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Good Work Continues.

Boers Driven Helter Skelter to the Hills and Ravines by British Lead.

London, April 26.—A despatch to the Times from Victoria says that General French will take a sea voyage to recuperate his health.

The War Office received the following dispatch from Lord Kitchener:

Pretoria, April 25.—The following captures have been made since my last telegram: Prisoners taken 113; surrendered, 19; Boers killed, 61 horses, 98 Krupp guns, 11 rounds of small ammunition, 15,000 and a considerable number of wagons. A 4.7 inch gun taken at Helvetia and a machine gun were found destroyed. Casualties, one killed and eight wounded.

CAPE TOWN, April 26.—A despatch from Durban, Cape Colony, says the Yeomanry under Col. Volscheider, and the Dutch dragoon volunteer guard were engaged all day Wednesday with the Boers in the vicinity of Durban. When the British commenced firing at a distance of 200 yards the Boers fled in confusion, abandoning a number of horses and a quantity of rifles and ammunition.

Later advices from Durban are to the effect that the Boer commando was thoroughly dispersed, the burghers fleeing precipitately in the direction of Ladysmith under a heavy fire. It is believed they suffered severely. The British had no casualties.

CAPE TOWN, April 26.—The Pro-Boer South African newspaper editor, Cartwright, sentenced a few days ago to one year's imprisonment for libelling General Kitchener, had a profound contempt for the Australian troops, once describing them as the scum of the earth. As the Australians were on the eve of embarking for home the other night they blocked the News Office, smashed the windows, unrolled the floor, and they used as battering ram to smash the tables and other furniture. They scattered the files and destroyed typewriters. The editor escaped through a window. The next day the military authorities sent an official to pay for the damage done.

DURBAN, April 26.—Mr. Saver, brother of the ex-minister of that name convicted of being a ring leader of the rebels in Cape Colony, was today sentenced to one year's imprisonment.

BERLIN, April 26.—The editor of the Deutsche Revue, having written Earl Roberts, Commander-in-chief of the British army, suggesting that an official contradiction was desirable of the charges of British barbarity in South Africa, received in reply an official history of the campaign, which Earl Roberts said had been entrusted to one of the ablest military writers, "which I feel sure will make clear to the civilized world how earnestly the British Government has endeavored to promote humanity during the operations of this terrible war."

CAPE TOWN, April 25.—A Standerton despatch says:—Important developments of the great movement eastward are resulting from the recent defeat of Commandant Grobelaar and the commandments in the east subordinate to him.

Grobelaar's own special commando of 1,000 men bore the brunt of the fighting on the enemy's side. It was known to General French that Grobelaar had started upon the desperate enterprise of breaking back, and General Durnell was sent specially to checkmate him.

Our main force took up a commanding position, holding a neck in the Vryheid range of mountains right across Grobelaar's probable route. Grobelaar was practically taken by surprise, and the unfavorable weather alone prevented his force from being entirely cut up. As it was, he was very badly defeated, and headed off South again. In addition to the considerable number killed and wounded, 200 of Grobelaar's men surrendered to Durnell. They were in a pitiable plight, ragged and hungry.

More Boer Loses.

LONDON, April 26.—Lord Kitchener reports to the War Office from Pretoria under date of April 28 as follows: Kitchener's fighting scouts under Grenfell have surprised and captured Van Bunsberg's laager at Klipdam, north of Pietersburg. Several Boers were killed and 37 taken prisoners. Eight thousand rounds of ammunition and all wagons, carts, oxen, horses and mules were captured. Our only casualty was one wounded. The other columns report three killed, 68 taken prisoners, 57 surrendered and one quick-firer captured.

CAPE TOWN, April 26.—A party of Boers blew up the railroad between Graspan and Belmont, Cape Colony in three places, April 27, apparently with the intention of intercepting a train carrying Mr. Cecil Rhodes. The damage done was slight and was quickly repaired.

A PERMANENT HOLIDAY.

Parliament Will so Proclaim May 24
Ottawa, April 29.—The government have decided to make the 24th of May a permanent holiday and the Premier will announce this in the House this afternoon.TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY
Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. 25c. E. W. Grove's signature on wrapper.

IMPREGNABLE HALIFAX

British Government to Build a New Fortress at Halifax.

Halifax, April 25.—It was announced at headquarters here this morning that the British army authorities have decided on important work here this summer, but the details have not yet been made public.

Sergeant Major Westwood, Royal Engineers an expert fortress builder who was ordered here to superintend the work, has already arrived. The plans call for a new barracks for married soldiers, quarters for the officers of the Royal Engineers and Royal Artillery, quarters for the ward master and a gymnasium. The construction of a fort is also contemplated which will exceed in proportions the York Redoubt, which is second only to that at Gibraltar. The fort, which will be located near Scudwary is to be armed with twelve inch disappearing guns of the latest type. It is the avowed purpose to make its armament superior to any in America and second to none in the world.

TERRIBLE TRAGEDY.

A Portland Man Shoots Promiscuously Without Provocation a Number of Friends

PORTLAND, ME., April 24.—One of the bloodiest and most appalling tragedies in the history of Portland in recent years occurred shortly before 1 o'clock this afternoon on the fourth floor of the building located on the corner of Exchange and Milk streets, and occupied by the New England Telephone Co.

The principal actor in the affair was Geo. H. Brainerd, a foreman electrician, who has been employed by the company for almost 20 years. For some unknown reason, and without the slightest provocation, while quietly chatting with a number of workmen he suddenly shipped out a big 38 calibre revolver and opened fire on the party around him. He was evidently an expert marksman, for although the fusillade lasted only a few moments in that brief space of time he killed one man outright, another died a few hours later, and probably fatally wounded others. Not satisfied with this, he made a desperate attempt to kill Deputy Marshal W. A. Firth, when the officer tried to place him under arrest. It required the free use of a billy to bring the frenzied man into submission, and he was taken to the station bleeding profusely from a scalp wound some two inches in length.

One of the dead men's L. H. Farnham of Boston, the electrical engineer of the New England Telephone Co. The other is Earl Buxton of Springfield, Mass., and the fatally injured are Elmer Z. Lane of Mechanic Falls and James Wadsworth of Lewiston. At first it was thought that the injuries of Wadsworth and Buxton would not prove particularly serious, but to-night it was reported from the Maine General Hospital that Buxton was dead and Wadsworth was suffering from internal hemorrhages and his chances for recovery were very slight.

THE ORANGEMEN.

CAMBRIDGE, April 24.—The Orange Grand Lodge today passed a resolution of regret at the death of the late Queen Victoria, and another pledging unwavering loyalty to King Edward VII.

A considerable general business was transacted.

The election of officers resulted as follows:

Bros. Alward, Wallace and Palmer, acting as scrutineers:
A. D. Thomas, grand master
Philip Palmer, deputy grand master
Wm. Wyse, junior deputy grand master
Rev. A. F. Brown, grand chaplain
Neil J. Morrison, grand secretary
Philip Howe, grand treasurer
G. A. Blair, grand lecturer
Jas. W. Clark, grand director of ceremonies.D. H. Charters, grand deputy grand secretary.
Revs. G. C. Blakeney, and J. E. Fiewelling, deputy grand chaplains.

After the installing ceremonies and the passing of a number of formal resolutions grand lodge closed its session about midnight.

Klondyke Gold Discovery.

TACOMA, April 27.—Passengers just in from Dawson give details of the discovery of a rich second bed rock on the famous Eldorado creek of the Klondyke. In the gravel now being hoisted, it is said, not a bucket of dirt comes to the surface in which nuggets cannot be seen, running all the way from a quarter of an ounce to an ounce in weight. Pans taken from the new pay streak have yielded as high as fifty dollars in many instances, and on one day two men took out dirt that contained \$5,000. The discovery has created intense excitement all along Eldorado.

The Ashanti Floating

MONTREAL, April 29.—Word has just been received from Matane that the Ashanti has been successfully floated and is now in tow of steamer Lord Stanley on the way to Quebec. The vessel is a schooner of 100 tons, and was built at Matane.

