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THE HARBOR COMMISSION SCHEME AND THE BRITISH
Our esteemed contemporary the Fredericton Capital has some timely remarks on the defeat of the harbor commission scheme last Tuesday in the course of which it expresses the opinion that we believe that the defeat of the harbor commission is a temporary one.

RECIPROCITY
We are hearing a great deal about reciprocity at present from our friends in New England, who in giving their evidence before the U. S. Senate Committee have been almost unanimous in declaring that reciprocity with Canada would be a good thing for them.

NOTE AND COMMENT
It is a notable proof of the decay into which the Navy of the United States has fallen, that such a fuss should be made over the fact that the new cruiser Atlanta, did not founder in the late storm.

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The Strikbridge Mystery.

By A. SHEPHERD.

It was a raw November night. Fog
with a tendency to a drizzling rain, had
prevailed throughout the day, and the
roads of Strikbridge were saturated and
the cobbles darkened with moisture. It
was 9 o'clock, and with the exception of
a solitary figure hurrying along the
high street, no one seemed to be abroad.
The lights of lamp and fire were shining
from many a cottage window, and the
sound of loud laughter and of the clank-
ing of glasses came through the doors of
the Red Lion.

The solitary wayfarer was the page
boy from the Towers, and judging from
the amount of luggage he was carrying
and the speed with which he came dashing
up the street, without overtaking or un-
derbreath, his errand was an urgent one.
About the middle of the village was the
house of Dr. Loxon, the Strikbridge medi-
cal practitioner, and it was on his door-
step that the page boy stopped.

"What do you want?" he inquired for
the second time, and the doctor was
within.

"The master's been taken ill," he
gasped, his breath coming quick and
short, "and he's in a bad way."

"Good heavens!" ejaculated the man
who had answered the door. "Well, I
for one am not surprised. He was a
very old man, and he had been ill for
some time."

"No, no," replied the page boy, "he
was not ill before. He was as well as
usual, and he had just been out for
a walk."

"When did you see him last?" inquired
the doctor.

"I saw him just after dinner today,"
replied the page boy.

"Did he seem in his usual
spirits?"

"Yes, very quiet, sir," he said, "but
I was not in the room at the time."

"How long ago?"

"About an hour or so."

"What was he doing?"

"He was sitting at the table, and he
was talking to the servants."

"And he seemed to be in his usual
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LOCAL MATTERS.

Four thousand entries have been made for the Moncton exhibition which opens today.

The water assessment for the ensuing year was fixed by the common council at Saturday by the commissioners of coverage and water supply.

The water assessment which is for the East Side and North End consists of between 6,000 and 7,000 names and approximately 20,000 dollars.

Upper Magalloway, Halifax county, was the scene of intense excitement on Sunday, due to the large forest fire which raged there.

The city corporation are to be dredging on both sides of the landing.

It is said that there were thousands of wild geese on the Tignish, P. E. I., fishing grounds some nights last week.

Ravage on Rest.—The farmers in the vicinity of Moncton, Parris, and Spring Lake, state that rest is doing heavy damage to the potato crop.

James S. Treisman, formerly of Carleton Place, has been elected to the chair of classics in Allegheny College, Meadville, Pa.

At Grace Bay, Cape Breton, the St. John barque Leprince is loading coal for Buenos Ayres—something new in Canada's coal carrying business.

What Super Think the city corporation should take into consideration the better protection of that portion of the city which is low lying in Carleton.

The ASPEN ANKLE ALBERT COMPLETED.—The workmen engaged on the construction of the new wing of the asylum are pushing the work rapidly on and will soon have it completed.

INSPECTING NEW CARS.—Mr. David White, inspector of cars for the I. C. R., arrived in this city this morning for the purpose of passing judgment on the new cars which were built by Messrs. James Harris & Co. for the Intercolonial Railway.

Prizes for the athletic club sports on Saturday are being presented by merchants and friends of the club for competition. A number of valuable prizes in addition to the medals are now on exhibition in A. O. Skinner's window.

The War Run Mills are nearly out of logs at present. The long dry spell has caused the streams and rivers to become very shallow and there is not sufficient water to get the logs down.

DECEASED.—Mr. Francis Goveaux, an old resident of Shediac, of some sixty-five years, was married a few days ago to Miss L. B. Goveaux, daughter of Mr. J. B. Goveaux, of Shediac.

The St. Pierre All Saints report has been in circulation around Carleton since the schooner "M. L. S. Perré" was lost in the Atlantic on the 11th of the month.

The I. C. R. Dredge is still working on the north side of the Ballast wharf. The dredge is being dredged out so as to give a depth of low water of about 25 feet.

