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## GRAND OPENING DISPLAY OF LADIES' FALL COATS

We will this week make a display of our new FALL COATS. These garments are from factory of the CONTINENTAL COSTUME CO., one of the largest and most up-to-date establishments in Canada. We have the exclusive control of these goods in Newcastle.

### Style and Workmanship

are correct and good. Come in this week and make a selection from the many elegant designs on display. Should you select a garment and not wish to take it away at once, we will lay it away for you on payment of a small amount.

### BLANKETS.

Large stock of grey and white blankets, both wool and cotton, now on hand. The cool evenings remind us that these articles are necessary. Prices are the lowest.

**Clarke & Co.,** Cash System Store.

**Now is the time  
to buy your  
School Supplies.**  
Everything in this line to be had at  
**Geo. Stables, The Peoples Grocer.**

## HAYING TOOLS.

Indian Steel, Giant and Clipper Scythes, Scythe Snaths, Hay Forks, Fork Handles, Rakes, Pulleys and Rope.

## HAMMOCKS.

We have a good assortment of these which we will sell at 20 per cent discount for the rest of the season.

**J. H. PHINNEY,** Telephone No. 97

## September Sale.

In order to reduce our stock to make room for Holiday Goods we offer a beautiful line of Holly Decorated China at a reduction of 25 per cent.

SEE OUR WINDOW DISPLAY THIS WEEK.

**H. Williston & Co.**

Jewelers.

Established 1889.

Newcastle, N. B.

## TO STOP TIMBER GRAFTS.

Hon. Frank Oliver to Work New System in Western Forests.

### GOVERNMENT CRUISING.

Speculators No Longer to be Allowed to Pick Out Best Areas.

Ottawa, Sept. 7.—A change is being made in the manner of disposing of the timber stretches owned by the Dominion in the Northwest and in the railway belt of British Columbia. Until recently the practice has been for individuals or companies to do cruising and undertake exploration on their own account and then to make application to the Minister of the Interior to have the stretches of timber land, which they would designate, advertised and put up for public competition.

In the past when there was no great profit in lumber operations, this was satisfactory as it encouraged enterprise and promoted lumbering operations in a part of the country where lumber was needed. However, there has been the drawback of having the choicest portions of the timber stretches put up and disposed of, which left the persons who got them in a position to control the less remunerative timber stretches in the vicinity, as few bidders could be obtained for them when they were advertised and they dropped into the hands of the first parties on the field at low rates.

For some time Hon. Mr. Oliver has declined to put up timber berths on requests. A new system is being worked out which it is believed will give the government more return for their timber asset and will produce more competition among lumbermen, which will work for the benefit of the consumer. It is probable that in future the government will do the cruising and decide what lots will be put up for competition. The berths will be arranged so the choice timber will be offered in connection with stretches which are less thickly wooded. The new conditions will be announced after the return from the west of Mr. Campbell, of the forestry branch, who is now having a careful examination of the timber properties of the government made.

## FATHER GAYNOR FACES CHARGES.

Claims He Has Been Libelled And Engages Council.

St. John, Sept. 7.—Rev. Father Gaynor, formerly rector of St. John the Baptist church, who left town some days ago, it is reported, under a cloud, has returned, and is now at Spruce Lake, nine miles from St. John, where he has a camp.

Seen today by newspaper representatives, he said he had returned to face all charges against him. He denied them all and said he would take action to clear his good name.

He has engaged Hanington, Teed & Hanington to look after his interests, and will trace various stories about him to the persons starting them. Announcement today of his return created a big sensation.

### Post Card Albums.

Something novel and attractive in souvenir burnt leather goods. See them before buying a new post card album.

All the latest ideas in post cards—a superior assortment

**Follansbee & Co's**

Public Square, Newcastle

## PROPOSED PAPER MILL TO BE ERECTED HERE

**Mr. J. B. Beveridge Makes Newcastle a Proposition Which Will Probably be Satisfactory.**

Mr. J. B. Beveridge, of Chatham, on the invitation of President John Morrissey of the Board of Trade, has made a proposition to the town to establish a pulp and paper mill here and at a meeting of the Council of the Board of Trade Monday afternoon the matter was fully gone into. If the necessary site can be procured it is almost certain that the mill will be built, and work will be commenced at once.

Mr. Beveridge is very modest in his requirements. He wishes a fine site and water, with partial exemption from taxation. The property required is that at present owned

by P. Hennessy, Esq., on the road leading to the trotting park, and adjacent to the deep water terminus, together with a small portion of the marsh belonging to the Falconer estate.

At the meeting Monday the members were unanimous in their views, that this matter should be energetically pushed to a successful issue.

Mr. Beveridge with Mayor Miller has looked over the site, and pronounced it satisfactory in all respects.

The Executive met again Tuesday afternoon and the Town Council took up the matter last night.

## TWELVE KILLED AS MANY INJURED.

Another Train Leaves Rails While Flying.

Waterloo, Iowa, Sept. 6.—Twelve were killed and a dozen were injured today when a north bound Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific passenger train left the rails at Norris, Iowa, and crashed into south bound freight train standing on a siding. Four of the dead are unidentified.

The locomotive of the express running at a terrific speed in an effort to make up time left the rails just as it was about to pass the freight locomotive, and crashed into it, wrecking both locomotives, telescoping the baggage and mail cars and demolishing the smoking car. All the dead and injured were in this car, the passengers in the two rear coaches escaping with a violent shaking up.

## THE BIG EXHIBITION.

Will be Opened Next Saturday Evening by Governor Tweedie.

The Fredericton Exhibition will be formally opened by His Honor, the Lieutenant Governor at eight o'clock on Saturday evening next. Invitations to be present at the opening are being sent out to members of the local government, the Mayor and Aldermen of the city, and others. Nearly all the available space has been taken up and exhibits will begin to arrive this week. The grounds and buildings are being put in splendid shape, the several departments are well organized, and all that is wanted to make the exhibition a grand success is fine weather.

## SHIPPING NEWS.

### ENTERED.

Newcastle, Sept. 5.—S. S. Bangor, 2202, Brown, from Manchester, in ballast, D. & J. Ritchie, consignee.

Sept. 6.—Schr. Merry May, 63, McNeill, from Summerside, in ballast, D. & J. Ritchie, consignee. S. S. Lewisport, 1151, Robertson, from Chatham, loading lumber for F. E. Neale.

Sept. 9.—Schr. Britannia, 48, Ellis, from Summerside, with coal for Stothart Mercantile Company. Schr. Hattie C., 160, King, from Newark, N. J., with coal for Stothart.

### CLEARED.

Newcastle, Sept. 6.—Merry May for Summerside. Sept. 9.—Britannia for Summerside with lumber from D. & J. Ritchie.

The government dredge is again engaged dredging out the channel on the Northwest Miramichi. This will enable the steamer Dorothy N. to make her daily trip at any pitch of the tide.

## FATAL DISPUTES OVER MONEY.

St. John County Village Scene of Grim Battle.

### MEN DRUNK.

Italians Quarrel and Three of Them Seriously Injured. One May Die.

Sunday afternoon, at Prince of Wales, St. John Co., several Italian laborers, who had been drinking, got into a quarrel over some money. Insults were offered, then blows struck, then fire-arms used with disastrous effect. The wounded men are:—

Antonio Codispoti—Shot in the throat, bullet wound in right breast. Will probably die. Antonio Saichitanil—Face, chest and shoulders peppered with partridge shot, of which there must have been at least two charges, and one revolver shot in the side. Will be horribly scarred, but has a chance of recovery. Antonio Quastieri—Shot just above the eye-brows. Will recover.

## OBITUARY.

### MAXINE CHESSMAN.

The funeral of little Maxine Chessman took place from the residence of her grandmother, Mrs. Mary Elliott, on Friday afternoon, in St. James Cemetery, Rev. S. J. McArthur and H. C. Rice officiating. The choir sang appropriate hymns, and the pall-bearers were Clayton Morris, Alex. Ingram, Eugene Taylor, and Harrison Gough. The floral tributes were beautiful.

### MRS. BENJAMIN REID.

The death of Mrs. Benjamin Reid occurred Monday morning at her residence on Kings Highway. Deceased lady was sixty-three years old, and had been confined to her bed since February last, but her death came very unexpectedly. Mrs. Reid's maiden name was Mary Kavanaugh, and she formerly taught school at Rosebank. Mrs. Reid is survived by her husband and the following children:— Alfred G., of the Boston Journal; Mrs. Capt. M. Hagan, at home; Wilfrid J., Manitoba; Mrs. A. L. Savage, of Clinton, Mass.; and Miss Mary at home.

Mrs. Reid was a lady of sterling Christian character and highly respected among her wide circle of acquaintances. She will be much missed, not only by her immediate relatives, but by the community in general.

The family request that no flowers be sent. Spiritual offerings have been received from Ottawa General Hospital, of which Miss Mary Reid is a graduate member, and from other friends. The funeral takes place from St. Mary's Church Thursday morning at 9.30.

### MRS. PATRICK CONNORS.

Mrs. Patrick Connors died at her home in the Back Lots, Chatham, on Wednesday, aged 78. The funeral services took place in Chatham on Friday. Rev. Father O'Keefe, officiating. The pall-bearers were Messrs. Michael Noonan, Roger Flanagan, Michael Keough, Bryan M. Moran, W. Jardine, and John Keating.

Mrs. Connors leaves a large family: William J. and John, of Chatham; Peter, of Stillwater, Minn.; Mrs. Edward Gallivan, Mrs. O'Hearn, Mrs. Peter Rigley, Mrs. Thomas Lahey, and Sister St. Joseph, of the Hotel Dieu, Chatham.

## ASK FOR CONCILIATION.

Ottawa, Sept. 7.—The railroad telegraphers of the C. P. R. have applied to the Department of Labor for the appointment of a board of conciliation to look into the differences, principally wages, between them and the company. The telegraphers have named J. G. O'Donohue, as their representative on the board.



## Local and Provincial News

Of Special Interest to Our Readers, Gathered  
By Our Reporters from Many Sources,  
Whirl of the Town.

The Ocean Limited between St. John and Montreal made her last trip for the season yesterday.

Miss Nellie Clark of Rexton has gone to Sackville to resume her duties as teacher of piano at the Mount Allison Ladies' College.

If real coffee disturbs your Stomach, your Heart or Kidneys, then try this clever Coffee Imitation—Dr. Shoop's Health Coffee. Dr. Shoop has closely matched old Java and Mocha Coffee in flavor and taste, yet it has not a single grain of real coffee in it. Dr. Shoop's Health Coffee Imitation is made from pure toasted grains or cereals, with Malt, Nuts, etc. Made in one minute. No tedious long wait. You will surely like it. Get a free sample at our store. THOS. J. DURICK.

The longest dry dock now in the world is at Belfast, Ire., but San Francisco is soon to have a bigger one. It will be 1,050 feet long from the gate to the landward extremity, and 144 feet wide. It will be about forty feet deep.

Trial Catarrh treatments are being mailed out free, on request, by Dr. Shoop, Racine, Wis. These tests are proving to the people—without a penny's cost—the great value of this scientific prescription known to druggists everywhere as Dr. Shoop's Catarrh Remedy. Sold by THOS. J. DURICK.

Messrs. E. F. Batson and Mr. Sayre T. Dominie, of New York arrived at noon to-day and are at the Queen. This evening they have for the Miramichi woods, the guests of Mr. Arthur Robinson the New Yorker who has the sporting camps in that district. —Friday's Gleaner.

A gang of laborers on the new I. C. R. freight sheds, St. John, have been on strike for the past few days. They were receiving \$1.50 per day and were being paid monthly. They demanded \$1.75 per day and a weekly pay day. The matter was investigated by the I. C. R. officials and the demand acceded to. The men resumed work Friday morning.

Some idea of the growth of steamships may be obtained from the following figures: In 1840 the longest ship in existence was 200 feet, in 1855, 375 feet, in 1881 one had been built over 525 feet, and now the Lusitania is 786 feet. Already marine architects are talking of the 1,000 foot vessel.

New York's divorce law has gone into effect, under which when a divorce is granted for the statutory offense, the guilty party becomes thereby liable to six months imprisonment or \$50 fine or both. The chief purpose of the new regulations is to retard the spread of deliberately planned divorce suits.

The Rev. James O. Early, a young negro of Richmond, Va., has been granted a patent for a whistling piano of his own invention. The instrument has a keyboard arranged on a scale somewhat different from a piano. It is capable of whistling the most difficult notes. Mr. Early has already been approached by a northern man with a handsome offer for the patent rights. He hopes to induce the men of his race to organize a stock company to exploit the instrument.

## Rheumatism

I have found a tried and tested cure for Rheumatism! Not a remedy that will straighten the distorted limbs of chronic cripples, nor turn boys grown back to flesh again. That is impossible. But I can now surely kill the pains and pangs of this terrible disease.

In Germany—with a Chemist in the City of Darmstadt—I found the last ingredient with which Dr. Shoop's Rheumatic Remedy was made a perfected, dependable prescription. Without this last ingredient, I successfully treated many, many cases of Rheumatism; but now, at last, it uniformly cures all extractable cases of this heretofore much dreaded disease. Those sand-like granular wastes, found in Rheumatic Blood, seem to dissolve and pass away under the action of this remedy as freely as does sugar when added to pure water. And then, when dissolved, these poisonous wastes freely pass from the system, and the cause of Rheumatism is gone forever. There is now no real need—no actual excuse to suffer longer without help. We sell, and in confidence recommend

**Dr. Shoop's Rheumatic Remedy**  
Lax-ets 5 C Sweet to Eat  
A Candy Based Laxative.  
THOS. J. DURICK.

The Buctouche picnic, which was held Tuesday and Wednesday of last week, was a decided success, about \$1,900 being realized.

Chas. F. Hannagan, of Buctouche, has been selected to fill the position of assistant book-keeper in the general offices of the Intercolonial railway at Moncton.

Dr. J. B. Crocker, who recently underwent an operation at the Victoria Hospital, had an uncomfortable night but is somewhat better to-day. Dr. Leonard, of St. John will be here to-day to look after the Doctor's practice.—Gleaner, 6th.

I have suffered with tetter for thirty years and have tried almost countless remedies with little, if any, relief. Three boxes of Chamberlain's Salve cured me. It was a torture. It breaks out a little sometimes, but nothing to what it used to do.—D. H. BRACH, Midland City, Ala. Chamberlain's Salve is for sale by all druggists.

Dorchester, N. B., Sept. 6.—Two years and forty lashes to be administered on two different occasions, was the sentence imposed Friday by Chief Justice Tuck on Henry Berry, of Moncton, who pleaded guilty to immorality. Twenty lashes are to be given when the prisoner enters the penitentiary, and twenty the second year.

Some twenty names of applicants for the retiring allowance under the provident fund act, and who have been recommended for retirement from the I. C. R. service by the provident fund board, have been forwarded to Ottawa for the approval of the new minister of railways. The signature of the minister to the recommendations of the provident board is considered necessary before the pension allowance under the act can go into effect. It is understood, however, that the applicants passed upon the board, have already retired from the service and will draw their first allowance next month. In all there are some two hundred and fifty applicants to be considered by the board.

## Wedding Bells.

LYNCH—RICHARDSON.  
At the R. C. Church, Nelson, on Wednesday morning, Mr. Martin Lynch, son of James Lynch, was united in marriage to Miss Margaret Richardson, daughter of Mr. Thomas Richardson. Mr. James Hanley and Miss Eliza Arseneault attended. The happy couple will reside at Nelson.

FARRER—FERGUSON.  
The marriage took place at Main River, Kent Co., Wednesday afternoon at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. Robert Ferguson, of Miss Jennie Ferguson, fourth daughter of the late Robert Farrer, son of Thomas Farrer, of Moulies River. The bride was prettily attired in cream and was unattended. Only the immediate relatives of the bride and groom were present. After the ceremony the happy couple left on a trip to Campbellton and intermediate points. On their return they will reside at Moulies River.

MAGEE—MERCIER.  
Dalhousie, N. B., Sept. 4.—A very pretty wedding took place in the R. C. Church here this morning, when Miss Mary Louise Mercier, second daughter of George E. Mercier, of Dalhousie, was united in marriage to J. Val Magee, barrister, of St. John. The church was decked out in all its grandeur for the occasion. Rev. John Gaudet, of St. Paul's performed the ceremony. Many beautiful presents were received.

The bride, who was very popular, was charmingly attired in a princess gown of white radium silk over white tulle, with trimmings of baby Irish lace. She carried a shower bouquet of white roses and maidenhair ferns. The newly married couple left here by the Ocean Limited to-day for Moncton, where they will spend a few days with the groom's friends before taking up their residence in St. John.

