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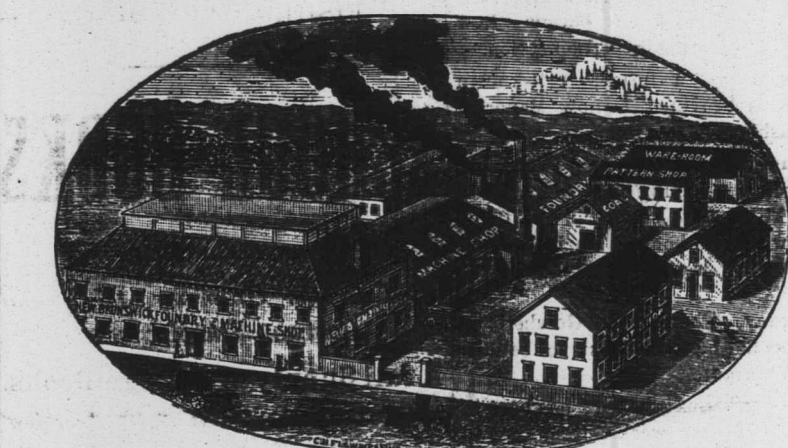
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SUMMARY NEWS.

The Imperial Government of China
has come to a decision of great impor-
tance—that, namely, of sanctioning in
principle the introduction of railways
into the country. The Empress calls
upon the great functionaries of State to
submit plans for the construction and
management of strategic and com-
mercial lines. Proposals were accord-
ingly made by the Viceroy Li Hung
Chang and other representatives of the
progressive school, to be carried out on
the conclusion of a definitive treaty with
France. Li Hung Chang is now con-
vinced by experience that no public
work requiring organization and financial
accuracy can be undertaken by the
Chinese themselves. Consequently, the
railways must be constructed and man-
aged by skilled foreigners. But the Gov-
ernment has a natural dread of the in-
road of foreigners, and is unwilling to
assign them rights over the soil of China.
They will, therefore, be a strong disinclina-
tion to grant concessions, and the rail-
way problem will probably be solved by
the Government itself assuming the
responsibility of making State lines.—N.
Y. Sun.

The history of the famous Eddystone
lighthouse is a convenient epitome of the
progress of the art of building these edi-
fices as it has been developed in England.
The first house stood for five years, and
was swept away by a storm; the second,
after a life of forty-six years, was destroyed
by fire; the third, built by Smeaton in
1758, stood for 122 years, when it had to
be removed because the rock on which it
was built began to give way; the fourth,
designed by Sir James N. Douglass, was
finished two years ago. Its total height is
170 feet, exceeding its predecessor by 74
feet. In height indeed it stands promi-
nent among its fellows, though the
Skerryvore lighthouse, eleven miles from
Tyree, a small island among the Outer
Hebrides, shows its light at a greater
elevation. The Eddystone, which may
be taken to represent the newest ideas
of lighthouse arrangement, consists of ten
stories, arranged in the following order:
Entrance, oil rooms, store and coal room,
crane and store room, low light room, bed
room, service room, the lantern being the
highest of all, as the water tanks are, on
the other hand, the lowest.

There is a wondrous beauty at Long
Branch according to several writers. Her
name is Gloria Cespedes. She is a daugh-
ter of Gen. Cespedes, who was killed
about fourteen years ago in the Cuban
revolution. Twins were born to the
widow a few months after her patriot
husband's death, and Miss Gloria is one
of them. She is described as a most
beautiful specimen of the pure Spanish
type. Her face, while characteristic of
her nationality, is more regular and deli-
cate in its features than is usual among
her countrywomen. Her hair is jet, her
eyes large and lustrously soft, her com-
plexion rich and clear, and her expression
bright and amiable. Still more remark-
able than her perfection of head is her
faultlessness of figure, combining stately-
ness and grace in both carriage and pose.
Whenever she appears among the dancers
in a hotel parlor, or the loungers on a
veranda, there is nothing else to be look-
ed at. She dresses in a childish fashion
yet, and not with any adherence to
Cuban styles; nor are her juvenile man-
ners at all affected by the coquettishness
common to the girls of Cuba. Her fan
is not used in tropical tricks, and her
eyes seem to know no other than honest
witcheery.

Sir John Astley hailed a cab in London
and was driven to the Bachelor's Club.
The horse was left for a moment by the
driver, and it ran away, knocking Thomas
Allen senseless, and he sued Sir John for
damages. At first sight it would seem
that he could have no claim, but the
evidence showed otherwise. Sir John
was the owner of the hansom, and the
driver was his groom. There is nothing
extraordinary in that, for many gentle-
men in London keep private hansom.
But this baronet had the cab numbered
and the groom licensed, and the driver
was allowed to pick up fares like an or-
dinary cabman. He had been with Sir
John five years, and the baronet paid
him \$6.25 weekly wages. On the days
when he became a cabman he paid Sir
John \$2.50 a day. Whatever the coach-
man earned over that was his profit; if
he earned less it was his loss. On this
particular day he was a cabman, and Sir
John claimed that he had paid his fare
like any other passenger, and was, there-
fore, not liable. Sir John conducted his
own case, saying that he was poor, and
could not afford to engage a lawyer. He
made an amusing speech, and fully ex-
plained the way by which he turned an
honest penny as cab proprietor. He said
that the Duke of Marlborough also had
cabs for hire on the streets of London.

RATTLESNAKE JAKE'S DEATH.

How Two Wild Men of the Wild West
Died with Their Boots On.

(Portland Oregonian.)
On Big Spring creek, in Meagher
county, a few days ago, Rattlesnake Jake
and his partner, O'Fallon, two desperadoes
and reputed horse thieves, attempted to
run a small place called Lewiston, and
meeting with some opposition they de-
clared they would clean out the town, and
commenced shooting at everybody in
sight. There were only three guns in the
town, and they were placed in the hands
of men of undaunted courage, who used
them with such good effect that both of
the supposed horse thieves were run
down in a short time, O'Fallon being shot
first, through and through, with a Win-
chester rifle, and Rattlesnake served in a
like manner a short time afterward. Both
men showed great pluck. O'Fallon,
after being shot through, rode back to his
partner and asked him if he was hurt.
Jake said that he was "Well," said
O'Fallon, "I am shot and I am dead man,
but I will stay with you." At that mo-
ment he fell from his horse, then raised
himself upon his knees, took deliberate
aim with a Winchester at a young man
named Smith, an outsider, who was try-
ing to get away from the fracas, and shot
him through the head, killing him in-
stantly.

The citizens saw that there would be
more men killed if the thing was not end-
ed quickly, and shooting from pistols of
all sizes commenced in earnest. O'Fallon
took five shots in the body before he fell
the second time, and then he raised him-
self on his side and continued shooting
until he had not strength enough to sup-
port himself, and after lying down he
kept shooting as long as there was life in
him.

Rattlesnake Jake, after he was shot
through the body, kept shooting; then
his right arm was broken by a ball and he
changed to his left hand and kept shoot-
ing; another ball broke his right leg and,
supporting himself by the other, kept
shooting; another ball struck his chin,
carrying away half of his jaw, when he
fell on the ground, raised himself on his
side and kept shooting. From weakness
he could not support himself any longer
and he fired lying flat on the ground.
There were nine balls in him before he
gave up. Just before he drew his last
breath he made an effort to draw his pis-
tol again, but had not strength enough,
and it fell by his side.

KNIGHTS OF THE HICKORY.

Terrible Torture Inflicted by Masked
Men on an Indiana Widow.

