrown amid all these changed circumstances. Oh, no! Daniel started right, and he keeps on right. When all parents' hearts the fact that early impressions are well nigh ineffaceable. When I see Joseph, a pious lad in the house of his father Jacob, I am not sions are well nigh ineffaceable surprised to see him acting so nobly down in Egypt. When I find Samuel, a pious lad, in the house of his mother Hannah, I am not surprised that he gives a terrible smiting to idolatry as soon, as he comes to manhood. David planned the temple at Jerusalem and gathered the materials for its building but Solomon, the son, came and put up the structure, and that goes in all ages The father plans the character of the child and its destiny for time and eternity, then the son completes the structure. You might as well put down a foundation ten feet by five and expect to rear on it a great cathedral as to put down a contracted character in a child's soul and yet rear upon it something extensively grand and extensive

ENCOURAGEMENT FOR PARENTS Let me say to those Christian parents who are doing their best in the education of their children: Take good heart; your sons this mornig may be far away from you and in a distant city, but God, to whom you dedicated them, will look after them. The God of Daniel will take care of them far away in Babylon. "Train up a child the way he should go, and when he is old he will not depart from it." He may wander away for awhile and fall into sin and break your heart, but before he is done with this life, you having commended him to God, he will come back again, for I put the emword "old" when I repeat that passage and say, "Train up a child in the way ing your children walk in paths of ally changed his name. The king righteousness and peace! One with them on earth, may you be one with them in heaven. But I learn also from this subject

> a poor herb, to make a man ruddy and make a man swarthy and competent to do the duties of this life. That is tian sobriety. I would not have you class your preacher among those who would put unnecessary restraints upon lawful appetites. There are those in this day who dispute the grant which their fasting. Daniel did not aiways live on pulse. He was not a Grahamite; he was not a vegetarian. He went through that self-denial because the food offered him was idolatrous food. When I see God filling the earth with all varieties of food, I have not much confidence in the teaching of those who would put us on severe regimen. There are parents who, with a wrong theory in this respect, deny their children all harmless luxuries and without boarding schools where their intellects are cultured to the disadvantage of their starved bodies, so that from many a boarding school a class of 20 will graduate, 19 of them ghosts. Now, when I see the three angels eating the calf which Abraham slew and when I and Christ eating broiled fish even after his resurrection I come to the conclusion that the theories of the veg-

etarian are not from a religious stand-

point well founded. TEMPTATION TO DISSIPATION. But, oh, how many things to tempt the appetite, how many temptations to gluttony! With so many sparkling beverages, how much temptation to drunkenness! Could I bring before you this morning the mothers and the wives and the sisters who have wept at the graves of the inebriate, your soul the ruddy cheek from which rum has up and cry, "Begone, thou dream of

hell!" Charles Lamb, who made all the He has started out on the dark sea world laugh at his humor, and then afterward made all the world weep at flashing of the pit and the laughter is his fate, who, outwitted everybody and the creaking of the gate of the lost.

ous flood. Could the youth to who the flavor of the first wine is delicion as the opening scenes of his life, of the entering upon some newly discovered paradise—could he look into my lation and be made to understand what a dreary thing it is when a man shall feel himself going down a pre-cipice with open eyes and a passive will; to see his destruction and have no power to stop it, yet feel it all the way emanating from himself; to see all godliness empty out of him, and yet not able to forget the time when it was otherwise; to bear about the piteous spectacle of his own ruin— could he see my feverish eye, feverish with last night's drinking and feverishly looking for tonight's reception of that folly—could he but feel the body of the death out of which I cry hourly with feeble outcry to be delivered, it were enough to make him dash the sparkling beverage to the earth in all the pride of its mantling temptation." Are you fond of pictures? Here is one drawn by Solomon: "Who hath woe? Who hath sorrow? Who hath contentions? Who hath babbling? Who hath wounds without cause? They that tarry long at the wine, they that go to seek mixed wine. Look not thou upon the wine when it is red, when it I find what Daniel is in Jerusalem, I moveth itself aright in the cup. At the am not surprised to find what he is in last it biteth like a serpent and sting-

"Do you know what you are doing?" said a mother who had broken into a restaurant, the door locked against her, her son inside. She came up to the counter and saw the man of the restaurant mingling the intoxicating cup for her own son. She said to the man behind the counter, "Do you know what you are doing?" "No," said he, "I don't." Says she, "You are fattening graveyards."