POSTMASTERS  
GET A RAISE.

Government Considerably Increases  
Their Salary Schedule.

REVENUE GAINING.  
Therefore Country Can Afford to  
Pay Its Servants  
Better.

The salaries of country postmasters have been increased. For some time the postmasters have been applying to the postmaster general for an enlargement of their allowances. Hon. Mr. Lemieux has decided that the gaining revenue of the postoffice department and the increase in living expenses has entitled the postmasters to more pay. In the past country postmasters have been serving at a minimum salary of \$25 a year with 40 per cent, of the first \$800 revenue of the office each year, 25 per cent. on allowance from \$800 to \$10,000 and 15 per cent. on all over \$10,000. The new scale increases the minimum to \$36 with 50 per cent. of the first \$1,000 revenue of the office in each year, 30 per cent on allowance between \$1,000 and \$10,000. At present extra payment is made postmasters who have to be on duty after 10 p. m., or before 6 a. m.—The minimum extra allowance has been \$6 and the maximum \$60, according to the time employed and the work done. The new plan for the extra payment changes the hours to 9 p. m. and 7 a. m., adding an hour at each end, while the minimum allowance is increased to \$16 and the maximum extra allowance is \$100. At present there is a forward allowance of 10 per cent. of the revenue of the office where the forwarding is done direct and 5 per cent. where the forwarding is indirect or through another office. The new scale is 12 1-2 per cent. for both direct and indirect forwarding.

STATE OF OHIO, CITY OF TOLEDO, SS

FRANK J. CHENEY makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of Hall's Catarrh Cure.

Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D. 1886.

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Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation

FREDERICTON HORSE RACES.

Fredericton, Sept. 5.—There will be fully fifty-five horses here for the Fredericton exhibition races. This will be fifteen more than ever before at a race meeting in this city or elsewhere in this province, and increased accommodations have to be provided. Already the erection of new stalls has been commenced. It had been expected that the first of the horses would have arrived here last evening from St. John, but none of them got here.

Entries for the open classes of fair races closed Monday last. In some of the classes there are from ten to twelve entries. In the free-for-all there are five entries. The 2 1/2 stake race will see a new entry to contend with Lady Bingen, Dr. Band and the others, as Mr. Kimball, the Haverhill, Mass., driver, will bring with him Pointer Patchen. The management of the track expects to have the stalls lighted with electricity at this meeting.

**MOTHER SEIGEL'S SYRUP**

Will make you bright, strong, and healthy; it tones and invigorates every organ of digestion, cleanses your blood of all impurities and gives new life to your entire system. It CURES ALL STOMACH TROUBLES.

Prepared by Dr. J. C. Seigel, A. J. WHITE & CO., MONTREAL.

BATHURST, N. B.

Bathurst, Sept. 5.—Mrs. Storer and Miss Storer of Montreal are the guests of the Robertson House.

Mrs. R. G. Duncan returned during the week from a visit to her mother in Rexton.

Miss G. Malone, of Stanley, York county, at present teacher at Mapequia, made a few days' visit to friends here this week.

Mrs. C. P. Hickey, after a visit of a couple of months here, returned to Chatham this week.

Mrs. Hugh Sheasgreen has returned from a visit to her sister, Mrs. Watts, Dalhousie.

Mr. James McGinley and Mrs. K. T. McGinley went on Saturday last to Boston, having been called there by the death of Mr. John S. G. McGinley. Mr. McGinley, who was about 30 years of age, left Bathurst some ten years ago and was well and favorably known here. His bereaved relatives have the sympathy of all in their affliction.

The many friends of Rev. James Wheeler learn with delight of his intention to remain in charge of St. Luke's church for some time longer.

Mr. Hector Poirier made a visit to his sister, Mrs. J. N. Michaud, this week. He went from here to resume his studies at St. Francis College, Antigonish.

Mrs. S. Williamson made a short stay in Chatham last week.

Mr. Pearl Morton, of Campbellton, is visiting friends in town.

Mr. Michael Leahy, of Winnipeg, is making a visit to his home people here.

Mr. J. Mullins, who made a short stay at his home here, returned to Winnipeg during the week.

Miss Kathleen Sutton returned to Chatham Academy this week.

Miss Kathleen Power has gone to Fredericton to attend Normal School.

Mr. E. LeBlanc, of Moncton, spent some days here recently.

Miss Bessie Melvin returns to Boston this week.

Mr. and W. A. Cragg and little son, of Dalhousie, visited Mrs. Cragg's home on the holiday.

Miss Gertie Meahan has returned from a visit to Dalhousie.

Miss Jessie Carter is in St. John this week.

Edmund White, Leonard Lordon, Frank Meahan and Amos Hall left this morning for Charlotte-town, where they will attend St. Dunstan's College.

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Berry, of Campbellton, visited Mrs. Berry's mother, Mrs. R. Ramsay, this week.

Miss Mabel Windsor has gone to Sackville to attend Mount Allison Ladies' college.

Miss Olive Doherty has gone to Chatham to attend St. Michael's Academy.

Miss Maud Bourgeois left on Saturday for New Bedford, Mass., after a pleasant vacation spent with friends here.

Mr. James Buttmer has returned from Europe, where he spent ten weeks visiting. His many friends are delighted to welcome him.

Mr. P. J. Veniot, collector of customs, has returned from a visit to Quebec.

Master Richard Sutton went on Wednesday to St. Joseph's college, Memramcook.

Master Hector Landry has returned to Carleton college to resume his studies.

Misses Corine, Alice, Marguerite and Zoonne Landry went to Carleton boarding school this week.

**PATERSON'S**  
delicious, dainty new biscuit... made from cream of wheat... exquisitely crisp and tempting. In this only from good grocers: Buy by name

**Cambridge Wafers**

FOR LICENSE TO SEARCH.

In the last issue of the Royal Gazette are the following applications for license to search for minerals in Gloucester county:—

John Robertson, on Middle Brook, Tabusintac River.

Chas. LeBrefon, John C. Meahan, J. Raymond Young, on Little Tracadie River.

M. VanBuskirk, on North and Middle Brooks, Tabusintac River.

J. R. Young, J. E. Dixon, A. J. Lousier, Hugh Cowan, in parishes of St. Isadore and Saumarez.

E. J. M. Bourgeois, J. R. Young and Denis London, on Little Tracadie River.

John C. Coughlan, F. W. Sisk, on north side of Little Tracadie River.

J. E. Dixon, A. J. Lousier, Hugh Cowan, J. R. Young, in St. Isadore and Saumarez.

Archibald McConnell and William Cowan, on Little Tracadie River.

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The Kind You Have Always Bought Bears the Signature of  
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35 Doses—35 CENTS  
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Local Agent.

## INTERCOLONIAL RAILWAY

On and after Sunday, June 16th, 1907, trains will run daily, Sunday excepted.

### LEAVE NEWCASTLE GOING NORTH.

No. 39. Mixed for Campb., 4.20  
" 37 Mixed for Campb., 12.30  
" 35. Express for Camp'ton, 2.15  
" 33. Maritime Express for Quebec and Montreal, 2.45  
" 199 Express (Ocean Limited) for Quebec and Montreal, 16.30

### GOING SOUTH.

No. 40 Mixed for Moncton, 2.45  
" 34 Maritime Express for St. John, Halifax and the Sydneys, 7.20  
" 36 Express for Moncton, St. John and Halifax, 10.45  
" 200 Express (Ocean Limited) for Moncton, Halifax, and St. John, 12.25  
" 38 Mixed for Moncton, 14.10  
" 60 Mixed for Drby. Jct., 16.35  
All trains run on Atlantic Standard time south of Campbellton, twenty-four hour notation; twenty four o'clock is midnight.

Moncton, June 12th, 1907—38.

## HOTELS.

**ALBERT HOUSE,**  
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## HOTEL BRUNSWICK

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## Moncton, N. B.

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Secretary to Trustees.

Nelson, N. B., June 8, 1907.

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## BIG LUMBER CUT NEXT YEAR.

Miramichi Operator Says That  
Output Will Be 120,000,000 feet.

A prominent Miramichi lumberman says that the lumber cut on the Miramichi and tributaries during the coming winter will be quite up to that of last year. He thinks that the total cut on the Southwest and Northwest branches will not be less than 120,000,000 feet. Last year's cut totalled 110,000,000 feet, 80,000,000 of which was cut on the Southwest Miramichi and tributaries. He estimates that there will be 80,000,000 feet cut on the Southwest and 40,000,000 on the Northwest. The Miramichi Lumber Company which will cut about 35,000,000 is the largest operator.

## N. B. SUPREME COURT.

The Supreme Court met in St. John on the 3rd, and adjourned till the next day. The following was the docket:

Jury Remanet.  
Day vs. Mooney, Barnhill, Ewing & Sanford.  
New Docket.  
Edgcombe vs. McArthur, Alexander Baird.  
Wilson vs. Bell, McKee & Sinclair.

### Non-Jury.

Turner vs. Tracadie Lumber Co. J. B. M. Baxter.

The case of A. G. Edgcombe against Geo. McArthur, arose out of a dispute between the two men who were both stockholders in the roller skating rink. There was a slight dispute over a certain block of stock and the conversation became quite heated. It is alleged that Mr. McArthur spat in Mr. Edgcombe's face. Mr. Edgcombe is now seeking \$10,000 damages for the assault.

After having been out for nearly three hours Thursday afternoon, the jury in the slander case of Edgcombe vs. McArthur returned to the court room with a verdict for the defendant. It is not unanimous however, as two dissented, but under the law the verdict stands.

A. W. Baird immediately moved for a stay of proceedings with leave for the plaintiff to appeal and this was granted. The court then adjourned till the 17th inst., when the non-jury cases will be taken up.

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## THE LORDS AND COMMONS

London, Aug. 24.—That it is the intention of the Government to force the question of curtailing the power of the House of Lords to an issue was made apparent in speeches delivered in various parts of England to-night. Herbert H. Asquith, Chancellor of the Exchequer; Richard B. Haldane, Secretary of State for War; Augustine Birrell, Chief Secretary for Ireland; and Winston Churchill all emphasized in their speeches that the claim of the House of Lords to equal legislative rights with the House of Commons was the most serious political question of the day. Mr. Churchill, in speaking at Chesham, near Manchester, said that the bills rejected by the House of Commons would be re-passed by the House of Lords without delay until the time came to ask for a verdict.

Speaking at Cereham, Mr. Asquith asked if the people intended to allow the leader of a discredited minority in the House of Commons to strangle their bills and aid the Lords, and Mr. Haldane at Kippenhouse, Perthshire, declared that the Government proposed to give the ultimate power to the House of Commons making its will prevail during the course of a single Parliament.

## CAUSE OF THE COLLAPSE.

Defect in the Steel Works Said to be Responsible.

### DAMAGE SUITS.

Coroner's Inquest Reveals That Warning was sent to Head Office.

Quebec, Sept. 4.—At the coroner's inquest on victims of the bridge accident, Chief Engineer Hoare said that on Tuesday, Aug. 27th, Mr. McClure reported to him verbally and to Mr. Cooper in writing or a telegram that No. 9 lower chord at the west truss showed a slight curvature inwards towards the centre of the bridge. They did not consider it a serious thing, but the witness visited the bridge early the next morning and went over the whole structure with Mr. McClure and Mr. Kinlock, the government inspector, as well as the Phoenix Company engineer. The engineers had also checked all the levels, and the alignment posts, and tested the deflection, finding everything in perfect condition. He then sent Mr. McClure to New York to describe the condition of that chord.

Mr. McClure left on the morning of the 28th and interviewed Mr. Cooper the next morning and reached Phoenixville the next afternoon, during which time the accident happened. Mr. Hoare said that he never thought the condition of that chord was serious enough to cause an accident to the bridge, but for the reason previously stated he thought it was sufficiently important to necessitate Mr. McClure himself going to New York.

The witness stated that since the accident he had not had time to make a thorough examination of the bridge, nor to come to a definite conclusion. At present he had no opinion to give as to the cause of the accident.

Inspector McClure testified that Mr. Cooper did not make any recommendations or offer any suggestions to him at all, and didn't tell him that they should not put any load on the bridge. The witness thought that Mr. Cooper was to some extent worried about the curvature. Mr. Dean, the Phoenix Co.'s chief engineer at Phoenixville, expressed the opinion that this chord had always been in the same condition. The witness said that he was of a different opinion and told Mr. Dean so, but that did not change the latter's mind.

Four actions for damages, aggregating \$25,000, have been entered in the Superior Court at Montreal against the Phoenix Bridge Company of Pennsylvania, as a result of the Quebec bridge disaster. The damages claimed range from \$10,000 to \$6,000, and the actions are all taken by Indians living in Caughnawaga.

Quebec, Sept. 5.—At the opening of the coroner's inquest this morning on the subject of the unfortunate bridge disaster, the coroner, addressing the newspaper correspondents present requested that they report accurately as some reports to which publicity had been given were not in accordance with the facts. The evidence of workman Alex. Quimet, who began his testimony yesterday was continued. He declared that some time ago he noticed a large crack in the plate of the steel pier shoe. The plate was three-quarters of an inch thick and about six square and the crack was twenty inches long. Asked as to whether he could state positively, whether this damaged plate was replaced between the time he last saw it and the accident he replied that he could not, but it was his opinion, that it was still in the pier when the disaster happened. Witness was painting steel work, when he saw this defect at the end of July last and he worked for three days in the immediate vicinity. This damaged plate did not support any weight. There were three other workmen to witness's knowledge who saw this crack, but two of them were killed. R. LaFrance being the only survivor of the three. The crack went through and through.

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## KENT NEWS AND NOTES.

News Items Gleaned from Leading Places of the County.

### HARCOURT.

Harcourt, N. B., Sept. 6.—Mr. and Mrs. Covey, of Boston, and Mrs. R. Swetnam, of Moncton, have been spending a few days Mrs. Geo. Bailey.

Miss Jean Thurber left yesterday to attend Sackville Ladies' College.

Miss Eva Wilson and friend, Miss Adams, of Campbellton, are visiting Miss Bessie McIntosh, of this place.

Mrs. Thomas Larracy, of Moncton, is visiting a few days with her mother, Mrs. J. Chrystal.

Ernest Manaton has gone to Sackville to attend the academy.

Mrs. James Lyon, of Millerton, who has been spending a few days with her mother, Mrs. Livingstone, returned home to-day.

Misses Anna and Bessie Buckfield have returned from visiting friends in Buctouche.

Stomach troubles, Heart and Kidney ailments, can be quickly corrected with a prescription known to all druggists everywhere as Dr. Shoop's Restorative. The prompt and surprising relief which this remedy immediately brings is entirely due to its Restorative action upon the controlling nerves of the Stomach, etc.

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### I. C. R. RELIEF AND INSURANCE.

Secretary Paver of the I. C. R. Employees Relief and Insurance Association, has issued a report for the month ended August twenty-fifth, in which there were five deaths and a total of \$2,250 paid out in death claims.

They were as follows:—D. M. Vanstone, engineer, Newcastle, N. B., \$250 each.  
N. Bouchard, Lewis, \$500.  
H. Ouellet, River du Loup, \$1,000.  
The fees and leaves for the month are Class A, \$1.80; Class B, \$1.10, and Class C, 75 cents.

"Say, pa, if ma was captured by bandits would you pay a big ransom to get her back?"  
"It would depend a little on the size of the ransom my son."

"Well, suppose you could borrow the money?"  
"I should use great discretion, my son. It would be my endeavor to prolong the negotiations until the bandits were ready to give me something to take her off their hands."

"It must have been really chilly the last day of the yacht races, George, dear."  
"What makes you think so, my love?"  
"Why, I noticed in the account here that the Columbia blanketed the Shamrock twice. Wasn't that sweet of her?"

Tenderfoot (on Texas ranch)—I should think it would be a lot of trouble for a man to pick out his own cattle from among so many.

Cowboy—O, that's an easy matter, the trouble begins when he picks out some other man's cattle. See?

## WOMAN'S HOME

### COMPANION.

Dr. Edward Everett Hale devotes his editorial page in the September number of the Woman's Home Companion to the subject of "Letter Writing."

He calls attention of the readers to the six simple rules that every one will do well to remember:

1. Know what you want to say.
2. Say it.
3. Use your own language.
4. Short words are better than long ones.
5. The fewer words, the better.
6. Leave out all fine passages.

As one of the judges in a recent Prize Letter-Writing contest, Dr. Hale had an exceptional opportunity of examining letters from over 30,000 women. Many of these, he says, were ruled out at once because the handwriting was not good.

The great besetting sin, however of letter writers seems to be that they do not know what they want to say, and flounder about, to the disgust of the reader, until they hit upon the subject. A few minutes spent in thought upon a letter before you begin to write will enhance its interest to the reader many fold.

