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HURD PETERS OUTCLASSED BY JOCELYN OF CHIPMAN

A Municipal Official Who Performs in an Eminent Satisfactory Manner the Duties of the Whole Administration

What promises to be the Amberst of New Brunswick, and what is already a modern little town, is Chipman. This town has in the last few years rapidly come to the front and is recognized as a very enterprising little place. During the present summer some fifteen houses are being built and the prospects are that next season this number will increase. Chipman, while an unincorporated town, is the proud possessor of a mayor, a chief of police, a police magistrate, a chairman of the board of health, a director of water and sewerage, a director of public works, a city engineer, a boiler inspector and an inspector of mills. In this respect Chipman claims a superiority over St. John, as that city can only boast of having consulting engineer, director of public works and city engineer under one head, while Chipman has the distinction of having one man who is capable of holding all the different positions enumerated in the previous paragraph. This distinguished person is Mr. James Jocelyn. Mr. Jocelyn was born in Kings county in 1852, but did not take any active part in public life until 1905, when he came to Cole's Island in Queens Co. Here he became famous for the successful business which he conducted in the hoop pole line. In fact he was so eminently successful in this that after a very short time he was able to spend a year in Europe. Mr. Jocelyn is a physician of no mean repute. Upon recuperating his health, which had become somewhat run down during his active, but short business career, Mr. Jocelyn decided that he would make his residence in Chipman. He had spent in this town a few months, until the people, recognizing in him a man of far more than ordinary ability, asked him to be a candidate for the mayoralty. This resulted in Mr. Jocelyn being elected by acclamation. Upon assuming the duties of the chief magistrate of the town his work immediately started in on a campaign of civic reform, the first notable and famous reform being the "Jocelyn dog tax," which was a cent per head tax placed on every dog in the town. This his workship collected himself as he felt that like the mayors of other prominent cities he should do all the work himself. The citizens, recognizing in the mayor a man of such extraordinary ability, a delegation, from them, was sent to wait on the government, which resulted in the appointment of Mr. Jocelyn as chief of police. The chief of police found that his work had been handicapped by the fact that there was no police magistrate, and as there was only one man who could get along satisfactory with the chief of police, and that man was Mr. Jocelyn, it was decided to appoint him rear, Mr. Jocelyn decided that he

HORRIBLE DEATH OF A TRACADIE MILL EMPLOYEE

George Ferguson, Aged 70 Years, Was Caught in the Shafting and His Body Ground to a Pulp—Was Alone at the Time

CHATHAM, N. B., Aug. 2.—News of a horrible accident at Tracadie reached here today, which resulted in the death of George Ferguson, an aged employee of the J. B. Snowball Company's mill at that place. The accident took place about noon and Ferguson had gone into the bottom of the mill to do some work, and it is supposed he was caught in the shafting. The first indication the workmen above had of anything being wrong was the sight of shreds of clothing and blood in the dust. As quickly as possible the machinery was stopped and the men rushed below where they found Ferguson's body mangled in a horrible manner, life being extinct. The remains were extracted from their terrible position and a covering was hurriedly thrown over them to conceal the terrible sight. Ferguson was married but had no family. He was 70 years of age and a much respected resident of Tracadie. St. Luke's Methodist church of this place held its annual picnic today to Bearbar's Island, a large crowd going up on the steamer "George." On the return trip a launch containing two young men, Hermann and Ray, of New Castle, and being towed behind the steamer, was struck by the mill's machinery and the launch and its occupants were hurled into the water. The launch and its occupants were hurled into the water. The launch and its occupants were hurled into the water. The launch and its occupants were hurled into the water.

JOE MARTIN ON THE STUMP AS ANTI-JAP CANDIDATE.

