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place in the Bank of Nova Scotia. Mr. Munroe is making friends, but few are so well liked as Mr. Anderson was in his position.

Our skating rink was sold on Wednesday, under a power of sale in a mortgage held by Hon. Richard Hincks, and was bought by Mr. Wm. Murray.

Mr. W. C. Whitaker, of St. John, visited her relatives here this week, and returned home on Tuesday night.

Miss Mabel Jack, of Fredericton, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Geo. B. Fraser.

Mr. Samuel Harris, now of Montreal, was in town this week.

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ST. JOHN, N. B., SATURDAY, JUNE 15, 1889.

PRICE THREE CENTS.

THE PEOPLE'S VERDICT.

CHAS. A. EVERETT TO REMAIN A PRIVATE CITIZEN.

Not Wanted for Mayor—Mr. Barker's Great Majority—Incidents of the Day—Mr. Saunderson's Vote—The Great News—The Governor Kelly—Speeches on Election.

It was a great day for the hustlers—a glorious day and a sweeping triumph for the voters and workers for George A. Barker. It was a day of happiness for hundreds whose votes helped to swell the heap that buried Everett.

Four o'clock soon came around, and all was excitement. There were wide smiles on the faces of the Barker crowd, and the anxious looks of their opponents gave them considerable fun.

"Your name please," said the commissioner. "George Saunderson," was the reply. "You have voted, sir," said the commissioner.

"Why, no! I haven't been here before." "But your name is voted." "Then the fun began. Mr. Saunderson was mad. So was Mr. Gandy. But the name of the former had been voted and that was the end of it.

"An hour or so later, Common Clerk Peters walked up the poll. 'Mr. Commissioner, one moment, please.' Mr. Commissioner was there in a minute. 'I am told,' said Mr. Peters, 'that you permitted Mr. Saunderson to be personated this morning.

"I believe he was personated," said Mr. Frink, "but it was not my place to interfere. I opened the poll in due form, and the representatives of the candidates were present. It was their place to object, not mine." Mr. Peters went away.

Another little incident in the same ward was the sudden conversion of John J. Forrest to the interests of Everett. He was a Barker man a day or two before, but at the polls he represented his opponent.

"Don't you vote until the colonel sees you." "Eh, wot's dat?" "Don't you vote until the colonel sees you." "De Kerrel's nice man," said George, "but I'm lesh to vote for Mister Barker, 'as 'e gwine to vote 'e way," and George voted.

WILL THE PIRATE COME?

PICKERING SAID TO BE INVITED BY THE SHAMROCKS FOR THE OPENING GAMES ON THEIR GROUNDS—WHAT RECEPTION WILL HE GET?—WAGG'S PORTRAIT—MONCROX'S UMPIRE—THE FREDERICTON RACES.

The rather startling information comes from Halifax that the Shamrocks of this city, have asked Pickering on what terms he would umpire the opening games on their grounds on July 1 and 2.

"I was never watched so closely before," Barker men expected to see Dufferin ward give Everett a big round majority, but it was only 22. The boss had the valuable aid of all the bosses of the cotton factory and Harris' car voters.

"How do you do?" said James Kelly, as Mr. Dornian entered the room, and the best left him for a moment.

"But for the credit of the Shamrocks Progress hopes there is nothing in the report. The club is very close about its doings, giving little, if anything, for publication.

The entire town just now is suffering from the worst attack of base ball fever that can be imagined, writes Cecil Gwynne of Moncton. Everyone has it; the very babies love to talk in "curves," and the fragments of talk one overhears on the street, consist almost entirely of "first base," "94 innings," "short stop," and "pitcher."

The enterprise of the Fredericton Trotting association is shown in this issue when they advertise races for July 1, offering purses amounting to \$850. St. John men will no doubt look into the 2.40 class and see what they can do in it.

Perhaps the greatest surprise of the last ten days has been the firm front of Moncton—the great ball tossers of the railway town. Bates went down before the new club, with Wagg and Larrabee at the battery, and that night Monctonians went crazy. At last not Bates' downed St. John's crack club the day before?