THE SOO TO ECLIPSE SYDNEY.

Mr. Clergue Says Daily Output Will be 2,600 Tons.

TORONTO, April 24.—R. A. Clergue of Saint Ste. Marie, was interviewed to day in regard to the despatch from Detroit stating that Mr. Arthur Harvey, an Englishman, representing English, American and Canadian capitalists, had made an agreement for the erection of a huge steel plant at the Soo.

"Mr. Harvey," said Mr. Clergue, "has been in negotiation with our company for a supply of steel for his projected works at the Soo, but so far no contract has been made. He has no other connection with the Clergue enterprises."

"We ourselves are pushing to completion a steel plant with a daily capacity of 600 tons and it will be ready by August or September to begin work on the steel rails we have contracted to supply to the Dominion Government. Plans are being made now for a second iron and steel plant with a capacity of 2,000 tons a day, which will be completed within eighteen months from the present time."

As to the number of men who will be employed when this plant is in operation, I can as yet give no estimate, but there are at the present moment between 7,000 and 8,000 at work for our syndicate at the Soo, on the railways and in the woods."

Mr. Clergue's statement as to the new steel plant is the first intimation that the industry is to be of such magnitude. If 2,000 tons of iron or steel are produced daily at the Soo, the plant will be one of the largest on the continent, and will be almost double the size of the Sydney N. S. plant.

DOMINION PARLIAMENT.

HOUSE OF COMMONS.

OTTAWA, April 26.—On the vote for census, in supply, E. L. Borden asked when it was expected the census would be completed.

Mr. Fisher said that in the central portion of Canada the enumeration had practically been completed. Already eight times as many returns had been received at headquarters as during the whole of April in the census of 1891. He expected it would be about a month before all reports were received from out-lying districts. It would take further time to make calculations as to population. Of returns already received, 229 were from Ontario, 142 from Quebec, three from New Brunswick, eight from Manitoba, one from Nova Scotia.

Mr. Wallace complained that his mill, which turned out \$30,000 or \$40,000 worth of material per year, was not put down in the enumeration, the enumeration stating that only manufacturers employing five men could be put down, and the mill in question only employed four men.

Mr. Fisher said that he did not propose to do as the old government had done in 1891, put down, for instance, every old woman who did knitting as the proprietor of a knitting factory.

Considerable discussion of the race and religion cries took place on the census estimates. Mr. Tarte, replying to N. Clarke Wallace, said he had ballots in his possession which the Conservatives had used in North Bruce, on which was the following: "Be careful to vote for Halliday, so the French will not dominate any longer."

The bill to incorporate the Crow's Nest Southern Railway Company stood, on the suggestion of Mr. Fielding, who said that the arrangement on which the bill was based had not yet been completed.

There was further talk of the "Vote circular and race and religion, which made Jabel Robinson rise and say that he would like to say that he would like to introduce a bill to fine any man \$100 and confine him to the tower for each time he brought up the race and sectional cries in the House.

The House sat until 1:20 discussing the estimate for taking census. It was passed.

On motion to adjourn, Dr. Sproul read a paragraph from a newspaper in regard to the proposition of the Newfoundland government for the ratification of the Bond-Blaire treaty, and asked what the Premier had to say on the subject. Sir Wilfrid Laurier said that Mr. Bond was to sail some time next week and was expected to come direct to Ottawa. More than this he was not prepared to say.

Dr. Sproul wanted to know if the government would not oppose the handing over of fisheries to the United States.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier—I cannot answer my friend, because the negotiations are confidential, and if I do not so it is not because my mind is not made up on the subject, but because I am precluded from speaking on account of the negotiations being confidential.

Sir Richard Cartwright has given notice in the house of Commons of a resolution for a subsidy of \$100,000 per annum for a steamship service between a port in Canada and a port in France.

THE SENATE.

The bill regarding the safety of ships was read the third time in the Senate.

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DICK HUM.

The Story of an Apache Boy.

The white boy, Dick Hurl, did not exactly do gratitude, as the story went, to the Apache, which she, in writing this book, asked to disprove. Dick Hurl's life will never be written by me nor by any one else who now aims to adorn a Sunday school history. He was not that kind of a boy. Dick was an Apache Indian, with all the characteristics of that race, except that the word Apache conveys or suggests. We were children together, Dick and I. We lived, fought and played together for two years in the same army post. On one memorable occasion Dick, instigated by the devil—for I firmly believe in the devil, if only for Apaches—dropped down the neck of my frock coat a live bat. It was the cause of my first fit of hysterics, and I determined if I ever grew old enough I would tell the whole world how bad a young Apache could be.

In 1872, if I remember rightly, General Crook had succeeded, after years of bloody war and the loss of hundreds of good men, in subduing most of the bands composing the Apache nation of New Mexico and Arizona. They had dwelt in the strongholds of mountain and desert, from which they frequently emerged to rob and murder all miners or emigrants that they could ambush, leaving nothing for the human mind to conceive of in the way of cruelty whenever a white man fell into their power.

At the reservation, although they were well fed and quite decently treated, it was necessary to watch them constantly, and large bodies of troops were detailed for this purpose. Nevertheless, scarcely a week passed but a small squad of Apaches, usually led by some attractive squaw, would slip quietly past the guards and escape through the darkness into their beloved cactus plains and mountain barrens. Roll call nearly every morning develops these absences, and next day would come news of murder, rapine and horrors generally. A favorite Apache mode of disposing of the unsuspecting freighter, miner or emigrant whose camp they had succeeded in razing was to tie the victim by the four limbs to stakes and then to build a fire on that por-

tion of his body designated in the old fashioned almanacs as "virgo". There seemed to be something particularly fascinating to the Apache temperament in this form of torture. Death being long in coming, it gave the squaws and papooses plenty of chance to invent small torments on the side, as it were. The women and children emigrants—But enough. Suffice it to say that the absolute hatred entertained by these Indians for the whites was fully reciprocated, especially by the soldiers. It was no

have been able to track and successfully follow the runways through the deserts and in sparse markets over the barren deserts and inhospitable mountains that make up the geography of Arizona. But in that barren country water is only to be found at certain springs and water holes, between which days of travel often intervene, but which are equally well known to soldiers and to Indians.

So when the morning report showed to General Crook that so many warriors, squaws and paposes were missing the grim old warrior would make no sign of pursuit, but on the night following or perhaps the next one a squadron of mounted men would file silently out of the reservation bearing orders to move as rapidly as possible to the water hole at Palo Pinto or to Agua Grande spring or to some other place where the presence of the precious fluid favored a camping place for the renegades. The troops were always positively instructed to bring back no prisoners, all matters of retail being left to the officers in command. One June morning there were reported missing 8 Indians and 11 squaws and paposes, including Wabhe-mo, than whom a more depraved and cruel Indian never existed, even in Arizona.

Two nights afterward a squad of the Twenty-third infantry, Crook's own regiment, under Lieutenant Huyt, a splendid young fellow, who has since left the service, was sent out on a scout with the usual orders. No trace of the renegades was found, but a burned ranch and stage station and a cremated cowboy gave sufficient evidence of Indians at large. The next night, or rather just at dawn, after a long and fatiguing march, the scouts reached a natural rock basin at the foot of one of the steepest and most inaccessible knobs to be found in desolate Arizona. This basin had often collected a supply of acid water which, however, was drinkable enough in that country. A thin vapor of smoke from a nearby spring had convinced the troops that their night's march had not been in vain, and on creeping up as close as possible the hostiles were outlined against the rocks fast asleep.

The little squad silently deployed out so as to avoid missing a single shot and at the word of command fired, killing nearly every one of the Indians. The others jumped up, only to be cut down by the reserve fire. The only two unhurt were Wahmehno and his 4-year old papoose. Grasping the child, he sprang for the mountain side, scaling the rocks like a chamois amid a shower of bullets, soon distancing his pursuers and getting out of a

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French village.

range of their rifles. Halting on a shelf of rock, he sat the child down and proceeded to indulge in every exhibition of contempt and derision that his imagination could invent to aggravate the discomfited troopers, who gasped their several sets of teeth in rage at the insults of the old heathen. They were relieved at last by the arrival of Lieutenant Huy, who bore in his hand a new target rifle, received only the day before the scouts started.