VICTORIA, B. C., Aug. 2.—Mr. Bowser, K. C., Conservative, has been appointed attorney general in the McBride Government. His nomination took place and the election is next Saturday. Joseph Martin, K. C., is out as an independent "with Liberal leanings." A Socialist candidate is also in the field. Joseph Martin announced this morning that he would run in the bye-election in Vancouver in response to the popular demand, and will make his platform on the anti-Japanese platform. Attorney General Foy, who is also acting Premier, says the Ontario Government should appoint counsel to assist in argument in the supreme court if there is an appeal from the decision of the railway commission. "I will probably recommend this to the government in the Grand Trunk two cent, mile case." The members of the British National Artillery Association team, who have been shooting at Petawawa for the last few days, returned in Toronto by the Grand Trunk train yesterday from Cobalt. The men numbered 35, and were accompanied by the Earl and Countess of Strathbuck, Lieut. Col. Hon. Henrie, and the following officers of the party: Col. Wishart, London; Captain Davies, Norfolk; Captain McHugh, Edinburgh; Captain Flowers, Hants; Lieut. Boxhall, Sussex. They were met by a military reception committee and the whole day was spent in sight-seeing, luncheon, dining and general entertainments.



JOSEPH MARTIN.

NOVA SCOTIA CROPS ABOVE THE AVERAGE

May Will be Light Owing to Late Spring But Root Crops Will Break the Records, and Fruit is Far More Plentiful Than Usual.

HALIFAX, N. S., Aug. 2.—The government crop report issued yesterday says that as a result of the backward springs, crops are from one to two weeks later than those of last year, which were about ten days later than the average. The season, unlike that of last year, was free from excessive rain-fall and afforded farmers every opportunity to plant and sow all their fields. The area of land in cultivated crops is generally estimated at from 10 per cent. to 25 per cent. greater than last year. There were few injurious frosts during the spring but lack of rain-fall and cold weather greatly retarded vegetation. Even in the most forward sections little work was done on the land until the first week of May and throughout the greater part of Nova Scotia much of the crop was not put in until June. Rain-fall during June was light, but since the first of July there have been regular showers, weather has been warm, and conditions ideal for growth.

Hay will fall from fifteen to twenty per cent. below the average. Throughout the greater part of the province there is not a ton of last year's hay left on hand and, hence, should the yield come up to the highest expectation, there will be none too much for next winter's feed. If present conditions are maintained, it is likely that the potato and root crop will be a record one. The potato bug is less prevalent than formerly. The fruit estimate is considerably above that of last year. None of the correspondents estimate less than a medium crop and quite a few look for a record yield. All agree in stating that the trees never looked more healthy or luxuriant. It is generally expected that the fruit will be larger and of better quality than in previous years. The period of blossoming was two weeks later than the average, yet, owing to a favorable season, fall fruit is almost as far forward as last year. Altogether it would appear that the apple crop will be considerably in excess of last year and the quality will be exceptionally good. There has been about 10 per cent. increase in the acreage of land set out to fruit trees. Principal Canning, secretary for agriculture, concludes: "The season of 1907, so far as can be judged at the present day, will be decidedly more favorable for farmers generally than the previous three years. Of course it is too early to make a final estimate, but correspondents are almost unanimous in considering the outlook bright."

CHATHAM POLICEMAN APPOINTED TO MONGTON

Will Take the Job of Enforcing Temperance Laws in the Railroad Town.

MONCTON, N. B., Aug. 2.—Adam Dickson, former chief of the Chatham, N. B., police force, which resigned in 1905, has been chosen to try and enforce the Scott Act in Moncton. At a meeting of the police committee last night an application from Dickson, accompanied by recommendations from prominent Chatham people was received. He was unanimously appointed to the position of policeman to pay special attention to C. T. A. enforcement at a salary of sixty-five dollars per month. Nineteen horses imported by the local government which are to be sold at auction here Wednesday, arrived last night. They are being quartered at the race track stables until the auction on Wednesday.

LORD ROBERTS WILL NOT VISIT CANADA

LONDON, Aug. 2.—Asked by the Canadian Associated Press whether the reports were true that he intended visiting Canada in September, Lord Roberts replied: "I regret that it is impossible for me to visit Canada this year."

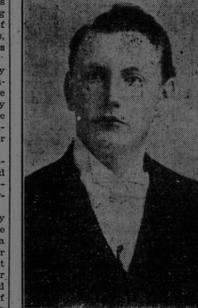
CANADIANS ATTENDING BRITISH MEDICAL ASSN.