Chief Marshall had his ear to the keyhole of "Doc" Nixon's barroom on Haymarket square, last Sunday. But he didn't hear anything.

Don't read Hunter; Hamilton & McKay's Advertisements; five columns, last page.

WHY DO THEY DO IT SO?

HALIFAX PEOPLE WHO GET MARRIED IN MONCROX.

Because the Archbishop's Marriage Laws Concerning the Union of Catholics and Protestants are Very Strict—A Later Incident to Record.

MONCROX, N. B., June 15.—Not many weeks since, I spoke on the subject of Boston, viewed as an eligible spot for Catholics to get married in, a sort of Mecca for matrimonially inclined pilgrims.

A short time ago his grace Archbishop O'Brien promulgated an edict—that, I believe, is the correct term—that no member of the Church of Rome should marry outside the church.

The inclination to do those things which we ought not to do seemed especially prevalent in Halifax, and during the past year or so three young people moving in the highest circles of Halifax society have come to the railway hub to take their life partners, and disobey their spiritual guides.

First, Miss Kenny, of Halifax, accompanied by a party of relatives and friends, came to Moncton, some two years ago, and was married, at the Brunswick hotel, to Major Will, of Halifax; and as the bride was the Roman Catholic in this case, the ceremony was performed by the Rev. Father Meahan.

Last November, Dr. Murphy, son of the provincial engineer of Nova Scotia, was married in Moncton to a young Halifax lady, the wedding taking place in St. George's, Church of England. The ceremony was performed by the rector, as no Roman Catholic priest will marry a male member of his flock to a Protestant.

Last evening there were registered at the "Brunswick" the vice-consul of Italy, at the port of Halifax, and the vice-consul of Spain, their object being the consummation of one of those always welcome social events which never fail to excite interest.

The bride was accompanied by a number of relatives and friends, and the groom by his sister and best man; and, altogether, the occasion seemed a very happy one.

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THE QUEEN'S BIRTHDAY IN THE SHADE.

There was a much warmer demonstration of enthusiasm throughout Moncton, writes Progress' correspondent, over the locomotive engineers than there was over the Queen's birthday.

A correspondent writes: "Would it not be a good plan to remove the Prince ward polling booth further away from the Old Burial ground, at the next election.

In the Los Angeles Sunday Tribune is a rousing advertisement of George Taylor's—an old St. John boy. If Mr. Taylor's "ad" is an index to his business, he must have caught a good grip on prosperity in the west.

On Active Duty.

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THE PROTEST AGAINST THEM.

Mr. George R. Craigie Has Something to Say to the Council.

In its account of the civic elections, last week, Progress mentioned a personation incident to Stanley ward, and the scene that followed. It appears that the matter is not settled yet, for Mr. Craigie has filed the following document with common clerk Peters:

To the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of St. John, in Common Council convened: I, George R. Craigie, do declare that John Jeffrey, a resident of Stanley ward, in the city of St. John did unlawfully, on the fourth day of June, 1889, between the hours of eight a.m. and four p.m., vote and personate myself as William Cunningham, a qualified elector in Stanley ward, in the city of St. John.

And that Daniel O'Neil, acting as sheriff in said ward, did receive and deposit the said corrupt ballot in the ballot-box. I also declare that the said John Jeffrey in the presence of Daniel O'Neil, sheriff, George R. Craigie (candidate for alderman of Stanley ward), Geo. W. Craft and Elsom Giggery (qualified electors of said ward), did openly confess that he did vote and personate the said William Cunningham by ballot, at the instance and bidding of John Connor, which ballot was duly received and deposited by Daniel O'Neil.

I therefore protest against the action of John Connor and John McIsaac, as aldermen of Stanley ward, on the ground that the ballots returned and counted were not deposited by the qualified electors of the ward. (Signed) GEO. R. CRAIGIE.

He Will Have to Wait. A young man, visiting this city from the United States is in difficulty. Before leaving for St. John he gave a friend instructions to send him a sum of money by post office order, and the order having been sent, he called at the post office a few days ago to collect the amount. But he didn't get the money. The order was made payable to the name of the street on which he is stopping, with his initials before it.