This wonderful gun was guaranteed to carry—I forget—1,100 yards without accuracy, and the lieutenant, who was one of the best fellows in the world in garrisons but quite cold hearted and blood-thirsty where Apaches were concerned, announced that while he was doubtful of his gun carrying near the Indian, yet he was going to try. The Apache, feeling secure against their carbines, continued his taunts until Huyl, taking deliberate aim, with sights raised for 1,500 yards fired. His aim was true and the gun that it was boasted. The old savage plunged face forward over the ledge and crashed down the rocky mountain side at the very feet of the slayer.

The attention of the soldiers was now directed to the papoose, the subject of this sketch. That interesting infant still calmly occupied the ledge and was evidently turning the situation over in his mind. The troopers, with Lieutenant Huyt at their head, slowly and painfully clambered up the rocks and finally approached the orphan, who, instead of squalling as a civilized Christian child would have done, commenced throwing stones at his pursuers, hitting Lieutenant Huyt squarely on the nose with a half pound rock and drawing blood copiously. He followed this success by other good throws, causing as nearly a panic as possible. At last, by flanking him, our Apache was knocked down by a blow from a saber and stunned. His capture was now easy, but the lieutenant's orders were to return no prisoners.

"What shall we do with the little devil?" asked one of the men. "Shoot him or throw him over the cliff after his father?" The "little devil" had regained consciousness by this time and deliberately set his teeth into the calf of the soldiers' leg. Lieutenant Huyl wiped his bloody nose and replied: "A baby who fights in this way ought not to be killed in cold blood. By George, I'll take him back to San Carlos if it cost me my commission."

A gag was put into the young one's mouth to prevent any more biting, and, with a soldier holding each hand, he was landed on the plain below. There he was placed on horseback, a lariat tied to one foot, passed under the horse and tied to the other, and thus the troopers returned to the reservation. Lieutenant Huyl was a great fav-

riere with General Crook, but he had disobeyed orders and confidently expected to be out under arrest. But the general had already heard something of the stone throwing affair and had enjoyed a hearty laugh over Hux's broken nose. When the lieutenant in making his report had reached the point where Wahneem was killed, the general interrupted him with, "By the way, I think you had better not let me know officially any more of this scout than you have already told." Then glancing at the swollen nose he burst into a roar of laughter, in which all the others joined.

The young Indian was confined in the armory until his first fright was overcome. The soldiers of Company A named him Dick Huyl and, fitting him out in uniform fashioned from the lieutenant's old clothes, regularly adopted him into the service.

In less than a month the small recruit learned to express himself tolerably in English and in a very short time had accumulated all the accomplishments or tobacco chewing and profanity possessed by the soldiers. He also picked up a wonderful knowledge of bugle calls and evolutions, always turning out at roll calls and taking his place at the extreme left of the company when in line.

When I first knew him, he had been under the refining influence of the United States service two years. If that Indian had improved in that time, I am very glad I did not know him before. He was not beautiful according to classic standards.

The Apaches flatten the heads of their babies between boards, and this, as much as anything else, served to suppress their unattractive features. Then he had a predilection for carrying snakes in his pocket. The soldiers spoiled him of course, and upheld him in every villainy he chose to perpetrate. When he shot the mules in an ambush balance filled with women and children, causing a runaway and a smash up, one soldier thrashed him with a barrel stave and a dozen more gave him 5 cent pieces to comfort him. They alternately pounded and petted, but it was all one to him. He seldom laughed and never cried. He was an Apache.

I said he never cried. I will note an exception. Every Saturday afternoon the men took him out behind the quarters and gave him a bath. This process was very simple. They stripped off his clothing and turned the hose on him. On these occasions the shrieks of the little savage could be heard all over the post.

I have not seen Dick since I was 9 years old, but I like to think that he grew up and regularly enlisted in the old regiment and is now an honor to the service.

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OVERCROWDED SCHOOLS.

Mr. Miles M. O'Brien, President of the New York Board of Education recently made some sage remarks on the subject of the overcrowding of the school rooms.

"I wish the time were at hand," said Mr. O'Brien, "when we could limit the number of pupils in the classroom to forty-five. No teacher can do justice to sixty children. The individuality of the teacher is lost in large classes, and the best results cannot possibly follow."

"Under the circumstances teachers must do the best they can. But one of the ideals in our school that I look forward to is the classroom where the number of pupils will not be too large to prevent teachers with individuality from impressing it on each and every child. We need more of that individual care for the backward pupils."

The overcrowding of school rooms is one of the weak points of our public education system and is the principal—and perhaps the only—cause of the lack of fitness of the average public school graduate for the duties and responsibility of life. Under existing conditions, not alone in the town, but throughout the country, the tendency of public school work has been rather to suppress than to encourage individuality, not only in teacher but in pupil. Magnificent as the work is in its results it cannot successfully combat the charge that the finished product is machine rather than hand made. There is a mechanical stamp about it all that is not quite a hall mark, and if the time is ever to come when a certificate from our public schools is to be a guarantee of the fitness of the graduate in so far as instruction can fit him to assume the duties and responsibilities of the larger life, it must come through a contraction rather than through an expansion of classes. Mr. O'Brien sets the minimum at forty-five and experience seems to have shown that this is proper, but even if it were smaller no harm could come of it and much good might result. Of course the bright boy or girl with health and ambition and a liking for information will get ahead, but the lad who is dull at school not infrequently has in him potential qualities lying dormant which need only the quickening impulse of individual effort on his behalf to be awakened into a realization. It might be a good idea for our public school authorities who have been sufficiently observant and experienced to speak with knowledge on the subject, to consider what is the exact minimum of the number of pupils in the class whose developing minds may be reached and stimulated and made useful to a community by the effort of the teacher of average equipment for the work in hand.

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The men were ascending from the machine shop to the brass shop when the accident happened. All received injuries which will lay them up for some time.

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The men of the company's employ worked hard to prevent further property loss. It is said there was no insurance on the tanks.

Body Recovered.

The body of Father Joly, the St. Lin. Que., priest whose disappearance caused a sensation, has been found in the lake of Two Mountains.

Sylvania journal which was strongly advocating this cause was raised by a mob and the type of the established dumped into a stream. The innocent type did not advocate cold water in this form. Ex.

The price of steel rails has advanced to \$28 a ton. Mr. Blair's steel rail deal may turn out on the right side yet.

OVER THE WIRES.

Eva Booth's Condition Serious.
TORONTO, April 25.—Miss Eva Booth, Canadian commissioner of the Salvation Army, who has been ill several weeks, is reported by her physician to be in a critical condition.

Bad Railway Wreck.

DAYTON, O., April 24.—The southbound Cincinnati, Hamilton and Dayton limited was badly wrecked nine miles north of Dayton, this evening. The accident was due to spreading rails. Engineer Patrick Dooly was killed as was also Fireman Raymond McElroy. So far as known those most seriously hurt are Frank Weaver, brakeman; George Thompson, baggage master, and Fred Coles, a passenger.

Dorchester Prisoner Killed.

DORCHESTER, N. B., April 24.—Yesterday while working on the new stone shed at the penitentiary, a convict named Basil Blois fell from a ladder, fracturing his skull. This morning he expired. Blois was eighteen years of age. He was a native of Canning, N. S., and was sent here about a year ago, and had 14 months to serve. The remains were taken to Canning by this evening's C. P. R. for interment.

Judge King's Health.

OTTAWA, April 27.—Justice King, who has been very ill for some weeks past, was slightly better this morning. He is still very weak.

Stole \$30,000, begged Forgiveness.

QUEBEC, April 27.—There is no further news of Picard, the missing broker's clerk, but a letter left behind for his employer has been found in which he admits he lost \$30,000 belonging to his employer and begs forgiveness. Mr. Picard has suspended payment for the present, but hopes to meet nearly, if not quite all, his liabilities.