## FOUR NEW TECHNICAL SCHOOLS.

To Open in November at Halifax, Sydney, New Glasgow and Amherst.

### NOT FREE.

Six or Seven Teachers To Be Appointed For Each School.

Halifax, Sept. 4.—The arrangements for the operation of the technical education scheme in Nova Scotia have been about completed. This winter there will be local technical schools in four industrial centres—Halifax, Sydney, New Glasgow and Amherst. The schools will open early in November. The idea is that there shall be six or seven teachers in each school.

A moderate fee will be charged, not so much for the purpose of deriving a revenue from the school but because it is considered that a man will appreciate more highly something he pays for more than something he gets for nothing. But the fees will not be high and they will be largely returned to those who show a determination to work. He who makes the best of the opportunities presented to him will, under the system that it is proposed to adopt, get back all or the major part of the money he gave or paid in.

THE KILLERS.  
It happened that once a man ran past Soorates armed with an axe. He was in pursuit of another who was running from him at full speed.

"Stop him! Stop him!" the pursuer cried.

Plato's master did not move.

"What?" cried the man with the axe.

"Couldst thou not have barred his way?"

He is an assassin!"

"An assassin! What meanest thou?"

"Play not the idiot! An assassin is a man who kills."

"A butcher, then?"

"Old fool! A man who kills another man!"

"To be sure! a soldier!"

"Dolt! A man who kills another man in times of peace."

"I see—the executioner."

"Thou art! A man who kills another in his home."

"Exactly—a physician."

Upon which the man with the axe fled and is running still!

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## FACTS OF 1906.

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(L. S.)

To the Sheriff of the County of Northumberland or any Constable in the said County:—

GREETING,

Whereas John S. Pond, Administrator of the estate and effects which were of Margaret Bubeare, late of the Parish of Ludlow in the County of Northumberland, and province of New Brunswick, widow, deceased, hath prayed that he may appear to pass the accounts of the said estate: You are therefore required to cite the heirs, next of kin, creditors and any persons interested in the estate of the deceased, to appear before the Judge of Probate for the County of Northumberland at a Probate court to be held in the Council Chamber in the Town Hall in the Town of Chatham, in the said County, on Friday the eighth day of November next at eleven o'clock in the forenoon for the purpose of showing cause, if any, why the said accounts should not be passed and the estate distributed as prayed for.

Given under my hand and seal of the said Court, this Twentieth day of July, A. D., 1907.

(Signed)

R. A. LAWLOR,

Judge of Probate,

County of Northumberland.

(Signed)

G. B. FRASER,

Registrar of Probate

for said County.

No. 44-311.

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Newcastle, N. B., Sept. 11, 1907.

## THE NEW PULP AND PAPER MILL.

The present indications are that the new pulp and paper mill, which will run constantly and employ sixty or seventy persons, will be erected here. The Board of Trade and Town Council are strongly in favor of having it here, and are willing to accept Mr. Beveridge's terms. The owners of the site required will, doubtless, be very reasonable in their charges, for the mill, if erected on their property, will prove a much greater source of revenue to them than would the land if retained in its present condition. They will not likely kill the goose that would lay golden eggs for them. The location of this industry here would greatly increase the population and importance of Newcastle, and would soon attract other industries. Newcastle is finely situated to become the great manufacturing and shipping centre; and if Mr. Beveridge's and other such propositions are handled rightly, this town will take a leading place among the populous centres of the Maritime provinces.

## COALITION GOVERNMENT A FAILURE.

While all other provincial governments in Canada are now run strictly on Dominion party lines, New Brunswick still clings to the coalition idea. But the coalition, while obliterating Dominion party lines in local contests, has not at all improved the politics of the province—rather has it confused and lowered the political standing of both parties. If a provincial voter considers that a certain Dominion party is much more correct in its political principles and much more deserving of being entrusted with authority than are any of the others, it would seem to be his duty to do all he lawfully can to put that particular party in power in both national and provincial parliaments. It would seem unreasonable for him to support one party in national elections, and then to work in the interests of a provincial organization composed partly of his own political family and partly of their opponents. A coalition government or opposition can never be strong and cohesive as one whose members are all of one political faith. Each is peculiarly tempted to lower its moral standing by bidding for the support of its late opponents, who often change sides merely for official preferment or financial gain, squaring themselves with their consciences by arguing that, provincial politics being non-partisan, anyway, they have not violated any moral obligation. Better for both Premier Robinson and Mr. Hazen to come out squarely as leaders of the provincial Liberals and Conservatives, respectively, and test the province on that issue. Then the public will know definitely and

where each stands. It will be time enough to form a new coalition when there are more than two parties in the legislature neither of which commands a majority alone.

## FOREIGN LABOR IN JAPAN.

The Japanese government, that objected to British Columbia's anti-Mongolian legislation and hinted war if the United States should cease to give their people the most favored nation treatment, has promptly and most unceremoniously deported a party of Chinese who were brought into Japan under contract to labor on government railway construction. The feeling against the Chinese that forced the government to expel them was roused by the foreigners working for less wages than the natives were willing to accept—exactly the same reason why the White workmen on the Pacific slope of North America object to the Japanese. Japan will now have great difficulty in persuading the world that what is right for her to do with foreigners is wrong if practised by the United States and Canada.

## ESPERANTO.

Dr. Zamenhof, the inventor of Esperanto, the new universal language, and a thousand Esperantist delegates have been assembling at Cambridge, where they received a hearty welcome from the civic and university authorities and from the people. The Cambridge congress was the third to be held and there is no longer any talk of Esperantists being fools and faddists because they practise an 'auxiliary language.' Received with high respect and honor in an English university town, they can now afford to laugh at those who once laughed at them. Professor Mayor, the eminent scholar and linguist, addressed the delegates fluently in the 'auxiliary language,' and made them feel that at Cambridge they were not strangers with a strange tongue. It is no little triumph for Esperanto thus to have stormed one of the great centres of English learning, in view of the fact that the English are ever the last to allow theory to assert itself against custom. Esperanto has appeared naturally where it was most wanted among the lesser peoples of polyglot Europe. Should it win its way into general international use it would certainly be a new thing under the sun, as language has hitherto been accounted a product of nature, and artificial attempts to interfere with it have been largely abortive. Still a speech whose forms are regular and expound themselves, whose grammar consists of sixteen short rules, which can be acquired by practical use in a forenoon, has enormous advantages over any speech that exists. It is told of an English journalist, seeking information in the Baltic provinces, that he encountered certain persons who knew Esperanto in addition to their native speech, and that with a primer of that language he enabled himself in one day to obtain a useful interview. —Montreal Witness.

## THE ONTARIO FARMERS.

At its annual convention in Toronto, last week, the Farmers' Association of Ontario, a very considerable body, declared unanimously for freer trade with any country and called upon the Dominion government to respond to any movement towards reciprocity. Protective tariffs were denounced because of their being politically corrupting and economically burdensome to the masses of the people. Strong opposition was affirmed to the policy of enriching some industries at the expense of others by subsidizing privately-owned enterprises with public lands or money. With equal vigor the association re-affirmed its advocacy of the principle of Direct Legislation through the Initiative and Referendum—that system of government which obtains in Switzerland and provides: (1) That a certain per cent. of the electors may draw up a bill and have it submitted to popular vote, when, if the majority so express themselves, the bill becomes law; (2) That every act of parliament

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ment is subject to a direct vote of the people if so desired by the same percentage of the electorate. Under such a system it would be impossible for parliaments to legislate against the wishes of the majority of the voters. Another demand of the association was that for municipal assessment purposes railway property should be put upon the same basis as to actual value as any other property. Another was for the reservation of public lands for the settler alone, and for the adjustment of taxation in such a way as to encourage the use of land for actual production rather than for speculation. The Ontario government was called upon to substantially increase the appropriation for the highway system, and also requested to levy higher royalties on the mineral output of the province. Steps were taken to bring about a union with the Grange, a farmers' society identical in principle with the Association. As the Conservative party has hitherto drawn its chief strength from Ontario, the leaders of that organization will have to modify their advocacy of the worn-out doctrines of high protection or lose what following they have among the farmers of that province. They must also free themselves from many other of their ancient traditions, if they would ever again rule Canada. The days of old-fashioned Conservatism in this country are passing. The people are thinking, and preparing to act, along broader lines, and the politicians that will not move with them will be swept aside to make room for men who are more in touch with the spirit of the age.

## RACIAL HOSTILITY.

A mob of 10,000 White workmen in the city of Vancouver one night last week drove 2,000 Chinese from their homes, destroyed a lot of property, burned the lieutenant-governor in effigy, and raided the Japanese quarters.

A few days ago, the Hindu quarter of a town in Washington state was raided by the Whites, the Hindus fleeing towards Canada to save their lives. And the Negroes and Whites of the United States are always at war.

In India the Hindus are mobbing the Christian Whites; and France is carrying on a heavy warfare in Morocco to prevent Christians being massacred there.

It is about time that the leading powers of the world put their heads together to find a remedy for this racial hostility, which is becoming monotonous and may soon be dangerous.

All races have a right to live and there is plenty of land for all; but it does not follow that it is always expedient for different races to live in the same district. There should be a delimitation of territory between the Whites, Yellows, Blacks and Hindus.

The Yellows and the Hindus are crowded at home, and must have more land. All the vacant places of the earth, with but few exceptions, are owned by the White men, but there are not enough White people to populate them. We must yield some of our territory to the Asiatics. The only question is, what shall we surrender to them. It is only fair that the White race, having explored and partly settled the United States, Canada, Chile, Argentina, New Zealand and the Southern part of Australia, should keep those territories, and that the Japanese, Chinese and Hindus should be restricted to those parts of America, Australia and Africa where the White man has not firmly established himself. The Asiatics should be told by the united powers of Europe and North America that the White race is prepared to hold the above named

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Leave Redbank for Chatham, every morning at 7.45.  
Leave Chatham every day at 1 o'clock, p. m.  
Leave Newcastle, Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Fridays at 3 o'clock. Wednesdays and Saturdays, at 2 o'clock.

Wednesdays and Saturdays will be excursion days when boat will return to Chatham the same evening.

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## SHOT WHILE DRINKING.

### Campbellton Man Accidentally Killed by Companion While Hunting.

A tragic event took place at Campbellton 10.30 Saturday night, when Oliver Peters, Ben. Beatie, Charles Beatie, Joseph Doirion and Edward Doucet, all residents of Campbellton, across the bridge from Purvis mill, went out in the vicinity of Lily Lake, five miles from Campbellton, on a hunting expedition, armed with rifles and six bottles of gin. While under the influence of liquor, Oliver Peters, a son of Edmund Peters, of the I. C. R. employ, was accidentally shot through the heart by Ben. Beatie, one of his comrades.

## GOOD HARVEST OUT WEST.

### Crops Reported to be Above The Average.

Winnipeg, Sept. 7.—Cutting is now well under way throughout Manitoba, and it is estimated that at Deloraine and other points at the end of that line, eighty per cent. is now in stack. At Rosenfield, Man., over 500 bushels of new grain have been marketed, and threshing will begin first of next week.

In Edmonton district along the C. N. R. cutting is well under way from Humboldt to Battleford and some grain is expected to run 40 bushels.

Bulk in that district will be about twenty-five or thirty bushels to a crop. All reports received indicate ideal harvesting weather and no serious damage is reported by frost. In many districts the yield will run higher than was at first anticipated.

Throughout Saskatchewan reports state that cutting will be general in a few days and in a large number of points in Manitoba 65 to 80 per cent. is in stacks. The latest reports from the Battleford district state that a heavy rain has delayed the wheat cutting but the barley is all cut and the oat crop is well underway, while the sale of binders is double that of last year.

In the country south of Saskatchewan, a large number of new settlers have an immense area of new breaking under wheat and some splendid crops will be harvested.

### HARCOURT.

Harcourt, Sept. 5.—Miss Nellie Clark, of Rexton, spent a day with Miss Jessie Dunn. Miss Clark left on Thursday for Sackville where she resumes her work in the musical staff of the Mount Allison Ladies' College.

Miss Annie Stavert, who has been visiting her brother, Rev. R. H. Stavert, for the past two weeks left for home on Tuesday.

Miss Augusta Ford who has been spending some weeks with friends here, left on Saturday for Nanawauk. She was accompanied by two of her nieces, Margaret and Bertha Ford.

Ernest Manaton left this week for Mount Allison Academy.

Messrs. Adam McLeod and James McRae left on Thursday for Houlton, Me., where they expect to spend the winter.

Rev. J. B. Ganong gave a very interesting address on his trip to Rome in the Methodist church last evening. At the close a vote of thanks was moved by Mr. L. J. Wathen and seconded by Dr. Fairbanks. Rev. R. H. Stavert presided at the meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted McWilliam left today on their return home after having spent some weeks with Mr. McWilliam's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas McWilliam.

Miss Metcalfe is visiting Miss Maude Smallwood.

Harcourt, Sept. 9.—Mrs. Mattheu Shirley passed away on Saturday night. Funeral will be held tomorrow.

Rev. R. H. Stavert left today for a week's visit to his home in Wilmot Valley, P. E. I.

Bears are reported very plentiful in the vicinity of Hanwell, York Co. A few nights ago William Boreland, a farmer of that place, had four sheep killed by them.

## Social Personal.

Mr. John F. McKane was in St. John on Friday and Saturday.

Mr. E. Hutchison went to Boston on Friday.

Miss Vaughan Colpitts, of Moncton, is visiting Mrs. S. J. Miller.

Messrs. Benjamin Stuart and James McCarthy are still very ill. Miss Gertrude Jeffrey has been quite ill since Sunday.

Miss May Murray, of Richibucto, is visiting Mrs. Charles Dalton.

Mr. H. A. Powell was in town yesterday.

Miss Katherine J. Amos, of Lower Derby, was in town on Saturday.

Mrs. W. V. Price, who has been visiting friends in Petitcodiac and Moncton, has returned.

Mr. Jas. Edmonds returned on Saturday from a pleasant visit to relatives and friends in Tabusintac.

Miss K. J. Sullivan has returned from Douglastown, where she was spending her vacation.

Mr. and Miss Sherard of Dorchester are visiting their aunt, Mrs. Jerome Roy.

Miss Bertha Elliott spent Wednesday with her sister, Mrs. Fred. Chessman, in Moncton.

Miss Pinkie Ingram returned yesterday from a pleasant visit to Sackville and Amherst.

Miss Jean Robinson leaves this morning to enter Halifax Ladies' College.

Miss Bessie Ferguson, of the musical staff of the Ladies' College, has returned to Halifax.

R. T. D. Aieken, Esq., of Tonapah, Nevada, is visiting his home here.

Mr. Samuel Adams, of New York, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. F. McKane.

Miss Helen Norman and Master Harry have returned to their studies in Halifax.

Miss Bessie Hosford left on Monday for a vacation in Moncton and Amherst.

Miss Jessie Fleming, of Boston, is spending the vacation with her mother here.

Mr. Charles W. Anslow, of the Campbellton Events, spent Monday and Tuesday here.

Miss Kathleen Russell, of Derby, went to Moncton Monday, to visit friends.

The Misses Searl, of Chatham, were the guests of Miss Ursula Appleby, of South Nelson, on Thursday last.

Mrs. William Elliott has returned to her home in Boston, accompanied by her niece, Miss Eureka Elliott.

A. B. Copp, M. P. P. of Sackville, and Mr. Thomas Fraser, of Nova Scotia, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Bell.

Mr. William Fraser, of Bangor, Me., has returned home after spending a few days here with his sister, Mrs. John Ingram.

Misses Ida, Clara and Mary, daughters of Mr. Alex. Jessup, of Douglastown, went to Massachusetts yesterday.

Miss Anna McLeod, who has spent the summer with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. McLeod, returned this week to Boston.

Mr. William Hubbard, who has been visiting his father, Mr. Benj. Hubbard, of Cassilis, left last Tuesday, en route for Proctor, Minn.

Dr. Jos. Hayes, of Nelson, left on the limited yesterday afternoon to attend the meeting of the Canadian Medical Association at Montreal. The doctor will be away a week.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. McQuarrie and little son have returned to their home in Moncton after having spent their vacation with Mrs. McQuarrie's parents in Derby.

Mrs. Fulton H. Gjerdt and little daughter, Mary, have returned to their home in New Jersey, after a visit of two months with her mother, Mrs. James McCormick.

The Baptist pulpit here on Sunday was occupied by Mr. R. Horton. Next Sunday the new pastor Rev. H. A. Brown, late of Elgin, Albert Co., will be here.