LONDON, Aug. 2.—The following medical men from Canada are attending the meetings of the British Medical Association at Exeter: Dr. H. S. Birkett and Prof. Starkey, of McGill University, Montreal; Professor Irving Cameron, Dean Reeve, Doctors Binnes, Bruce, Maybury, Orlowski, T. S. B. Pedrasti, Deolitte, all of Toronto, Dr. Burt, of Paris, Ont., and Dr. Atherton, of Fredericton, N. B.

WHY E. O. BROWN WAS FIRST SUSPECTED OF THEFT

A New and Original Way of Paying Board Bills—Prominent Business Men Said to be Victims in Charlottetown's Sensational Case

The case of Edwin O. Brown, barrister, still continues to be a lively topic of discussion in Charlottetown and everywhere one hears the expression "the end is not yet," when referring to the probable extent of his transactions. Brown is now in jail, awaiting his trial at the next session of the Supreme Court, in January, 1908, on two charges. The first is that of forging a certificate to a mortgage alleged to have been drawn by Warren J. Vessey (Brown's brother-in-law) and his wife, Hatty Vessey of Little York, in favor of the Misses Stamer of Charlottetown for \$1200. The second charge is that of forging the name of Alexander Martin, J. P. for Queen's County, as endorser of a note of \$500 drawn by Brown made payable to Alexander Martin and deposited by Brown at the Royal Bank of Canada. The preliminary examinations in these cases were held on the 23rd and 24th ult. In the first case W. C. White, registrar, swore that he did not sign a certificate of registration. In the second case Mr. Martin swore that he did not sign his name as endorser of the note, that he did not authorize anyone to do so, and that he had no transactions with Brown involving the \$500. Although these are the only two charges brought against Brown, it is alleged that there are a number of others involving an amount of at least \$15,000. At the second trial, Attorney General Peters, who appeared for the Crown, produced a note of \$500, also made payable to Alexander Martin and discounted by Brown at the Union Bank. The prosecution endeavored to have this note admitted in evidence, in order that Martin might compare the signature on the Royal Bank note with the signature on the Union Bank note, but the magistrate would not admit this, because that case was not before the court. The circumstances which led to Brown's arrest, were as follows:—He was boarding with Mrs. Senter, of Charlottetown, and owed her a board bill of \$125.00. On being asked for the payment Mrs. Senter said she would accept a note for \$75.00, but that he could pay the balance later. Brown agreed to this and blandly said he would make the note \$80.00. In drawing it up he made the note payable to himself, Mrs. Senter agreeing to pay Edwin O. Brown \$80.00 at the end of three months. (Continued on Page 4.)



EDWIN O. BROWN

DIVERSITY OF OPINION ON THE ALL RED ROUTE

London Mail Says That Legislators Fear It is Not Practicable—Strathcona Very Hopeful—Change in Australian Government Helps the Scheme

MONTEREAL, Aug. 2.—Discussing the All Red Line in an interview tonight Lord Strathcona, who returned by the Empress of Ireland today, remarked that the project was a serious one and one of supreme importance and that consequently nothing would be done in haste and without mature consideration of every phase of the question. He had never pronounced himself in favor of any particular British port but he strongly favored Halifax as the Canadian terminal for the year round "when with the road beds and tracks of the railroads put in first class condition the run from Halifax to Montreal will be made in fifteen or sixteen hours. The trip across the Atlantic," he continued, "will be made in four days and Halifax to the commercial capital of the Dominion in two-thirds of another day, making the route pre-eminently the fastest from the old world to the new." With regard to the steel-coal trial run in progress at Sydney, Lord Strathcona said that although interested in both parties he had not become informed of the questions in dispute. "But how unfortunate it is," he remarked, "that this litigation is allowed to proceed. I am sure I hope it will not go much further. It seems to me that business men should find a way to settle the difficulties, for it is almost impossible to force an agreement upon one company that will not be mutually beneficial to both." LONDON, Aug. 2.—It is stated that the reported resignation of Sir John Forrest from the treasurership of the Deakin Government will have an important effect on the attitude of Australia towards the All-Red route. It is believed that Sir John Forrest spoke with Premier Deakin on the question. Mr. Lyne takes Sir John Forrest's portfolio. LONDON, Aug. 2.—The London Daily Mail says the outlook for the All-Red route is unpromising. No definite decision has been reached. The Mail alleges that all departmental investigations show that economical stability could not be guaranteed for the scheme. Members of parliament therefore are beginning to doubt if the scheme can be carried out.

