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LETTER FROM A. R. GLOBE.
He Tells How a Boer Woman Shot Two Men.
An interesting letter received by a gentleman in this city from A. R. Globe of the west side, now Q. M. Sergt. of 1st troop, S. A. C., written at Meakins' Farm, Orange River Colony. Among other things says:
"Affairs have been rather busy about here lately. Commandant Jacob's command, 600 strong, is in this district. General Knox and Esberson came through with three columns last week and brought in six hundred women and children, one hundred Boer prisoners, three hundred Boer wagons and about ten thousand head of live stock. One old woman shot two men dead after the party had surrendered. The Boer men ran in among the women when they saw that they were cornered. These two men rode up, thinking everything was clear, when they got it. A few prisoners are being brought in almost every day, so it seems just a matter of time.
"A new corps has been formed called the 'Burgers' Police of Farmer's Guard. They are made up of ex-Boers and are attached for duty to the S. A. C. They are said to have done some good work lately.
"As matters become settled it will be better for the S. A. C., although we have a fairly good time as it is. This country did not seem the same before to me as it does now, and I think I have noticed more about it since coming out this time than ever before."
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THE ROYAL TOUR.

Decorations Conferred by the Duke at Ottawa Today.

Winnipeg Disappointed by the Attention of His Royal Highness.

OTTAWA, Sept. 20.—Ottawa did nobly today in its welcome to the Duke and Duchess of Cornwall and York. There were thousands of visitors in the city and the greeting to their royal highnesses was of the most enthusiastic character. It has been a subject of comment that at Quebec and at Montreal the crowds did not cheer. This was not the case at the capital. From the time that the Duke and his escort arrived at the station, until they reached Rideau Hall, it was one continuous volley of cheering, and their royal highnesses were noticeably gratified. At Elgin street station the Duke and Duchess were welcomed by the Governor General and a brilliant staff. The military and police arrangements were simply perfect, not a hitch occurring. The city never looked better, the decorations being far in advance of anything ever attempted here before. This is due to the fact that the civic reception committee had spent its appropriation in a most judicious manner, placing the entire contract for decorating in the hands of an English firm which has been doing this class of work for the last fifty years. The English newspaper correspondents accompanying the party concede that Ottawa carried the palm in the way of effective decorations. Arriving at Parliament Hill, the Duke and Duchess were met by a tremendous concourse of people, numbering thousands, over 5,000 school children uniting in singing God Save the King, and on the departure of the royal party, the Maple Leaf Forever.

The Duke and Duchess were welcomed to the royal pavilion on Parliament Hill by the Governor General, Sir Wilfrid Laurier and Mayor Morris, the latter respondent in his new official robes. After the royal party had taken their places, the presentation of addresses followed, no less than nineteen being fired at the heads of the royal party, among these being greetings from the cities of Ottawa and Hull, four national societies, the Ottawa board of trade, a dozen towns in this vicinity, veterans of the Fenian raid, Canadians of Massachusetts, and the Ojibway Indians of Ontario.

On leaving parliament grounds to proceed to Rideau Hall the royal party received one continuous ovation. This afternoon the Duke and Duchess, Lord and Lady Minto, and a brilliant staff saw the first contest for the lacrosse championship, the contestants being the Capitals and Comwalls. After an exciting match the Capitals were the winners by 3 to 2.

At the conclusion the Duke was presented with the ball which had been used, also a lacrosse stick and closed in a handsome leather case. He then handed the Minto cup over to the winners, and left the grounds amid the cheers of the thousands of spectators.

Tonight the royal party were entertained at an official dinner at Government House by their Excellencies the Governor General and Countess Minto. Over one hundred guests were present. After dinner the members of the party drove up town to see the illuminations and decorations. The electrical effects on the parliament buildings were simply superb. The Pan-American exposition is considered to have carried the palm in this line of illumination, but visitors here today claim that the electrical illuminations of Ottawa transcend those of Buffalo.

OTTAWA, Sept. 20.—It is definitely settled that the Governor General will not go west with their Royal Highnesses. Lord Minto's intention is to join the Duke to take part in a duck shooting expedition in Manitoba, organized by Senator Kirchoffer, and then return to Toronto with the Duke. His Excellency will also visit Halifax on the occasion of the good-bye to their Royal Highnesses.