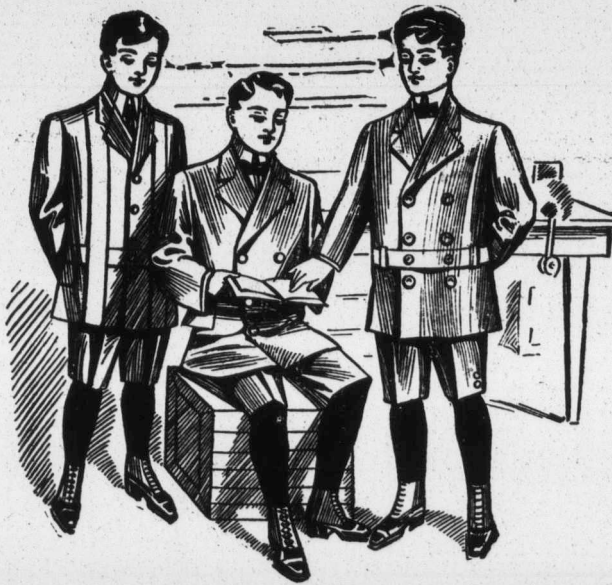
Miss Helen Kearney returned yesterday to her home in Boston, Mass., after spending a very enjoyable vacation with her aunt, Miss Mary Kearney, Douglastown.

Rev. F. M. Richard, of Rogersville, N. B., was a visitor at the palace. Father Richard is one of the best known priests in the Maritime Provinces and is at present on his way to Europe.—Ottawa Citizen.

Mrs. Wm. Flett and daughter, Miss Mary N. Flett, who have been spending the summer in Nelson, left last week accompanied by Mr. Flett, who has spent the last two weeks at his old home in Nelson, for their home in Dorchester Mass.

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### SCHOOL CHANGES.

Owing to the resignation of Miss Blanche Reid, teacher of Grade VII in Harkins Academy, last week, a general rearrangement of teachers took place Monday morning. Miss Ella Gray, of Chatham, takes Miss McGregor's place at the Buie school; Miss McGregor comes to Temperance Hall; Miss Isadore Layton goes from Temperance Hall to take Grade VI in Harkins Academy; while Miss Jennie Gremley is promoted from grade VI to Miss Reid's place with grade VII. The Buie school being overcrowded, grade V was taken from that school and transferred to grade V in Harkins Academy.

### CAMPBELLTON SPORTS.

TO BE PROSECUTED. The attorney general of the province of Quebec has issued actions against several prominent citizens of Campbellton in order to collect a certain fine provided for by the laws of the province of Quebec against parties not domiciled in that province, but who fish there without having first of all obtained a license to do so. Three years ago Quebec legislature passed a law stating that persons not domiciled therein must pay a tax of twenty-five dollars in order to fish salmon in the Quebec waters. A number of the people of Campbellton are owners of real estate in the province of Quebec and have always objected to pay tax and have continued fishing. Hence the actions that have been issued. The Campbellton people claim that the law is not constitutional and will take the case to the highest courts in order to have a decision. The firm of Taschereau, Cannon Roy & Parent, have been retained for the prosecution.

Miss Williamson, of Newcastle, N. B., who has been visiting her brother at Regina for the last couple of months, left on Wednesday for her home. She will visit some American cities on her way.

—Winnipeg Free Press.

Mr. P. A. Stearns, of Boston, who has been visiting with his wife and little daughter, Miss Pauline at Mrs. John Appleby's of South Nelson, returned home on the steamer "Yale" Aug. 27th.

On Thursday, the Misses Gertrude Clarke and Nellie Lingley of Newcastle and Ethel Atkinson of Derby Junction went to Mount Allison Ladies' College. Ald. T. A. Clarke accompanied them to Sackville, returning that night.

Mrs. Beek, of Chicago, Mrs. Babbitt, of St. John, and Mr. Chas. Williston, of Halifax, were here attending the funeral of their mother the late Mrs. S. J. Williston.

Rev. Messrs. H. C. Rice, Newcastle, George A. Sellar, Chatham; Patterson, Tabusintac; and Rowley, Millerton; left here on Monday to attend the Methodist Financial District meeting at Bathurst.

Mrs. Captain Melvin Hagan, who had reached Sackville on her way to Havana, Cuba, was hastily summoned home on Monday night because of her mother's sudden death. Mrs. Hagan will return tomorrow.

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### FIELDING COMING HOME.

Ottawa, Sept. 7.—It is expected that Hon. William Fielding will sail for Canada within a few days. It is likely that Hon. Mr. Brodeur who has been associated with the Finance Minister in the negotiations for a commercial treaty with France, will not leave until some time later. Mr. Brodeur has some important business to look after in connection with the new ice breaker, which it is proposed to have built for winter navigation between Prince Edward Island and the main land. Mr. Brodeur will probably not leave Europe until the end of September.

### STEAMER LADY EILEEN ASHORE.

About 2 o'clock Thursday morning, the steamer Lady Eileen, of the Interprovincial Navigation Co. grounded in the harbor of Gaspé Basin, about four hundred yards from her wharf. The night was dark and rainy and the captain in all probability was confused by the lights on the other vessel in the bay. The vessel rested on sand at high tide, and at low tide she was in only three feet of water. The Government steamer, Princess took the Lady Eileen off Thursday afternoon. The damage was very slight.

### GOLF CHAMPIONSHIP.

The contest for the ladies' golf championship of the Maritime Provinces at Windsor, N. S., Friday, resulted in a victory for Miss M. G. Thomson of St. John by 6 up and 5 to play. In the contest between the New Brunswick and Nova Scotia teams the result was in doubt to the last, but New Brunswick won by three points.

### TERRIFIC STORM.

The storm which passed over the central part of Carleton county, on Friday evening was in some respects the worst that ever visited the section. Fortunately it was very local. It was a veritable cloud-burst for the clouds seemed to have emptied their burden within a radius of three miles. In twenty minutes from the time the storm broke a tiny brook directly across the river from Hartland had swollen to a torrent ten rods wide and six feet deep, bearing away heavy rail fences that had been fixtures for more than a generation. A mile further north hail had fallen in some quantities that W. N. Raymond says that at least quarter of his grain is ruined and Odour Shaw's buckwheat will not be worth cutting.

In Hartland the rain was torrential and the wind a hurricane, but there was little hail. A few miles from Hartland in any direction the reports are that the storm, while severe, was not remarkable.

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TWO LIBERALS IN THE FIELD

It is pretty generally understood that Hon. Mr. Pugsley will not be opposed at the bye-election in St. John this month by a Conservative candidate; but it is said that Mayor Sears will run as an independent Liberal.

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And he was conscious of a ray of  
hope in his mind. He was a kind  
hearted man in his way, this Maurice  
Gordon of Loango, but he could not  
disguise from himself the simple fact  
that the death of Victor Durnovo



"Enter, young man," he said drama-  
tically.

would be a distinct convenience and a  
most desirable relief.  
Thinking these thoughts, Maurice  
Gordon arrived at the factory and  
went straight to his own office, where  
he found the object of them, Victor  
Durnovo, sitting in consumption of the  
office sherry.

Gordon saw at once that the rumor  
was true. There was a hunted, un-  
wholesome look in Durnovo's eyes. He  
looked shaken and failed to convey  
a suggestion of personal dignity.

"Hello!" exclaimed the proprietor of  
the decanter. "You look a bit chippy.  
I've heard you've got smallpox up at  
Masala."

"So have I. I've just heard it from  
Meredith."

"Just heard it! Is Meredith down  
here too?"

"Yes, and the fool wants to go back  
tonight. I have to meet him on the  
bench at 4 o'clock."

Maurice Gordon sat down, poured  
out for himself a glass of sherry and  
drank it thoughtfully.

"Do you know, Durnovo," he said  
emphatically, "I have my doubts about  
Meredith being a fool."

"Indeed!" with a derisive laugh.

"Yes."

Maurice Gordon looked over his  
shoulder to see that the door was shut.

"You'll have to be very careful," he  
said. "The least slip might let it all out.  
Meredith has a quiet way of looking  
at one which disquiets me. He might  
find out."

"Not he," replied Durnovo confident-  
ly, "especially if we succeed, and we  
shall succeed; we shall!"

Maurice Gordon made a little move-  
ment of the shoulders as indicating a  
certain uneasiness, but he said nothing.

There was a pause of considerable  
duration, at the end of which Durnovo  
produced a paper from his pocket and  
threw it down.

"That's good business," he said.

"Two thousand tasks," murmured  
Maurice Gordon. "Yes, that's good.  
Through Akmed, I suppose?"

"Yes. We can outdo these Arabs at  
their own trade."

An evil smile lighted up Durnovo's  
sallow face. When he smiled his droop-  
ing, curtain-like mustache projected in  
a way that made keen observers of  
the human face wonder what his  
mouth was like.

Gordon, who had been handling the  
paper with the tips of his fingers as if  
it were something unclean, threw it  
down on the table again.

"Ye-es," he said slowly, "but it does  
not seem to dirty black hands as it  
does white. They know no better."

"Lord!" ejaculated Durnovo. "Don't  
let us begin the old arguments all over  
again. I thought we settled that the  
trade was there. We couldn't prevent  
it, and therefore the best thing is to  
make hay while the sun shines and  
then clear out of the country."

"But suppose Meredith finds out?"  
reiterated Maurice Gordon, with the  
lamentable hesitation that precedes  
loss.

"If Meredith finds out it will be the  
worse for him."

A certain concentration of tone  
aroused Maurice Gordon's attention,  
and he glanced uneasily at his com-  
panion.

"No one knows what goes on in the  
heart of Africa," said Durnovo darkly.  
"But we will not trouble about that.  
Meredith won't find out."

"Where is he now?"

"With your sister at the bungalow."  
A lady's man—that is what he is.  
On hearing that Jack was at the  
bungalow with Jocelyn, Maurice Gor-

don glanced at the clock and wonder-  
ed how he could get away from his  
present visitor. The atmosphere of  
Jack Meredith's presence was prefer-  
able to that diffused by Victor Durno-  
vo. There was a feeling of personal  
safety and dignity in the very sound  
of his voice which set a weak and  
easily led man upon his feet.

But Victor Durnovo had something  
to say to Gordon which circumstances  
had brought to a crisis.

"Look here," he said, leaning for-  
ward and throwing away the cigar-  
ette he had been smoking, "this stim-  
acine scheme is going to be the biggest  
thing that has ever been run on this  
coast."

"Yes," said Gordon, with the indif-  
ference that comes from nonparticipa-  
tion.

"And I'm the only business man in  
it," significantly.

Gordon nodded his head, awaiting  
further developments.

"Which means that I could work  
another man into it. I might find out  
that we could not get on without him."

The black eyes seemed to probe the  
good natured, sensual face of Maurice  
Gordon, so keen, so searching was  
their glance.

"And I would be willing to do it, to  
make that man's fortune, provided  
that he was my brother-in-law."

"What the devil do you mean?"  
asked Gordon, setting down the glass  
that was half raised to his lips.

"I mean that I want to marry Joco-  
lyn."

And the modern school of realistic,  
mawkishly foul novelists, who hold



"Besides," he said, "I may succeed with-  
out any of that—eh?"

that love excuseth all, would have  
taken delight in the passionate render-  
ing of the girl's name.

"Want to marry Jocelyn, do you?"  
answered Maurice, with a derisive little  
laugh. On the first impulse of the mo-  
ment he gave no thought to himself or  
his own interests and spoke with un-  
disguised contempt. He might have  
been speaking to a beggar on the road-  
side.

Durnovo's eyes flashed dangerously  
and his tobacco stained teeth clinched  
for a moment over his lower lip.

"That is my desire and intention."

"Look here, Durnovo," exclaimed  
Gordon, "don't be a fool! Can't you  
see that it is quite out of the question?"

"No," he said, "I can't see that it is  
out of the question. On the contrary,  
it seems only natural that she should  
marry the man who is her brother's  
partner in many a little speculation."

Maurice Gordon, sitting there star-  
ing hopelessly into the half breed's  
face, saw it all. He went back in a  
flash of recollection to many passing  
details which had been unnoted at the  
time; details which now fitted into  
each other like links of a chain, and  
that chain was around him. He leaped  
forward in a momentary opening of the  
future, and saw himself ruined, dis-  
graced, held up to the execration of the  
whole civilized world. He was utterly  
in this man's power, bound hand and  
foot. He could not say him no, and  
least of all could he say no to this de-  
mand, which had roused all the latent  
chivalry, gentlemanliness, brotherly  
love that was in him. Maurice Gordon  
knew that Victor Durnovo possessed  
knowledge which Jocelyn would con-  
sider cheap at the price of her person.

"I don't think," said Durnovo, who  
seemed to be following Gordon's  
thoughts, "that the idea will be so re-  
pellent to your sister as you seem to  
think."

And a sudden ray of hope shot  
athwart the future into which his lis-  
tenser was staring. It might be so.  
One can never tell with women.

"I don't want you to do anything  
now," he went on more gently. It  
was wonderful how well he knew  
Maurice Gordon. The suggested delay  
appealed to one side of his nature, the  
softened tone to another. "There is  
time enough. When I come back I  
will speak of it again. Your sister is

very fond of you, and I think I have  
one or two arguments to put forward  
which she would recognize as uncom-  
monly strong. I would not bring for-  
ward those arguments except as a last  
resource. I would first point out the  
advantages. A fourth share in the  
stimacine scheme would make you a  
rich man—above suspicion—independ-  
ent of the gossip of the market place."

Maurice Gordon winced visibly, and  
his eyes wandered as if he were about  
to give way to panic.

"You could retire and go home to  
England—to a cooler climate. Your  
country might get too hot for your  
constitution. Don't you?"

Durnovo came back into the center  
of the room and stood by the writing  
table. His attitude was that of a man  
holding a whip over a cowering dog.

He took up his hat and riding whip  
with a satisfied little laugh, as if the  
dog had cringingly done his bidding.

"Besides," he said, with a certain  
dedance of manner, "I may succeed  
without any of that—eh?"

"Yes," Gordon was obliged to admit,  
with a gulp, as if he were swallowing  
his pride. And he knew that in say-  
ing the word he was degrading his  
sister—throwing her at this man's feet  
as the price of his own honor.

With a half contemptuous nod, Victor  
Durnovo turned and went away to  
keep his appointment with Meredith.

Guy Oscar was sitting on the nat-  
ural terrace in front of Durnovo's  
house at Masala, and Marie attended to  
his simple wants with that patient  
dignity which suggested the recollec-  
tion of better times and appealed  
strongly to the manhood of her fellow  
servant Joseph and her willom  
master.

"I hear the sound of paddles," she  
said.

"My ears are not so sharp as yours,"  
said Oscar.

He listened, and after a moment  
heard the regular gung-gung of the pad-  
dles stealing over the waters of the  
still tropic river, covering a wonderful  
distance.

"Yes," he said, "I hear. Mr. Mer-  
edith said he would be back tonight."

She gave a strange little low laugh—  
almost the laugh of a happy woman.

The two boats came on to the sloping  
shore with a grating sound, and by the  
light of the waving lanterns Oscar  
saw Durnovo and Jack land from the  
same boat.

The three men walked up to the  
house together. Marie was at the door  
and bowed her head gravely in answer  
to Jack's salutation. Durnovo nodded  
curtly and said nothing.

In the sitting room, by the light of  
the paraffin lamp, the two Englishmen  
exchanged a long questioning glance,  
quite different from the quick inter-  
rogation of a woman's eyes. There was  
a smile on Jack Meredith's face.

"All ready to start tomorrow?" he in-  
quired.

"Yes," replied Oscar.

And that was all they could say.  
Durnovo never left them alone to-  
gether that night. He watched their  
faces with keen, suspicious eye. Be-  
hind the mustache his lips were pursed  
up in restless anxiety. But he saw  
nothing—learned nothing. These two  
men were inscrutable.

At 11 o'clock the next morning the  
stimacine seekers left their first un-  
happy camp at Masala. They had tasted  
of misfortune at the very beginning,  
but after the first reverse they return-  
ed to their work with that dogged de-  
termination which is a better spirit than  
the wild enthusiasm of departure,  
where friends shout and flags wave,  
and an artificial hopefulness throws in  
its jarring note.

In less than a week they had left the  
river, hauling their canoes up on the  
bank and hiding them in the tangle of  
the virgin underwood. A depot of pro-  
visions, likewise hidden, was duly  
made, and the long, weary march be-  
gan.

We have not to deal so much with  
the finding of the stimacine as with  
the first, and of these the chief at  
this time was Jack Meredith. It  
seemed quite natural that one duty  
after another should devolve upon him,  
and he invariably had time to do them  
all and leisure to comment pleasantly  
upon it. But his chief care was Victor  
Durnovo.