Hard and Fast, This Time. The almshouse has always proved more popular as a winter than a summer resort. The poet Phillips favors winter. He is content to live as the Courtenays before the weather is cold, but when the summer comes he longs to wander through the streets, write poetry and drink whiskey. To the delight of every merchant in town Mr. Phillips cannot do as he would like to. The last time he was before the police magistrate he was sent to the almshouse for three months, and now whenever Mr. Phillips is found in town he is promptly arrested and sent across the bay again.

They Were Satisfied. Among the ladies brought to one polling booth at the mayor's election were two whose taxes were not paid. That fact was not discovered until the coach had gone for them and it was too late to recall it. Their feelings would have been hurt if the commissioner had told them them the truth, so when they came a bystander in the booth called their names, accepted their ballots and the ladies retired, satisfied that they had voted. The little deception was certainly courteous.

German Accordions at McArthur's Book Store. He Was Misus His Mountache. A well dressed lady entered Queen's ward polling booth, Tuesday morning, gave the name of a qualified voter and voted. She looked like a woman, she spoke like a woman, walked like a woman and for all the uninitiated knew was a female. But she wasn't. She had shaved off her moustache, borrowed a neat, fitting dress and personated a woman voter.

"Who are you going to vote for, Mr. ——" asked a gentleman of a well-known undertaker. "Mr. Barker or Mr. Everett?" "Ah-h," responded the undertaker, slowly, "both of the gentlemen are customers of mine and I vote by ballot!" "For Alderman, James Gordon Forbes?" "When the ballots were being counted in Forbes' the returning officer started the clock by saying, 'James Gordon Forbes for alderman.' The intelligent elector had got in his work that time, but it was a week too late—for Mr. Forbes."

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EDWARD S. CARTER, Publisher. Office: No. 71 Canterbury St. (Telegraph Building) ST. JOHN, N. B., SATURDAY, JUNE 15. CIRCULATION, 6,000.

Truly, ministers are as obstinate as most of us. By continued pulpit hammering, by denunciations here, there and everywhere, the Moncton clerical opponents of the B. & M. Sunday trains, have succeeded in doing exactly what they wished to avoid—popularize them.

Dear Sir,—Thank Heaven, I have still enough brains to appreciate good, sound sense. I don't know GEORGEY CURTISS STRANON, have no idea who he is or what he is, but he has done me a power of good in the matter of Sunday trains on the B. & M. railway. Will you kindly give him the enclosed pass for 1889, with my compliments. If he will come up I shall convince him that there are three churches in Butouche in which services are held every Sunday—and that Butouche Bar oysters are good.

I am, yours, etc., C. F. HANINGTON, Manager. Moncton, June 12. We see no reason, MR. HANINGTON, why you should not extend a similar favor to each of the clergymen who gave you so much free advertising.

No matter how unpopular or incompetent an Episcopal clergyman may be, it appears to be a very difficult and disagreeable job to effect his removal. Some recent cases have shown this quite plainly. Clergymen who think more of pleasure than duty who are known to the majority of their parishioners only in the pulpit, who work one day in the week and loaf six, cannot expect to remain in the good graces of even the most indulgent parishes. Yet the people are more apt to grow indifferent than indignant; they would rather remain at home than listen to a man whom they cannot respect, and they object to representing their case to a third party who has all power. The only recourse left them is to reduce the salary, and when that is tamely submitted to, as is quite frequently the case, years pass before the privation figure is reached and the clergyman is forced to resign. There is something wrong with such a system.

There is an amusing rivalry between Fredericton and Marysville. For some years past the merchants of the capital have welcomed a large number—several hundreds—of men and women, Saturday evenings, from the lumber mills and cotton factory of thriving Marysville. They spent their wages freely and gave additional life to the town. This is no longer the case. The founder and head of Marysville knows as much of human nature as of lumber and cotton, and quite recently attractive amusements in winter and summer, keep the employees in Marysville on pay nights. Their patronage remains there also, and they enjoy the band and promenade quite as much at home as in the city across the river.