TODAY'S PROCEEDINGS.
OTTAWA, Sept. 21.—The second day of the Duke's visit was beautifully fine. The ceremonies of the day commenced with the investiture of knighthood and orders by his royal highness. Those who were presented to the Duke were Colonel Drury, Otter and Lessard, who received C. B.; Governor Jette, who was created K. C. M. G.; Col. Buchanan, Major Desjardins, Joseph Pope, Dr. Peterson, Rev. D. Matthew, Mayor Howland, of Toronto, and Major Maude, C. M. G.'s. Mr. Shaughnessy was the last to receive the honor from the duke.

At noon the Duke unveiled a handsome monument of the late Queen Victoria, which has been erected on parliament hill by the government. At half past twelve he presented to the veterans of the South African war from this district their active service medals. Thousands were again out and the ceremonies were witnessed with no small degree of interest.

A tremendous concourse of people assembled on Parliament hill to witness the ceremony of unveiling the statue of Queen Victoria. The military were present in full force and constituted an attractive setting to the dense crowd of spectators, ministers and their families and a distinguished company assembled on the mound at the base of the statue. Despite the general's orders, over 50

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The latter gentleman was in Halifax one day this week, and viewed several of the sites. Mr. Smith belongs to England, and he is said to represent several wealthy English ship builders, and others.

Among those he mentioned as taking an interest in the establishment of a plant in Nova Scotia, was Lord Strathcona.

WORDS OF THE WISE. Few things are impossible to diligence and skill.—Johnson. They are never alone that are accompanied with noble thoughts.—Sir Philip Sidney. Old friends are best. King James used to call for his old shoes; they were easiest for his feet.—Selden.

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BURNED TO DEATH.

NAPANEE, Ont., Sept. 21.—Hara Rixley, 45, and another man, were working a barn on the farm of William Rutledge, at Sydenham this morning when a fire broke out. Rixley assisted his companion to escape, but was unable to get out himself, and perished. Rutledge, the owner of the barn, was seriously burned in attempting to extinguish the flames.

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LET'S BE CHEERFUL.

It is to be hoped no over-zealous person will reveal to the Duke and Duchess of Cornwall and York the sad state of affairs brought about in this city by their decision to make the royal train their headquarters while in St. John.

WHAT IS THE NET RESULT?

It is to be hoped the provincial government has kept a record of the names of the British farmers who came to this province as a result of Mr. Hickman's campaign in the old country, and the proportion of them that have remained and settled here.

THE TOUCH OF NATURE.

British and Canadian sympathy with the United States in their recent sorrows is not unheeded or unappreciated by the people of that country.

CAMP SUSSEX.

In Brigade orders by Lieut. Col. Dunbar at Camp Sussex yesterday the following remarks of the brigade commander appear:

RECENT DEATHS.

Rev. Samuel E. Sprague, Primitive Baptist, died at Beechwood, Carleton Co., on Wednesday, aged 64 years.

This issue of the Star will be read by some who are not regular subscribers. They will observe that though small it contains a great deal of news.

WHAT IS ANARCHY?

Anarchism eludes satisfactory definition. It is able to define itself. It is a seed of it has been sown in lands across the sea, and in the soil of indolence and pride and nameless discontent it flourishes and brings forth its evil harvest.

THE ROMAN CATHOLICS.

The Roman Catholics, in the year 1,500, were ruling over 80,000,000 people; in 1,700, over 90,000,000, and in 1851 over 245,000,000.

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By order, GEO. R. VINCENT, Secretary.

SHIFT IN POLICE CIRCLES.

In Chief Clark's police orders today was the following: Sergt. Geo. R. Baxter has been transferred from the northern division to the southern and will report for duty this afternoon at two o'clock. Sergt. Henry Kilpatrick has been transferred to the northern division and will report for duty at 6:45 this evening.

Sergts. Hastings and Kilpatrick will do alternate weeks of day and night duty. The day sergeant will be in charge during his week of duty. His hours will be from 7 a. m. to 7 p. m., while the night sergeant's will be 6:45 p. m. to 5:30 a. m.

REQUEST TO A HALIFAX LADY.