A TOUCHING REPROOF.

I was told at Des Moines of a trait of cars going through a very stormy night over one of the western prairie The young man who was present told us the story. In the night there was a little child in the sleeping car, fretful and worrying, and crying hour after hour. A man on the opposite side of the car lost his patience and said, "Either make that child shut up or take it to its mother!" Then another man on the opposide side of the sleep cara man with a broken heart-pushed back the curtain and looked out and said, "Young man, that child's mother is dead in the baggage car and the little one is wailing for her." Then the man who had committed the affront rose and offered his services for the night and took care of the child until the morning, and all the passengers in the car were broken down with emotion. Oh, if the cry of one child could arouse so many sympathies, what onght to be the effect of the ten thousand voiced shrick of orphanage and widowhood from the inebriate's grave? God save this country from the perils of strong drink.

My subject also impresses me with the beauty of youthful character remaining incorrupt away from home. If Daniel had plunged into every wickedness of the city of Babylon, the old folks at home would never have heard of it. If he had gone through all the rounds of iniquity, it would have cast no shadow on his earthly home. There were no telegraphs; there were no railroads. But Daniel knew, that God's eye was on him. That was enough. Ther are young men not so good away from home as at nome. Frederick tending his father's sheep among the hills or threshing rye in the barn is different perhaps from Frederick on the stock exchange. Instead of the retiring disposition there is bold effrontery; instead of an obliging spirit there is perhaps oppressive selfishness; instead of open handed charity there is tight fistedness; instead of reasonable

hours there is midnight revel. I speak to many young men on this matteryou may have left your father's house and others who, though still under the parental roof, are looking forward to the time when you will go forth to conflict, alone in this world, with its temptations and its forrows, and when you will build up your own character. Oh, that the God of Daniel might be with you in Babylon!

LEAVING HOME.

I think the most thrilling passage of a young man's life is when he leaves home to make his fortune. The novelty and the romance of the thing may God gave to man for animal food, and keep him from any keen sorrow, but the old people who have seen the destruction of so many who started with high hopes cannot help but be anxious. As long as he was in his father's house his waywardness was kin'lly chided. and although sometimes he thought the restraint rather oitter and rather severe in his calmer moments he acknowledged it was salutary and righteous. Through the influence of metropolitan friends the father has obtained a situation for his son in the city. The comrades of the young man come the night before his departure to bid intervell to the adventurer. The morning of his going away he walks around the place to take a last look at things perhaps comes upon some object that starts at tear, some old familiar place, but no one sees the tear. The trunk is put upon the wagon, the young man is off for the city. He is set down amid excitements and amid associates that are not overcareful about their words and thoughts and actions. Morning comes. No family altar. Sabbath comes. No rural quiet. The sanctuary comes, but all the faces are strange, and no one cares whether he comes to church or does not come. On his way home from the store he sees a placard announcing a rare and vivacious amusement. He has no greeting at the door of the boarding house. He has no appetite for the food. No one cares whether he eats or does not eat-rather he would not would be overpowered with the spec- eat-it is cheaper! After the tea he tacle. Could I show you the manly goes into the parlor, takes up a book, forms robbed of their beauty, the eye finds it dull, no sister to look over it flashings quenched in the wine cup, with him. Goes upstairs to his room in the third story, finds it cold and wormed the rose, your souls would re-coll with horror, and you would rise out, caring for nothing but to get something to make him stop thinking. He is caught in the first whirl of sin. where the gleam of the joy is the