When they had been on the march  
for two months—piloted with marvel-  
ous instinct by Durnovo—Meredith  
made one or two changes in the or-  
ganization. The caravan naturally  
moved slowly, owing to the enormous  
amount of baggage to be carried, and  
this delay seemed to irritate Victor  
Durnovo to such an extent that at  
last it was obvious that the man  
would go mad unless this frightful  
tension could be relieved.

An advance column, commanded by  
Meredith and Durnovo, was selected  
to push on to the plateau, while Os-  
card and Joseph followed more leisurely  
with the baggage and the slower  
travelers.

Victor Durnovo never knew  
rest now until he reached the spot  
where the stimacine should be. If the  
trees were there, growing, as he said,  
in solitary state and order, strangely  
suggestive of human handiwork, then  
Victor Durnovo was saved. If no such  
spot was found, madness and death  
could only follow.

To save his companion's reason  
Meredith more than once drugged his  
food, but when the land began to rise  
beneath their feet in slight billowlike  
inequalities—the deposit of the glacial  
age—Durnovo refused to stop for the  
preparation of food. Eating dry bi-  
scuits and stringy tinned meat as they  
went along, the four men—three blacks  
and one white—followed in the foot-  
steps of their mad pilot.

"We're getting to the mountains,  
we're getting to the mountains! We  
shall be there tonight! Think of that,  
Meredith—tonight!" he kept repeating  
with a sickening monotony. And all  
the while he stumbled on. The perspi-  
ration ran down his face in one  
continuous stream; at times he paused  
to wipe it from his eyes with the  
back of his hands, and, as these were  
torn and bleeding, there were streams  
of blood across his cheeks.

The night fell. The moon rose, red  
and glorious, and the beasts of this un-  
trodden forest paused in their search  
for food to watch with wondering,  
fearless eyes that strange, unknown



"Yes," he cried, "it's stimacine!"

It was Durnovo who, climbing wild-  
ly, first saw the break in the trees  
ahead. He gave a muffled cry of de-  
light, and in a few minutes they were  
all rushing, like men possessed, up a  
bare slope of broken shale.

Durnovo reached the summit first. A  
faint pleasant odor was wafted into  
their faces. They stood on the edge of  
a vast tableland meeting up in the  
yellow moonlight. Studded all over,  
like sheep in a meadow, were a num-  
ber of little bushes and no other veg-  
etation.

Victor Durnovo stooped over one of  
these. He buried his face among the  
leaves of it, and suddenly he toppled  
over.

"Yes," he cried as he fell; "it's stim-  
acine!"

And he turned over, with a groan of  
satisfaction, and lay like a dead man.

CHAPTER XIV.

ONE morning three months later  
Guy Oscar drew up in line  
his flying column. He was  
going back to England with  
the first consignment of stimacine.  
During the twelve weeks that lay be-  
hind there had been constant reference  
made to his little body of picked men,  
and the leader had selected with a  
grave deliberation that promised well.

The lost soldier that was in him was  
all astir in his veins as he reviewed  
his command in the cool air of early  
morning. The journey from Masala to  
the plateau had occupied a busy two  
months. Oscar expected to reach  
Masala with his men in forty days.  
Piled up in neat square cases, such as  
could be carried in pairs by a man of  
ordinary strength, was the crop of  
stimacine, roughly valued by Victor  
Durnovo at \$40,000. Ten men could  
carry the whole of it, and the twenty  
cases set close together on the ground  
made a bed for Guy Oscar. Upon  
this improvised couch he gravely  
stretched his bulk every night all  
through the journey that followed.

It was on the open ground in front  
of the tents that Guy Oscar drew up his  
quick marching column before the sun  
had sprung up in its fantastic tropical  
way from the distant line of virgin for-  
est. As he walked along the line, mak-  
ing a suggestion here, pulling on a  
shoulder rope there, he looked stanch  
and strong as any man might wish to  
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that eyebrows and mustache stood out  
almost blond, though in reality they

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was probably accounted for by the fact  
that, being chief of the hunters, most  
of his days had been passed on the  
lower slopes in search of game.

Oscar gave the signal for the men  
to start, and the long caravan defiled.  
The porters nodded to Meredith with a  
great display of white teeth, while the  
head men, the captains of tens, stepped  
out of the ranks and shook hands.

Before they had disappeared over the  
edge of the plateau Joseph came for-  
ward to say goodbye to Oscar.

"And it is understood," said the lat-  
ter, "that I pay in to your account at  
Lloyd's bank your share of the pro-  
ceeds."

Joseph grinned. "Yes, sir; if you  
please; presuming it's a safe bank."

Meredith walked a little way down  
the slope with Oscar.

"Goodbye, old chap!" he said, when  
the parting came. "Good luck, and all  
that. Hope you will find all right at  
home. By the way," he shouted after  
him, "give my kind regards to the Gor-  
dons at Loango."

And so the first consignment of  
stimacine was sent from the plateau to  
the coast.

To be continued.

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## SYNOPSIS OF CANADIAN NORTH-WEST.

### Homestead Regulations.

Any even numbered section of Dominion Lands in Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta, excepting 8 and 26, not reserved, may be homesteaded by any person who is the sole head of a family, or any male over 18 years of age, to the extent of one-quarter section of 160 acres more or less.

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Two I. C. R. engines were equipped with electrical signals and were used in the test. Among the I. C. R. officials who witnessed the test were General Manager Pottenger, Chief Engineer W. B. McKenzie, General Traffic Manager Tiffin, Assistant Manager R. W. Simpson, District Superintendent G. M. Jarvis, Chief Dispatcher H. B. Fleming, Chief Electrician D. Bryce Scott and others.

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Sue—Why, she actually allows a caterpillar to crawl over her cheek because it feels like a man's mistake.

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## On Barton's Reef

By GEORGE ETHELBERT WALSH

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A DEAD animal ain't ginerly worth more'n what his peit will bring in the open market, minus the fees an' commissions of those rascally agents who come down here to swap trade with us an' get the lion's share, an' the jack-ass, too—me an' the rest of the hunters down here bel'n mostly the jack-asses—but a live animal is an onbertain commodity that has what Captain Kennedy calls "possibilities." I'm meanin' by that that an old diamond back rattler's skin an' teeth an' rattles ain't worth more'n \$5 down here, but a live rattler shipped up north in a cage may bring \$25, an', ag'in, it may be knocked down for an even hundred.

So Captain Kennedy ain't never been in the killin' business. An' I was brung up by Captain Kennedy! "Live an' let live," that's been our motto, an' we've waxed fat—the captain weighs 200, an' I ain't far behind—at wealthy, not millionaires exactly, but middlin' well to do.

We ain't never regretted bel'n kind an' consid'rate to the animals an' birds—never except once, an' then the captain said 'twas my fault. I ain't dispuin' him in that, but there is room for a difference of opinion.

We'd been up the Caloosahatchie one winter tryin' to bag snakes, birds an' other creepin', crawlin' an' flyin' critters when we got word of a mighty big, sassy mountain lion roamin' up near Wadin' Landin'. The captain decided at once that we'd bag the critter. Mountain lions was bringin' pretty handsome prices then—the Florida variety bel'n a little underpriced, for they ain't no bigger'n a good size dog.

The captain an' I sailed up the Caloosahatchie an' went campin' on that big fellow's trail, an' after a fortnight we had him clip an' clean aboard the Marthy Ann, tied to an' nail an' a-roarin' in a box on deck as though he'd like to eat us alive. We was mighty tickled at our prize, an' we figured on a couple of hundred apiece when we landed him north.

The Marthy Ann warn't much of a sailboat, but she was a lubberin' old craft that did duty for us for well nigh a dozen years. When we set sail down the Caloosahatchie the captain says:

"Steve, can't you take the Marthy Ann to Charlotte Harbor alone? You can hand the critter over to the railroad people there an' get a receipt for him. I want to get off at Fort Myers an' run up a spell to see Cousin Obadiah. He's real sick, they say."

I warn't goin' to stand in the way of the captain's seel'n his sick cousin, so I answered with aftermashun an' said I'd run back to Fort Myers in a couple of days an' pick him up. The captain was mighty pleased, but when I landed him at Fort Myers he sort of suspiciously somethin' an' said:

"You think you can manage it alone all right, Steve?"

"I'll land this old patriarch in Charlotte Harbor before night or I'll drown him in the gulf tryin' it," I answered promptly.

I didn't know that I was makin' a pretty sure guess of what I'd be doin' before sundown. I jest hove off from the dock an' turned the Marthy Ann's nose toward the gulf. I ain't much of a deep water sailor, an' I was a-cast up to Charlotte Harbor to'rbly well an' I didn't have no misgivin's.

That lion was mighty quiet-like at first, but when we got away from the land an' he began to sniff the salt air of the gulf he sort of got uneasy. He was gettin' out of his element, an' he felt sort of homesick. Mebbe it was sensibleness. I dunno which. Anyhow, he roared an' whined an' scratched and beat the band. He jest kept me company with his noise, an' I didn't have no time to get lonesome. Once or twice he got so scratchy that I took a look at his cage to see if 'twas all right.

Barton's reef is jest ten miles southwest of Charlotte Harbor—a nasty little, treacherous shoal that sticks out of water at low tide an' keeps out of sight at flood. 'Tain't charted, an' sometimes a ship trips up on it an' jest naturally rips herself to pieces tryin' to get off ag'in.

I don't know what made me forget Barton's reef, for I'd been round it a dozen times, an', come to think of it now, I'd been high wrecked on it once or twice. I ain't got no excuse to make except that lion must have made me forgetful by his everlastin' roarin'.

First thing I knowed a puff of wind keeled the Marthy Ann over, an' before I could catch her up ag'in we struck somethin'. It was only sand an' mud, but the keel stuck there, an' the next wind slammed the old lubberin' craft clean over on her side. I wasn't lookin' for the shock an' pitched headforemost through the air an' landed 'bout twenty feet away.

When I went down into the water I expected to find bottom somewhere less than a mile or two, but the sudden way in which I stopped showed me that I was on Barton's reef. I was standin' on my head in 'bout a foot of water. There was some mud, an' that made sticky standin', but when I finally got my head out of it an' the water cleaned out of nose an' mouth the Marthy Ann had drifted away in deep water.

I ran after her, but she was holdin' her own so tancalidin'-like that I couldn't gain an' inch. I swam round for some minutes, an' then to save my

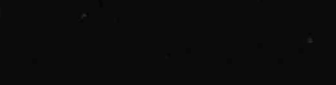
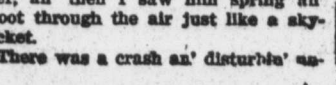
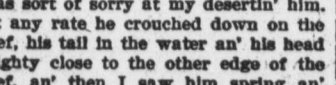
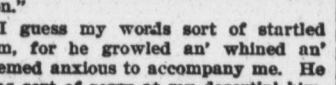
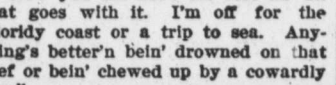
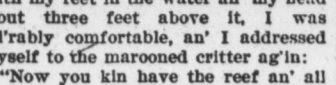
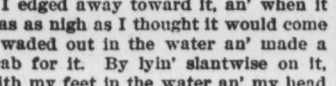
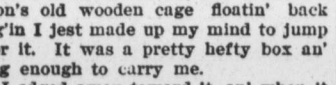
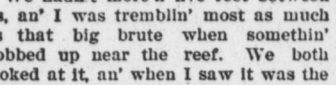
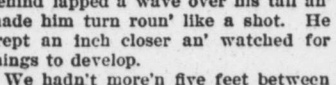
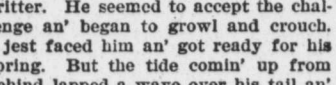
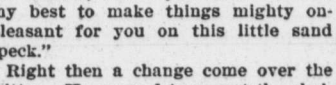
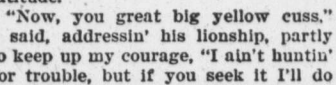
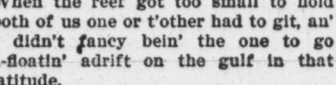
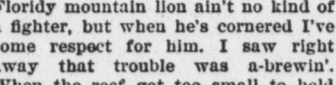
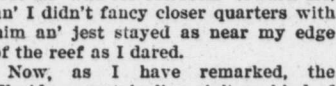
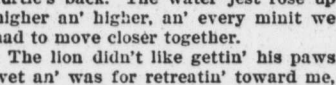
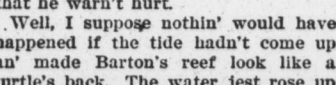
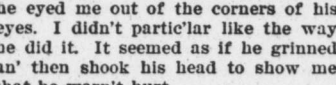
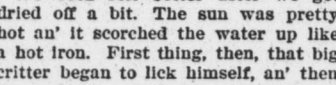
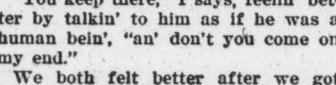
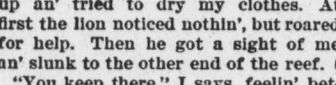
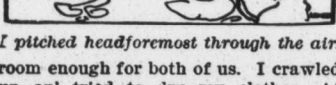
life I turned back to the reef. I could see the bare back of it jest shinin' above the gulf not more'n ten yards away. I ain't much of a swimmer, but I made double quick time to that reef.

I hadn't thought much 'bout that lion all this time, so excited was I over the loss of the Marthy Ann, but now I jest gasped for breath an' hove a sigh of relief. If I'd lost the Marthy Ann, I'd saved the lion. There he was crawlin' out of the water upon the reef as limp an' frightened as a water rat with a dog on his trail. His big cage was floatin' away with the tide, runnin' a close race for shore with the capsized boat.

I saw how things had happened. The Marthy Ann had dumped the cage an' lion on the reef, an' the blow had bust open the cage, an' there you are! The lion was free to go an' come. When I swam to the reef he had full possession, but he was so wet an' frightened that he jest sat there an' shivered an' roared.

"You great, big onery coward," I says, shakin' my fist at him. "You ain't got away yet, an' I'll keep you here until the captain comes for us."

The reef warn't more than fifty feet long and twenty wide, but there was



dunashon of the gulf. I saw stars an' sharks an' numerous other unpleasant things. When I got a grip on the floatin' box ag'in I was half drowned, an' that old lion was hangin' for dear life on the other side of it. He was 'bout as frightened as I was. His paws was within two feet of my hands, an' I could feel his breath fannin' my cheeks, but he warn't for fightin' any more.

We hadn't improved our positions much, for that wabbly old craft warn't built for two. Both of us couldn't keep our balance at once. When the lion was up I was down, an' when I bobbed up above the gulf his head went under. We went seasawin' like this for some time, neither one able to catch his breath.

Then it occurred to that tarnaal critter that I was tryin' to duck him, an' he began to hit out at me, snappin' an' snarl'n' fit to give one the shakes. After pawin' some of the hide off my hand he got more brave an' tried to climb over on my side. That was his ondo'n, for the box tripped clean over an' landed both of us in the water. The box floated away, an' we had to make a swim for it.

I got there first, for I had begun to scent sharks. I dreaded 'em worse'n all the lions in Florida. I jest yelled an' jumped up on the box an' tried to hold my feet in the air. I kicked an' splashed to frighten the lion away, but he was game. He came on like a paddle wheel, churnin' the water into a terrible foam.

He struck the box ag'in with a bang, an' over we went once more, turnin' a clean somersault in the water. I went down pretty nigh to the bottom of the gulf, an' then bumped up ag'in the box so hard that I had a headache for a week after.

The lion was there ahead of me, an' he took a turn at fightin' me off. I saw he was gettin' on to the game. The box was a good boat for one, but too small for two. One or t'other had to keep off, an' as possession is half the law the big yellow cuss was goin' to hold on to his advantage. I couldn't get a hold of the box without gettin' a swipe that ripped up a yard of human hide.

I saw somethin' in the water a little way ahead that made matters worse. It was a shark comin' to see what all the disturbance was 'bout. He was sailin' along like a revenoo cutter after hatches. I knowed then 'twas a question of shark or lion.

An' I chose the lion! If I could knock him off, the shark might be satisfied with him an' leave me alone for a spell. I jest made for that box an' put up the fight of my life. It was give an' take, an' no quarter for the vanquished.

My how we spit an' tore an' cuffed each other! It was like a cat an' monkey tied up in a bag. We didn't stand on any rules, but jest fought fit to kill an' never knowed how much we was tearin' each other to pieces.

But I hadn't forgot that shark. I jest kept a weather eye on him an' tried to twist the box round so he'd come up under the lion an' not on my side. I guess the battle would have gone hard with both of us an' the shark would have had a fine meal of lion or human legs if rescoo hadn't come in the nick of time.