CHICAGO, Ill., July 31, 1884. In Spencer
township, Harrison County, Ind., 25 miles
west of New Albany, last night, a gang
of 20 masked men went to the residence
of Mrs. Sallie Tipton, a widow, at mid-
night, and taking her from her bed, tied
her to a tree near her residence, and
gave her a most cruel beating with
hickory switches. The wretched woman
fainted twice during her savage torture,
the miscreants resuscitating her by
throwing water upon her. The woman's
screams for mercy were heard a quarter
of a mile away by a neighbor, but, not
suspecting the cause of them, and the
night being very dark, he did not go out
to investigate. After this terrible tor-
ture of their defenseless victim, the
schemers loosed her from the tree and
departed, warning her that, unless she
left the neighborhood within 20 days,
they would again visit her and inflict
still severer punishment. The poor wo-
man, it is said, was suspected of being
unchaste, and these supposedly highly
moral citizens took this method of pre-
serving the virtue of the neighborhood.
The rascals guilty of the brutality be-
long to a regularly organized gang in
Harrison county, known as "The Knights
of the Hickory Switch."

TODDLERS WITH A PISTOL.

Awful Result of Children Handling a
Loaded Weapon.

A Columbus, Ga., despatch says:—Near
Waverly Hall, in Harris county, Archie
and Henry Bird, brothers, live. Henry
Bird had been on a visit to his brother
Archie, and while there he saw his pistol,
which he concluded to take home with
him. Each of the gentlemen had a little
girl about seven years of age, and they
had the pistol snatching at each other.
When Mr. Bird reached home he took
the pistol, and after loading it with car-
tridges, placed it on the mantelpiece, tel-
ling the girls that it was loaded. Ignorant
as to the meaning of this, Archie's little
daughter took a chair, and securing the
pistol thought they would continue the
sport, and again pointed it at her little
cousin and pulled the trigger.
The ball struck her near the eye and
passed entirely through her head, killing
her instantly. The mother of the little
girl who was shot was sitting in the room
at the time, was busily engaged, and did
not notice what the children were doing.
When the sharp report rang through the
room she looked up only to see her lit-
tle daughter falling and the blood and
brain pushing from the wound. The
little girl who did the shooting was thrown
into spasms by the horrible accident.

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WHAT THE LIBERALS CAN DO.

Mr. Charlton says that when the Liberals come into power they will take the duties of raw materials, and if it is necessary to do so, in order to make up a deficiency in the revenue, will put a heavier duty on manufactured articles. If the term "raw materials" is understood in its widest sense, which would embrace not merely articles to be made up in factories, but coal and the necessities of life, this policy is a correct one. As we have taken occasion before to point out, Free Trade is an impossibility. It looks to us very much like a waste of time to talk against a high tariff. The only way in which four and a quarter million of people can raise some \$31,000,000 a year is to tax themselves, and as our people will not consent to a direct tax, the money must be raised by duties and excise. This being the case, to say that the tariff should not be so graded as to give our own people an advantage over outsiders, is to talk nonsense; and we are satisfied that no Liberal is opposed to such a course.

The Liberals cannot materially reduce the amount to be collected annually from the people; although of course if the tariff yields more than is needed, they could lessen it so as to prevent the rolling up of a surplus by unnecessary taxation. We therefore conceive it to be an error to make the reduction of taxation in the aggregate a prominent feature in the Liberal platform. A promise to make the taxes of the people less can hardly be carried out, at least it cannot be carried out to that extent which the people would expect. The tariff can be remodelled; it can be made more equitable; the method in which duties are computed can be made less intricate and oppressive; and in the event of the tariff yielding more than the country requires the duties can be lightened.

But there are other things which the Liberals can do and upon these they should speak with no uncertain sound. They can insist upon the abolition of the Senate, or at any rate upon its being made elective. They can break the hold which the Canada Pacific Railway Company has upon the throat of the country. They can secure the rights of the Provincial Legislatures beyond the possibility of meddlesome interference by those who believe in centralization. They can demand and obtain from the Mother Country the fullest powers of self-government. They can make laws to prevent collusion and fraud in public contracts. They can inaugurate a thorough system of administrative reform.

These are some of the points upon which the Liberal leaders can take a pronounced stand, they will find the people with them; but as long as they keep talking vaguely about the N. P., they will find they will awaken very little enthusiasm or gain very few converts. We believe in the N. P. as little as any one can, believing it to have been a humbug and a fraud upon the country; but the Tories have made a return to the tariff of 1875 an impossibility. Let this fact be recognized, and let the policy of the Liberals be shaped in view of it. They will then both win and deserve success.

THE CRISIS IN ENGLAND.

The House of Lords has been sitting on a volcano, and the long deferred explosion has come. Throughout the length and breadth of England the people are aroused; and the cry, "Down with the Lords," is ringing in nearly every county. The days of class supremacy and an hereditary legislature are drawing to an end. With every day the agitation has become more intense. The Tories at one time hoped that the feeling of the people on the Egyptian Policy of the Government would counteract the undoubted sympathy of the majority of the electors in the matter of the Franchise Bill. But the Egyptian policy has justified itself. Gordon is safe and abundantly able to

take care of himself, and the horrors of a mid-summer expedition up the Nile have been avoided. The Tories must, therefore, face the constituencies, in the event of a general election, upon the Franchise Bill alone, and they are at their wits end to know what to do.

SHERIFF DOUCETT'S CASE.

We have not the slightest doubt that the prosecution of Sheriff Doucett for opening a mail bag and taking a money letter from it, is prompted by political spite. At the same time the law permitted what has been done, and much as we may question the good taste displayed by Mr. Robert Young in taking the matter up, the legality of his proceedings cannot perhaps be questioned. Of course we say this on the presumption that he has acted regularly. Sheriff Doucett is very unfortunate in having got himself into his present difficulty; but he ought rather to feel gratified at the opportunity afforded him to clear himself before a jury. Our Bathurst correspondent says the Sheriff is the victim of an organized conspiracy, the object of which is his dismissal from office. This appears to be the case from more reasons than one. The *Sun* has given publication to the most glaring misstatements of the Sheriff's conduct, and seems to be bent on hounding on to the Penitentiary. The Dominion Government has sent the Deputy Minister of Justice to the County to prosecute the case before the Magistrate, who lives twenty-five miles from Bathurst and never acted in a judicial capacity before. He is also a bitter political enemy of the Sheriff.

THE PRESIDENTIAL CONFLICT.

The impression is gaining ground in New York that Tammany will soon come out flat-footed for Cleveland and Hendricks. At several of the Tammany branch headquarters, banners have been displayed bearing the portraits of the candidates. It is stated and not contradicted that John Kelly is only holding off until he has the different sections of his following in harmony. Hendricks is very hopeful of success. He says the Democrats will carry both New York and Indiana. The scandals about Cleveland are being widely circulated, but many shrewd Republicans are beginning to have doubts as to the wisdom of basing their attack upon such a foundation. Cleveland's friends do not deny that he has not been mixed up with low women; but as a prominent Republican said when asked why this had not been used as a canvass at the gubernatorial election: "it is a hard thing to live in Buffalo and not get into some scandal." On the other hand there is said to be a fine mess of a similar character in preparation about Blaine. There are signs of a serious Democratic "kick" in New Jersey, but as a counter-balance to this, General Chamberlain of Maine has come out against Blaine, and there is said to be a large bolt to Cleveland in Vermont. The Republican Managers laugh at the independents and bolters, and say that for one deserter they will have five volunteers. The fight is keen and very bitter.

NOTES AND COMMENTS.

They are going to begin the Caraqueet Railway and to turn the sod with some ceremony. This is not exactly the way our railway men go to work. The Miramichi road was graded half way to Muryville almost before people found out that it was begun.

It is said that quite a number of Conservatives will unite with the Liberals in giving Mr. Mowat a reception on his return from England, with a view of demonstrating that they are not in sympathy with Sir John Macdonald's attempt to deprive Ontario of her territory.