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KEEP THEM FAITHFUL. And yet this exodus must go on. As from distant hills the rivers are poured down through tunnels to slake the thirst of our great cities, so from distant country places the streams of incorrupt population must pour down to purify our great cities. Tomorrow morning on all the great thoroughfares, in every steamboat and in every rail car will be young men going forth to seek their fortunes in our great towns. O Lord God of Daniel, help them to be as faithful in Babylon as they were in Jerusalem! Forget not O my young friend, in the great seaports of the moral and religious principles inculcated by parental solicitude and if today seated in the house of God you feel the advantage of early Christian culture forget not those to whom you are most indebted and pray God that as old age comes upon them and the shadow of death the hope of heaven may beam through the darkness. God forbid that any of us through our misconduct should bring disgrace upon a father's name or prove recreant to the love of a mother. The dramatist made no exaggeration when he exclaimed, "How sharper than a serpent's tooth it is to have a thankless child!" Oh, that God would help you as parents and as young people to take to heart the lessons of this important subject, and if we shall learn that there is danger of being carried into captivity, and that there is something autiful in Christian so that there is great attractiveness in plety away from home—then it will be to you and me a matter of everlasting congratulation that we considered how Daniel behaved when he became a college student at Babylon.

Two New Brunswick Men Badly Burned by Molten Iron.

SYDNEY, N. S., Oct. 18.-Harold Murray, belonging to Port Elgin, N. B., was badly scalded this afternoon by the upsetting of a ladle containing some two tons of molten iron at the Dominion Iron and Steel Co.'s foundry. The metal poured down his face, hands and feet. Another New Brunswick man, James Sullivan of St. John, was also severely scalded in the same foundry in about the same way yesterday afternoon. He was cleaning out a couple at the time of the accident, his side, back and feet being scalded.

BIRTHS.

LeBLANC—At Shediac, N. B., Oct. 3rd, to the wife of M. Narcisse D. LeBlanc, fishery warden, a daughter. EtTABROOKS-At Amherst, N. S., Oct. 7th, to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Estabrooks,

MARRIAGES.

NAGLE-POWYS—At St. Dunstan's church, Fredericton, N. B., October 16th, by his lordship Bishop Casey, Arthur Pierce Raine Nagle, lieutenant in the Royal Canacian Regiment and only son of Lieut. Col. R. Nagle, late 30th Regiment and Canercrian Scottish Rifles, to Florence Shaw, youngest laughter of the late Capt. Cunlifle Powys of the 22nd Cheshire Regiment. DUKE-MORRISON—On Oct. 18th, at the residence of the officiating minister, by Rev. G. A. Hartley, D. D., H. B. Duke and Miss Jannet A. Morrison, both of the city of St. John. N. B.

DEATHS.

McJUNKIN.—In this city, on Oct. 16th, Margaret McJunkin, relict of the late Saruel McJunkin, in the 90th year of her SECORD.-At Red Head, St. John Co., N B., Oct. 16th, Marion Elizabeth, daughter of Wm. H. and Elizabeth Secord, aged 2 years and 3 months. NICE.—At Carleton, on Oct. 16th, Emma M., youngest daughter of John and Lizzy Nice, aged 15 months. GAVIN-At the Public Hospital, on Oct. 16th, Thomas Gavin, aged 27 years.
uneral today (Friday), at 3 o'clock from CROWLEY—In this city, on Oct. 17th, Mary A., beloved wife of John Crowley and daughter of Wm. Kirk, leaving a husband

and child to mourn their sad loss.
Funeral on Friday at half-past two from her
late residence, 99 Princess street. Friends
and acquaintances respectfully invited to THEALL.-On Oct. 18th, at the residence of his son-in-law, Robert E. Baxter, Adelide street, St. John, N. B., William O. Theall, in the 83rd year of his age.

Fineral on Safurday at Bayswater. Service it the house at 1.45 p. m. (Digby, N. S., papers please copy).

of unrighteousness? Turn back. From Babylon they came and to Babylon they would carry you. If so many they would carry you. If so many plague stricken men would like to ent-

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PORT OF ST. JOHN. Arrived.

Oct. 15.—Str State of Maine, Colby, from Boston, W G Lee, mase and pass.
Sch Wendall Burpee, 99, Museberg, from Boston, N C Scott, bal.
Sch Lizzie D Small (Am), 163, Reicker, from Portsmouth, A W Adams, bal.
Sch Nellie Watters, 96, Barton, from Scitvate, A W Adams, bal.
Sch Lyra, 98, Evans, from Boston, A W Adams, bal.
Sch Thistle, 123, Stever.s, from Boston P McIntyre, general cargo. McIntyre, general cargo. Sch Lizzie B, 81, Belyea, from Thomaston Elkin and Hatfield, bal. Sch Lizzie B, di, Belyes, from Inomastes, Elkin and Hatfield, bal.