Before the railway bridge was built at Fredericton, the city council appeared possessed of a consuming anxiety to give something to any bridge company or railway corporation that would recognize their town. Sites and privileges were freely talked of, and exemption from taxation was of course to be had. The bridge was built, through the enterprise of such wealthy men as MR. TEMPLER and MR. GIBSON, who now find Fredericton's appreciation of their efforts in the form of a \$1,200 tax bill. For shame! Is this the way to encourage citizens to undertake public works?

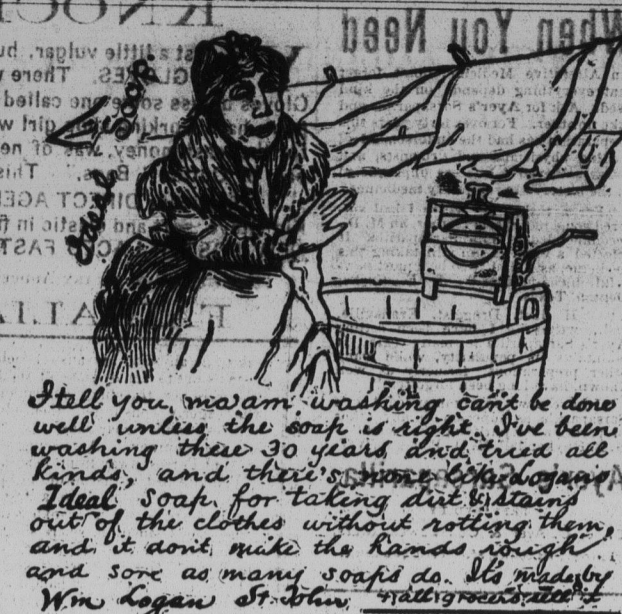
We have spoken before, and not in the most complimentary terms, of the anonymous letter-writer. We fancied our remarks had a most beneficial effect, for, up to a few days ago, we have been free from such unwelcome visitors. But so long as waste-baskets are in newspaper offices unsigned slanders will continue to jump into them. Is it any satisfaction to the persons who send such nonsense and abominable trash to know that an editor never wades through more than one page of it? All this labor goes for nothing. It is a bad business and had better be dropped it.

Rev. B. L. SIMPSON retires from the management of the Baptist seminary in a short time. The board has evidently come to its senses at last. Mr. SIMPSON may be a very excellent and learned Baptist minister, quite competent to look after his own interests and those of any congregation committed to his care, but he has not shown a wonderful degree of managerial ability in the seminary. He also appears to have lacked the faculty of getting along with other people.

Thirty years ago a matrimonial engagement existed between GEORGE CAMPBELL and ESTHER FLETCHER, of Folleyfield, Nova Scotia. She had trusted and yielded to him. He betrayed her, lost her honor and friends and postponed their marriage. Still the woman clung to her lover, until a few days ago he married another woman. She sued him for \$30,000 and settled for \$3,000—the price of love, honor, youth, friends and self-respect.

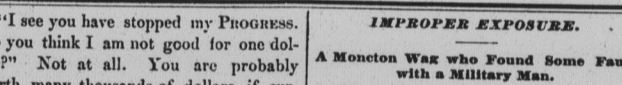
Portland, Me., is wrestling with a new opera house. Some of the newspaper paragraphs booming it have a strong chestnutty odor. We have been trying to do the same trick here, but it's like playing that good old game of "forty whist." We are in the "thirty-nine hole."

What's the matter with Mr. ROBERT WISLER as director of public safety? He is a good, square man and as a citizen of old Portland, should have the place.



Still you, ma'am, washing can't be done well unless the soap is right. I've been washing these 30 years and tried all kinds, and there's none like this. Ideal soap for taking dirt & stains out of the clothes without rotting them, and it don't make the hands rough and sore as many soaps do. It's made by Wm. Logan St. John, N.B.

38 KING STREET, - - Opposite the Royal Hotel. JEWELL.



Don't Fail to See the "JEWEL," with Oval Fire Pot and Ventilated Oven. IT HAS NO EQUAL. SHERATON & SELFRIDGE.