A late English paper says:—Capt. Henry Phelps Dangar, of 178 Pall-Mall, died on July 10, leaving property of the value of £24,837 3s 4d. He willed his jewels and personal articles and four-fifths of his residuary estate to Violet Gertrude Twining, and the remaining one-fifth to his brother, Dudley Richard Dangar.

Miss Twining is a daughter of the late H. St. G. Twining, of Halifax, and with her mother has been residing in England for some time. She was engaged to be married to Capt. Dangar, who contracted enteric fever in South Africa, and returning to England died about three months ago.

H. H. McLENNAN BUYS SHORE LANE.

The Shore Lane Railway was sold by auction at St. Stephen at noon today and was bid in by H. H. McLeenan for \$25,000. There was no competition.

A street car collided with Mr. Rooney's sloop on Main street about noon today. The forward axle of the sloop was broken and Mr. Rooney was thrown down and dragged a short distance.

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LOCAL NEWS.

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The official Gazette announces that the civil service examinations will be held on the 11th November next.

Rev. R. W. Weddall and Rev. G. M. Campbell will exchange pulpits tomorrow morning.

Miss Eleanor Robinson, Miss Mabel Fairweather and Miss Lyman have returned from a trip to England.

The Trades and Labor Congress at Brantford yesterday endorsed the letter carriers' petition for an increase of pay.

Over four hundred sheep and lambs were shipped last week from Yanticodiac by L. O. DeMerritt to the Boston market.

The scowmen meet in their hall, Long wharf, on Monday evening, Sept. 23rd. All scowmen are requested to be present.

Fifteen marriages and eighteen births—13 males—were entered during the week on the books of the registrar of vital statistics.

If the lady who found the gold rimmed eye-glasses on Jeffries Hill Sunday week will please return them to the Star office a reward will be given.

Lewis Austin, the evangelist of Christ, will continue sermon. Beginning at 4 p. m. on the Lord's day, King street east in front of jail.

Two fine working horses, owned by William B. Mitton, of Cherryfield, near Dorchester, were poisoned by some person putting Paris green in their oats.

There are still 50,000,000 feet of logs to come down the Penobscot and the Bangor Commercial says it is feared 30,000,000 will reach the booms too late for entire rafting.

Yesterday afternoon, in the matter of the Maritime Sulphite Fibre Co., Ltd., Judge McLeod appointed Hon. L. J. Tweedie, K. C., and A. H. Hanington, K. C., liquidators.

Alex. Howland of Killarney road was so badly bitten by a vicious dog on Wednesday, says the Fredericton Herald, that Dr. Mullin had to put twenty-five stitches in the wounds in his legs. Blood poisoning is feared.

Mrs. Annie McGill, wife of William McGill, of H. M. customs, Yarmouth, died Thursday night. She was a daughter of the late Nathan Lewis, of that town, and leaves a husband and two children. She was 57 years of age.

A number of kites with a streamer attached advertising Welcome soap attracted much attention on Prince William street today. About one o'clock the string broke and the kites sailed gracefully down towards lower cove.

Special trains bearing the militia from Camp Sussex arrived in the city today. Five companies of the 71st regiment were the first to reach the city. The men look brown and healthy after their ten days of camp life.

J. N. Harvey, the Union street clothier, reports trade excellent in his line. He has received his fall stock of ready made clothing and cloths for custom work, and his goods and prices are of the sort to attract buyers. He has a special line of boys 3-piece suits, and in today's Star he advertises men's suits and overcoats.

Invitations have been issued for the marriage of Miss Ethel E. Robinson, daughter of the late Capt. Byron Robinson, formerly of Yarmouth, now of Truro, to Frank C. Cotton, of Charlottetown, P. E. I., which will take place at St. John's church, Truro, on Wednesday, Sept. 26th.

BARGAINS IN FURNITURE.

Chas. S. Everett, Charlotte street, will hold a bargain sale of furniture for one week, opening on the 23rd inst. He says that he has found it so profitable in the past year to keep only fresh goods in stock that he is determined to clear out anything that hangs on, and he has therefore reduced to cost all goods that have been on hand for three months or over.

And as an extra inducement to anyone wanting goods, fresh goods, at bargain prices, he will allow during the bargain sale the large discount of 10 per cent for cash off all regular goods not reduced for this sale.

JUDGE LANDRY FOR GOVERNOR.