Rews, McLean, from New York, coal.

Cocstwise—Str Aurora, 182, Ingersoll, from Campobello, and cld; sehs Maggie, 34, Scott, from Noel; Nina Blanche, 30, Morrell, from Freeport; Nellie I White, 124, Pettis, from Port Greville; Princess Louise, 20, ingalis, from Grand Harbor.

Oct 17—Sch Rewa, 122, McLean, from New York, D J Purdy, coal and pitch.

Sch Onward, 92, Colwell, from Boston, J W McAlary Co. bal.

Sch Lotus, 98, Granville, from Perth Amboy, A W Adams, clay.

Sch Abbie Keast, 96, Erb, from Providence, master, bal.

Sch Myra B, 90, Gale, from Rockland, Cottle and Colwell, bal.

Costwise—Sch Citizen, 97, Woodworth, the Bers Blanck, transport Cottle and Colwell, bal.

Coastwise—Sch. Citizen, 97, Woodworth, from Bear River; str Alpha, 42, Pratt, from Cheverie, and cld; schs Aurelia, Watt, from North Head; Onward, Colwell, from Fredericton; I H Goudey, Comeau, from Meteghan; Beulah Benton, Mitchell, from Weymouth; Ernest Fisher, Gough, from Campobello; barge No 3, McNamara, from Parrsboro; sch Athlon, Knowlton, from Advocate. At Windsor, Oct 13, sch St Anthony, Dex er, from Boston.
At Yarmouth, Oct 15, sch Benefit, Potter, from New York.
At Chatham, Oct 13, bark Finn, Olsen,

Cleared. Oct. 15.—Seh Ada G Shortland, McIntyre, for City Island, f o. Sch E C Gates, Lunn, for Vineyard Haen f o. Coastwise— Schs Packet, Gesner, for West Bridgetown; Hattie, Thompson, for West-port; Nina Blanche, Morrell, for Freeport; America, Morrell, for Grand Manan; W R Huntley, Howard, for Parrsboro; Bay Queen, Barry, for Beaver Harbor. Oct 17—Str State of Maine, Colby, for Bos-Coastwise—Schs Wanita, Apt, for Annapolis; Citizen, Woodworth, for Bear River; barge No 4, McLeod, for Parrsboro.
At Newcastle, Oct 15, ship Blackadder, Olsen, for Barrow; 16th, sch Joseph Hay, Phipps, for New York.

DOMESTIC PORTS. Arrived.

PORT MULGRAVE, N. S., Oct. 15 .- Ard, ch Avalon, from Boston. LOUISBURG, C. B., Oct. 15.—Ard, str Britannic, from Boston; schs Edward Tre-voy, from Banks; Senator Gardner, from do. At Hillsboro, Oct. 15, schs D J Sawyer, Kelly, from Machias, Me; Charlevoix, Pettis, from New York.

BALIFAX, Oct. 15.—Ard, str Corean, from Clasgow and Liverpool via St Johns, N F; bury and Charlottetown; Florida, for Sydney, and sailed for Boston.

Salied, str Beta, for Bermuda, Turk's Island and Jamaica.

Cleared, str Transit, for Havana; brigt
Due Sorrelle, for Cardiff.

HALIFAX, Oct. 14.—Ard, str Oruro, from West Indies via St. John, N. B. HALIFAX, Oct. 13.— Ard, brigt Aldine, from New York; sch Moravia, from Ponce, CANSO, N. S., Oct. 10.—Ard, schs Mabel D Hines, from Essex, and John Nicholson, for Banks; 12th, Senator, Salisbury, Mys-tery, A E Whyland, and Shenandoah, from

HALIFAX, Oct. 16.- Ard, strs Dahome, from London; Silvia, from New York, and sailed for St Johns, N F. At Port Spain, Sept 24, str Ocamo, Bale, from Halifax, etc (and sld 25th for Demerara).
At Turks Island, Oct 3, brig Boston Ma-rine, Porter, for Demerara (and sld 4th for Yarmouth, NS). Cleared.