"I see you have stopped my Progress. Do you think I am not good for one dollar?" Not at all. You are probably worth many thousands of dollars, if current report be true, but that is the greater reason why you should pay for your paper in advance. We must not make fish of one and flesh of another. If you will take offense at the discontinuance of your paper, after you have been duly notified of the day and date of expiration and politely requested to renew, we cannot help it.

A Times correspondent gives Sackville a hard name, declaring that the characteristics of the boys who frequent its station house are the use of rum, tobacco and bad language, and that the girls must be judged by their associates. This is a revelation. Can pretty, romantic Sackville have sunk so low? And yet the Scott and Dr. PICKARD, are there! Tat, tut. What next?

Mrs. SCOTT-SIDDONS is in the province again. We trust that if she comes to St. John and has that "musical wonder" in the shape of her son along, that she may get a piano to suit him. It would be peculiarly unfortunate if Mrs. SIDONS should lose her temper and her manners again on the St. John stage, for if we are not in error, her stock of those useful commodities was never too large.

To such advertisers as G. A. L., Progress has a word. Their favors must be accompanied by their names and are subject to approval. All things being satisfactory, the charges for such advertisements will be one dollar per line of five words.

A correspondent writes: "What's the matter with lacrosse, PROGRESS?" Lacrosse is all right, and so is the noble, inspiring and exciting game of base ball.

Ladies, Washington's Ice Cream Pastors are elegant and his ice cream par excellence. Try it. PEN AND PRESS.

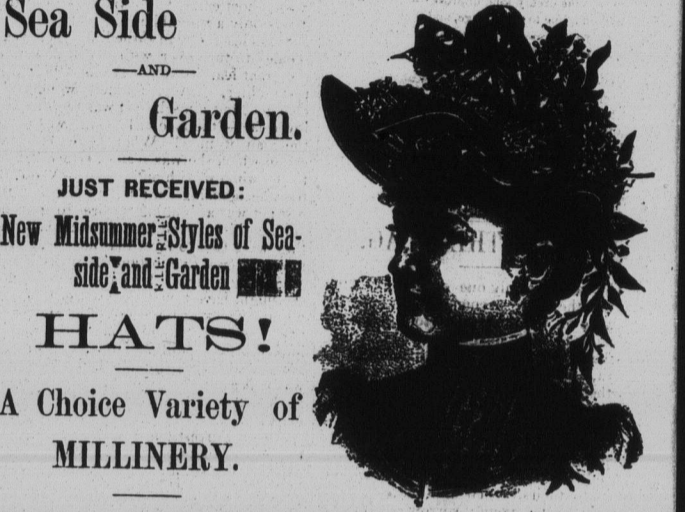
There is no more conscientious or faithful newspaper man in the city than W. C. Everett, and when any insinuation to the contrary is thrown out, the talker or writer shows his ignorance. "Billy" is a fine stenographer, and has a knowledge of men and things in the city that stands him in good stead in his work.

"Jack" Boden is doing great work for the New York Press on the Johnstown disaster. His descriptive story in the Sunday edition of that paper reminds us of the brilliant work he did occasionally upon the Telegraph. The British American Citizen has improved its heading, and is printed on white, better paper, than formerly. It is clean, bright, quarto; well printed, and with pages pasted and trimmed, and with quoter and more uniform headlines, there would be no fault to find with its typographical appearance.

Leave your orders for Carpet Cleaning at Harold Gilbert's, 54 King street. Ladies, if you want excellent ice cream, go to Washington's, Charlotte street.

The Ladies' Favorite! The "Directoire" Dress Improver. A further supply received this week. ALSO THE NEW No. 2, At 50 and 70 cents each. BARNES & MURRAY, 17 CHARLOTTE STREET.

Sea Side AND Garden. JUST RECEIVED: New Midsummer Styles of Seaside and Garden HATS! A Choice Variety of MILLINERY.



MANSON'S, 16 King Street. FREDERICTON PARK ASSOCIATION! FREDERICTON, N. B.