Smallpox in Ontario.

BRANTFORD, ONT., April 26.—The smallpox situation on the Indian Reserve has become more serious. The medical health officer there reports that two of the first patients are not likely to recover. Two additional cases have been developed. The indications point to a serious spreading of the disease and the reserve has been placed in practical quarantine.

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Are You Well?

Unusual question!

If your digestion needs a rest—whatever else may be true—you can get it from SCOTT'S EMULSION of Cod Liver Oil.

Whatever else it may be—it is a vacation for stomach and partly for bowels.

It feeds you a little without any work at all by the stomach. This little may be enough to get your whole body going again, for it helps you more than you realize.

It is not always safe for a newspaper to advocate temperance. A Poughkeepsie, N. Y., paper, in 1891, published an advertisement for free sample, its name was SCOTT'S EMULSION of Cod Liver Oil, and it was sold by all druggists.

Fatal Accident at Amherst.

AMHERST, N. S., April 28.—The residents of Amherst, N. S., were shocked by a severe shock last evening in the death by accident of Henry S. Fisher, one of the firm of C. Fisher & Sons, lumbermen, whose mill is at the latter place. Just near the old homestead, now occupied by his aged mother and twin brother Edgar, they were testing a mill, preparing to commencing work on Monday. Deceased was at the saw, and had just put a heavy hardwood log through and cut off the first slab. With his hand on the lever the deceased was bringing the saw back again, when it struck a slab weighing from 75 to 100 pounds throwing it against him. He was struck directly over the heart and thrown to the ground, his head on the right side sustaining an injury in the fall. The other end of the slab struck the rafters of the ceiling, smashing them in. Deceased was unconscious when picked up, and died a few minutes after.

Accident at Glace Bay.

GLACE BAY, C. E., April 28.—Andrew Anderson, son of Jas. Anderson of Port Morien, was instantly killed at Dominion No. 3, Friday, by being crushed underneath a fall of coal. He was about 24 and unmarried. The remains will be taken to Port Morien for interment.

Fisherman Drowned.

BATH, N. B., April 28.—Dell Cox, son of Dr. J. G. Cox, with some other young men, went fishing today in the Big Chitichahk stream. Cox fell in and was drowned. He was about 25 years old and unmarried.

Child Burned to Death.

STEWART, April 27.—A dreadful accident happened here today. Kathleen, the six year old daughter of Charles Fulton, while playing in the fields together with other children, near some rubbish fires that had been set, caught fire, and before assistance reached her almost all her clothing had been burned from her body. Dr. Pratt and Dr. McLean were very soon in attendance and did everything to relieve the awful agony the child was in, but she died.

A Faithful Dog.

MONTREAL, April 27.—The little six year old Verrett child, who wandered from her home at St. Jean a few days ago, was found by a search party in the woods where she had been lying in the bitter weather for two days and nights. The child owes its life to the family's faithful dog, which kept her from perishing from cold by stretching itself at length upon her body.

The President's Peril.

WASHINGTON, April 29.—Harty Finklestein, a murderous man, attempted to force his way into the White House early this morning. She was a victim of homicidal mania, and was released from the Utah state insane asylum only one month ago. He claimed he had an important personal message to deliver to the President, and grew greatly excited when refused admission. When he saw he was to be arrested he grew violent. He was overpowered, searched and taken quietly to the police headquarters. The police refuse to say whether or not he was armed.

Many Lives Lost.

PORT TOWNSEND, Wash., April 29.—Jacob Rush, who has spent three years in Alaska, returned from the steamer Senator to-day. Just before sailing from Valdez for Juneau, Mr. Rush says a courier arrived at Valdez from Sunrise, stating that a snow slide had occurred at that place April 12, in which twenty or more lives were lost and a number of houses buried beneath snow and ice. The courier left Sunrise shortly after the slide had occurred and could not give full particulars. Mr. Rush says Valdez is crowded with idle men who are anxiously waiting the commencement of work on the government train. He reports that the hospital is full of sick men.

The Editor's Mail.

Mr. Editor—

Permit me to call attention to the "Forward movement of Missions" in connection with the Methodist church. E. C. Stephenson, M. D. Toronto who has been closely identified with this work, since its inception, four years ago, is announced to hold a meeting in Newcastle, Tuesday Eve May 7th, to present its claims and meet any objections that may be suggested. Rev. Mr. Estey will also take part and give an address. While Methodists are expected and very strongly urged to be at this meeting it will be open to all who wish to attend and no doubt will be of benefit to those who are interested in the Mission work of the church of the Lord Jesus Christ. A convention is to be held at Chatham on Wednesday and Thursday, May 8th and 9th. On the first day there will be two sessions. One at 2:30 P. M. the other at 7:30 P. M. At each of these Dr. Stephenson will fill a prominent place. On Thursday committee will meet and as far as possible take steps to make the movement permanent and effective. It is not a new organization nor does it divert any funds from the regular disciplinary channels. It is a spiritual movement associated with a pray, study and give system which cannot but be helpful to all departments of church work. "We expect great good will result from this visit of Dr. Stephenson."

F. H. W. PICKLES.

When you have Headache from whatever cause BOWMAN'S HEADACHE POWDERS will be found a safe, prompt, and reliable remedy. Nervousness, Blisters, Sleeplessness, frequently cause headache. Use Bowman's they are always safe, no opium, Bromides nor other narcotics.

DIED AT RICHIBUCTO.

RICHIBUCTO, N. B., April 29.—Thos. Frecker died yesterday, aged eighty-five years. The deceased was a native of Quebec At nine years of age he removed to Miramichi, where he resided until forty years ago, when he came to Richibucto. He was a man of considerable intelligence, an extensive reader, a vigorous speaker, a strong temperance advocate and a conservative in politics.

MOTHERS DO NOT FAIL TO SEE that you obtain the original and genuine McLean's Vegetable Worm Syrup—safe, pleasant and efficient at all times. At all possible intervals, do not be deceived, obtain the genuine McLean's Vegetable Worm Syrup.

MORRISON'S NEW SPRING GOODS.

The Latest Productions of the Markets.

Dress Goods

In all the newest shades and patterns including Tweed suitings, Covert cloths, Broad cloths, etc., etc.

Ladies' Tailor Made Costumes

Skirts, Spring Coats and Capes. Waists and Skirts made to order at short notice.

Corsets.

The new Straight Front corset, also Long Waist and Short French corsets, ranging from 30c to \$3.50 each

SPECIAL.

50 dozen ladies' plain and ribbed Cashmere Hose, a great bargain at 25c a pair.

FURNITURE FURNITURE!

THE HEAD QUARTERS FOR FURNITURE ON THE MIRAMICHI.

PARLOR SUITES, BEDROOM SUITES, SIDEBOARDS, HAT RACKS, EXTENSION TABLES, PARLOR TABLES, FANCY TABLES, BUREAUS.

CHAIRS,

Including Kitchen, Dining and Parlor chairs, Coblers Rockers, Students and Rattan chairs. Chairs for Everybody.

IRON BEDSTEADS.

A large assortment at reduced prices. Mattresses, Spring Beds, Cots and Bedsteads.

I have made excellent arrangements with the leading Furniture Factories for their goods and customers can rely on getting good value for their money.

D. Morrison, Newcastle.

TENDERS.

Re the Estate of SAMUEL MCLEWEE.

Sealed tenders addressed to the undersigned, and marked "Tenders," will be received at his office until noon on TUESDAY, the 28th day of MAY, 1901, for the following property, viz:—A lot of land fronting on the northerly side of the South West Branch of the Miramichi River, and extending northerly across the Indian Point Branch Railway to the Kings Highway, bounded on the east by lands of Patrick Clancy and west by lands in possession of Thomas Power, being about a quarter of a mile above Derby Junction Station on the Intercolonial Railway. There is, partially erected, on said land a building intended for a mill or factory. Also one steam boiler about 50 horse power, one steam engine about 6 horse power, some shafting, pulleys, rope, nails, a quantity of cylinder oil, two peevies and one cooking stove, which may be seen on the above premises. Also one 16 inch Perfection jointer and counter-shaft, now in the building on the premises first above described. They are both new and were manufactured by the Macgregor Gourley Co., Ltd., of Galt, Ontario. No tender for the above property will be considered if for a less sum than two hundred and forty-five dollars.