The Freeman this morning quotes a rumor from the Bathurst Courier that Mr. Justice Landry may be appointed the next governor of New Brunswick, and urges that the appointment be made, for the following reasons:—"First, because, we believe that the time has arrived when the Catholics of this province should be recognized in the appointment of one of their number to the governorship; and, secondly, because we believe that our French Acadian fellow Catholics have the first claim to the position."

CIRCUIT COURT.

In the circuit court today, in the case of Hayes v. Connolly, Michael Connolly was on the stand. Yesterday afternoon Judge Gregory decided to allow the contracts between the minister of railways and Mr. Connolly and Mr. Mayos and Mr. Connolly to go in as evidence. Hon. W. Pugsley and J. B. M. Baxter for the plaintiff; and Dr. A. Stockton, K. C., and L. A. Curry, K. C., for the defendant.

WILL COME TO ST. JOHN.

Canton Augusta, Patriarchs Millant, I. O. O. F., of Augusta, Me., which has been arranging for a pilgrimage to St. John, N. B., will leave the capital Thursday morning, Sept. 26. There will be at least 50 in the party. They will be in a special car, having parties from Waterville, Gardiner and Bath with them. They have invited Department Commander C. E. Weeks to accompany them.

GETTING READY

To Receive the Royal Visitors—The I. C. R. Decorations.

The plots in front of the Union depot are being put in shape for the visit of the royal party. There is even more cause for this now than before, as their highnesses will reside in that vicinity. One of the plots is now being sodded, and a concrete coping will be placed around them all.

Although the plans for decorating the depot itself have been fully matured, it is believed that the front of the building will be dotted with incandescent lamps and that suitable mottoes will be spelled out in letters of fire. Material with which to decorate the interior will be sent down from Quebec, Montreal and Ottawa, but no definite arrangements have been made in regard to the way it will be used.

On account of the change in the plan, whereby the royal party will occupy their cars during their stay here, arrangements will have to be made to accommodate them. The royal train consists of ten cars, which are joined together by telephone, electric light and bell wires. Altogether it is about one thousand feet long. The train shed is however only about five hundred feet long, so that if the train were taken in there the car bearing their royal highnesses would be away out in the yard. To get rid of this difficulty, a Y will be built on the Gilbert property, which will allow the train to be backed in.

During the stay here of the royal party their train will be placed outside of the train shed, from Mill street running back on one of the northern tracks. It will be necessary, if this arrangement holds good to run plankings down the length of the track occupied by the train.

It is understood that one of the main features of the outside decoration of the custom house for the royal visit will consist of a number of handsome transparencies.

PERSONAL.

A. G. Blais, Jr., arrived home today. W. B. Ganong of the Cedars has gone on a holiday trip to Nelson, B. C. Miss Blossom Baird is visiting Miss Fannie Richards, Fredericton, for a few days.

Miss Maggie Sheehan of St. John is visiting her friend, Miss Maud O'Brien, Fredericton.

Mrs. Gregory, of St. John, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. J. T. Turner, Lincoln street, Calais.

Mrs. G. V. Forbes, of Moncton, who has been ill for some time, is not expected to recover.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Ferguson and Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Campbell returned yesterday from the Fredericton exhibition.

Supt. Sharpe, of the P. E. I. railway, and Judge Macdonald, of Charlottetown, have gone to Buffalo to take in the Pan-American.

His Lordship Bishop Casey arrived home today from a confirmation tour, which was in Fredericton yesterday and visited the exhibition.

Mrs. George Miles and Mrs. Bond of Hampton are the guests of Mrs. J. E. Colter, King street, Fredericton.

Miss Josephine B. Mahoney, daughter of Thomas Mahoney of Upper Sheffield, was married at Boston on Sept. 5th to Andrew D. Childs of Pennsylvania.

Mrs. (Dr.) Wheeler of St. John and her sister Miss Sadie Smith, daughter of A. C. Smith, ex-M. P. P., are visiting Mrs. Walter McFarlane at St. Marys.

Mr. and Mrs. James G. Stevens of St. Stephen celebrated their silver wedding last Saturday evening.