\$350 in Purses. Monday, July 1st, 1889. THE Directors of the above Association would announce a TROTTING MEETING, on Monday, July 1st, 1889, at which purses to the amount of \$350 will be offered.

WHERE AM I GOING TO GET A Good Dinner? HAVE YOU EVER TRIED "THE NATIONAL!" 22 Charlotte Street. They served an A 1 Course Dinner every day that for quality and quantity is fully equal to the very best in the city, and the charge is QUITE LOW.

NEW Silk Ribbons. BLACK CORDED RIBBONS, WITH SATIN EDGE. New Fancy Ribbons. Black Jerseys, At 70c., 95c., \$1.20, \$1.55, \$1.95, \$2.35 and \$3.50.

BLACK SILK SUNSHADES, At \$1.25, \$1.55, \$1.70, \$1.95 and \$2.55. DOWLING BROS., 49 Charlotte Street. Corporation Contract!

SEALED TENDERS will be received at the COMMON CLERK'S OFFICE, until 12 o'clock, noon, on Monday, 17th June instant, from persons willing to undertake the PLANKING OF NORTH RODNEY WHARF, according to specifications to be seen at the City Engineer's office.

W. A. LOCKHART, Auctioneer. Shoe Fly! Don't Bother Me. I get FLY SCREENS from BEVERLY, 50 cents Each. SUITS ANY WINDOW. BEVERLY, the Wringer Man, who sells on Instalment plan.

DRIVING HARNESS! A Few Sets very Stylish and Strong, and at LOW PRICES BY SPECIAL ARRANGEMENT. J. HORNCastle & Co., Indian town.

THE Directors of the above Association would announce a TROTTING MEETING, on Monday, July 1st, 1889, at which purses to the amount of \$350 will be offered. Nos. 1 and 2 Races will be mile heats, 3 in 5, in harness, and No. 3 will be half mile heats, 3 in 5, to Road Wagon, unless otherwise allowed by the directors. All races governed by the Rules of the National Trotting Association. A horse distancing the field will receive first money only. Five required to enter and three to start. In Nos. 1 and 2, the entrance money will be 10 per cent of the purse. Five per cent to accompany nomination and 5 per cent to be paid before the race is started. Entries will close with the secretary on the evening of THURSDAY, 20th June. Purses will be divided with 60 per cent to first; 30 per cent to second, and 10 per cent to third. No. 3 will be opened to named horses only, and to such as the Directors may choose to admit. The Directors may also decide as to what kind of a vehicle may be used, and may handicap any horse if they see fit. Owners or amateurs to drive. The Directors reserve the right to postpone races on account of unsuitable weather. Passenger and Freight rates on the different lines of travel, will be announced as soon as possible. Admission to Park, 50 cts. Grand Stand, 10 cts. Carriages Free. BOARD OF DIRECTORS: F. F. THOMPSON, Pres., D. F. GROBE, Vice-Pres., M. TENNEY, HARRY BICKWITH, J. M. WILEY, J. A. EDWARDS, W. P. FLEWELLING, Sec'y-Treas. Fredericton, N. B., June 6, 1888. GRAND SALE OF Japanese Curios, Etc., BY AUCTION. Sixteen Cases Japanese Curios and Manufacture, Comprising some of the Hand-somest and Finest ever Offered in this Market. IMRI Porcelain Jars, Umbrella Stands, Vases, Tea Sets, Plates, Placques, Bowls, Red Tea Pots, Bronze do., Bismar do., do. Cups and Saucers, Bamboo Baskets, Bronze Plates, Enamel do.; do. Jars and Vases, Bronze Snoker's Sets, Enamelled Whatnots, Lacquered do. Koelil Tobacco Jars, Lacquered Trays, Metal Mirrors, Bamboo Whatnots, Ivory Card Cases, Embroidered Banners, Embroidered Screens, Cups and Saucers, Plates, Urns, Baskets, Cell Bells, Awala Ornaments, Mataukawa Vases, Bamboo Stands, Imri Toilet Sets, Blotch Flower Pots, and a general assortment too numerous to mention. Sale to commence at 10.30 o'clock, on THURSDAY, the 15th inst., at my salesroom, 106 Prince William street. Goods will be on view at my salesroom, MONDAY, the 16th, and until sale. Positively no reserve and Cash. W. A. LOCKHART, Auctioneer. June 6, 1888. SHOE FLY! Don't Bother Me. I get FLY SCREENS from BEVERLY, 50 cents Each. SUITS ANY WINDOW. BEVERLY, the Wringer Man, who sells on Instalment plan.