Separate Tenders will also be received up to the same time and at the same place, endorsed "Tenders for Planer and Jointer," for one Champion planer and matcher and one 16 inch Perfection jointer and counter-shaft, now in the building on the premises first above described. They are both new and were manufactured by the Macgregor Gourley Co., Ltd., of Galt, Ontario. No tender for the above property will be considered if for a less sum than two hundred and forty-five dollars.

Terms cash on acceptance of tenders.

The above property having been assigned to me by the late Samuel McLeewe, under authority of an order of the Hon. William Wilkinson, Judge of the Northumberland County Court.

R. R. CALL,

Sheriff of the County of Northumberland.

Assignee.

Sheriff's Office, Newcastle, N. B., April 29th, 1901.

SEEDS. SEEDS.

Timothy, Clover, Turnip, and Garden Seeds at the Salter Brick Store. JNO. FERGUSON.

April 17, 1901.

TO LET.

The house now occupied by I. R. Leighton, Newcastle. Possession given about the 12th of May. For particulars apply to DAN'L HOGAN, Newcastle, Mar. 28th, 1901. 4w.

FRUIT, ETC.

ORANGES 20c and 35c

BANANAS 30c.

LEMONS 30c.

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A full line of Groceries at

H.W. Kitchin's.

"Stuck on his Fence"

If you use Page Fence you will see it. But will not be stuck like the postmen in the picture. The Page Fence is woven in our own factory, from selected wire, by machinery, and twice as strong as that sold in the form of coils. Give this year a piece, they are lower than last year.

THE PAGE WIRE FENCE CO. (LTD.)

WALKERVILLE, ONT.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

To be sold at Public Auction on Tuesday, the 23rd day of July A. D. 1901, in front of the Registry office in Newcastle, Miramichi, N. B., between the hours of twelve noon and 5 o'clock P. M.

All that right, title and interest both legal and equitable of James Johnston, devised to him by the last will and testament of the late William Johnston deceased, of, in and to the lands and premises described as follows to-wit:

"All that certain piece or parcel of land and premises situate, lying and being in the Town of Chatham, being part of Lot No. 36 granted to the late George Henderson deceased, and is bounded as follows:—North-easterly or in front by the Queen's Highway across the said lot, past the Methodist Chapel, on the easterly or lower side by St. John Street, southerly by lands belonging to the estate of the late Samuel Fleming, and now occupied by John Townley, and westerly by that part of the said lot formerly occupied by John Hea and now occupied by Edward Keary, being the premises formerly occupied by one James White and conveyed by the said James White to Richard Hutchinson by mortgage bearing date the 30th July, 1887 and the equity of redemption conveyed by James Mitchell, Esq., Sheriff of the County of Northumberland to T. C. Allen by conveyance 6th February, 1891, and by T. C. Allen conveyed to Richard Hutchinson and dated 6th of May, 1891" and now known as the Canada House property, the same having been seized by me under an execution issued out of the Supreme Court against James Johnston.

R. R. CALL,

Sheriff.

Sheriff's Office, Newcastle, N. B., 9th April, 1901.

HARDWARE, TINWARE.

I have a large stock of shelf and heavy Hardware at prices that defy competition.

Also the usual stock of stoves, tinware, etc.

J. B. PHINNEY,

NEWCASTLE.

The Country. An Epitome of Events gathered by ADVOCATE Reporters.

DERBY.

The Frost Stock Co., one of the most popular troupes which has ever travelled on the north shore have done as Caesar "Come Saw and conquered," and what more, they left before we had made up our minds that we wished their departure for some length of time. During their live night's stay their playing has been more than that expected when considering circumstances. Their play—such as "The cigar girl of Cuba," popular as they are, were such as were needed to bring night after night large and attentive audiences. Since their appearance here in the winter of '99 several members have taken their departure only to be succeeded by actors equally as good. We also remember that we had no public hall like the one which we now own, and this improvement added much to the aiding of carrying on of their entertainments.

Mr. Dougall McCatharine, Fredericton, N. B. was in town last week.

Jas. Robinson M. P. returned from Ottawa last Monday.

Nearly all the steam-crafts of which Millerton can boast have been launched.

The M. T. E. Co.'s factory closed some time ago.

The S. W. Boom has been swung after some repairs had been made and already the drives are coming in.

Mr. J. E. Petrie so well-known to all north shore business men left here last week for the northern part of the province.

The members of that energetic Nelson Division, have added much to the appearance of their grounds in front of their hall by smoothing it off and other minor improvements.

Mayer Alexander of Campbellton, who has recently purchased the steam-yacht Florence was in town last week.

Reports lead us to believe that one of the best musical troupes of America of which Mr. C. L. Statts a well-known and popular personage in this part of N. B. is a member, will play in the public hall about May 15th.

Mrs. Jas. Robinson, Miss Robinson, and Miss Irene Robinson returned from Boston last week.

Where's the new sidewalk? Out of sight.

The Rev. Jas. Whiteside pastor of the Presbyterian congregations at Derby and Chathamford preached his farewell sermon to these congregations on Sunday last. During his eighteen months stay in Derby he has made warm friends with those of every denomination and it is with regret that all have heard of his intended departure for his home in Ireland.

Captain Crocker and Mr. Waldo Crocker, Newcastle, were in town Sunday.

DOAKTOWN.

DOAKTOWN, April 17.—On Sunday, 14th inst., Rev. A. F. Robb preached his farewell sermon. The building was crowded by an attentive audience. He preached from the last clause of the seventh verse of the 5th chapter of Galatians, a sermon of power which touched the hearts of his hearers. It is with deep regret that the people of Doaktown part with Mr. Robb, as he has endeared himself to all, Presbyterians and all the other denominations by his earnest, manly, Christian life as well as by his preaching. He has truly obeyed the scriptural injunction, "being instant in season etc., and was warmly welcomed at all homes. The church has progressed under his ministry both in numbers, and in that broad christian spirit that manifests itself in the helping of others. The heroic spirit shown by Mr. Robb in giving up so many of the things that go to make life pleasant, for the sake of our benighted fellowmen in far off Corea, ought to be and will stir up an answering spirit of appreciation in this pastoral district where he is beloved, and throughout the whole of New Brunswick. While we part with him in the deepest sorrow, and regret his going away, still we have a strong feeling of pride that we have lived with and worshipped with a man who has added to his religion that noble disinterestedness that enables him to lay aside self and work for the good of others whose lot is not cast in such pleasant locations. May his action beget in us a like spirit of heroism and may we then

seek to strengthen his hands in every way possible.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Whyte presented Mr. Robb with a nice individual service for table. The forks and spoons were of solid silver and tastefully initialed.

LOWER BLISSFIELD. The weather for the past month has been very cold and windy.

Our roads this season are nice and dry and in good condition for wheeling.

Miss Nora Hurley spent Sunday of last week visiting her sister, Mrs. Mathew Bowes.

Miss Nora Arbo of Upper Blackville, spent a few days of last week visiting friends of this place.

Misses Ella, Annie and Mary Weaver, are visiting friends in Doaktown.

Mr. T. A. Hurley has been in Fredericton and St. John for the past week on business.

A new R. T. of T. Lodge was organized here on Wednesday night last. There was quite a number present, and all seemed to take hold of the work with earnestness and determination towards driving the liquor curse from our land, God helping us to accomplish our desire.

BATHURST. The ice all along the shore of the bay moved out some time ago, but the harbor ice has not all run out, though the channels are all open, and it may go any day, or as soon as the wind, which is yet the prevailing easterly winds of the spring up here, change.

On Saturday the wreck of the Norwegian bark which hung on a point of the main channel, outside the points, moved in shore and broke up. Some parts of it are now stranded among the ice on the easterly point, but it is said the bottom of the vessel, with the ballast, yet remains in the outer channel, and if so it will prove a serious menace to navigation, and must be removed at any cost.