HEAVY HORSES.—W. T. Gilliland of Woodstock made sale last week of four pairs of heavy horses as follows: One pair to W. H. Cunliff, Fort Kent, Me., weighing 2,500 pounds; one pair to W. B. Hayward, Woodstock, 2,250 pounds; one pair to Sewell & Co., St. Croix, 2,500 pounds; and a pair to Fort Kent, Me., weighing 2,200 pounds.

The DEERHOLE MARKET is well looking to the dry weather and there is very little lumber to ship. Few charters have been made lately.

RECENT CHARITERS.—Mr. W. M. McKay has chartered Mr. Mark Currier's new 1800 ton ship which is to be launched at Windsor the first of October.

SPIRIT OF THE TIMES.

THE NATIONAL LEAGUE. New York headed Boston of yesterday and went to the front. The games were:

At Boston, Philadelphia 3, Boston 2 (called at end of 6th inning) Boston—Clarkson and Bennett; Buffington and Clement.

At Washington, New York 12, Washington 4. Batteries—O'Day and Brown; Fomon and Daly.

At Chicago, Indianapolis 4, Chicago 3. Batteries—Boyle and Buckley; Hutchinson and Kerebel.

The Pittsburgh-Cleveland game was postponed.

THE LEAGUE STANDINGS. National League. Boston 10, Philadelphia 10, New York 10, Washington 10, Chicago 10, St. Louis 10, Cincinnati 10, Cleveland 10, Pittsburgh 10, Louisville 10.

Mr. C. F. Kincaid left for Toronto yesterday afternoon.

Miss S. K. Wilson returned last night by the noon train through Nova Scotia.

Mr. Archibald Sinclair and his son arrived in Halifax yesterday afternoon from Europe, where they have been travelling for the past three months.

For one or two weeks past the great excitement in Kings and Queens counties.

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The ASPEN ANKLE ALBERT COMPLETED.—The workmen engaged on the construction of the new wing of the asylum are pushing the work rapidly on and will soon have it completed.

INSPECTING NEW CARS.—Mr. David White, inspector of cars for the I. C. R., arrived in this city this morning for the purpose of passing judgment on the new cars which were built by Messrs. James Harris & Co. for the Intercolonial Railway.

Prizes for the athletic club sports on Saturday are being presented by merchants and friends of the club for competition. A number of valuable prizes in addition to the medals are now on exhibition in A. O. Skinner's window.

The War Run Mills are nearly out of logs at present. The long dry spell has caused the streams and rivers to become very shallow and there is not sufficient water to get the logs down.

DECEASED.—Mr. Francis Goveaux, an old resident of Shediac, of some sixty-five years, was married a few days ago to Miss L. B. Goveaux, daughter of Mr. J. B. Goveaux, of Shediac.

The St. Pierre All Saints report has been in circulation around Carleton since the schooner "M. L. S. Perré" was lost in the Atlantic on the 11th of the month.

The I. C. R. Dredge is still working on the north side of the Ballast wharf. The dredge is being dredged out so as to give a depth of low water of about 25 feet.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS. FUNERAL NOTICE. THE members of York I. O. O. F. No. 2, are requested to meet at their Hall, King street, on Monday, the 18th inst., for the purpose of attending the funeral of their brother, John Walker.

AMERICAN EYE SALVE. Dr. J. Pettit's Great American Eye Salve. Medicated Daily Bands, Night Stone and Food Warmer, Night Lamps, Nasal Douche, Vaporizers.

CHAS. MCGREGOR. DRUGGIST. 137 Charlotte Street. COAL. Daily expected as "Clear". 575 TONS PRIME STEAK. OLD MINE SYDNEY COAL.

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MR. H. B. OUKSHANK. Foot of Golding street, and Old Barial Ground, has in stock a large and fine stock of all the above goods.

GOOD READING. LADY CARL, the sequel of a life. By Mrs. Oliphant. Price 30c.

J. & A. McCILLAN. 95 and 100 Prince William St. SAINT JOHN, N. B. The Drugs and Medicines are of superior quality and of standard strength.

WATSON & CO'S PRICE LIST. Gas Balls 7c each to clear. 24 Pairs of Opera Glasses offered at \$1.49 per pair.

ANNOUNCEMENT. To my late Patients and the Public Generally: I have spent a week with Dr. C. M. GOSPOE teaching him my new method of extracting teeth painlessly.

STOVES REPAIRED AND FITTED UP. Full Line of Stoves and Ranges of the latest patterns in stock. Fire Brick Linings for repairs of the Climax Range.

A. G. BOWEN & CO., 21 Catherine Street. Boston Marine INSURANCE COMPANY. Capital Paid in ONE MILLION DOLLARS.

HERRING AND CODFISH LANDING TO-DAY. 80 Bbls and 8 Hbbls Large New Fat EASTERN HERRING.

IN STORE. 100 Hc-bbls. Good Split Bay HERRING. 100 Qts. Large White TABLE CODFISH.

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