The Editorial Contributor of the *Sun* says that the meadows on the Murray islands are expensive to maintain. For a moral reformer, who never misses a chance to exhibit his own pretended saintliness, and who sometimes gets into the pulpit of a church, and proclaims, among other things, the lot which all have in the next world who disregard the truth in this, the Editorial Contributor can tell a more barefaced untruth than any other man in New Brunswick.

An Ottawa correspondent gives the Toronto *Globe* the following, which may be taken for what it is worth:—

A well-known Tory politician, speaking of the Government's relations with the Canadian Pacific Railway Company, a few days ago remarked that if the railway should again revert to the Government it would be a good thing for the country, because we would soon be so burdened with debt that annexation to the United States would then be inevitable. On being asked if the Premier looked with favor upon such a contingency, the same gentleman replied that Sir John would probably see the Pacific Company

through, and retire from public life as soon as possible after the road was opened, leaving to his successors the work of defending his extravagance and folly. It is the "thrill" that is expected to follow the opening of the railway from ocean to ocean that the Tories rely on to carry them through the next political campaign.

An Editor Insulted.

Editors have to put up with all manner of taunts and insults. Not long ago at a social gathering an Austin lady said to a young man connected with a local paper: "You ought to belong to a church choir. But I can't sing. What put the idea of my belonging to a choir into your head?" "Oh nothing, except I was reading the other day that a San Francisco church proposes to introduce harp music into the choir, and there is not much difference you know, between a harp and a lyre, so I thought I'd make the suggestion."—*Texas Siftings.*

GLEANINGS.

A Good Budget of News from all Parts of the Province.

The Roman Catholic congregation of Miltown are to have a mammoth picnic on the twelfth instant.

The New Brunswick brigade of garrison artillery will send a team of twenty men to Quebec to compete for the prize on Orleans Island, on September 12th.

While the night-watchmen, a few nights ago, were on duty near Leek's bridge, on the Spring Hill and Parrsboro Railway, several gunshots were fired at them. The shots did no harm.

Denis Costigan has been admitted to bail in the sum of \$8,000 for his appearance at the St. John Circuit Court which meets on the 12th instant. Denis Costigan is \$4,000, Edward McDonald \$3,000, Patrick McDonald \$1,000 and James Costigan \$1,000.

Lizzie Barrett, aged 35, tried to commit suicide at Amherst, N. S., on Wednesday last, by taking oil of cedar. She was tired of life. She will probably recover.

The crops in Albert County have suffered from the effects of the late rains. On the wet land, crops such as corn, oats, beans, &c., are looking very yellow. Hay is now growing well and it is supposed will be a good crop. Potatoes are not generally very forward. Farmers have been unable to hoe them owing to so much wet.

An Associated Press despatch of Aug. 1st, says: "The crew of the British barque 'Low Wood,' at Limerick for Delaware Breakwater, mutinied. The mate was stabbed and is in a dying condition. Two seamen received dangerous wounds. The mutiny was quelled by the police." The barque "Low Wood" is owned by Messrs. Frop & Son.

Mr. John Leary, a former well-known resident of this Province, is now Mayor of Seattle, Washington Territory.

The fishing party on the upper waters of the Nepisiguit, are having good sport. Lady Macdonald killed a fine salmon in the Pabineau Falls within an hour of reaching camp and the following day the other ladies got one each.

On Saturday, Thomas W. Getchell, of Moncton, was fined \$50 and costs for selling ale in his restaurant.

Although the Sussex creamery has been in operation only a few weeks, from 1,200 to 1,500 pounds of milk are received daily. Besides making butter, cheese is manufactured from skimmed milk.

Hiram Freeze, for many years Postmaster at Doaktown, died last week.

Butternut Ridge Grange, at its last session passed a resolution unanimously endorsing the Scott Act in Westmorland County.

Owing to the late heavy rains and consequent rise of water in the river, the work of blasting the rocks at Grand Falls has been suspended.

The St. John *Sun* says that it is rumored that one of the prominent officers of the St. John volunteers, is urging on his brother officers the propriety of entering into a solemn agreement not to speak to or otherwise socially recognize any of the rank and file of their respective corps.

Mr. G. Herbert Lee and Mr. T. W. Lee, both of St. John, have gone to Hartford, Conn., to attend the gathering of the Lee family, in commemoration of the 250th anniversary of the settlement of John Lee in the Connecticut colony.

His Honor Lieut.-Governor McDonald took the oath of office in the Legislative Council Chamber, Charlottetown, at twelve o'clock on Friday. The oath was administered by Mr. Justice Henry, in the presence of a large number of citizens, including Fred. Brecken, Postmaster of Charlottetown, the Hon. Donald Ferguson, the Hon. Wm. Campbell, Mr. J. J. McGee, Clerk of the Privy Council, and other prominent gentlemen. Immediately after the "swearing in" was performed, the Caledonian Club of Prince Edward Island presented him with an address, which was read by Prof. Caven. His Honor made a suitable reply.

MARRIED.

At St. Dunstan's Church, on the 5th inst., by the Rev. J. G. McDevitt, P. C. Keegan, Esq., of Vanburn, Maine, Counsel-at-law, to Mary, eldest daughter of Owen Sharkey, Esq., of this city.

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Just received and for sale as usual, by

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Fredericton, May 21.

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SPORTING EVENTS.

Jay-Eye-See and Maud S. do Wonderful Trotting.

Ross proves unable to hold his own with Teemer.

At about 3 o'clock the little black Jay-Eye-See came on the track amid the plaudits of the assembled thousands. He was sent a warning up mile in 2:24. Meanwhile the pool was selling \$30 to \$31, that he wouldn't beat his record of 2:10. Then Maud S. trotted a slow mile in 2:34. They were followed by Phyllis and H. B. Winship, who jogged around the track together, but had a friendly brush down the homestretch in which Phyllis got the best of it. The time was 3:37. Then the bell rang, and it was announced that Jay-Eye-See would make a mile to beat his record of 2:10. Gabe Case, a raw-looking runner was harnessed to a sulky for the purpose of urging the trotter.

When the word was given Jay-Eye-See was off like a shot, and the runner, who was several hundred yards in the rear, had a lively time catching up, but lapped Jay's wheel at the three-eighths, and there he hung, his presence, of course, being a constant incentive to the gamy little black to do his best. The quarter had been passed in 33 seconds, and at the half the watches showed 1:05, remarkable time. Jay-Eye-See trotted as square as a die, without lifting his nose, and without the whip being raised. The three-quarters was passed in 1:39, and then people began to be anxious. Would he be able to keep up the pace? A thousand watches were held in the palm, and six thousand pairs of eyes were focused on the trotter. Still on and on he sped, rounded the turn without a break, and dashed down the homestretch like a black streak of lightning. Just before he reached the wire the running horse swung out opposite, and its driver yelled. Bithers put the whip lightly to the trotter, and he went under the wire in 2:10—the fastest time in the world. The last quarter was done at the rate of 2:04. How the crowd did cheer! J. L. Case, the owner of the steed, was beside himself with joy. A great floral collar was presented to the horse, and Mr. Case went into the grand stand and kissed his wife, to the great delight of the crowd. Then came the trial of Maud S. Cobb's previous record was 2:20. He started off well, but made a break at the two-thirds, and he was not feeling in the best trim and only equalled his time of 2:13 made at Chicago the other day.

At Cleveland, Ohio, on Saturday last Vanderhill's Mare "Maud S." trotted a mile without a skip, without urging and without a running mate, in 2:09.