THE WORLD OF BOOKS.

A curious story of friendship, hatred, revenge and... by F. C. Phillips. A young and talented English artist... in Paris, working in the largest studio in the city...

*The Fatal Phyrne, by F. C. Phillips. Montreal: John P. Lovell & Co. St. John: J. & A. McMillan. Paper, price 30 cents.

The Magazines. The Century for June should have more than the usual interest for Canadians, and more especially those in the maritime provinces...

The purview of this paper does not embrace the discussion of the future of Canada, but it may be asked whether in view of the great national advantage...

George Kennan continues his articles on Russian exiles in "The Convict Mines of Kara"; the Lincoln paper is of great interest, and the fiction and poetry of its usual high order...

In the first number of The New Review, which Longmans, Green & Co., will issue at once, Senator Naube, a partisan of General Boulanger...

Among the most instructive and entertaining articles in the June Writer, is F. B. Moffett's "Longhand Contractions."

These transplanted Coleus Plants ready for delivery June 25th. \$1.00 per Hundred. Mail orders a specialty. Order early.

portant contractions compiled by such men as Isaac Pitman, Gurney Salter, Thomas Allen Read, Dr. Powers and Augustine Shinnell...

GARMENTS AND FEELINGS HURT. The Careless Town of Moncton, Will, Perhaps, Pay for Both.

MONCTON, June 11.—Not many evenings ago, as I was taking a short cut through one of the quieter side streets, my attention was attracted by a yawning gulf...

Two or three nights later, one of our popular business men chanced to pass along the street in question with his pretty young wife...

And the sequel to this unpleasant little episode promises to be even more unpleasant for the town of Moncton than for the gentleman in question...

I most cordially hope that the town will not be let off too cheaply, for such carelessness deserves punishment. There was no earthly reason why some child might not have been drowned in passing the dangerous place after dark.

All the Difference in the World. A clergyman of the austere and granite-trope was staying at a New Brunswick country hotel in pre-Scott-act days.

The Two Girl Friends. Elsie—I am going to marry the apothecary. Aggie—Oh! how nice. He'll trust us for vanilla cream sodas now.—Epoch.

Many diseases of the skin are not only annoying but are difficult to cure. You will not be disappointed if you try Baird's French Ointment. It also cures insect stings, piles, chapped hands, etc.

SHORTEST AND LONGEST. The longest day is in June, they say; The shortest is in December; They did not come to me this way; The shortest I remember; You came a day with me to stay; And filled my heart with laughter; The longest day—you were away; The very best day after.

George Birdsey, in Century Brica-Brac. All the best. Paper and illustrations as usual, on sale at McArthur, Bookseller, King Street.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL.

[Phonograph for sale in Shellac at H. Stewart's store.]

JUNE 12.—The sacred concert in the Methodist church on last Thursday evening was something very fine indeed. The singing of Miss Dunlop, Miss Harper, and Laura Deacon was especially fine...

Miss Smallwood, of Newfoundland, who is at the Sackville academy, is spending her vacation with the Misses Webster of this place.

Mrs. J. W. Morton, of Kent Junction, has been here visiting her father. Mr. W. A. Moore, who is working in Campbellton, has been home spending a week with his parents.

Mr. W. J. Gilbert, of Dorchester, was in town this week. A big time is expected here next Thursday, when the engineers have their clam bake at Point du Chene.

Dr. E. A. Smith has been missed this week or so since he has been in charge of Dr. Murray's office in Moncton.