At Hillsboro, Oct. 18, sch Nimrod, Haley, for Newark, N J. Cicarca, str Norge, for Boston; schs Allen R Lawson, for Banks; Eliza B Campbell, tor do. At Chatham, Oct 15, bark Clara, Samsing, Maryport. Sailed.

From Canso, 11th, sch Essex, for Hawkesbury; 13th sebs Mabel D Hines and John L. Nishelson, for Banks.
From Hallifax, 13th, strs Conte Amiral Caubat (French cable), for sea; Assyrian, for Liverpool via St Johns, NF; bark Lefaro for Port Vendres, France.
From Halifax, 16th inst, strs Pro Patria, for St Pierre, Miq; Coreau, for Philadelphia. BRITISH PORTS.

Arrived. KING ROAD, Oct. 13.-Ard, ship J. D.

Everett, from Parrsboro, N. S. GARSTON, Oct. 15.— Ard, bark Aeolus, from Bay Verte.

LONDON, Oct. 15.— Ard, bark Thomas Perry, from Parrsboro, N S.
LIVERPOOL, Oct. 14.— Ard, strs Campania and Cevic, from New York.
SHARPNESS, Oct. 12.—Ard, str Micmac, from St. John. N B.
LONDON, Oct. 13.—Ard, str Lucerne, from Surnt Bay. B & Burnt Bay, B F.
TROON, Oct. 14.—Ard, str Glen Head
(from Beifast), for Montreal.
At Plymouth, Oct 17, str Pennsylvania,
from New York for Cherbourg and Hamfrom New York for Cherbourg and Hamburg.

GIBRALTAR, Oct. 14.—Ard, sch Cariad, from St Johns. N. F.

EXMOUTH, Oct. 14.— Ard, brig Evelyn, from St Johns, N. F.

QUEENSTOWN, Oct. 15.— Ard, sch Norden, from St Johns, N. F.

LONDON, Oct. 16.— Ard, barks Magna, from River du Loup; Signe, from Halifax.

MANCHESTER, Oct. 16.— Ard, str Manchester Shipper, from Montreal.

At Curacoa, Oct. 1, brig Curacoa, Thompson, from New York (and sld 5th for coast, to load for Bridgeport).

At New York, Oct. 15, ship Lizzie Burrill, from Rio Janeiro.

At Las Palmas, Sept 27, str Rosefield, Mcfrom Rio Janeiro.
At Las Palmas, Sept 27, str Rosefield, Mc-Fee, from Penarth.
At Brurswick, Oct 15, bark Ethel Clark,
Brinton, from Clenfuegos.
At Bath, Oct 15, sch Frederick Roessner, from Philadelphia.
At Savannah, Oct 15, str Pydna, Crossley, At Delagoa Bay, —, bark Highlands, Smith, from Port Blakely.
At Rockland, Me, Oct 15, sch A P Emerson, from New York.

At Philadelphia, Oct 15, sch C R Flint, Maxwell, for St John. Sailed.

LIVERPOOL, Oct. 15.— Sld, str Siberian (from Clasgew), for St Johns, N F, Halifax, NS, and Philadelphia.
LONDON, Oct. 14.—Sld, str Ulunda, for Halifax, NS, and St. John.
BRISTOL, Oct. 14.— Sld, str Monteagle, for Montreal. Sailed, strs Andonia, for Montreal; Greta Jolme, for Halifax.

GREENOCK, Oct. 16.—Sld, str Nome, for St Johns, N.F.
From Montevideo, Oct 4, sch Arons, Dill,
for New York.

From Nagasaki, Oct 15, bark Muskoka, Crowe, for Portland, O. From City Island, Oct 15, sch Sierra, for Wolfville; Rebecca W Huddell, for Provid-From New York, Oct 16, brig Venturer, for San Andreas. for San Andreas.

From Rio Janeiro, Sept 7, brig Morning,
Star, for Gaspe.

From Savannah, Oct 14, bark Frederica,
Churchill, for St John.

FOREIGN PORTS.

PORTLAND, Oct. 15.—Ard, sch Wm b Herrick, from New York for Hillsboro. BOCAHHAY, Oct. 15.—Ard, sch Annie BOCAHHAY, Oct. 15.—Ard, sch Annie BOCAHHAY, Oct. 15.—Ard, sch Annie BOCAHHAY, Oct. 15.—Ard, sch Wm b Boston; Canning Packet, from de; Kolin, from Addison; A Gibson, from St John; Lanie Cobb, from Hillsboro.