Wallace Ross beaten by Teemer. The four mile race between Ross and Teemer for \$1,000 a side and half of two-thirds of the gate money, was rowed off Oak Point on Saturday evening. About 7 o'clock the men were started, Teemer going to the front immediately. He then slowed down a little and Ross took the lead and at an eight of a mile was half a length ahead. By hard work Teemer again took the lead and at the mile and a half Teemer was leading by half a length and rowing 30 strokes to the minute, while Ross was rowing a little faster stroke. A quarter of a mile further on Teemer led by a length, and then began the great struggle for the honor of first reaching the turning stake. The hard work that Wallace had been doing began to tell and he seemed a little weak, for he rowed two lengths outside of his turning stake. Teemer made an excellent turn, and when he squared away for home had three lengths to good. Ross was advised to get inside, but he did not heed the advice and, consequently, lost two lengths. Quarter of a mile from the turn Teemer "caught a crab" and unslipped his right hand out. Ross had got to within a length and three-quarters of him and the race once more assumed an interesting aspect. Wallace worked hard to close the lead but it was evident that he was tired. From the last quarter of the third mile until the end of the race a more determined struggle was never witnessed. Slowly but surely Wallace closed up the gap, and at three miles and a half he was only half a length of open water behind. The race was a grand one, but Teemer had too great an advantage for Ross to overcome, and amid uproarious cheering, he crossed the line the winner of the race by a boat's length, in 20m. 20s.

Cricket. An exciting game of cricket was played in St. John on Saturday between the Halifax Garrison Team and the St. John eleven. The Halifaxians were victorious after meeting with plucky opposition from the St. John men. The following is the score:

ST. JOHN TEAM.	
1st Inning—Runs	54
Extras	5
2d Inning—Runs	71
Extras	8
Total	144

HALIFAX TEAM.	
1st Inning—Runs	100
Extras	4
2d Inning—Runs (for one wicket)	31
Extras	4

Total (with ten wickets to spare) ... 145

The Wanderers of Halifax, and the Moncton cricket club will play a match game on the 12th inst.

THE SHOR LINE.

Engineers Report Favorably on Every Route.

Doubts Thrown on the Bona Fides of the Business—What Fredericton Needs.

The Engineer appointed to survey the southern short line, or the Megantic route, so called, has reported favorably upon it. This makes three lines which have been reported to the Government as feasible. Of course, without an inspection of the profiles and the engineer's detailed report, it is impossible to say which route has been found to be the best.

There has been considerable talk upon the streets lately in reference to this project, and the impression is gaining ground that Fredericton is greatly interested in the work; but it is astonishing how few persons really understand the matter. Some people think the Short Line and the Central Railway are identical; others, that it means simply a railway from Fredericton to Quebec; others, that it is the extension of the N. B. Railway from Edmundston to Quebec; some, of course, really know what the project is. Perhaps the case will be understood from a brief epitome.

One of the lines reported upon by the Engineers. One is a road leaving the New Brunswick Railway at Canterbury or Benton and crossing the State of Maine to Moose River Point, the present terminus of the International Railway. Another is a road from Moose River Point Office to Mattawamkeag or some other point in that vicinity on the Maine Central.

One is a road from Quebec across the State of Maine to Woodstock, Hartland, or some point in that vicinity. Each of these routes has been the subject of a favorable report. The Harvey Branch has never been explored, so far as we know, and has no necessary connection with either of the through routes. It might possibly be built in connection with a line by the first or second route, but it is highly improbable.

The Central Railway, or rather that part of it between Fredericton and the head of Grand Lake, would probably form a part of the Short Line if either of the first two routes is adopted, and would certainly form a part of it if the third route was chosen. A subsidy equal to a capital sum of \$2,500,000 has been granted by Parliament in aid of a line giving the shortest route from the west to Louisburg, St. John and Halifax. A part of this subsidy would be for lines in Nova Scotia, or part for a line through New Brunswick and a part for the line across Maine; that is to say it would be shared by a company building a road in Canada, and undertaking to make direct connection across Maine.

What Fredericton Wants is that the second named route or some modification of it, so as to meet local interests in the Province of Quebec, should be chosen; and that after the line reached Canterbury or Benton that it should be continued eastward to this city, passing through York County about 55 miles, nearly all of the distance between the head of Grand Lake and St. John. This would connect here with the Central the Miramichi and the New Brunswick Railways; the first named giving the through line to the Nova Scotia ports; the second giving an outlet at Miramichi, which might in that event become a terminus for European travel, and the third giving communication with St. John.

It is reported in circles that might be considered well informed, that the whole project is killed for the present. A significant fact in this connection is that the Minister of Railways has been gazetted. It seems to be conceded that if Pope is made Minister the first route above named will be chosen; but it is also reported that Langevin insists that one of the others shall be selected so as to give Quebec a seaway to the sea. Sir John Macdonald said the other day that if the present surveys were not satisfactory more might be done. This gives color to the belief that he is only trifling with the matter, and does not really intend that it shall be decided at present.

Fell in a Sewer. As Mrs. Edwin Segee was returning home, along Smythe street, accompanied by her three children, one of them, a little girl of between three and four years of age, was walking behind her. Mrs. Segee hearing a cry, turned around, and was somewhat alarmed that her child was nowhere to be seen, but proceeding to where the sound of the cry came from, she saw that the child had fallen into a sewer, and was standing up to her breast in mud and water. She was with difficulty extricated. The attention of Alderman Calder having been called to this exposed sewer by the father of the child, that official made the reply that "the child had no business to walk into it."

Amusements. A social party is announced at Col. Maunsell's residences, Camp Fern Hill, next Thursday evening.

Owing to the party at Camp Fern Hill, Thursday night the members of St. Ann's Rowing Club will not hold their moonlight excursion until Tuesday night the 12th of August.

The Royal Lodge of Templars, at Gibson, intend holding a bazaar and tea-meeting at the Church Hall, Gibson, on Wednesday August 13th. Bryson's band will furnish the music.

Tuesday 12th inst., is the time fixed for St. Dunstan's T. A. Society picnic at the Hermitage. Music by Bryson's band.

About the Wharves. The water in the river is still falling, but it is not yet as low as before the last freshet.

The "Florigneville" left again this morning on her regular trip. Captain Duncan thinks another trip can be made after this one.

The steamer "Star" did not leave St. John until half-past nine yesterday morning, and arrived at the wharf here at half-past four, thus making the trip in seven hours.

GOLDEN CITY.

A Fredericton Boy Tells of his Experience in the Rockies.

A Fredericton boy, whose initials are J. P. H., who wants the GREYHOUND, as all good Fredericton boys do, writes us from Golden City, British Columbia. He says, "It is about three months since we first struck this town. It was not much of a town then—only three log buildings, two of them having been erected by a surveying party three years ago. We have now about fifty good log buildings and about fifteen or twenty tents. The population is fully 300 men and 2 women. We are about fifty miles from the end of the C.P.R., and have to freight our goods from there over an awful bad and dangerous road. It costs \$6 per hundred. The company expect to have the rails laid about 25 miles further down the Columbia river before the winter sets in, but experts say they will have a 'hard one,' as they are having trouble with their tunnels. Corey's tunnel caved in yesterday, smashing the lumber just as if they were pipe stems. No one was killed, although."

Several Persons Have Been Killed along the line this spring. This tunnel is about 600 feet long through blue clay, and as the season has been very wet the clay is still so soft that the tunnel is being run for two months steadily and the rivers are very high for this time of year. The Indians say they never experienced the like before. Weather wise people say the reason is that there is so much blasting going on. It is just one continual war all day long. There has not been much done as to the opening of the mines this summer, as it has been so wet. I believe there have been a few rich finds of quartz, containing silver and little copper. Old time miners say there is plenty of good paying ore here.

We have had several calls from bears, which came walking into town as unconcerned as you please. Two were shot last week. It was quite a treat to get a good square meal of fresh meat as we have had nothing but salt bacon since we came. We are doing a good business. We think out here that the C.P.R. is a great fraud, and that they will never be able to keep it open during the winter. During the summer they will be bothered with land slides as they have been this year."