I heard a voice call over the water in the captain's drawl. "Hello, Steve! What you tryin' to do? Don't kill that lion. Part of him belongs to me."

I jest twisted round mighty scared, for I thought I was in a-dramin', an' there was Captain Kennedy in the Marthy Ann, sailin' straight down upon us.

"Good Lord, captain!" I says. "I'm nearly tuckered out."

Then I dropped the box an' swam for the boat.

But, if you'll believe it, that old yellow critter was ahead of me. He jest leaped from the box to the deck of the Marthy Ann an' was ragin' an' roarin' up an' down it when I crawled aboard.

"Steve, this is bad work," said the captain. "I might I could trust you better'n that. If I hadn't felt suspicious 'bout you an' come down jest in time to find the Marthy Ann floatin' away on her sides we'd lost our prize an' the boat too."

I didn't have breath for any reply then, but I felt mighty like explodin' an' sayin' somethin' that would hurt the captain's feelin's. But I didn't, an' later I forgot all 'bout it in the excitement of capturin' an' cagin' that old lion ag'in the cause of all the trouble.

He seemed to think he owned the Marthy Ann, an' we had a long tussle to convince him of his error.

Hereditary Politics.

At first sight it must appear remarkable that parties and leaders should be so ill-mated, but on reflection there seems no reason for surprise. When it is considered how hereditary is the transmission of politics in this country, it seems rather wonderful that, after reading, travel, and thought, the family dogmas are not more often questioned. Men are netted early into political clubs; or fall, when callow, under the influence of some statesman; or stand as youths for some constituency before they have considered the problems of life. Many never consider them at all; but those who do must often find themselves in disagreement with the politics which they have prematurely professed. Some, too, must find that, while they remain staunch to what seem the fundamental tenets, the party itself, under erratic guidance, or lured by the prospect of monetary advantage, is wandering far from its fold; and so, while they themselves remain orthodox, they are isolated by the unorthodoxy of their friends. Add to which the politician sees the seamy side of the comfortable interior of his own party alone; he is not admitted to the draw-backs of the opposite faction; so that the one in some respects seems more alluring than the other. If all these things be considered, it will seem marvellous that there are not more political conversions or perversions than there are.—From Rosebery's Study of Churchill.

## WOMENS' NEGLECT

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## Local and Provincial News

**Of Special Interest to Our Readers, Gathered  
By Our Reporters from Many Sources,  
Whirl of the Town.**

The concrete sidewalk is being laid in front of the post office.

A scribbler and pencil for five cents at the Advocate Office.—tl.

The steamer Miramichi was off her route on Friday because of a leak in one of her boiler tubes.

117,000,000 feet of lumber was rafted this season in the Douglas and Springhill booms on the St. John River.

Next Sunday evening there will be held, in the Methodist Church, a memorial service for the late Mrs. S. J. Williston.

All citizens will rejoice that the capsizing of Rev. Father McGuire's boat in the river on Monday did not end fatally. The escape was narrow, but, as it was, no serious results followed.

This week the Advocate appears as a twelve page paper. This was necessary to accommodate the extra amount of advertising, and the usual amount of interesting reading. Read every page.

The steamer Dorothy N. has made some exceptionally fast trips between Newcastle and Redbank. On Friday last she made the run from Redbank to Newcastle in one hour and fifteen minutes. This beats the record.

A lad named Edward O'Donnell, of Black River, became lost in the woods on Thursday evening while out hunting cows. A large search party went through the woods that night, but was unable to find him and he did not turn up until Friday noon.

The funeral of the late Mrs. S. J. Williston took place from the residence of her son, Mr. Howard Williston, on Thursday afternoon, Rev. E. C. Rice officiating. Interment took place in St. James' cemetery. A memorial service will be held for her in the Methodist church next Sunday evening.

The barn of Mr. Lemuel Ward, of the Glengarry, was recently destroyed by fire. Mr. Ward lost about three tons of hay and all his tools. Mr. Peter Tenas saw the fire about three o'clock in the morning, and ran to the place, where he found old Mr. Ward trying to save his tools, but without success.

The Mulhern house on Water street, recently purchased by the Hebrew citizens of Chatham, has been repaired and painted and the second story will be used for a synagogue. It was opened on Sunday and services were conducted by Rev. Mr. Finisberg, of Boston. The Jewish places of business were closed the first of the week-on account of holidays.

The recent parish elections for councillors for the county of Restigouche gave the following returns: John Lawlor and Archibald Murchie for the parish of Durham; Wm. Jamieson and Joseph Goulette for Colburn; Dennis Arsenau and Wm. Gillette for Balmoral; A. G. Adams and John McBeath for Addington; George Dawson and J. C. Heiser for Eldon; R. Stonge and James E. Stewart for Dalhousie; Wm. Montgomery for the town of Dalhousie, and J. Howe Taylor for the town of Campbellton.

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## Wedding Bells.

HAGAN—REID.

At high noon on Saturday, St. Mary's Roman Catholic Church was the scene of a pretty but quiet wedding when the Rev. Father Maguire united in marriage Captain M. Hagan to Miss Blanche Reid, eldest daughter of Benj. Reid.

The bride wore a tailor made travelling suit of blue chiffon cloth with steel grey picture hat, and was attended by her sister, Miss Mary Reid. The groom was supported by Eugene Connolly, of Douglastown.

Captain and Mrs. Hagan left by the "Limited" for Hantsport, N. S., from which port they will sail by the "Advent" for Havana, Cuba. Captain Hagan is a member of the Roman Catholic church, Pawtucket, R. I.

HUBBARD—HUBBARD.

At the residence of the bride's parents, Cassilis, on the 26th Aug., by the Rev. Mr. Mitchell, Jessie E. eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Hubbard, was united in marriage to William D. Hubbard of the same place.

The bride was becomingly attired in a costume of white crepe de chene, made over white taffeta, with trimmings of lace and ribbon. She was attended by her sister, Miss Lillian, who wore pale green silk. The groom was supported by Mr. Frank Menzies of Whitneyville. After the ceremony about forty couples partook of a sumptuous repast. The presents were costly and numerous, the groom's gift to the bride being a handsome gold bracelet.

The happy couple will reside in Cassilis and have the best wishes of a multitude of friends.

McPHAIL—McLAGGAN.

St. Andrew's Presbyterian church, Blackville, was the scene of a pretty wedding at 7 o'clock Wednesday evening, when Mr. A. Edward McPhail, merchant tailor, of that place, and Miss Mabel McLaggan, youngest daughter of the late Simon McLaggan, were united in matrimony. The church was beautifully decorated for the occasion with evergreens, and potted and cut flowers and was filled to overflowing with friends of the young couple who were both deservedly popular. Miss Lydia Bean presided at the organ and played a wedding march as the bridal party entered the church. The bride looked charming in a dress of white organdie, and wore a bridal veil and carried a bouquet. She was attended by her cousin, Miss May Bean, while the groom was supported by his brother, Mr. D. McPhail. Mr. Howard Harris acted as usher.

After the ceremony, performed by Rev. A. D. Fraser, pastor of St. Andrew's, the happy couple drove to the home of the bride, where they received the congratulations of a number of their immediate friends and relatives and a supper was served, after which they left on the 10 p. m. train for the old home of the groom in P. E. Island, where the honeymoon will be spent.

On their return from the wedding trip, Mr. and Mrs. McPhail will reside in Blackville in the house formerly occupied by H. A. McDonald, which has been secured by the groom.

OIL PAINTING OF

LATE GOVERNOR.  
Mr. A. Dickson Patterson, of Toronto, portrait painter, has been in town for some time, completing portraits of the late Governor Snowball for the Government of New Brunswick and Mr. W. B. Snowball. He has had the benefit of the family criticism in completing the pictures. The portrait that is destined for the walls of the House of Assembly is three quarters length and life size, and Mr. Snowball's is somewhat smaller. Both portraits show the late Governor in a standing position and in full gubernatorial uniform. Mr. Patterson has succeeded, with the help of several photographs and suggestions from the family, in producing a speaking likeness of the original. The Governor's picture was placed on exhibition at the Town Hall, on Friday, and will remain there till 10 o'clock Monday evening. The hall will be open to visitors on Sunday. It will be sent to Fredericton on Tuesday.

CALL TO ST. ANDREW'S.  
At a meeting of St. Andrew's Presbyterian congregation Wednesday evening, Rev. Geo. Wood, of Amherst, was tendered a call to the pastorate.

A bottle of ink, pen holder and pen for five cents at the Advocate Office.—tl.

We regret very much to learn that Major T. W. Lawlor is ill with inflammatory rheumatism at Hotel Dieu, Chatham.

The people of Albert County, who have lately had telephones installed are having great trouble with the Company, which they charge with extortion and breach of contract.

LATEST RETURNS.

The latest returns of the A. O. H. voting contest this week, gives Mr. D. Morrison, M. P. F., 450 votes; and His Worship Mayor Miller, 403.

Our readers can save money by insuring their property in non-tariff companies. Just as strong and more prompt than other companies. H. B. Anslow is the local agent and will quote rates on application.—tl.

We cannot accept subscriptions for Family Herald and Weekly Star for the United States. The Advocate alone will be sent to any new address in the States from now till the end of the year for thirty cents.

Mr. Matthew Russell, who went to Moncton on Thursday, accompanied by his daughter, Mrs. R. Nicholson, underwent a successful operation in the hospital there on Saturday. Dr. Nicholson, of Newcastle, was present.

Mr. John McWane's well-known generosity was again exemplified on Monday when he made a handsome present to the old Indian, Lemmy Renous, whom he recognized as an expert boatman he had met some nine years ago on the North branch of the Renous River.

Mr. Howard Jeffrey, who lately went west on the harvest excursion, reports that crops are poor in Saskatchewan; but that wages range from \$2.25 to \$3.00 a day besides board. He was also offered a permanent situation in a mill at \$40.00 a month and board and lodging.

Homer Hachey, aged fifteen years, was recently arrested at Campbellton for throwing stones at an I. C. R. locomotive, one of the missiles painfully injuring the fireman. The boy was fined \$9.50 when brought before the court, three dollars of which went to pay for the damages to the locomotive. Mr. C. P. Atkinson, of Moncton, was the driver on the engine, and Mr. John Stronach fireman.

Non resident hunters of game birds are now required to purchase a license to hunt. This license cost \$10.00.

The first license to be issued to be issued in New Brunswick was made out for Henry James, jr., of Cambridge, Mass., who together with Wm. James, jr., of Boston, and R. S. Fisher, of Cambridge, Mass., are enjoying a few weeks' goose and duck shooting at Tabusintac.

Teachers and students of the Normal School attended divine service at the Cathedral Sunday evening and listened to an eloquent sermon preached by Bishop Richardson. He spoke from Paul's Epistle to Ephesians, fourth chapter, 11th verse. In the course of his remarks he dwelt upon the importance of the teaching profession, and its great influence in moulding Christian character in the present generation as well as in the generation to come. He heartily welcomed the students to the city and invited those of the Church of England faith to meet him in the vestry at the close of the service. Quite a number accepted his lordship's invitation.

NOTHING SPECIAL.

Ex-Speaker Burchill, of the local legislature; Ernest Hutchison, of Douglastown; T. C. Allen, of Fredericton; E. H. Allen, of Moncton; Senator King, of Chipman, and Geo. Robertson, M. P. P., of St. John, were in the Royal Hotel lobby last evening and it looked as if provincial matters political were astir. Several, when asked, however, said there was nothing special.—St. John Telegraph.

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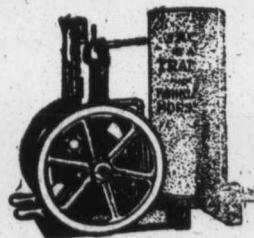
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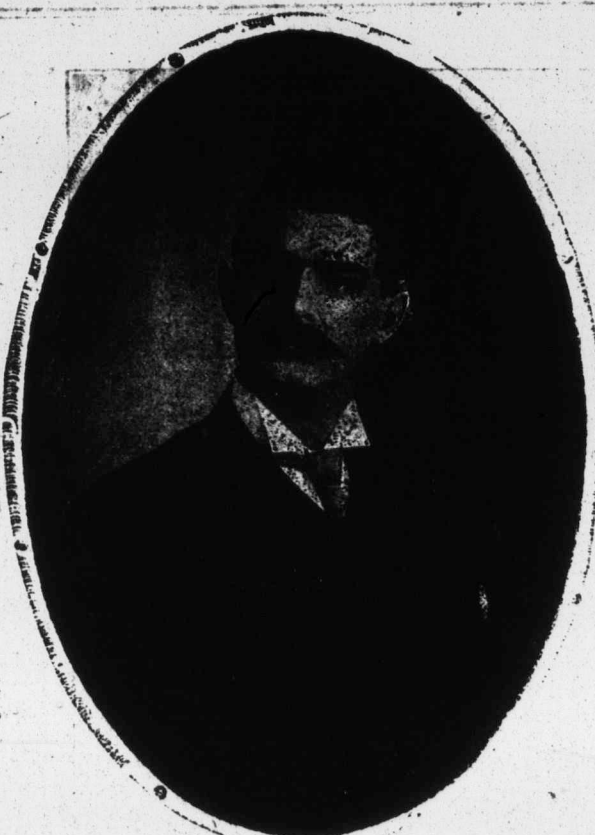


## MAYOR MILLER

## WELL IN THE LEAD.

Excitement Increasing as Election Contest Draws Near its Close.

Only one day More for Canvassers to Finish Their Work.



MAYOR MILLER.



DONALD MORRISON, M. P. P.

The election contest, in charge of the Ancient Order of Hibernians, to decide whether His Worship the Mayor or Mr. Donald Morrison

the standard bearer of the Northumberland Local Opposition, is the more popular, is drawing to a close. The voting will cease tomorrow evening. To-day the

twelve canvassers, six to a side, are making the most strenuous efforts to increase the votes of their respective champions—the one side to maintain their superior numbers

the other to catch up with, and, if possible to outrun the leader. Several surprises may be in store for one or the other of the parties. It will not do for either to be over-

confident, as some one may have a hundred or more odd ballots stored away to produce at the last moment. As the figures stood at last report, Mayor Miller is con-

siderably in the lead, the result then standing as follows:—  
Miller, 463.  
Morrison, 245.  
Majority for Miller, 158.

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Dear Sirs,—I had a Bleeding Tumor on my face for a long time and tried a number of remedies without any good results, and I was advised to try MINARD'S LINIMENT, and after using several bottles it made a complete cure, and it healed all up and disappeared altogether.

DAVID HENDERSON,  
Bellisle Station, Kings Co., N. B., Sept. 17, 1904.

Hillsboro has a new mill for the manufacture of hardwood flooring. The mill proper is a wooden frame building 40x80 feet. The power house, built of stone, is some distance from the mill. A dry house 22x100 feet has also been completed. Steam was turned on for the first time on the 3rd. instant. The mill is expected to begin work next week.

The Maritime Convention of the Disciples of Christ, recently held at Tiverton, N. S., appointed a committee of twelve to confer with a like committee from the United Baptists on the question of Union.

The Sackville Tribune's voting contest to determine who is the most popular man in the eastern part of Westmorland county, resulted, in a victory for A. B. Copp, M. P. P., over Conductor Trueman, by a majority of 95.

Miss Helen Cawthorpe, a graduate of the Toronto Conservatory of Music, who has just returned from a three years' course in Germany and France, has been appointed to the vacant position on the staff of Mt. Allison Academy of Music.

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Will please you—no other can compare with it—Always ready to eat—perfectly seasoned.

WATERFORD SCORCHED.  
Sussex, N. B., Sept. 4.—A destructive fire occurred at Waterford about eight miles from here, last night, in which four buildings were burned. The store owned by B. F. Myles, general merchant; store owned by Henry DeForest, general merchant; residences of Samuel McFee, and Thomas McFlane.

The origin of the fire is a mystery, having started in an unoccupied building. The inhabitants turned out from far and near and it was through hard and persistent fighting that the pretty little village was saved.

Contractor Power & Sons have finished the interior of the R. C. church at Redbank. The work is very nicely done which speaks volumes for the contractors. Mr. Frank D. Ryan with a staff of men, are now engaged painting the edifice.

## DURHAM PARISH ELECTION.

The council election of the Parish of Durham took place on Tuesday week. Four new candidates were in the field, namely, Archibald Murchie, John Lawlor, Herman Urtican and James Laviolette. Murchie and Lawlor running opposition ticket, and Urtican and Laviolette supporters of the Local. The former were elected with a sweeping majority, state of the Poll being as follows:—

Murchie 334; Lawlor 318; Laviolette 111; Urtican 85. The four young men are very popular throughout the whole parish, but the vote shows how much the Local government is thought of.