The weather, on the whole, is not too favorably for stream driving, although reports say that when the recent heavy rains were prevailing on the coast, snow instead of rain fell in the interior, consequently a warm sun and westerly winds will probably bring along the drives all right. At the same time the cold nights and easterly wind, which we might expect until the ice moves away from the shores, give us weather which the lumbermen detest. Owing to the scarcity of good stream drivers some of the lumber firms brought a large number of Indians from Miramichi and Richibucto last week, who kept the local constables busy while they remained in town, which fortunately was not very long.

Work has about recommenced on the new county building, and it is expected that a large crew will be employed in a short time. The new building will be a great acquisition to the town, and will present a splendid appearance.

Messes, Leahy and Melanson, who are taking the census in this vicinity, are hard at work, and expect to be finished this week. They report a considerable increase in the population, notwithstanding the fact that a very large number of young men, and indeed young women also belonging to the families living here are away from home, working in different parts of the States. In this connection several hundred young men from the lower end of the county, who left last fall to work in Quebec, have lately returned. Some of them did not seem any too well satisfied, but others said they were well paid and fairly treated. These men were most hired by the large pulp operators on the St. Lawrence and branches.

Business in Bathurst and Bathurst Village is reported by the merchants as only fair, notwithstanding the fact that large operations have been carried on all winter by many different contractors in getting out sleepers, telegraph poles, cedar posts, etc., which supplanting the usual lumbering operations should have resulted in

partly and that for some reason, however, it appears very scarce. Many of the merchants attribute the loss of a portion of the trade of the people to the fact that all along the shore from Bathurst to Dalhousie clubs are formed who send for large quantities of dry goods and small wares to Toronto firms. It would surprise many people to see the quantities of goods these Toronto people send into the northern counties of New Brunswick.

The loss of a sum of money from the office of Messrs. Lounsbury & Co., or from Samuel Shirley, their manager here has resulted in the arrest of a very respectable young man, who will be examined during the week before Magistrate O'Brien. It appears the money disappeared in a very mysterious way, and as it is not yet known what evidence may be adduced at the trial, very little is known about it.

Mr. Harrington, clerk of the peace, is appearing for the crown, and George Gilbert for the accused young man.

That excellent road master, John Kenney, is early at work on the roads this spring, and by every appearance intends to make a good job of them, now while they are in such a condition that the material he is putting on them will be useful.

It is astonishing the large quantities of wagons, carriages and agricultural implements that yet continue to be sold in Gloucester county—we mean goods of Ontario manufacture. There are several agencies here and their large warehouses have been filled up with carload after carload of these useful articles. It is now a rare thing to find a farm in this county which is not fully equipped with machinery of the latest improved patterns. It has often struck us that New Brunswick should be able to afford a few factories to manufacture such machinery, and as they seem to pay as well in Ontario the item of freight in favor of New Brunswick should be quite a consideration. New farms are being opened up every year all over the country, and there must be always a large market for such goods.

The remains of John E. Donnett, a very respectable farmer of Bathurst, were brought home from Montreal on Monday and interred in the Roman Catholic cemetery here this (Tuesday) morning. Mr. Donnett went to Montreal to undergo an operation for cancer, but was unfortunately too far gone and died after the operation. His family has the sympathy of the whole community. A very large number of friends followed the remains to the grave.

—Sun. BATHURST, April 26.—Two liquor licenses in the parish of Beresford and one in Bathurst Village recently granted by the commission, have been withheld for the present by order of the government, petitions having been received in which it is claimed the applications were not properly made and asking that the licenses be cancelled. The complaints will be fully investigated.

Mr. and Mrs. Philip Rive, of Caraquet, who have been travelling in Europe for the last two months, arrived last night in the best of health after a most pleasant trip. They left for Caraquet this morning.

Mr. J. Melanson, sr., merchant, of Bathurst Village, has been seriously ill for some time. His many friends regret there is no improvement in his condition.

Mr. John Young, M. P. P., was in town today.

The Frost Stock Company will play in Masonic Hall here on the 2nd, 3rd and 4th of May.

A number of boys, pupils in the superior school, had a rather exciting time this morning. At recess four or five of them got on a cake of ice and were carried up the basin by the swift current. They were finally taken off by a boat.—Globe.

RICHBUCTO Richibucto, April 27.—R. O'Leary has sold his steamer Frederick A. to St. John parish. Geo. W. Robertson's steamer Calluna is nearly ready for the season's work.

Dr. Thos. J. Bourque has gone on a trip to Montreal.

E. Pine has been given the contract for the street lamps.

The merchants have decided to close their stores every Tuesday and Friday evenings from the first of May until the end of September.

A large number of seals are reported along the coast. The two steamers sighted off this harbor is the ice about a fortnight ago were doubtless sealing vessels.

None of the saw mills on the river have commenced operations yet. R. O'Leary is making extensive improvements to his mill at the North end.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Doherty of South Branch, took place this afternoon. The remains were interred in the Presbyterian cemetery at Kingston.

Called to Brantford BRANTFORD, April 29.—Rev. E. B. Cawsett, of Belleville, has accepted a call to Park Baptist church, in this city, vacated by Rev. Mr. Hutchison, now pastor of the Ontario Baptist church.

Mr. Justice King. OTTAWA, April 27.—Mr. Commons, who is attending Mr. Justice King, says that his patient is a little better today.

THERE ARE OTHERS for only one Kent's Lotion, the cream of the cream, for the cure of all skin diseases and for the cure of all skin diseases.

After a very successful Opening we are now prepared to fill all orders for

Summer Millinery.

We have all the latest novelties and guarantee satisfaction in both style and price.

A full line of **LADIES' WHITEWEAR AND HOSIERY.**

All orders for Millinery will receive careful and prompt attention.

Mail orders a Specialty. Mrs. H. A. Quilty, THE SARGEANT STORE.

For Sale or To Let.

The two storey building fronting on Henry street next to Hecla Foundry.

Also for Sale—One cart, one sloop and one express wagon.

W. A. PARK, Newcastle, April 22nd, 1901.

CARRIAGE FACTORY

We make the very finest grade of Carriages, wagons, carts etc. all hand made and guaranteed to outlive the best of imported stock. A large stock to select from.

Repairing of all kinds and vehicles made to order at short notice. Liberal discount for Cash. Time given if required.

James M. Falconer.

Thos. Russell, Auctioneer and Commission Merchant.

Goods stored and sold on smallest margin. Sales in country promptly attended to. Household furniture especially.

Prompt returns. Office and warehouse opposite Masonic Hall. Newcastle Feb. 18th 1901.

Tenders for Public School Debentures.

Town of Newcastle, N. B.

Tenders will be received marked "Tenders for Debentures" at the office of the Secretary of the Board of School Trustees, Newcastle, N. B. up to the hour of noon of the thirtieth day of May, 1901 for school Debentures to the amount of eight thousand dollars (\$8000.00) running twenty years and bearing interest at the rate of four per cent. per annum, payable semi-annually. Bids to state the amount of bonds wanted and also amount of premiums offered. The money to be paid in Newcastle free of charge to the said Board. These Debentures are issued under the Provisions of an Act of Assembly passed at its last session, authorizing the same.

The Board do not bind themselves to accept the highest or any tender. Newcastle, N. B. 16th April, 1901.

ROBERT NICHOLSON, Chairman of the Board of School Trustees of the Town of Newcastle.

P. F. MORRISSEY, Secretary.

Farm For Sale.

I have a farm, comprising 57 acres, of which about 5 acres are under cultivation. There is a dwelling house, barn, etc. on the premises. Situated in the parish of Northesk, at Johnston's bridge, one mile above Reibank.

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Three engagements occurred April 24 between four German columns under General Kettezer and the Chinese troops under General Lin. The Chinese were everywhere defeated, and after a stubborn resistance forced back over the wall, being pursued as far as Ku Kung. The German casualties were four officers wounded and three men killed and three wounded. The French troops were not engaged.