Whiskey and Water.

Water service pipes were introduced into the cellar of the building occupied by the Board of License commissioners, yesterday. Inspector Belyea must have a good supply of whiskey stored on the premises by the time. Now that he has the water the only things required are some sugar and lemons, and the right to be able to supply to the thirsty with the old traditional cock-tails, night-caps and eye-openers of Anti-Scott Act days. It was currently reported on the street yesterday evening that several of the laborers working at the water pipes got decidedly elevated, but whether their exhilaration was caused by actual contact with the contents of Inspector Belyea's cellar, or whether the mere presence of the spirits caused the unusual change of deportment, the reporter was unable to ascertain. In justice to Mr. Belyea, it may be stated that he utterly denies the report that the diggers got over His Majesty's rum.

The City Council.

The City Council is to meet to-night. There are many things the Council can do; but one may be mentioned which otherwise they may not think of, and that is to send a man to the city to look after the tall grass and weeds which disfigure the streets in all directions.

And by the way, the men who put down Mr. Winslow's sewer have left a very bad ridge on the middle of the street. Surely the Road Mender does not propose that they shall not level it.

Another suggestion for the Council to consider is the fuel bill at the water works engine. If the city is paying more than is necessary, let it be found out.

The River Trade.

There were at the wharf, back of the Nor-jan Hotel, yesterday the following vessels, unloading—Schr. "Bess and Stella," Capt. McLellan, from Sydney, C. B., with a cargo of coal for J. G. Gill; Woodboat "Templar," Capt. Belyea, with a cargo of general merchandise for Messrs. James Hodge, A. C. Stirling, R. E. Estey and other city merchants; Woodboat "Forest Belle," Capt. Dykeman, from St. John, with a cargo of oil, nails, grind-stones &c., for city merchants, and a quantity of spikes for the Miramichi Valley Railway; Woodboats "Lady of the Lake," Capt. Green, and "Stella R.," Capt. Robinson, from Grand Lake, with cargoes of soft coal for Mr. J. G. Gill.

A Critic Corrected.

Gen. Butler asks the New York Sun who is the author of the parody on Moore's verses which begins,

I never had a piece of bread
However good and wide,
The Sun corrects the General and says the second line should be:

"Particularly good and wide."
They are both wrong. The second line is, "Particularly wide."

This gives all the fact necessary for the line. The Sun's line is two syllables too long.

The Country Market.

As the farmers are busy in the hay field, all the more staple articles of consumption are absent from the market. Raspberries and blueberries appear to be remarkably plentiful this season and are selling for 25 and 30 cts. a small pail. New potatoes are now bringing about 25 cts. a peck. Green peas are worth 30 and 40 cts. a peck, and green beans about 40 and 50 cts. for the same quantity. \$10 is asked for new hay. Butter 16 and 17 cts. per pound. No changes are reported in the price of other articles since the report of last week.

The Main Attraction.

The centre of attraction is at present the bridge. Morning, noon, and night, crowds are down at Carleton street extension, noting the daily progress in the construction of the shore pier. The water works engineers say the water works engine and building have entirely ceased to draw visitors, and eight-seers since the work on the bridge commenced.

TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

Dressing Down the Lords. Free Use of the Pistol in the West.

BIRMINGHAM, Aug. 5.—The Right Hon. Joseph Chamberlain in a lengthy speech here last night, strongly attacked the House of Lords. He said the divine right of king's was dangerous, the divine right of the Peers a ridiculous figment and that Lords are obsolete. The speaker said that agitation would continue to the bitter end. England, he said, had been chosen as the home of self-government.

The Pistol.

MORRIS, Ky., Aug. 5.—During an altercation last night between Wm. Trumbo and H. G. Price, Solomon Bradley was instantly killed. Edward Simmerman was fatally wounded and John Martin and Allen Sutton seriously hurt. Bradley was a prominent citizen. There was a large crowd standing around and the others were accidentally shot. It is not known who did the shooting.

Serious Shooting Affray.

ENTERPRISE, Ky., Aug. 5.—During a difficulty here about election troubles last night, R. M. Gruffy shot two unknown men and received a shot in the head. All the wounds are supposed to be fatal.

The Arctic Vessel.

PORTSMOUTH, N. H., Aug. 5.—The Bear, Thetis and Alert sailed for New York to-day.

Indications.

Partly cloudy weather and occasional rain. South to West winds. Slight changes in temperature.

The News in Brief.

Gladstone will announce his Egyptian policy to-morrow and ask a vote of credit for an expedition to Khartoum.

By a collision on the Thames yesterday a large number of excursionists were drowned.

Personals.

Miss Marston and Miss Matterson of York, England, members of the British Association for the advancement of Science came up from St. John Saturday and remained over Sunday in this city. They are on their way to Montreal to attend the annual meeting of the Association.

Mr. John Richards returned yesterday from an insurance business trip through the Annapolis Valley. He left again to-day for other sections of Nova Scotia.

Mr. Elijah Clark has received telegraphic intelligence from his son, Charles S. Clark, that he would leave for home during this week. Charles has been in Denver, Col., during the winter, for the benefit of his health. His family expect him home the first of next week.

Frank Elliott left for Boston yesterday morning. He expects to find a position and remain.

Julius Morrison, son of Mr. John A. Morrison, is home on a short vacation, after four and a half years absence in Baltimore, Ind.

Wm. Lindsay of Woodstock, Ex. M. L. C., is in town.

Lieut. J. D. Perkins of the 1st Batt., was on the winning team at Wimbledon in the Kolapore Cup competition, and made a score of 83 points—the highest individual score being 89.

The installation of Rev. Godfrey Shore, as Superintendent of Missions in connection with the Presbyterian of St. John, will be held in the Free Church, St. John, to-morrow evening.

Mr. R. G. Day, Teacher of the Superior School at Andover, is in the city.

Mr. A. T. Bellevue, of the Provincial Training School, teaching staff, returned to the city yesterday.

Minor Matters.

There have been several cases of dog poisoning in the city recently.

Scores of people from the city paid a visit to Marysville on Sunday last.

The Inspectors recently paid a visit to the railroad shanties, but found all temperance people.

Mr. James McFarlane, of Waasla, has been awarded the contract for the construction of McGowan bridge at Lincoln.

While Mr. Z. R. Everett was driving with his daughter in a carriage along St. John street, last evening, the horse stumbled and fell, breaking one of the shafts.

Mr. John B. Gunter has opened an insurance office on Queen Street, opposite the Brayley House, in the rooms recently vacated by Mr. C. S. Ingraham.

At the sale of the personal property belonging to the Gibson Tannery, this morning, the principal part of it was purchased by Mr. E. H. Allen.

The Soldiers.

Since the evacuation of the Stone Barracks by the removal of the troops to camp at "Fern Hill," red coats have been comparatively scarce upon the streets. Some of the men come down in the evenings to exchange greetings with their brother soldiers left in charge of the barracks. The two Nasons, are in distance vile in the Black Hole.

The sentences of the prisoners are: C. Nason, 90 days and C. S. Nason 50 days imprisonment in the common jail with hard labor and stoppage of pay sufficient to make up for the parts of their kits lost.

New Building.

Mr. Robert Winters is erecting a small building on Queen Street, West End, on one of the lots devastated by fire some years ago. He intends the present building as an ell and will commence the erection of the main building this fall, or early next spring.

Excursion from the North.

To-day Chatham and Newcastle excursionists are expected to arrive at St. John. It is hoped our Northern friends will have a capital opportunity of running a cheap excursion to this city.

THE COURTS.

Police Court.

Two Saturday night drunks. \$5. or ten days jail. Fines paid.

TUESDAY.