Minards' Liniment cures Dandruff.

## THE MARITIME PROVINCES.

An Appreciative Opinion of them And the I C R From an American.

One is nearer England on reaching the Maritime Provinces, in another sense than geographical. There is no remoteness or isolation such as the aspect of the unpeopled lands of the rest at present convey. There are even hints of the old order of things in their towns, historic links with the motherland marking a period when the Empire was as much in the making as Canada is today. Their landscapes duplicate English scenery and English homes. These people perpetuate English life. Untouched by the main current of emigration from Europe though they be just now, the Maritime Provinces remain as they always have been, lands of promise, the fulfillment of those hopes and inspirations has only been deferred, not balked by the enticing call of the west. For even the most passing glimpse of its attractive territories invokes prophecies of a time not distant when another call will be heard and hearkened to by the Old World the call of the east. This is the most memorable impression which the Maritime Provinces leave on the mind of the traveller as he passes through its picturesque regions over the smooth and finely graded roadbed of the Intercolonial Railway. That their transportation facilities are owned by the people through the instrumentality of the Dominion government, make the prospect of their future greatness the more assured, since there are no other interests but theirs to be considered. The Maritime Provinces is in the unique position of having their fostered and fathered by the government with that one object in view.—W. J. Elliott, Washington correspondent of the London Times.

## P. E. I. HAY CROPS.

The Charlottetown Guardian says:—The hay crop is now harvested and although in some sections the yield is an average one, it is well understood that the total yield for the Island will be much short for a full crop. It is quite certain that the home market will require nearly if not all the Island hay crop and it is not improbable that it will be necessary to import hay before the next crop comes in. In conversation yesterday with Captain Joseph Read, who is a large dealer in hay and who understands the situation, the Guardian learns that the outlook points to unusually high prices and he advises farmers not to sell a pound of hay for export. He says emphatically that the prices now offering are ridiculously out of proportion to prospective prices. Farmers will do well to increase their surplus hay.

## OPPORTUNITY

Dollars and Dimes, Dollars and Dimes, In Empty Pocket is the Worst of Crimes.

\$100.00 Invested in White Pass Yukon R. R. Stock 5 years ago, now worth \$10,000.00.  
\$100.00 Invested in Air Brake Stock is now worth \$24,000.00.  
\$100.00 Invested in Bell Telephone Stock when first offered, now worth \$20,000.00.  
\$100.00 Invested in Calumet & Hecla Stock is now worth \$100.00.  
\$100.00 Invested in Crown Point Stock is now worth \$187,500.00.  
\$100.00 Invested in Best & Belcher Mines is now worth \$155,000.00.  
\$125.00 Invested in California is now worth \$76,500.00.  
\$100.00 Invested in Consolidated Virginia is now worth \$65,000.00.  
\$200.00 Invested in Le Roi in 1890 is now worth 500,000.00.  
\$200.00 Invested in Crow's Nest Pass Coal Co., of B. C. in 1896 is now worth 570,000.00 or \$285.00 per share.  
Stock of the Home Mining Co. advanced from 25 cents a share to \$25.00 a share in seven months.  
Granite Mountain Stock advanced from 10 cents a share to \$75.00 in two years, and paid \$14,000,000.00 in dividends.  
These are only a few examples; there are thousands of others.  
While success cannot rightfully be judged by money standards, the fact remains that in the eyes of the world the extent of a man's success is the extent of his capital.  
The world has no use for a poor man or a loser.  
The person who has reached middle age, wholly dependent up-

on his individual efforts for his livelihood, is accounted a failure. He no longer commands the respect of the multitude but receives instead their scorn or pity. Have you ever thought of these things? What are you doing to make yourself independent? Your hand or brain devoted to another man's cause can never make you wealthy. Nor can your dollars. The man who only saves is at best a plodder. He should invest his dollars. Look about you. There are successful men on every side. Have you ever wondered how they made money while others have not? Excluding those rich by inheritance, and those rich by fraud, there remains countless thousands of men and women who, starting practically without a dollar, have built up for themselves wealth or a handsome competence and are no longer dependent on their hands for support. These people have made money first by working for and earning dollars, and then by putting their dollars to work. You are cheating yourself and your family when you do not save from your earnings and put your earnings to work. Suppose you put your savings in a bank. The bank pays 3 per cent. How can it? Because it invests your money so that it will bring much more than 3 per cent—

enough more so that most bankers become very wealthy on the difference between your interest and theirs. And what if they invest unwisely and lose all as they sometimes do? Why, it's your money and your loss—not theirs. You have not the control of your own capital—do not even know what they are doing with your money. You are making your dollars work for others. Why don't you make them work for you. The banker invests your money; pockets their earnings, and gives you 3 per cent. Why don't you do your own investing and make the profit for yourself? You may think you have opportunity. But you have. Opportunities are at every hand. No man or woman exists that has not had some opportunity for financial advancement. The trouble is: most opportunities wear rubber shoes, and the public sleepily refuses to hear them. One of the world's most successful financiers, when asked how he made money so fast, replied: "I have an agent at the elbow of every opportunity and never let one pass without paying me tribute." Don't you realize that every great fortune had its humble beginning. That just a few dollars have grown to millions? Look at Andrew Carnegie. He saved up \$500.00 and made his

first investment in Adams Express Company stock. It paid him big interest almost from the start. You know what it and he are worth to-day. There are hundreds of similar examples. "No one ever succeeds except by doing things."—John D. Rockefeller. To become wealthy—successful—you must save and invest your savings. Where were you in the year 1896, and what were you doing? Could't you have saved \$100.00 without inconveniencing yourself? Suppose you did save \$100.00 and invested it in CROW'S STOCK. This stock was sold in 1896 to small investors at 10 cents a share—six years thereafter it was worth \$100.00 a share, and to-day is selling for \$285.00 a share, or your \$100.00 invested would pay you a dividend of over \$10,000.00 a year and be worth \$285,000.00. Opportunity is always knocking at the door. Jay Gould once said to a friend, "When you invest in the stock of a company, don't look for the 'best,' for you will never find it. Look for a good one; then invest and do so quickly. Don't wait to see if it pans out all right, for that is where you lose your opportunity. When you have waited to see if it pans out, you have to pay a premium on the stock, and you will have lost the biggest advance in value. You must make

money on your judgement and foresight, and not on demonstrated facts." Pittsburg, Pennsylvania, has over 400 millionaires who have made their fortunes out of coal and oil. Coal is the basis of all industrial and commercial wealth. Coal mining in British Columbia has always been a success. It is like diamond mining in South Africa—a bonanza of the first magnitude. Dunsmuir made millions and millions in coal mining in British Columbia, and died the richest man in Canada. The BRITISH COLUMBIA AMALGAMATED COAL COMPANY of Portland, Oregon, controls 17,500 acres of coal land near Vancouver, B. C., estimated by coal experts to be underlaid with 1,400,000,000 tons of the best quality of steam, domestic, and cooking coal in America. Our mine is better than the Crow's Nest, the quality of our coal is pronounced by coal experts to be as good, if not better, we are 500 miles nearer tide water, and 300 miles nearer the big smelters in the boundary district, where coke is used. We are offering a limited amount of the treasury stock for sale at 25¢ a share, par value \$1.00 full paid and non-assessable. The officers of this company are men of high standing. Bank or commercial reference will be taken. Call or write for prosperous or information.

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## NEWCASTLE BOARD OF TRADE.

**Vigorous Resolutions Re the M. S. N. Company's Way  
of Handling Freight.--Railway Wanted to Tracadie.**

**More About the "Missing Link."**

The Board of Trade held their regular monthly meeting in the Town hall on Tuesday evening, Sept. 3rd. President John Morrissey in the chair.

The meeting was not as largely attended as it should have been, and the members should remember the regular night of meeting is on the first Monday of each month.

Minutes of last meeting of Aug. 12th, read and approved.

Mr. P. Hennessy spoke in reference to the poor service that the Miramichi Steam Navigation Co. were giving to Newcastle in regards to freight. The people were compelled to send freight down to the wharf and wait a considerable length of time for the arrival of boats, and they also had to pay freight in advance. He considered this was not treating our people right. He then moved the following resolution, seconded by Ald. Thos. Clarke:—

Resolved that this Board disapprove of the system the Miramichi Steam Navigation Co. employs in handling freight at the port of Newcastle in as much as they demand payment of freight in advance; and not having either office or agent to receive goods and collect freight the merchants and traders of Newcastle are put to much inconvenience and loss of time in watching the arrival and departure of boats in order that freight may be paid to insure the transit of goods.

And further resolved that the Miramichi Steam Co.'s boats are common carriers and receiving subsidies from the public treasury to assist them to serve the public efficiently; we deem it our right and privilege to demand from the Miramichi Steam Navigation Co. that they appoint and maintain an agent at the port of Newcastle to receive goods and collect freight during working hours of each day (Sunday excepted) during the navigable season, and also a room for storing goods.

And further resolved that copies of this resolution be served on the Miramichi Steam Navigation Co., and also be forwarded to the local government.

Board Trade Rooms

Newcastle, Sept. 3rd 1907

Mr. M. Bannon in speaking on the resolution said that hardly a day passed that he did not lose from one to two hours through the inconvenience of the Miramichi Navigation Co., and he thought that an agent should be placed at the wharf to receive freight.

Mr. M. Russell thought it would put the company to a great deal of expense, as they would have to build a warehouse.

Mr. P. Hennessy said that the company should make some provision for freight. That it was nothing more than a nuisance the way it is handled at the present time. It keeps one continually going to and fro with small parcels.

Mr. O. G. Anderson called attention to the fact, that while he shipped goods all over the country, this is the only instance where he is compelled to pay freight in advance. When goods are shipped to Chatham they were dumped off at the wharf and on several occasions were destroyed by rain. We have to telephone to have a carrier meet the boat, as the company take no risk after the goods are landed.

Ald. Thos. Clarke spoke along the same lines, and said that he thought the resolution was just what was required and should meet with the approval of every member of the Board.

Mr. O. G. Anderson said that a warehouse twelve feet square would be sufficient.

Ald. C. J. Morrissey said that a few years ago they used to store freight in Mr. Call's shed. The only expense now would be the employing of an agent.

The resolution was carried unanimously.

President Morrissey, who was the delegate to the Maritime Board of Trade at St. John, in the course of his remarks said, it pleased him very much to see the leading business men from New Brunswick, Nova Scotia and E. I. take a keen interest in all questions that came before the Maritime board. After referring to the All Red Line, the speaker said

that there was a resolution passed that all banks should pay checks at par.

The express companies charge an exorbitant price. They seem to have a monopoly. One man in Nova Scotia lost three cents per lb. on shipping fish to the United States. We pay 40 cts. and 50 cts. for an article and the express charges are 90 cts. We practically have to pay more for expressage than we do for the goods in a great many cases. The board also passed a resolution asking the government to take over all branch lines, connected with the Intercolonial, and likely the people will some day command the government to take them over. He hoped when the committee would meet, of which he was a member, that they would be in a position to deal with the problem in the interest of the people. We have to thank the late Hon. Peter Mitchell for our present railway facilities. Some of the branch roads are in a terrible condition. One does not feel safe while he is on them and it is almost prohibitive to pay freight rates on two roads; and from all standpoints, the speaker said it would be of interest to take over these branch lines and use them as feeders for the Intercolonial. He thought the question of an export duty on pulp wood was one that would require the earnest consideration of all.

The lobster question was brought up and he thought the local board should deal with this matter. Down in Nova Scotia they can fish three months, from the open to the close of the season, but it is different with us, we can only fish about one month each season here on account of the ice not going out as early as it does in Nova Scotia.

The next night of meeting, the committee appointed to see if some definite arrangement could not be made for running a daily boat on the North West branch, would be in a position to bring in a report. Their are fully forty-five business men in our town who are interested in having this boat to run, and it would only require a very small amount from each to form a stock company, and we will all receive the benefit of our money indirectly. He thought it would be a wise plan to make a move in order to get the "missing link" opened up. In conclusion he said he would like to see the Newcastle men take a keener interest in our local board, and bring up all matters of interest, for the good of our town.

Mr. Chas. E. Fish said that he was in accord with all the previous speaker had said and he had no suggestions to offer. What the town wants is a first class growler. One that will keep continually growing through our local press. We are going behind. We have natural facilities and let us take advantage of them.

The "missing link" should have been opened up years ago. It is an awful drawback to our town to have such a nice tract of land, as that which extends from here to Tracadie, not opened up by railway. Our town is not advertised as it should be, sporting men coming from the United States go to other towns and have to travel hundreds of miles, when the same sporting grounds can be reached by a few hours drive from Newcastle. The Intercolonial is getting out a circular and they intend to mention Newcastle in it as a centre for sporting men. We should make some move to advertise our town. In referring to the Mir. Navigation company, the speaker said he thought the only way to bring them to terms was to place an opposition boat on the river. The company should be forced to run their boats right, and handle freight the same as other companies.

The meeting then adjourned.

### GOING TO DALHOUSIE.

Those who have inside information concerning the Cascapedia Milling and Lumber Co. feel sure that the offer of a free site made to this company by the town of Dalhousie will be accepted and that the erection of necessary buildings will be commenced early in the spring. Such an outcome will be well received, particularly in Dalhousie which has of late experienced so many unfortunate reverses. This company is composed of many wealthy American and Canadian capitalists. It is estimated that from 8,000 to 3,500 hands will be necessary to carry on this extensive business.

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## Northumberland County S. S. Convention.

### Annual Meeting Held in Chatham Last Week. Interesting Program.

#### FIRST SESSION.

The Northumberland County Sunday School Convention opened in St. Luke's Methodist Church, Chatham, on Wednesday evening, 4th instant.

In the absence of the president, Rev. J. M. McLean, the chair was taken by Rev. G. A. Sellar, pastor of the church.

Convention opened with "All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name," after which prayer was offered by Rev. A. J. W. Myers, Rev. H. C. Rice, Mr. Irvine and Mr. MacKinnon.

The following were appointed a nominating committee:—Rev. A. J. W. Myers, W. B. Snowball, and Mrs. James Anderson.

Rev. J. B. Ganong, field secretary of the N. B. and P. E. I. Sunday School Association, then gave an address on "The World Wide Sunday School Movement," tracing the history of the Sunday School from its inception down to the present effective organization that it presents to the world today.

Amount of collection \$2.13. Adjourned with benediction by Rev. G. A. Sellar.

#### SECOND SESSION.

The second session of Convention met in the vestry of the church at 9.30 Thursday morning. Rev. H. C. Rice led a consecration service.

The report of the nominating committee was adopted, the following officers being elected:—President, Rev. A. J. W. Myers, Black River.

First Vice-pres., W. B. Snowball, Chatham. Second Vice-pres., Rev. J. M. McLean, Chatham.

Sec.-Treas., Rev. H. C. Rice, Newcastle. Superintendent Home Department, Mrs. Wm. Anderson, Burnt Church.

Supt. Temperance department, Mrs. James Anderson. Supt. Teacher Training Dept., Rev. G. A. Sellar, Chatham.

Supt. Adult Bible Class, Rev. H. A. Brown, Newcastle. Additional members of executive, Alex. MacKinnon, Chatham; R. H. Jessamin, Douglastown; Miss Bessie Watling, Black River; J. W. S. Babbirk, Loggieville; and all presidents and secretaries of parish associations.

The secretary treasurer gave his report. He found it hard to gather statistics from the different Sunday schools, and consequently was not able to give such a detailed account of the work as he would like. Some of the parishes were in a very healthy condition, others in a decline. He urged the convention to devise ways and means to further the interest of the work in the backward districts. The report was adopted.

Mrs. James Anderson reported for the Temperance Department. She regretted that the year just closed was not as progressive

along temperance lines as she would like, yet there was some encouragement in the fact that, although no new armies were organized, new members had been added. This report was also adopted.

Following came the report of the Supt. of the Home department, Mrs. Wm. Anderson. She said that the home life was the basis of our national life, and that being the case, what care should be exercised in every home in training the young for God, that they may be fitted to occupy their places in life according to the ability given them! She urged upon the ministers to make strenuous efforts to have Home Departments organized in every Sunday school that the children may be better fitted in after days to appreciate the hearing of the Word. This report was adopted.

Rev. G. A. Sellar's report was next read. Illustrating from last Sunday's lesson, he said it was his desire and purpose to be one of the two courageous spies and put into his report some cheer that the faith of some discouraged soul who may be trying to run a normal class under difficulty may be stimulated, and catch a new inspiration, and go back to his work with renewed energy. We have the Caleb and Joshuas who are prepared to go forward in the face of difficulties, praying that God may give us a larger and clearer vision that through the darkness we may behold the dawn of a brighter day. The report was adopted.