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THE UNION ADVOCATE, WEDNESDAY, MAY 1, 1901.

A YOUNG MAN'S FANCY.

The Story of a Trained Nurse and the Way She Overcame a Terrible Temptation.

Harold Western had been ill. I hope they do not, for most of them would feel ashamed of themselves if they did.

"You meant that for me, and you know I remembered that I insisted on your calling me Harold or I wouldn't take my medicine or my nourishment. And you did it too. And he laughed weakly at the remembrance.

"Nurse" he called faintly, and a moment more brought the day nurse from the next room. Her blue and white uniform was gone and her stiff white cap. In their place she wore a soft wrapper, and her hair was plaited in a heavy braid that hung below her waist.

"The night nurse has gone," she began quietly. "You are so much better we thought I could manage alone. You have slept nearly all night, Mr. Western, and now I shall get you your milk, and you will go to sleep again."

He followed her lazily with his eyes while she lighted the alcohol lamp and put the porringer of milk over it. Then she sat down on a chair, her head dropped on her breast, and she slept soundly for five minutes, waking when the milk was hot as easily as though she were some sort of a machine adjusted to rest just so long.

"So there were two of you," he said as she came toward him with the milk. She sat down on the stool by the bedside, holding the drinking tube to his mouth. This action brought her quite close, and he noted, as he drank, the soft sheen of her hair, the delicate curve of her cheek, the long lashes shielding her eyes, the firm, sweet mouth, and the strong white hands that were ministering to his needs.

"You are Nurse Dimple," he said as he finished. "I don't remember the other one."

She showed two dimples as she answered. "Yes, that is what you have called me ever since I came. My name is Wade, Emily Wade."

"I like my name best," he answered. "Very well, but now you are to sleep."

But the patient was not so easily disposed of.

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Most Horrible Gang of Murderers in the Country's History.

Twenty-eight years ago, Kansas, indeed the whole country, was shocked by the discovery of the Bender murders. The Bender murderers have few if any parallels in history.

The series of monstrous crimes was committed in the midst of a peaceful, happy and prosperous country neighborhood. Human blood was spilled like water for a few paltry dollars or even for so small a price as the poor clothing worn by the murdered travellers.

The Benders drifted into LaCrosse county, from whither no one ever knew, early in the spring of 1872 and at once sought and entered a government homestead a few miles out from the town of Cherryvale.

They chose a level bit of prairie land in a narrow valley, along which ran the main travelled road leading from Fort Scott, Osage Mission and other points to Independence, the seat of the United States land office.

This house was divided by a thin board partition, and underneath the rear part was dug a cellar about four feet deep, which had no stairway, but which could be entered by a trapdoor in the floor of the rear room. The front room was fitted with rough shelves and contained a small stock of supplies, while across the front of the outside a straggling sign announced that groceries were for sale within and that entertainment could be had for man and beast.

The road ran within a few feet of the front door, and it was understood that the Benders did quite a thriving business with the many way-farers who were constantly passing to and fro. There were four persons in the family of murderers, two men and two women. Old man Bender was German and could not speak a word of English. He was a morose and savage visaged man, who seldom spoke, even in his own tongue. His wife was also German, but she mastered enough of English to tend store. Next came Kate Bender, the only daughter of the old couple. She spoke fairly good English.

At the close of the story Miss Wade went in to make an egg, and Violet rose to go.

"I shall be 21 next week," said Harold, "and then I shall have something to tell you. Violet, my Violet," he whispered as she gave him her hand. "I promised father I wouldn't engage myself till I was 21, but I didn't promise not to love anyone. Do you love me, Violet?"

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The WHIRL of the TOWN

This is May day.
Town Council meets to-night.
Lynch's mill, Nelson is running night and day.
May devotions in St. Mary's R. C. church during this month.

The Steamer Miramichi commenced her trips down river on Monday.
Men are busily engaged preparing the lightship for her summer's work.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Cooke, of Moncton are receiving congratulations on the arrival of a daughter.

Mrs. Christina Dunnett, a respected resident of Whitteville died suddenly of heart failure on Monday, April 22nd.

We carry a small stock of paper bags in all sizes from 1 1/2 to 20 lbs. Also hat bags, twine, and paper in rolls. Our prices are right.

A small percentage of our subscribers have remitted the amount due us. There is still a large percentage from whom we have not heard.

G. A. Lounsbury & Co. are preparing their lot on the old Waverly corner and they will shortly commence the erection of a fine building thereon.

Rev. P. G. Snow will deliver a gospel temperance lecture in the Mission Hall on Thursday evening, May 2nd.

The Miramichi drives are coming along favorably and it is expected that they will all reach the booms safely.

Rev. A. F. Brown will deliver a May morning service in the Baptist Church, Newcastle, next Sabbath. In the evening "Believer's Baptism" will be his subject.

Mr. J. J. Clarke wheeled down from Millerton on Monday and reports the roads airy good. This is unusually early for wheeling. The roads are drying up rapidly.

Don't forget our offer to print 1000 extra fine quality envelopes for \$1.90 cash with order. These are an extra good envelope and are usually sold for \$2.30 per M. We have only a limited number at this price so order early. Cheaper ones if you want them.

STEAMSHIP FOR LONDON.—The first ship of the new monthly line from Miramichi to London and Liverpool will leave here about May 16, and shippers will thus have an opportunity of sending their goods direct.—World.

The steamer Northumberland arrived at Point du Chene from Summerside Sunday morning about ten o'clock and is expected to make regular trips in future. The ice was carried out of Point du Chene harbor by the slight west wind of Saturday.

As the census returns will not be in and published before June 1st, we have decided, by request of a number who wish to participate therein, to extend the time of closing guessing competition of Canada Census until May 15th. Send in your subscription and guess at once. Subscription must be one year in advance.

It is pretty well understood that the brigade camp at Sussex this year will open on Tuesday, June 23rd. The 67th Engineers and 10th Field Battery will go from here. The Woodstock band will go with the 67th, says the Woodstock Press. The Record, on the contrary, hears it persistently rumored in military circles that there will be a fall camp this year.—Sussex Record.

Mr. C. E. Fish, of the French Fort stone Quarry has received a silver medal and diploma from the Paris Exhibition for Wood Pulp Stones exhibited at that fair. This stone was a part of an exhibit embracing stones from nearly all sections of America and Europe and speaks well for Mr. Fish's product. We are glad to learn that orders for these stones are being constantly received from the largest pulp mills in Canada.

ROYAL Baking Powder

Makes the bread more healthful.
Safeguards the food against alum.

Alum baking powders are the greatest menaces to health of the present day.

Hickson's mill commenced sawing on Thursday.

The seats have been placed in the park and the grass and walks cleaned.

Major Maltby has moved the 12th Field Battery equipment to the New Army.

Among the first year students who have passed successfully at McGill college, we notice the name of F. W. McClosky of Boiestown, N. B.

In the Methodist church Sunday evening instead of the regular service there was a service of song.

Miss Agnes Fenton of Chatham died at Wakefield, Mass., on April 27th. The body was brought to Chatham for interment.

Sunday was very warm with a gentle southerly wind. Shirtwaists and straw hats were all the rage.

The new Champion roller presented to the town by the local government, arrived last week and is a fine looking piece of machinery and will be of great service in making good roads this summer.

Large quantities of sleepers are being hauled out at the deep water terminus. Sleepers are in great demand and the prices good.

The Canadian members of Baden Powell's constabulary arrived at Cape Town from Halifax last Thursday.

An alarm of fire was rung at Monday noon. It was for a slight blaze in the house occupied by Chas. McGowan and was extinguished without the aid of the town apparatus.

G. A. Lounsbury & Co. are placing new silos under the barn lately occupied by R. H. Grenley as a livery stable and it will be otherwise fixed up as a first class warehouse for the company's business.

One of Mr. Fred Howe's little boys strayed away from home to Miller's tank and while playing there fell into the trough but was rescued by a number of Commercial travelers who were staying at the Waverly.