CALAIS, Me., Oct. 15.—Ard, schs Hiram, from Pembroke; Nellie Eaton, from Bar Harbor; Orozimbo, from New Haven; Allee T Boardman, from Hyannis; Lighte Cochran, from Joresport; Helen G King, Helen, T W Atlem, General Scott, from Boston; tug Springhill, from Parrsboro, and sailed towing barge No. 5, for Parrsboro.

BOSTON, Oct. 15.—Ard, schs Bessie G, from Five Islands, NS; Hattie Muriel, from Fredericton, NB: W H Watters, and Maggie Miller, from St John.

VINEYARD HAVEN, Mass, Oct. 15.—Ard, and sailed tooday, schs Ella Brown, from St John.

VINEYARD HAVEN, Mass, Frederich Belle, from St John for Philadelphia.

BI EMEN, Oct. 15.—Ard, str Frederich Der Grosse, from New York via Southampton.

NEW YORK, Oct. 15.— Ard, str Taurie from Liverpool.
CITY ISLAND, Oct. 15.—Bound south, sch Hattie E King, from St John.

BOSTON, Oct. 14.—Ard, strs Boston, from Yarmouth; Prince Arthur, from do.; schs Olivia, from Clementsport; Emma D Endicott, from Perth Amboy; Three Sisters, from Kingston; oMrancy, from New York for Halifax; Nettie B Dobbins, Calais. BOSTON, Oct. 13.—Ard, strs Symra, from Louisburg; Prince George, from Yarmouth; schs Flash, from St John; Dormain, from do; Reporter, from do; Lena Maud, from do; Frank L P, from do; Harvard H Havey, from do.

rom do. Sailed, str Halifax, for Halifax. VINEYARD HAVEN, Mass., Oct. 13.—Ard, VINEYARD HAVEN, Mass., Oct. 13.—Ard, seh Ina. from St John.

BALTIMORE, Oct. 13.— Ard, seh Robert Graham Dun, from Hilisboro.

SALEM, Oct. 14.—Ard, sehs John Stroup, from New York for St John; Luta Price, from Stonington for do; Fanny, from do for do; Franklin, Tay, and S A Fownes, from New York for do; Walter Miller, from do for Sackville; Marion, from River Hebert for New York. bert for New York.
SALEM, Mass., Oct. 13.—Ard, schs Leonora, from River Hebert for New York;
Prudent, from New York for St John; Hattie C. from do for Moneton.

NEW YORK, Oct. 14.—Ard, strs La Lorraine, from Havre; Cap Frio, from Hamburg and Boulogne; Georgian, from Liverpool; Nomadic, from do.

Oct. 13th.—Ard, bark Conductor, from Buenos Ayres.

PALTIMORE. Oct. 14.—Ard, sch Mary B

Pernell, from Nova Scotia. At Savannah, Oct 16, str Pydna, Crossley ron Clyde via Louisburg.
VINEYARD HAVEN, Mass., Oct. 16.-Ard, schs Nellie Reid, from Bayonne for Charlottetown; E Merriam, from New York for Windsor; Blomidon, from Port Greville for New York, EASTPORT, Me., Oct. 16.—Ard, sch Seth M Todd, from New York; Lizzie, from Yar mouth.

NEW YORK, Oct. 15.—Ard, sch Nimrod.
from Hillsboro, N. B.
PORTLAND, Me., Oct. 16.—Ard, schs
Spartan, from Philadelphia; Quetay and
Agnes, from St John for New York; Clara
J, from Calais for Boston; Wm T. Emmerson, from Bangor for do.

NEW YORK, Oct. 16.—Ard, str Kensington from Antwern. ton, from Antwerp. HAVANA, Oct. 15.—Ard, sch Wanola, from MACEIO, Oct. 13.—Ard, sch. Fanny, from St Johns, N F.
MARSUILLES, Oct. 13.—Ard, ship Marina
Madre, from St John, N B.
LONDON, Oct. 18.—Ard, str Forest Holms. rom Quebec via Sydney.
GLASGOW, Oct. 16.— Ard, str Kastalia. rom Montreal.