DISASTROUS FIRE IN NORTH BAY BUSINESS DISTRICT.

NORTH BAY, Aug. 2.—Fire broke out at 10:30 this morning in the business section and burned till two o'clock. The large hardware store and block of John Richardson and Company, is a total loss. J. W. Smith's drug store in the Gilmour block is wiped out with the store of T. M. Mulligan, the tailor shop of J. H. Campbell, and the office of G. H. Gilmour, real estate dealer, besides the contents of furnished rooms. The fire was not checked until one o'clock when the Gilmour and Richardson blocks were smoldering heaps of debris. It originated from gasoline used in cleaning garments, and Mr. Campbell was seriously burned, his clothing being ignited. The firemen worked heroically in blinding smoke and blistering heat and succeeded in preventing the flames from spreading to the Purvis block adjoining. The Richardson block was valued at \$5,000 with \$4,000 insurance divided between Canadian, Canadian Sun, Commercial Union Ottawa, Norwich Union, Home Montreal Canada, North British, and Mercantile, Atlas. It is a total loss. The Gilmour block owned by J. E. Gilmour, was valued at \$5,000, insurance \$3,000 in Monarch, London Mutual and Standard. It is a total loss.



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**THE GREATEST HOAX IN YEARS**  
 Newspapers Taken in by a Government Clerk.

Ho Planned Wedding of Centenarian Sweethearts and Accidents to Prevent It.

ST. LOUIS, Aug. 1.—The city believes that in the person of John B. Bunden it possesses a prolific and consistent liar as has been on record since Munchausen. Bunden is a clerk in the United States Army supply department, but declares he would not object to being discharged since he has found the public so easy.

For months papers in this vicinity have published column after column of the prospective marriage of the old John B. Bunden, Sr., and Miss Rose McGuire upon the latter's 100th birthday, Aug. 26, 1907.

Romantic circumstances were interwoven with what little fact there was in order to make the case acceptable, and so novel was the showing made that there were few papers in the United States that did not present at least an item concerning the affair, and many of them printed the pictures of the antique pair.

That the whole matter was a fake the real Bunden acknowledged when confronted with the evidence. He justified himself on the ground that he was doing it for the purpose of securing facts concerning longevity in order to write a book on that subject.

While Bunden sang frolic he laughed at the way the public and the ordinary would necessarily attract attention.

An improvised and convenient unit is invented, and an age of 103 years is given him. Then a reunion of nonagenarians or better is arranged. All of this is carried to the limit, when the near-century-old sweetheart of Bunden, Sr., sees a stray notice in an English paper of the reunion and writes to inquire whether or not the instigator of the reunion is the sweetheart of the 103.

Flinding that he is, the government clerk starts a race across continents for the 100-year-old bride, and to bring her back.

Knowing full well that it will be impossible for them ever to get back to the United States in time for the couple to be married on the 100th anniversary of the bride—Aug. 26, 1907—the clerk conceives a carriage accident in England, in which the prospective bride is injured.

From this she expects the fictitious old man to nurse the reticulous old woman back to life. But in the end he has arranged for postponement after postponement of the reunion until memory of the incident can be killed out.

In the meantime he has stimulated interest in the story by sending out column after column of the courtship of the couple when they lived near Tates Springs, Tenn., when the parents of the bride-elect separated her from her lover and took her back to England.

As a second thought he caused the spreading of the statement that the most beautiful girls in the United States were desired as bridesmaids. This led to receipt by him of hundreds of photographs, some of these being of victors in "beauty" contests. Now he has material for a second book.

what led to detection of his scheme. The old man with a flowing beard is the work of a South St. Louis photographer, and the subject is said to be the government clerk, plus wig, although Bunden disclaims that part of the program. The Rose McGuire is a South St. Louis woman induced to permit to being discharged since he has found the public so easy.

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**20,563 HURT IN RAIL ROAD ACCIDENTS**  
 Figures of Interstate Commerce Commission Cover Three Months Prior to March 31.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Aug. 2.—Shocking railroad accidents, involving great loss of life and property, occurred in the United States during the three months ended March 31, according to Accident Bulletin No. 23, issued today by the Interstate Commerce Commission. While the number of lives lost and the number of persons injured are somewhat less than during the previous three months, the record is still appalling.