After each of above reports, the field secretary made some good and helpful suggestions. Adjourned with hymn and benediction.

#### THIRD SESSION.

The third session opened Thursday afternoon, at 2.15. Devotional exercises conducted by the president.

On motion, Miss Ellis, of Chatham, was appointed primary secretary for the county.

Reports from the parish secretaries were then called for. Only four of the eleven parishes—Alnwick, Hardwicke, Glenelg and Derby—presented definite reports, and there were very satisfactory.

H. H. Stuart gave an address on "Some Elements of Success in Teaching." He emphasized three essentials to successful teaching, viz., Love for the pupils; belief in what is taught; and a thorough knowledge of the text and everything bearing upon it necessary to its being understood. Right living resided at Nelson.

depended on right thinking. The admirable address by Rev. A. J. W. Myers on "The Advantages of normal work and methods of Instruction," followed, and was highly appreciated by the convention. Speaking on the sweeping criticism that the text books were inadequate and that those who took up the course did so from a

## CANADIAN TELEGRAPHERS DISSATISFIED.

Winnipeg, Sept. 4.—It is learned that the committee recently detailed by the order of Railway Telegraphers to meet Mr. Whyte of the Canadian Pacific Railway at Winnipeg, with a view to securing more desirable salary and working conditions for operators and dispatchers employed by the company, have placed circulars in hands of every operator on the system, asking whether they will place the matter before the Deputy Commissioner of Labor at Ottawa for arbitration. It seems that Mr. Whyte, while in Winnipeg, advised the committee that nothing would be gained by taking the matter to the higher officials, as his decision would be considered by these. The operators, however, are now in communication with Sir Thomas Shaughnessy in Montreal. As far as can be learned, Sir Thomas, like Mr. Whyte, has informed them that their schedule is exorbitant, though willing to grant the increase offered in June.

It is expected that a vote of the members will be completed by September 10th. A strike is very probable, as the men are generally dissatisfied with their present working conditions.

Minard's Liniment for sale everywhere.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Pulitzer of New York, returned to Fredericton one day last week from a for-night's fishing trip to the headwaters of the Little South West Miramichi, and left by the evening train for Bar Harbor. They had a very enjoyable trip, and besides catching plenty of trout, saw a great many moose around the lakes. They had Mr. Charles B. Love for guide, and Mr. George Love for cook and were very well pleased with the services they rendered.

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sense of duty or to win a diploma, Mr. Myers contended that it was a good thing to get people to work at all if only from a sense of duty. He admitted that the books are imperfect because of lack of space but it is a good thing to get people to know what their church stands for. When they know that their sympathies will broaden and they will come to realize that the differences between their own faith and other faiths is infinitesimal compared with the points of agreement. Mr. Myers also emphasized the points brought out by Mr. Stuart relating to the methods of instruction.

All the clergymen present took part in the discussion on the addresses of Mr. Stuart and Rev. Mr. Myers, and added helpful suggestions.

The field secretary, referring to the course of study in the schools, recommended the Presbyterians to study the course laid down by the general assembly, but concluded by saying that it was immaterial to him what course they took up so long as they took up work along those lines.

At this point in the Convention the treasurer's report was read by Mrs. T. A. Clark in the treasurer's absence. The report was adopted. Several bills passed.

Adjourned after singing and benediction.

#### FOURTH SESSION.

At the last session Thursday evening a very helpful address on "Soul Winning" was given by Rev. S. J. McArthur which was much appreciated by all.

This was followed by an exceedingly interesting account by the field secretary of his recent trip to Rome.

Adjourned.

## THE MODERN PUBLIC LIBRARY.

"The Modern Public Library" is an article of educational interest in the September number of the New Idea Woman's Magazine. There is probably no other public institution which has undergone a greater awakening within the last twenty-five years and the writer gives an outline of the principal movements which have taken place for the development of the modern library system. The methods which enable the introduction of the best reading matter into the remotest homes, as well as the many inducements which are made to young and old to become interested in good literature, are told about. The children's story hour and the "gang rooms" for boys may not be found in every locality but their value as an incentive to reading makes a universal appeal. Every one ought to be interested in this account of one of the greatest influences of our modern times.

#### REV. I. E. BILL.

Rev. I. E. Bill died suddenly in Toronto Sunday at the home of his daughter. He was to have occupied on that day the pulpit of Ossington avenue Baptist church, with his son, also Rev. I. E. Bill, of Chicago. Rev. Mr. Bill was the son of the late Rev. Ingram E. Bill, one of the fathers of the Baptist church in the maritime provinces, and for a long time editor of the Christian Visitor in St. John, and the deceased was also well known in these provinces.

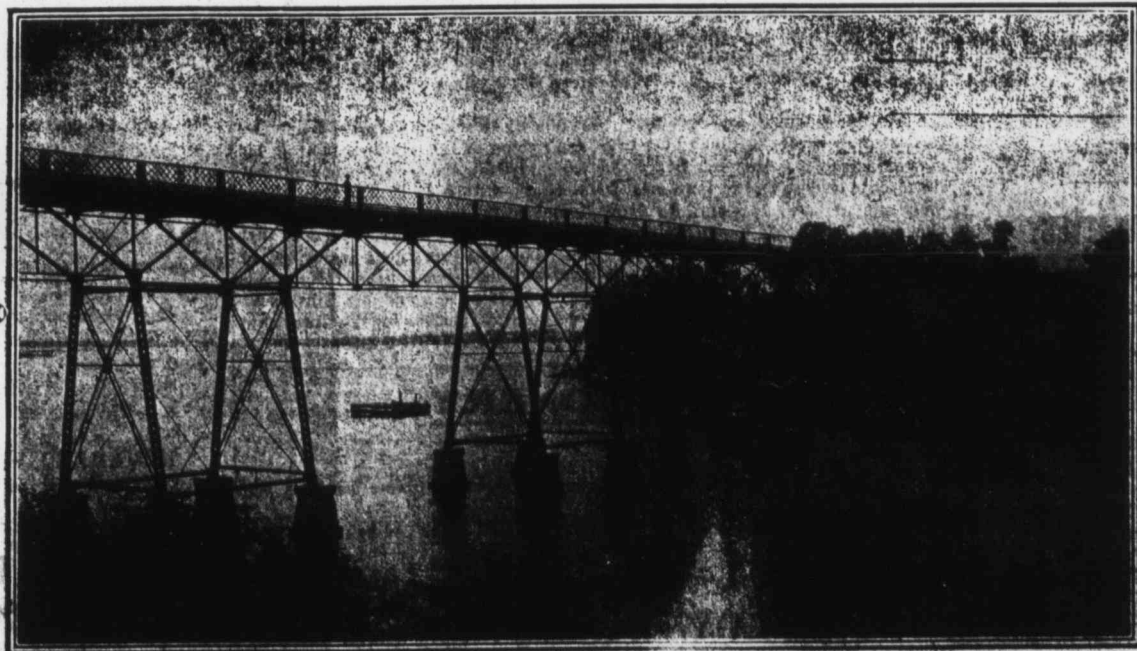
He was by birth a Nova Scotian, was educated in that province, and for a long time held a pastorate there. About fifty years ago he moved to Toronto and was connected with the Bloor street Baptist church. About five years ago he was appointed hospital visitor for the Baptist churches of Toronto. Rev. Mr. Bill leaves his wife, son and daughter. He was about seventy years of age.

Rev. Mr. Bill was well known here having been pastor of the Newcastle Baptist church.

The provincial Normal School opened Wednesday morning, Principal Bridges presiding. There were about 250 students enrolled and the morning was taken up with organization. The new additions to the staff, Miss Lynda and Dr. D. W. Hamilton were present.

## SEPTEMBER, CANADIAN PICTORIAL.

In the series of distinguished Canadians, the public men chosen for this month is Sir Louis Jetté, Lieutenant-Governor of Quebec, and Lady Jetté's picture appears in the woman's section. The result of the photographic competition is announced. The important happenings of the month are illustrated: the explosion at Essex, Ont.; the fire at Old Orchard, in which half the summer hotels were destroyed and thousands of guests rendered temporarily homeless; the pilgrim Doukhobors in Winnipeg; the annual outing of the Canadian Alpine Club; the birthday of Professor Goldwin Smith. There are two pages of summer scenes in the country, and by the lakeshore that will interest everybody. The women's department includes a sketch of the work of the W. C. T. U., the Dominion convention held this month in Winnipeg, with articles on autumnal fashions, care of the teeth, and other timely topics. Ten cents a copy; one dollar a year postpaid, the world over. The Pictorial Publishing Co., 142 St. Peter street, Montreal.



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## Large Iron Ore Deposits in Gloucester County.

**Experts are Boring on Property and Fine  
Samples Have Been Obtained....  
Development to Follow.**

### SHIPPING FACILITIES REQUIRED.

**It is Possible that Newcastle may be Shipping Port  
of This Ore....Ore Shipping Plant to be Built.**

For years a number of Gloucester county gentlemen have been aware of the existence of iron ore on the Nepisiguit river, and have held mining rights to the property but it is only lately that active steps have been taken to exploit the property and things now look promising for its development.

A party of experts are now on the ground and are using the government diamond drill in prospecting. A number of holes have been bored and the samples obtained have been pronounced by the Dominion expert to be of the best grade. Several foreign experts have also examined the samples and are of the same opinion. The borings made show the deposit of ore to be very extensive, and parties are now negotiating for the property. T. M. Burns, M. P. P. of Bathurst,

is one of the parties deeply interested in the property.

On Monday of last week a party of gentlemen, among whom were Mr. Drummond, of the Dominion Iron and Steel Co., and Premier Robinson, visited the operations and looked over the field and it is quite probable that Mr. Drummond's company will take up this matter at its next meeting of directors. If it decides to take hold, the property will be developed on a large scale. Premier Robinson on behalf of the New Brunswick government, has promised to do everything possible to encourage the industry.

The deposit is on the Nepisiguit river about twenty miles from Bathurst, and ten miles from the Intercolonial railway at a point near Red Pine.

If this company takes over the property, a ten mile span will be built from the I. C. R. to the mines and shipping facilities either at Bathurst or Newcastle will be provided for shipping the large quantities of ore to Sydney. Bathurst, which is about thirty miles by rail, from the mine, lacks deep water shipping facilities for the commercial handling of this material, and the company is looking towards Newcastle, which is only ten miles further, to provide the necessary facilities.

If the project goes through to a successful issue, and things look good, Newcastle will have a large ore handling plant here in a few years. This will be an important industry and everything should be done to assist it.

## PAPER MILLS FOR MIRAMICHI

**Messrs. Beveridge Have Left Miramichi Pulp and Paper Company.**

### WILL BUILD MILL.

**Expect to Locate at Newcastle, Nelson or Chatham.**

Developments of great interest to the Miramichi, are now taking place in the pulp and paper business here and two paper mills will be built in this vicinity within a year. On Saturday night James Beveridge who for some years has been manager of the Miramichi Pulp and Paper Co. at Chatham severed his connection with that concern and Mark H. Spaulding, formerly general superintendent of the Rioron Paper Mills, Ltd., Hawkesbury, Ont., assumed the management of the mill. Mr. Beveridge's sons Brooks, Freeman and Donald have also left the Company. James Beveridge said that he had withdrawn his financial interest in the Miramichi Pulp and Paper Co. and would build a mill of his own in this vicinity, of one machine capacity for the manufacture of manilla and similar paper. He had not settled upon any site but it would be at Nelson, Newcastle, or Chatham, Mr. Beveridge left on a business trip and will return today. A one machine mill would give employment to about sixty or seventy hands, so that it will be a considerable addition to the Miramichi's industries.

### PUBLIC UTILITIES.

The control of public utilities is often times placed in the hands of inexperienced men, who care little and know less of the interests at stake; and the unthinking man in the street is ever ready to cast reproach upon a principal owing to the fact that its advocates are so often at fault. Then, again the large private corporations are ever upon the alert to discredit the system. Municipal ownership where efficiently conducted, must inevitably tend toward the benefit of all rather than the enrichment of the few, and herein the close corporation finds cause for complaint and leaves no stone unturned to bring the system into ill-repute. Fort William, Ont.,

## FIREMEN'S TOURNAMENT.

**Finished on Tuesday 4th Instant.**

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Learned by all.**

### ONLY ONE PROTEST.

**Chatham Ties With Sydney in  
Hose Coupling Contest**

St. John's Sept. 4.—As a result of the consideration of the protest made against Sydney in the 440 yards hose reel race, last night the judges decided that Sydney be disqualified. They further decided that the first prize be awarded to Halifax, whose team covered the distance in 1:26 flat, and the second to Charlottetown, which team did it in 1:26 3-5.

The sports were concluded yesterday forenoon. There was a large attendance and the winners in the various events were greeted with great enthusiasm.

The first race was the hose coupling contest and was won by Sydney's first team in 12 4-5. Sydney's second team and Chatham's first team, tied three times for second place, and finally Sydney won out in 12 3-5. The next race was the 220 yards for salvage corps men with apparatus. Charlottetown won in 29 2-5 seconds, with Halifax U. P. C. second, 33 seconds. The 1,200 relay race was won by Sussex on a draw on account of the lengthy programme. The tug-of-war was also drawn. St. John representative was the last one to pick out of the hat and he drew the prize. The 220 yards hose reel race occupied nearly two hours. Yarmouth won in 47 2-5 sec.; Halifax was second in 47 4-5 sec.; Amherst was third in 48 1-5 sec.; Calais fourth in 49 4-5; Charlottetown fifth in 50 1-5 sec.; Moncton I. C. R. sixth in 51 sec.; Windsor, seventh in 51 4-5 sec.; Sydney eighth in 53 4-5, and Fairville last in 60 4-5. James Collins acted as referee.

Last night the local men again kept open house for their visitors. Those from outside points were enthusiastic over the treatment they have met with in St. John. One of the men from Bangor said last night that he has made it a custom to attend all tournaments and musters by firemen both in the republic and Canada. The one just closed he described as by far the best he had ever attended. A few of the firemen were obliged to leave for home Monday night and early yesterday. The majority of them will leave this morning, however, and before noon it is expected that all will leave the city.

No part of the firemen's tournament was more enjoyable for the men than the excursion up river on the steamer Victoria yesterday afternoon. About 500 firemen and a few guests well filled the big river steamer, from bow to stern, and not a dull moment was spent from the time the steamer left the wharf at 4:15 o'clock until her return at 8 o'clock.

**UNKNOWN MAN FOUND DEAD.**  
Durham, N. B., Sept. 4.—Alfred Simonson, the young son of a Swede residing on Heron Island, while strolling along the northwest shore of the island about 11 o'clock on Sunday morning ran across the body of a man.

The body is that of a man between twenty-five and thirty years of age, five feet ten inches in height, weight 190 or 170 pounds. Recognition was impossible, owing to the flesh being torn away from the face, head and hands. The remains, however, were evidently those of a laborer from the description of the clothing found on the body. On the sock of the right leg were the initials J. T. The only thing found on the body was a small pocket knife. It is the coroner's theory that the body had been in the water six or eight weeks, perhaps longer. No marks of violence were found and the coroner gave instructions for the interment of the remains at New Mills.

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## TERRIBLE WRECK IN ONTARIO.

**Seven Killed And Many Injured in  
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Toronto, Sept. 5.—Seven persons were killed and a large number wounded in a wreck near Orangeville which occurred Tuesday morning. Five passenger coaches of a special train from Markdale carrying exhibition passengers were derailed.

The train, which was very heavily loaded, left Owen Sound about eight o'clock, and when it reached Orangeville was one hour behind its schedule. From Orangeville there is a pronounced down grade for some distance, and the engineer attempted to make up time on this journey down the mountain. Rounding a dangerous horseshoe curve the engine left the track. All who were killed were riding in the smoking car, next to the locomotive.

When the news of the accident reached Orangeville great excitement prevailed in the little town. Many of the wounded were brought to Toronto where the civic authorities placed hospital accommodation at their disposal.

### THE MONCTON RACES.

Moncton, N. B., Sept. 4.—About six hundred people attended the races on the Moncton speedway Monday afternoon and witnessed one of the finest day's races ever seen on the track. The programme included three events and each was keenly contested. Five heats were required to settle the 219 class, Pascherine winning out after a dead heat with Kremella. Best time 2:30.

In the 2:31 class, Major Wilkes took first money after Isard had won a heat. Best time 2:20 1/2.

There were only three heats in the 2:30 class, Belmar, the Chatham trotter taking it in three straight. The track was a little soft for fast work, but there were quarters in thirty-four, while the fastest mile was in 2:20. In every race there were some great drives and sensational finishes, the judges having difficulty several times to pick the winner. The weather was fine and the crowd delighted with the afternoon's sport.

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