Rev. and Mrs. A. P. Robb left yesterday afternoon for Vancouver, whence they will embark for Korea. They were given a cordial farewell by a large assemblage of friends.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Robinson, who have been hunting grounds of the Miramichi in quest of big game. Mr. Talcott hunts annually in New Brunswick.

J. S. Stevenson, teller of the Bank of Nova Scotia, at Amherst, has been transferred to the St. John's, N.B., branch.

The marriage of Charles M. Murray, of Toronto, and Jessie B. Campbell, daughter of Ald. D. H. Campbell, of Halifax, will take place on Wednesday morning, Sept. 25.

Rev. Frederic Robertson, rector of Trinity church, St. Stephen, leaves this week for a vacation trip to Montreal, Toronto, Niagara Falls and Buffalo. He will be absent three weeks during which time the church will be closed.

It was a most pleasing concert that Miss Louise Taylor's company rendered in St. Croix Hall, Tuesday evening, says the Calais Times. Despite unfavorable weather, there was a good attendance, and each number on the programme was well received. The errors were frequent.

A RETURNED PRODIGAL.

On the 4th of this month two young men, named Frank Daneher and J. Sullivan, the former 29 years of age and the latter 18, left their homes on Douglas avenue and had not since been heard of. Their parents made many enquiries, but were unable to learn anything of their whereabouts until yesterday, when Daneher returned to the city and quietly walked into his home near the Suspension bridge. He stated that he had come back to the city by the same method as he and his companion had left it—on the trucks of some C. P. R. cars. Daneher reports that he left Sullivan working in a blacksmith's shop in Bangor, Me., and also mentions having been to Montreal. Their trip does not seem to have been a very profitable one from a financial point of view, but they have no doubt gained experience and would now be quite willing to partake of all the fattened calves that have for years been in the family.

PROBATE COURT.

Letters of administration of the estate of Catherine Farley were granted to A. A. Stockton under power of attorney from the heirs. \$2,000 personalty. Bustin & Porter, proctors.

In the matter of the petition to pass the accounts in the estate of William H. Clark made by A. O. Morrell and E. E. Morrell, the administrators, a citation was issued returnable December 9th.

A BEAR STORY.

Not a Recent Occurrence But of the Sort That Lives.

John Stewart, formerly superintendent of the railway (now the C. T. R.) north of McAdam, and now in the freight department of the great railway at Woodstock, tells with reliable bear story of the days when he was Supt. Stewart. It was twenty years or more ago, and bears were more plentiful in the region between McAdam and Canterbury than they are today. A sportsman who was almost as dead as a post came down and camped in the woods between the two places named, and set traps for bears. Mr. Stewart knew him well, and occasionally visited his camp. One day he paid a visit to the camp and on the following morning he and the trapper made a round of the traps. They found a bear in one of them, and concluded to take him alive. By dint of hard work they got him out to the railway, and took him on a trolley to the house of Billy Glew, a section man, who lived some thirteen miles from McAdam. The bear was in fighting trim, and several times made his captors move around in lively fashion. But they finally arrived at Billy Glew's.

It so happened that Billy had a dog, that thought he knew all about bears, and how they should be treated. This confident canine rushed at the bear with an ill-advised zeal, and wanted to catch him up. The bear welcomed the visitor. He took the dog to his paw, with one fore paw, and with the claws of his hind feet proceeded to remove the vitals of the now reluctant object of his warm embrace.

It was a critical moment. Billy Glew loved his dog and rushed to the rescue. But he in turn got tangled up in the chain which held the bear, and was gathered to the bosom of the foe.

Then appeared Mrs. Glew. She beheld her husband and her husband's dog in a most compromising position, and wicked John Stewart laughing like to split his sides. Her wrath was divided between the bear and John Stewart.

At one moment she was apprehending the bear, and at the next expressing her profound conviction that warmer quarters than a bear's stomach awaited John Stewart.

The outcome of the affair was that the bear was finally killed and Mr. Glew restored to the bosom of his family. But the dog's funeral occurred that day.

Mr. Glew is still in the flesh, though living now in another county, and the last time he saw John Stewart he asked him if he remembered the bear.

Mr. Stewart had not forgotten. Billy Glew and the bear are among his cherished recollections.

A DESTITUTE OLD MAN.