Casualties to passengers and employes while on duty during the three months were 20,563, as compared with 20,384 reported in the previous three months—a decrease of 821. The total number of passengers and employes killed in train accidents was 421, 873—three less than during the preceding three months.

Collisions and derailments in the quarter were 2,391 (2,078 collisions and 1,313 derailments), of which 223 collisions and 229 derailments affected passenger trains. The damage to cars, engines and roadways by these accidents amounted to \$4,333,110.

Employees killed in coupling accidents in this quarter show a diminution of 25 per cent, as compared with the quarter last preceding or with that of one year ago. Passengers reported killed in train accidents, 25, is 30 per cent smaller, but the record includes two collisions and two derailments killing a total of 62 persons.

**BELIEVES SON WAS LOST IN WRECK OF STEAMER COLUMBIA**

GIBSON, Aug. 1.—M. E. A. Burpee has friends and relatives here who sympathize deeply with him and family in their anxiety regarding the ill-fated steamer Columbia, recently wrecked on the California coast. M. E. A. Burpee, his father, has about abandoned hope of ever receiving word that his son is alive.

David N. Vanstone, one of the best known engineers on the Canada Eastern branch of the Intercolonial Railway, died at his residence on Tuesday evening. He was aged 41 years, and although in poor health for some time he stuck bravely to his work on the railway until within a few weeks of his death. He was a widower, his wife having died a few years ago. He is survived by a widowed mother, three young daughters and a son. His brothers, John and Thomas, reside here.

**CODY'S.**  
 CODY'S, Queens Co., Aug. 2.—Mrs. Fenwick Crawford and daughter are visiting Mrs. C. F. Cody.

Miss Mary Armstrong of St. John is spending her holidays with her mother, Mrs. E. M. Armstrong, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Starkey of St. John are the guests of Dr. and Mrs. Armstrong.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Vincent and Mrs. John Vincent are spending a few days with Mrs. Jack Keay.

Walker Perry leaves today for Le-preux, where he has been engaged as cook for J. A. Grosvenor.

The Misses Fannie and May Thorne of St. John have returned to their homes, having spent three weeks visiting here.

The mill that has been operating here for the past few months for T. P. Hetherington finished the cut on Tuesday and the men have returned to their homes.

**CLASSIFIED ADS.**

**ONE CENT PER WORD** per issue is all it costs to insert advertisements like those appearing below in the lively columns of THE SUN or STALL. This ensures them being read in 6,500 St. John homes every evening, and by nearly 8,000 people during the day. SUN and STAR Classified ads are veritable little busybodies.

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**IF YOU WANT male or female help or a better situation in St. John or Boston, try GRANT'S Employment Agency, 52 St. James street, West Side.**

**COAL AND WOOD—Reasonable prices. Now discharging. JAMES S. MCGILVER, Agent, 5 Mill street. Tel. 42.**

**FIREWOOD—Mill Wood cut to stove lengths. For big load in City \$1.25; in North End, \$1.40. Pay the driver. This wood is just from mill. MURRAY & GREGORY, LTD., Phone 231.**

**J. D. MEAVITY, dealer in hard and soft coal. Delivered promptly in the city. 39 Brussels street. 6-4-tf.**

**WM. L. WILLIAMS, successor to M. A. Finn, Wholesale and Retail Wine and Spirit Merchant, 110 and 112 Prince street. Established 1850. Write for family price list.**

**D. FITZGERALD, 25 Dock street, Boots, Shoes and Rubbers repaired. Also a Cleaning of Men's Boots and Shoes at reasonable prices. Rubber Heels attached, 5c. 1-14-tf.**

**HAVE YOUR PAUPERING, PAINTING AND WHITENING done early. I am looking orders for spring work already. Very moderate prices. F. W. EDLESTON, 33 Sydney street, Home, 10 Market Square. Telephone 1511.**

**ST. JOHN FUEL CO. can give you cheaper Dry Wood than any other fuel company in St. John. We also keep stock in the celebrated Spanghill Coal, especially adapted for cooking stoves, and also both Scotch and American Hard Coal. Prompt delivery with our teams. Telephone 1294. 5 July-17-tf.**