The Steamer Rusler will make her trip to Redbank today. She left Newcastle Tuesday afternoon and was to leave Redbank this morning.

There will be a Juniors' Jubilee at the Salvation Army on Thursday evening, when the children will go through Dumb bell, Barbell, Hoop, Drills, etc. The admission to the same will be 10c.

On Monday evening we had a call from J. J. Clarke who is enjoying a rest after teaching at Millerton for over fourteen years. He is taking the good of his holiday and feels very thankful to the Board of Trustees for their considerate offer of six months off duty. He says that he was considerably "rattled" on the 29th March last and wishes us especially to thank his pupils for their kind remembrance of him on that date. Though he has the highest praise for the beauty and convenience of the handsome oak office desk, yet we gravely repeat, may we feel sure, that much of its value in his eyes lies in the pleasant associations which it serves to recall.

Persons travelling on the Maritime express going north seem to have a mania for jumping or falling off the train while it is running at full speed. A few weeks ago a red coat mysteriously disappeared from the train and only escaped death by a miracle. On Tuesday night last while the maritime express was running at the rate of about forty miles an hour one of the men on Mr. Tibb's private car suddenly disappeared, and upon the matter being investigated, it was found that the man had fallen off the rapidly moving train, but in some miraculous manner he had escaped serious injury. The train was held at Kent Junction for an hour or two while section men searched the track and found the missing man. He was returned to the waiting train slightly shaken up but very little the worse for his experience.—Times.

Railway men who traverse the north shore especially, are familiar with the phantom ship story, which is told with all the gusto of a superstitious mind, but it falls to the lot of very few of the trainmen to actually see this weird and spectral illumination which the imagination of the inhabitants along the Bay Chaleur transform into a phantom ship. On Thursday night last, however, so report says, some of the men on the fast freight were privileged to see what is supposed to have been the phantom. This ship, which has no existence in fact, but only in name, is seen on the Bay Chaleur and on the night in question, while the fast

DIED.

At his home at Lower Derby, on March 29th 1901, Thos. C. Newman, aged 70 years.

For twenty-four years Vapo-Cresolene has been extensively used for all forms of throat and chest ailments.

Social and Personal

Mr. D. Doyle was R. St. John's last week.

Mrs. Harley and Miss Harley were visiting friends in St. John for a few days last week.

Miss McCurdy has returned to Truro, N. S.

Mr. Hubert Sinclair returned from a successful business trip to Sydney and Gloucester Bay C. B. last Saturday night.

Messrs E. Sinclair and John Ferguson have gone to Montreal, Boston and New York.

The many friends of Robert Marshall will regret to hear of his serious illness. Mr. Marshall's medical adviser has recommended absolute rest for several months and the manager of the Mutual Life Insurance Company, and Provincial government have granted him leave of absence until such time as he shall have regained his health.—St. John Telegraph.

Mr. Geo. Skeffington of Moncton was in town on Monday.

Mr. Chas. Mitchell, accompanied by his mother, left on Monday night for Medicine Hat, N. W. T. Mrs. Mitchell will reside there.

Miss May Kane of Millerton is visiting Miss Hogan.

H. H. Pitts, Esq., of the Fredericton Reporter was in town last Thursday.

Geo. H. Haviland of Fredericton was registered at the Waverly last Thursday.

C. A. C. Bruce of Chatham was in town Friday.

W. P. Copp, of St. John was in here on Saturday.

Walter Scovil of St. John, spent Sunday in town.

Miss Maggie Holland of Bathurst, who has been visiting Mrs. Quinn returned home last Saturday night.

Mr. Geo. Stothart of Chatham, was in town yesterday on his way to St. John.

Freight was ploughing her way through the murky darkness, along where the ship generally makes its appearance, a bright light was seen on the water, and, while no one is prepared to make oath that it did, yet it appeared to keep pace with the train for some distance. Owing to the speed and unsteadiness of the train, however, those who saw what was intended for the phantom ship, were not able to make out the exact lines of a vessel, but no one doubts but this is what it was. Old inhabitants along the Bay Chaleur, who declare they have seen the phantom ship, say it appears in the form of an illumination and has been revealed to them so clearly that they could see the perfect outlines of a vessel with men in the rigging. It's an old story, but a mysterious illumination on the Bay such as was seen on Thursday night last, easily revives it.

S. A. CONSTABULARY

Three Canadians Died En Route to Cape Town.

MONTREAL, April 29.—The first news received from the Baden-Powell police since the sailing of the steamer Montreal was contained in a letter which reached Mr. J. W. Low, of St. Catherine street, Westmount, this morning, from his son, Trooper J. W. Low. The letter is dated from the steamer April 8, just one hour before the Cape Verde Islands were sighted, and contains news of the death of three members of the force, one staff captain and two troopers. Trooper Low writes as follows: "We expect to sight Cape Verde Islands in about an hour, and if I can send this I will. You will have to excuse the shortness of the letter, as I only heard this afternoon that it would be possible to mail it or that the ship would call at all. After leaving Halifax the weather was fine, but most of the men were troubled with seasickness. Three men have died since sailing, Staff Sergeant Purden and Troopers Mann and Patton. All died within three days of each other." Sergeant Purden was an Englishman, who came to Montreal and joined the Duke of York Hussars, of Montreal, and went through the South African campaign with the Canadian Mounted Rifles, with whom he returned to Canada and joined the constabulary. Trooper Gifford Oliver Mann was twenty-nine years old, son of Gifford Mann, agent, of Ottawa. He died of inflammation of the brain. E. Patton was a native of Toronto.

The Patton who died is a son of Thomas Patton of St. John. Dr. Walker, who examined him, says he had one of the best physiques among the lot. Previous to enlisting he had been living in Sussex.

Conscience Money.

OTTAWA, April 29.—The minister of Customs received a letter today from the High Commissioner in London, England, stating that a lady called at his office and left in an envelope, without name and address £30 conscience money for the customs department of Canada. This was on account of jewelry and other articles sent into Canada on which there was no duty, or insufficiently paid. Lord Strathcona sent the cheque to the department here.

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FREDERICTON, April 28.—Colonel Hewitson, of Doak Settlement, a well known character about town, died last evening, and the suspicious circumstances which surround his demise have created a sensation about town today.

It appears that last night a man named John Johnston, better known as "English Jack," and an inmate of a den on Westmorland street, kept by Newton Lee, went to MacPherson's livery stable and told the stable manager that Newton Lee wanted to hire a horse and man to take Hewitson, who had been drinking, home to Doak Settlement.

Mr. Gerow, the manager, accompanied by a colored driver, went to Lee's, where he found Hewitson in an apparently drunken stupor. He spoke to the colonel but received no reply. Lee then paid the stableman \$2 to take Hewitson home, and as the latter was unable to move, helped to lift him into the wagon. During the drive to Doak Settlement the driver spoke to Hewitson several times, but received no reply and on arriving at the destination was shocked to find his companion was dead.

FREDERICTON, April 29.—Coroner Seery this morning empanelled a jury to investigate the death of Col. Hewitson, which took place while on a spree Saturday night. The coroner and jury drove to deceased's home at Doak Settlement this afternoon to view the body. There are no marks of violence discovered on the body, and whether there are any grounds for the suggestions of foul play can be determined only by an autopsy, which it is probable will be made this afternoon.

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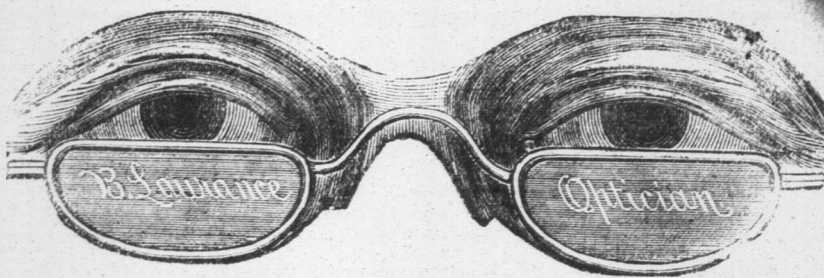
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