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 15.—Cleared, schs C.R. Flint, for St. John; Henry S Little, for Portland; Wm B Palmer, for Bangor; John At Philadelphia, Oct 15, sch C R Flint or St John. At New York, O ringtonrington, for St John; Frank W. Sailed

Cleared.

CALAIS, Me., Oct. 14.—Sld. sch F C Holden, for New York; Everett, for Boston.
From Savannah, Oct 14, bktn Frederica. for St John.

From Boothbay, Me. Oct 16, schs Blomdon, for Matfand, NS; Carrie B, for St John; Annie Lawrie, for do; R Carson, for do; Garfield White, for do; Annie Harper. do; Garfield White, for do; Annie Harper, for do; Romeo for do.

From Jonesport, Oct 12, schs A R Keene, Falkingham, for Weymouth, NS; D J Sawyer, Kelley, for Hillsboro, NB; Vineyard Cummings, for Bear River, NS.

BOSTON, Oct. 16.—Sld, strs Louisburg, CB; Prince Arthur, and Boston, for Yarmouth, NS; schs Narka, for Lunenburg, NS; Lizzie Dyas, for Belleveau Cove, NS; Lizzie Dyas, for Belleveau Cove, NS; Lizzie Dyas, for Belleveau Cove, NS; Victory, for Moncton, NB; Brenton, Meteghan, NS; Belmont, for Weymouth, S, and Port Gilbert; Native American, Eastport; Leonora, Annie and Reuben, Abie C Cole, and Spartel, for eastern ports, Sailed from Roads, schs Maria O Teel, and Spartel, for Cole, and Spartel, and Cole, and Spartel, and Cole, and Col Sailed from Roads, schs Maria O Teel, recal port; Lizzie Wharton, for Digby at Annapolis, NS; Arizona, for Brighton, N SALEM, Mass., Oct. 16.—Sid, schs Vio May, for Calais; John Stroup, for St John Maggie Todd, for Calais; British schs Lu Price, Fannie, Fraulein, Tay, Eric, and A. Fownes, for St John; Hattie C, Mencton; Walter Miller, for Sackville.

BOOTHBAY, Me., Oct. 16.—Sid, schs Bimidon, for Metland, N S; Carrie B, St John; Annie Lawrie, for do; R Carso midon, for Metland, N S; Carrie B, St John; Annie Lawrie, for do; R Cars for do; Garfield White, for do; Annie II per, for do; Romeo, for do. OPORTO, Oct. 11.—Sld, brig Galatea. Newfoundland; sch Spinaway, for do.

SPOKEN. Bark Cedar Croft, from St John, NB, 107 Victoria Basin, Ireland, Oct 10, lat 43.3 lon 57.28.

MEMORANDA.

Passed Sydney Light, Oct 16, Rapidan Buckingham, from Antwerp for Montreal Saint Giles, Brown, from Miramichi for Bel-fast; Lebenia, McNeil, from Glasgow for Mentreal; Larne, Ferris, from Cardiff for Mentreal; Tritonia, Rollo, from Glasgow for Montreal. PRAWLE POINT, Oct. 14.—Passed, bark Signe, from Halifax for London.

DUNGENESS, Oct. 14.—Passed, bark Syrius, from Campbellton for Tyne.

Passed, Oct. 15, echs Ruth Robinson, from
Hillsborn for New York; Maggle Hilen, from CITY ISLAND, Oct. 14.—Bound south, A GITY ISLAND, Oct. 14.—Bound south, Gypsum King, from Hantsport, NS, towing sche Calabria, from Hillsboro, NB; Gypsum Empress end barge J B King & Co, No. 19 from Windsor, N S.

Passed Cape Rade, Nfld, Oct 13, strs Lakonia, McNeill, from Glasgow for Montreal konia, McNeill, from Glasgow for Montreal Christie, Overgard, from do for do; John Christie, Overgard, from G indstone Island. In port at Rio Janeiro, Sept 9, barks Galle, Green, from Savannah; C W Jones, Carson, from Resario.

In port at Resario, Oct 15, bark Albertina, meil In port at Resario, Oct 15, bark Albertina, READ THE SHMI-WEEKLY SUN.

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