Two drunks. One acknowledged the offence and was fined \$4. or seven days. The other said he was sitting on the door-step of his boarding house, and was not very drunk when arrested. He was placed on trial and fined \$5.

Three adjourned Canada Temperance cases were before the court this morning. In the Queens vs. Benj. Moody, of St. Mary's, Stephen Wilson, John Edgar and Hugh Edgar were sworn and examined for the prosecution, but no evidence of any importance was elicited from them as they did not know of a sale by the defendant. The fourth witness, John Moran, refused to be sworn, telling the court "that although he was a poor man, he respected the country of his birth, and would not take an oath for all the money he ever saw." His Honor committed the witness to jail for eight days for contempt, telling him that if he proposed to fight the law of the land, he would have a heavy contract on hand. The case was adjourned for a week, unless the witness Moran changes his mind in the meantime and gives his testimony.

In the Queen vs. Moses H. Timming, two witnesses, Stephen Wilson and John Edgar, were examined, but swore to nothing of a nature to convict the defendant. John Moran being a witness in this case also, the further hearing was adjourned until Tuesday on the same conditions as the Moody case.

In the case of the Queen vs. Elizabeth Jaffrey, the defendant was, on the application of Inspector Belyea, put upon her defence. Mr. Vanwart, her counsel, objecting. At the conclusion of Mrs. Jaffrey's testimony the Police Magistrate dismissed the charge against her.

Cornelius Driscoll and C. Broderick, Jr., were charged with cruelty to animals, at the instance of the agent of the S. P. C. A. in tying sheep and lambs and leaving them on the side of the road. They pleaded guilty and were fined \$3.

Mr. Hannah, clerk of the Bank of British North America, laid an information before the P. M. this morning against Mr. Charles L. Richards for assault and battery. This is the horsewhipping case.

Squire Young's Court.

At Squire Young's Court, held at Canquet on Saturday last, Sheriff Doucet was committed for trial at the September Gloucester Circuit, for failing in the performance of his duty as Sheriff. A registered letter at Shipigan Post Office. L. R. Harrison advised theophilus Hestray appeared for the prosecution, and N. A. Landry for the Sheriff. Squire Young is better known as the Hon. Robert Young, M. C., and although he has been one of Her Majesty's Justices of the Peace for a quarter of a century, the enormity of this charge—a charge upon which Sheriff Doucet had been previously examined—suddenly awakened in him a knowledge that he possesses a judicial mind of an extraordinary brilliancy, yet he never chose to use his gifts for the good of the public, on any previous occasion.

Equity Court.

The monthly session of the Equity Court opened this morning at the Chief Justice's residence, in the absence of Mr. Justice Palmer, Judge in Equity.

James Holbrook Carter vs. Samuel Barton et al. Mr. W. W. Street moved that the bill in this case be taken pro confesso. Motion granted and order for foreclosure and sale made.

This being the only business before the court, adjourned sine die.

Marriage of Miss Sharkey.

Miss Mary, eldest daughter of Mr. Owen Sharkey, of this city, was married this morning at St. Dunstan's, to Mr. P. O. Keegan, of Van Buren, Conn. at Law. Mr. Keegan is a graduate of the University and Douglas Gold Medalist. He has represented the Madawaska District for several terms in the Maine House of Representatives. The bride was dressed in cream satin brocade. Her bridesmaid was Miss Maggie Sharkey, who was bridemaid, wore cream satin veiling. The groomsmen were Hon. Mr. Donworth, Senator for Maine, and Mr. Keegan have gone to New York.

Off for a Holiday.

The Attorney General, accompanied by Dr. Steeves, of St. John, and Dr. Ames and Mr. Stephen Brownell, of Providence, Rhode Island, went to the Southwest Miramichi, last evening, for a week's fishing.

Mr. E. B. Winslow, of St. A. Street and some friends have gone for a fortnight's cruise in the Bay of Fundy.

An Enterprising Firm.

Babbitt Bros. have commenced the erection of a new dwelling house on the lot immediately above their confectionery store at Gibson. This firm have now two large confectionery stores and are doing an extensive business in that line. Their steam saw mill at Gibson is running in full blast and has turned out a large amount of work this season.

Fugitive Notes.

Rev. Mr. Pollard of Ottawa occupied the pulpit of the Cathedral Sunday morning.

Rev. J. E. Read, of Keswick, preached at Marysville on Sunday afternoon.

Rev. G. Fred. Currie, as announced, officiated at the Baptist Church both morning and evening.

A Singular Baptism.

An advent evangelist, who has been travelling about the County for a few weeks past, recently baptised by immersion three children in a cradle for Alonso Grant of Upper Bright. This has been the result of his labours, so far, in this vicinity.

Light Needed.

A petition will be presented to the City Council asking for a gas lamp on the corner of Charlotte and Church streets. The request ought to be granted. If the Aldermen doubt it let them try to find their way past that corner on the first really dark night.

Scott Act Petition.

The Petition praying for a revocation of the order in Council bringing the Scott Act into operation in the County of York, has been forwarded to the Minister of Justice at Ottawa.

Miramichi Railway.

Grading is nearly completed to Marysville, and tracklaying has been done for about a mile. Parties are at work on the section below the Peniac Bridge. The rails will probably be laid to Marysville by Saturday night.

Accident in Kings County.

At Bloomfield, Kings County, on Saturday, a three year-old daughter of Mr. David Parks was trampled to death by a horse. Mr. Parks is a brother of Mr. Wm. J. Parks, of St. John.

Machine Shop for the Bridge.

A large machine shop for doing various kinds of machine work for the new bridge has been erected at St. Mary's. The planning machine is already in running order.

Change of Hour.

The steamer "Fawn" now leaves her wharf in this city at 3 o'clock p. m. on alternate days, instead of 4 o'clock.

The Gibson Tannery.

The Gibson Tannery was bid in under the mortgage for \$10,000.

POOR COPY

WHAT CAN SHE DO?

By E. F. Roe.
CHAPTER I.
(Continued.)

"What a watery, scaly compliment. Preferred to swamps and alligators! Who would have believed it?"

"I am not blind to your pretty wilful blindness. You know I likened you to something too divine and precious to be found on earth."

"Which is still true in the carrying out of your marvellously mixed metaphors. I must lend you my rhetoric book. But as your meaning dwains on me, I see that you are symbolized by old Ponce. I shall look in the history for the age of the ancient Spaniard to-morrow and then I shall know how old you are, a thing I never could find out."

As with little jets of silvery laughter and butterfly motion she hovered round him, the very embodiment of life and beautiful youth, she would have made to an artist's eye, a very true idealization of the far-famed mythical fountain.

And yet as a moment later she confidently took his arm and strolled toward the library, it was evident that all her flutter and hesitancy, her seeming freedom and mimic show of war, was like that of some bright tropical bird fascinated by a remorseless serpent whose intent eyes and deadly purpose are creating a spell that cannot be resisted.

Mr. Van Dam, upon whose arm she was leaning, was one of the worst products of artificial metropolitan life. He had inherited a name which ancestry had rendered honorable, but which he to the utmost dishonored, and yet so adroitly, so shrewdly respecting fashion's code, though shunning nothing wrong, that it still gave him the entrée into the gilded houses of those who call themselves, "the best society."

True, it was whispered that he was rather fast, that he played heavily and a trifle too successfully, and that he lived the life of anything but a saint at his luxurious rooms. "But then" continued society, openly and complacently, "he is so fine looking, so courtly and polished, so well connected, and what is still more to the point, my dear, he is reputed to be immensely wealthy, so we must not heed these rumors. After all it is the way of these young men of the world."