Mr. F. A. McCully, of Moncton, was in town on Monday last. Mr. D. S. Harper spent last Monday in Moncton. Mr. Fred Ward, of Springhill, spent last Sunday with his mother.

Mr. Bliss Ward and bride passed through here today on their way to P. E. Island, accompanied by Mr. Fred Ward and Miss Belle Ward. JACK.

ANNAPOLIS ROYAL.

JUNE 8.—Prof. J. B. Barnaby has returned, and is again filling his position as organist in St. Luke's in a very creditable manner, the music on Sunday being excellent. His friends are delighted to have him among them.

I notice Mr. L. Mitchell, of London, G. B., is in town, and intends remaining for some time. We are glad to have Mr. Mitchell here.

Mr. S. D. Boak, of the Union Bank of Halifax, arrived today to relieve Mr. A. D. McRae, who leaves here on Monday for Digby, where he will spend his two week's vacation.

I am glad to see such an interest taken in tennis and cricket by the young people of Annapolis Royal. The cricket club, composed principally of the youth of the town, are at present interested in having a grand tournament on the three first days of July.

On Wednesday noon, the Methodist church was crowded with ladies and gentlemen to witness the marriage of Mr. E. E. Gilley, one of our popular barristers, and Mrs. Lloyd Publicover, daughter of the Rev. Mr. Cassidy. The bride was very tastefully attired in a green travelling costume, with garnitures of gold braid looked charming.

The bride was followed by Mr. J. J. Ritchie and Rev. Mr. Anselme. Immediately afterward Mr. and Mrs. Gilley drove to the W. & A. R. depot, and took the Halifax express for a trip to Pictou, Charlottetown and other places of interest to them.

Quite a number of their friends were at the depot to witness their departure, and they have the best wishes on their journey, and for a long and happy life. It appears to me that June is a very popular month for weddings.

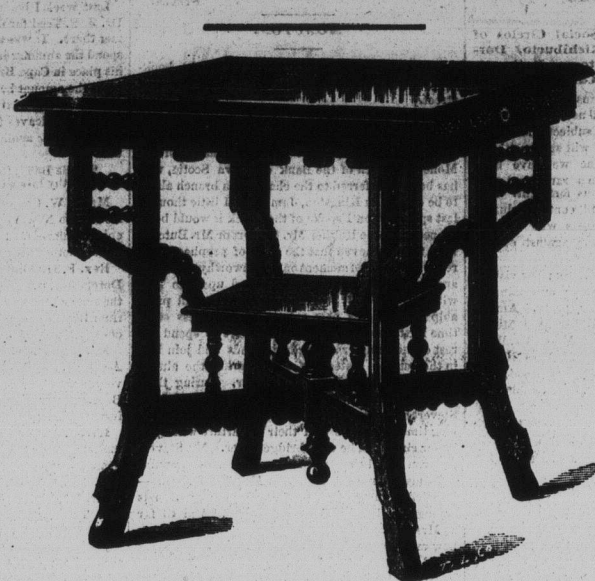
On Tuesday, Mr. Aug. Fullerton left for Boston by the steamer New Brunswick, and is expected to return within three weeks with his bride, who is at present in Boston, where they are to be married. There are rumors of several more weddings in the near future. JONES.

TRURO, N. S.

JUNE 11.—Dr. Roach, of Tatamagouche, was at the "Prince" for a few days this week. "Scrubbed Man" is closed, Mrs. J. C. Cummings and Master Eugene being at Bedford for the summer. Dr. Hall and Prof. Eaton, of the normal department, are back again after a few days spent at Wolfville, where they attended Acadia's closing. Mrs. Fred Smith, now of Boston Highlands, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John F. Crowe.

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Mr. Madison was in town with his bride a few days this week.

SUSSEX.
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June 12.—Miss Emma Jones (St. John), who is the guest of Mrs. Fred Jones, spent Sunday and Monday with friends in Moncton.

WOODSTOCK.
[Progress is for sale in Woodstock at Everett's bookstore.]
June 14.—Miss Jenkins, of St. Stephen is visiting friends in town.

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