An old man by the name of Robert E. Becket applied this forenoon to the chief of police for assistance to enable him to reach Prince Edward Island. Becket is the man who a few weeks ago was found at an early hour in the morning by Officer Hamm lying in an unconscious condition on Dr. Roberts' doorstep at the corner of Douglas Avenue and Main street. He was then taken to the hospital, from which institution he was discharged on Wednesday. Becket is in a destitute condition, and today stated that he has had only one meal a day since he left the hospital, as he has not been able to earn much money, and will not beg.

He says he has friends in P. E. Island and can find a home with them. Becket was referred to George A. Knodell, Alms house commissioner.

TWO THOUSAND ADVERTISING.

How can the Jesse Macleachlan concert be anything but the most successful in the musical history of St. John? More than two thousand persons are daily sounding her praises to their friends, and incidentally advertising her wonderfully attractive powers. The number represents those who heard her concert last spring. It is necessary for all intending patrons to secure seats early, after the opening, which is Tuesday morning, Oct. 2nd. The Boston Herald says of Madam Van Duy, who appears in conjunction with Macleachlan:—"Macleachlan Van Duy has a wonderful contralto, full of soul and great expression. Her interpretation of the great Arminius Aria was superb, and her singing with the Apollo club a great success. Oct. 7th, 8th and 9th are the dates."

TWO WEEKS MISSION.

A two weeks' mission will commence at the cathedral tomorrow. The services will be in charge of Very Rev. Francis E. Klauder, C. S. S. R., assisted by Rev. Francis Parr and Rev. Father Hammel of Saratoga. The introductory sermon will be preached tomorrow morning at eleven o'clock at high mass. There will be another service in the evening. At one of these the programme for the following week will be read. In the first week services will be held during the day and evening for women and during the second for men.

SHE IS DERANGED.

There was trouble on Sheffield street this morning about four o'clock, while all respectable persons were in bed. Kate Barrigan awakened from her troubled sleep and having wandered to the street commenced an exhaustive search for snakes, mice, little hens and little roosters which appeared to have been troubling her. Not meeting with any pronounced success in this search she procured a basket and set to work picking all the thistles in sight. This performance continued for some hours, and her conduct proved a source of dread to the neighbors, who feared she might become dangerous. It was apparent that the woman had become demented, as she had not been drinking and her conduct could not be charged to the effects of liquor. Kate was taken in charge by Collis Grant (colored) with whom she lives, and an examination will probably be made previous to sending her to the asylum.

DYKEMAN'S 3 Entrances

Black Taffeta Silks at a Special Price. Three lines, 55c., 65c. and 97c. Notwithstanding the fact that there has been a tremendous demand for black taffeta silks, we have been able to get a limited quantity at a price considerably below the regular, and you will save by buying from this lot at least 10c. per yard. The 55c. one is 21 inches wide, 65c. one is 24 inches wide and the 97c. one is 28 inches wide. Guaranteed pure and absolutely fast dye.

Sateen Waists. \$1.00 each. They are made from a splendid quality of fall weight sateen, bias tucks, new cuffs and collar, sizes from 32 to 44.

Corsets. The sale of those corsets which we told you of on Friday will be continued until they are all sold. The "N. C." Corset line, No. 460, always retailed at \$1.00, will be sold while this lot lasts at 59c. Sizes from 18 to 30.

Freize Cloths For Skirts. 54 inches wide, pure wool, in a large assortment of colorings, 95c. per yard.

Venetian Cloths. A most excellent all wool material, suitable for tailor-made suits or separate skirts, \$1.10. It is a material that is well worth \$1.50, but this lot was bought at a special price.

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UP-TO-DATE TEACHERS.

The Charlotte County Teachers' Institute will meet at St. Stephen on Sept. 26th and 27th. Papers will be read by J. A. Allen of St. Andrews, Mrs. Samuel Johnson of St. George, J. B. Sutherland of Milltown, J. F. Ryan of Calais, E. A. MacCreedy of Fredericton, J. Vroom of St. Stephen, P. V. Fox, P. O. Sullivan, St. Stephen, Dr. Geo. U.

GREAT PRIZE WINNERS.

Messrs. Archibald and C. Ashly Harrison of Mauderville, who have an exhibit of roots and vegetables at the Halifax exhibition, made almost a clean sweep in their class. They had twenty entries and captured seventeen prizes, all except three being first.

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