Thus "the best society" that would have politely frozen out of its parlors the Chevalier Bayard, "sans peur et sans reproche," had he not appeared in the latest style, with golden fane rather than golden spurs, welcomed Mr. Van Dam. Indeed not a few forced exotics, belles, who had promiscuously developed in the hot-house atmosphere of wealth and extravagance, regarded him as a sort of social lion, and his reticence, with a certain mystery in which he shrouded his evil life, made him all the more fascinating. He was past the prime of life, though exceedingly well preserved, for he was one of those cool, deliberate votaries of pleasure that reduce amusement to a science, and carefully shun all injurious excess. While exceedingly deferential toward the sex in general, and bestowing compliments and attentions as adroitly as a financier would place his money, he at the same time permitted the impression to grow that he was extremely fastidious in his taste, and had never married because it had never been his fortune to meet the faultless being who could fill his exacting eyes. Any special and continued admiration on his part therefore made its recipient an object of distinction and envy to very many in the unreal world in which he glided serpent-like, rather than moved as a man. To morbid unhealthy minds the rumor of his evil deeds became piquant eccentricities, and the whispers of the oriental orgies that were said to take place in his bachelor apartments made him an object of a curious interest, and many sigh for the opportunity of reforming so distinguished a sycophant.

On Edith's entrance into society he had been much impressed by her beauty, and had gradually grown quite attentive, equally attracted by her father's wealth. But she, though with no clear perception of his character, and with no higher standard than her set, instinctively shrank from the man. Indeed, in some respects, they were too much alike for that mysterious attraction that so often occurs between opposites. Not that she had his unnatural depravity, but like him she was shrewd, practical, resolute, and controlled more by her judgment than impulses. Her vanity, of which she had no little share, led her to accept his attentions to a certain point, but the keen man of the world soon saw that his "little game," as in his own vernacular he styled it, would not be successful, and was the last one to sigh in vain or hope an hour in love lorn melancholy. While ceasing to press his suit, he remained a frequent and familiar visitor at the house, and thus his attention was drawn to Zell, who, though young, had developed early in the stimulating atmosphere in which she lived. At first he petted and played with her as a child, as she wilfully fitted in and out of the parlours, whether her sisters wanted her or not. He continually brought her bon-bons and like fanciful trifles, till at last, in jest, the family called him Zell's "fanciful beau."

But during the past year it dawned on him that the child he petted on account

of her beauty and sprightliness was rapidly becoming a brilliant woman, who would make a wife far more to his taste than her equally beautiful but matter-of-fact sister. Therefore he wily, so as not to alarm the jealous father, but with all the subtle skill of which he was master, sought to win her affections knowing that she would have her own way when she knew what way she wanted.

For Zell this unscrupulous man had a peculiar fascination. He petted and flattered her to her heart's content, and thus made her the envy of her young acquaintances, which was indeed to her vain little soul. He never lectured or preached to her on account of her follies and nonsense, as her elderly friends usually did, but gave to her wild, impulsive moods free rein. Where a true friend would have cautioned and curbed, he applauded and incited, causing Zell to mistake extravagance in language and boldness in manner for spirit and brilliancy. Laura and Edith often remonstrated with her, but she did not heed them. Indeed, she feared no one save her father, and Mr. Van Dam was propriety itself when he was present, which was but seldom. Between his business and club, and Mrs. Allen's nerves, the girls were left mainly to themselves.

What wonder that there are so many shipwrecks, when young, heedless, inexperienced hands must steer, unguided, through the most perilous and treacherous of seas?

Mr. Allen's elegant costly home was literally an unguarded fold, many a laborer, living in a tenement house, doing more to shield his daughters from the evil of the world.

To Mr. Van Dam, Zell was a perfect prize. Though he had sipped at the cup of pleasure so leisurely and systematically, he was getting down to the dregs. His taste was becoming palled and satiety burdening him with its leaden weight. But as the child he petted developed daily into a woman, he became interested, then fascinated by the process. Her beauty was so brilliant, her excessive sprightliness so contagious, that he felt his sluggish pulses stir and tingle with excitement the moment he came into her presence. Her wild varying moods kept him constantly on the qui vive, and he would say in confidence to one of his intimate cronies:

"The point is, Hal, she is such a spicy, piquant contrast to the insipid society girls, who have no more individuality than fashion blocks in Broadway windows."

He liked the kittenish young creature all the more because her repartee was often a little cutting. If she had always struck him with a velvet paw, the thing would have grown monotonous but he occasionally got a scratch that made him wince, cool and brazen as he was. But after all, he daily saw that he was gaining power over her, and the manner in which the frank hearted girl took his arm and leaned upon it, spoke volumes to the experienced man. While he habitually wore a mask, Zell could conceal nothing, and across her April face flitted her innermost thoughts.

(To be Continued.)

'84 Spring '84

NEW GOODS

on hand and to arrive at

Owen Sharkey's,

in LADIES' DRESS GOODS, and other Fabrics suitable for Spring Wear.

SILKS, SATINS, VELVETEENS,

SILK AND VELVET RIBBONS.

Corsets, Satinets, Hose, Gloves, Scarfs, Parasols, Laces, Fringes, Crimps and Frillings.

A full stock of STAPLE AND FANCY DRY GOODS.

MEN'S YOUTHS' AND BOYS'

READY-MADE CLOTHING! A large Stock.

Superior Quality, equal to Custom Made, and much lower in price, comprising:

COATS, PANTS, VESTS,

DRESS SHIRTS, COLLARS, TIES

A large assortment of UNDERCLOTHING and FURNISHING GOODS of all kinds, and at Lowest Cash Prices, together with

HATS, CAPS, TRUNKS,

VALISES, TRAVELLING BAGS,

I. R. COATS & UMBRELLAS

TO ARRIVE AND DAILY EXPECTED:

Worsted Coatings, Canadian Tweeds.

A splendid lot, superior quality and choice patterns, at moderate prices.

REMNANTS! REMNANTS!

in Prints, Cottons, Ducks, Tickings and

Swandowns, Hollands, Towellings,

Tweeds and Shirtings.

OWEN SHARKEY,

SHARKEY'S BLOCK

March 12.

CLASS. CLASS.

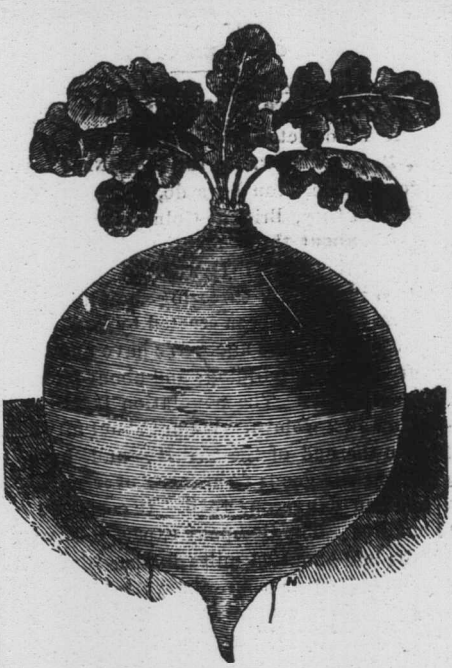
Now Landing and in Stock:

225 BOXES WINDOW GLASS—all sizes,

which will be sold at the lowest rates.

Z. R. EVERETT.

July 22.



1884

SEEDS.

Just Received per Steamer
Sarnation from London:

7 SACKS
GARDEN,
FIELD,
AND FLOWER
SEEDS.

DAVIS, STAPLES & Co
COR. QUEEN AND YORK STS.
Fredericton, April 2nd, 1884.

See Our Prices.

FURNITURE IS FALLING.

100 Lounges, 15 Easy Chairs,

37 CHAMBER SUITES,

22 CENTRE TABLES.

Please Call and you will be Satisfied.

J. G. McNALLY.

PARLOR SUITES
Bu to Order.

And finished in any kind of Covering desired.

Satisfaction guaranteed. J. G. McNALLY.

NEW GOODS AT REDUCED
PRICES.

Just Received:—

110 D.O. Milk Pans, 95 doz. Rockingham

doz. Preserve Jars, 100 doz. Flower Pots, 5 doz

Cake Flitters, 5 doz. Bean Bots.

Wholesale and Retail. Lower than St. John

prices. J. G. McNALLY.

Meakin's White Granite.

9 CRATES, just received direct from the Pot-

teries.

J. G. McNALLY.

Fredericton, May 28th, 1884.

LOOK OUT

FOR

HOT WEATHER

THE undersigned begs to inform his numerous

customers that he is prepared during the fol-

lowing Summer,

TO SUPPLY ICE

—AT THE VERY

LOWEST PRICES.

I have now on hand and best stock of

ICE that could be got, having taken it from the

river, above the city, so that it is clear of all se-

veries.

I am now prepared to sell ICE by the SEASON.

MOUTH or WEEK and also by WEIGHT. Rates

by weight governed by quantity.

Also, will guarantee a prompt delivery through

the city.

Thanking the people for past patronage, I also

beg a continuance of the same.

You can leave your ORDERS at the stores

of Z. R. EVERETT, YERKA & YERKA, opposite

City Hall, or with the undersigned on the Street.

H. MORECRAFT.

Fredericton, March 28th, 1884.—1 mos.

N. A. LAFOREST

having received the

Contract from the City

FOR PUTTING IN

THE SERVICE PIPES OF THE

WATER WORKS.

He begs to announce that he is now in a position

to arrange for the plumbing of all houses into

which water is introduced in the most satisfactory

manner.

Orders left at his store, on QUEEN STREET,

next door above Geo. Hatt & Sons, will receive

prompt attention.

N. A. LAFOREST.

Fredericton, May 20th.

NOTICE.

THE Annual General Meeting of the Stock-

holders of the New Brunswick Railway Com-

pany will be held at 10 o'clock, a.m., on Thurs-

day, August 7th, 1884, in the Company's office,

Water Street, Saint John, N. B.

ALFRED SEELY, Secretary.

St. John, N. B., July 12, 1884.

1884.

JUST RECEIVED AT THE

"IMPERIAL HALL,"

A LARGE STOCK OF

TWEEDS

For Spring and Summer,

In all the latest Shades and Patterns. These Goods will be made into SUITS or SINGLE GARMENTS to order, in FASHIONABLE STYLES, at the SHORTEST NOTICE, and at VERY LOW PRICES FOR CASH. Satisfaction Guaranteed. Also, Hats, Shirts, Ties, Collars, Braces, Gents' Underclothing, &c. VERY CHEAP.

THOMAS STANCER,
Opposite Post Office, Queen Street, Fredericton, N. B.
Fredericton, May 6th, 1884.

JAMES C. FAIREY,

NEWCASTLE, N. B.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

NEW FURNITURE WAREHOUSES.

Received this Day:

Two Car Loads Assorted Furniture

WHICH WILL BE SOLD FOR CASH ONLY AT LOWER PRICES THAN EVER OFFERED

JAMES C. FAIREY.

Newcastle, Nov. 21, 1883.

IRON. OAKUM.

RECEIVED and in store, Ex. Barque "Paramatta," and S. S. "Hibernian" and "Caspian":—

17,792 Bars Refined and Spike Iron,

560 Bundles Plating and Hoops, various sizes and gauges.

210 Bundles Navy and Hand Picked Oakum.

313 Bundles Nos. 20, 22, 23, 24 and 25,

310 Sheets Nos. 10, 12, 14, 15 and 16 Sheet Iron.

3 Cases Galvanized Sheet Iron.

TO ARRIVE PER "PHENIX," FROM NEWCASTLE: 25 Cases Sheet Zinc, Nos. 6 to 36.

I. & F. BURPEE & Co.

30 Boiler Plates, Best B. D. and D. B. B. and Lowmoor.

Boiler Tubes and Rivets, 410 Bds Sled Shoe Steel,

47 Bds Top Bulk Steel, 13 Steel Plow Plates,

3 Bds, and 15 Pds Round Machine Steel, 15-16 to 3 Inch.

TO ARRIVE PER "PHENIX," FROM NEWCASTLE: 25 Cases Sheet Zinc, Nos. 6 to 36.

SLED SHOE STEEL,

SHEET ZINC. SHEET IRON.

LATEST ARRIVALS.

NEW SPRING GOODS

EX. "BUENOS AYREAN," VIA HALIFAX.

SCOTCH TWEEDS, BANNOCKBURNS,

CHEVIOTS WORSTED COATINGS,

NEWEST DESIGNS, and a

CHOICE ASSORTMENT OF

Gents' Spring and Summer Suitings,

&c. &c.

AT THE ESTABLISHMENT OF

T. G. O'Connor.

N. B.—First-Class Cutter; First-Class Work; Lowest "Hard-Pan" Prices. T. G. O'C. April 11.

GLASS, &c.,

Just Received:

24 BOXES Glass, 20 Bundles Round Iron

20 D. 20 Bars Round Iron, 15 Well Buckets;

20 Sets Side Springs, 25 Sets Light Wagon Axles;

20 Kegs 5 gal. each, 10 Cases Alabaster;

16 Set Wagon Wheels; 4 Doz. Manure Forks;

4 Doz. Garden Spades; 50 Kegs Cut Nails;

1 Doz. Saw Measures; 1 Doz. Half Bushels;

2 Barrels Raw Linseed Oil;

4 Bbls. Pale Boiled Oil; 20 Bbls. Roofing Felt;

3 Doz. Sheep Shears; 1 Case Carrel Net Line;

1 CHESTNUT & SONS.

Fredericton, April 16th, 1884.

WHEELBARROWS.

WHEELBARROWS, Pickaxes, Mattocks,

Sledge, Handhammers, Drills, Poles, Pow-

der, Steel in round, square and octagon; full stock

on hand. Also—Shovels, round and square points,

long and short handles, both steel and iron, as low

as any other house in the city.

R. CHESTNUT & SONS.

July 23.

HOT AIR FURNACES!

—AND—

REGISTRAR

Always in stock. Furnaces fitted up in the most

thorough and workman-like manner.

J. & J. O'BRIEN

FRUIT JARS.

Self-Sealing FRUIT JARS

In 4 sizes, at

LEMONT'S VARIETY STORE

Canoes.

2 NEW BIRCH BARK CANOES for sale

cheap, at

LEMONT & SONS.

July 13.

LEMONT & SONS.

July 13.

New Brunswick Railway.

Operating 443 Miles.

SUMMER TIME TABLE.

All Trains are run by Eastern Standard Time, which

36 minutes slower than St. John actual time.

COMMENCING MONDAY, June 2, 1884, Trains

will run as follows:

St. John Division.

DEPARTURES.

7 25 A. M.—From Water Street, St. John—Mixed

Accommodation for Fredericton.

6 30 A. M.—From Water Street, St. John—

Boston Fast Express for points West and

for St. Stephen, St. Andrews, Houlton,

Woodstock, and all points North and South.

4 30 P. M.—From Water Street, St. John—Ex-

press for Fredericton.

8 30 P. M.—From Water Street, St. John—Night

Express for points West, and for St. Stephen,

Woodstock, Houlton, and all

points North.

1 00 P. M.—From Fredericton—Accommodation

for St. John.

6 25 A. M.—From Fredericton—Passenger and

Mails for McAdam and points West, North

and South, and for St. John.

4 30 P. M.—From Fredericton for St. John.

7 00 A. M.—From Gibson for Woodstock and

points North.

ARRIVALS:

5 30 A. M., at St. John—Fast Express Train from

all points West, and from St. Stephen,

Woodstock, Houlton, and all points North.

9 15 A. M., at St. John, Water Street—Express

from Fredericton.