**WILLIAM H. PATTERSON, Graduate Doctor of Optics, 53 Brussels street, Glasses perfectly right, two years ago, may be far better than the ones you are wearing. Examine your eyes FREE and only recommend a change if absolutely beneficial. 2-1-17-tf.**

**E. LAW, Watchmaker, 3 Colberg St.**

**F. C. WESLEY CO., Artists, Engravers and Electrotypers, 38 Water street, St. John, N. B. Telephone 882.**

**SITUATIONS VACANT--FEMALE**

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**WANTED—A competent cook and housemaid. Apply to MRS. R. P. STARR, 31 Carleton street. 1-8-4.**

**WANTED—Two women. AMERICAN STEAM LAUNDRY.**

**WANTED—Two good fancy ironers. Apply GLOBE LAUNDRY. 24-7-tf.**

**WANTED—Two girls wanted at once. Apply 33 Charlotte street. 23-7-tf.**

**GIRLS WANTED—To sew by machine and hand. Good pay. Steady work. Apply J. SHANE & CO., 71 German street. 1-8-4.**

**ARTICLES FOR SALE**

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**FOR SALE—Property at Sprague Lake owned by Dr. J. T. Steeves. 200 acres or more, water front. Apply to MRS. J. T. STEEVES, Clifton House, 171 Mill street. 27-4-tf.**

**FOR SALE—Cocker Spaniel Dog (pup), black, and a good one. Price \$10. Apply Box 182, Star office. 3-8-4.**

**FOR SALE—House, small barn, 7 1/2 acres on a first class locality. Terms cash. Neighbors thickly settled. Nicely situated near by the St. John river in York Co. Will sell at very low price. Apply to FRED HALD, 118 King street, St. John West. 1-8-4.**

**FOR SALE—Well established and good paying grocery business for sale in a first class locality. Terms cash. Apply to Dealer in Groceries, Box No. 136, care Star Office. 23-7-tf.**

**FOR SALE—Two cash registers, one counter. Bargain. W. A. STEINER, 171 Mill street. 22-1-tf.**

**FOR SALE—Two horses, cheap. G. S. HUMPHREYS, Torrvburn, St. John Co., N. B. 17-1-tf.**

**SITUATIONS VACANT MALE**

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**WANTED—A few men to learn to run machine tools. Must be strictly temperate. Steady employment. THOMPSON, MFG. CO., Grand Bay, N. B. 1-8-4.**

**WANTED—Good Cook. Apply. ORIENTAL RESTAURANT, 105 Charlotte street. 31-7-6.**

**WANTED SALESMEN.—Must be intelligent, industrious, and able to furnish good references. Apply to G. N. CONNOR, 20 Dock street, between 9 and 10 a. m., and 5 and 6 p. m. Liberal compensation to the right parties. 29-7-4.**

**AGENTS.—Starting household inventory. Sells on sight. Agents collecting money. Salary or commission. BRADLEY-GARRESON CO., LTD., Office 2, Brantford, Ont. 21.**

**WANTED—Boy 14 or 15 years old, to tend door bell and telephone. Apply GENERAL PUBLIC HOSPITAL. 27-7-tf.**

**WANTED—Boy to learn barber trade. Apply to TINGLEY, 205 Charlotte street. 24-7-tf.**

**WANTED—A grocery clerk. Apply at The Two Barks, 100 Princess St. 22-7-tf.**

**WANTED—We want at once, for both wholesale and retail departments, several bright, intelligent boys from 14 to 18 years of age, who have a desire to learn the dry goods business. Apply at once. Manchester Robertson Allison, Limited. 27-4-tf.**

**WANTED—Young man having two or three years' experience at type setting. Apply SUN PRINTING CO., LTD. 19-5-tf.**

**Wanted at Once**

Carpenters, \$2.50 to \$3.50; Brass founders, \$2.25 to \$3.00; Rough painters, \$1.75; Machinists, \$2.25 to \$2.75; Laborers, \$1.75; Teamsters, \$2.00 and board. Apply McNEIL'S Employment Bureau, Globe building, St. John, N. B. 27-4-tf.

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**TO LET—Shop and flat to let at the corner Simonds and Camden streets. Good stand for grocery store. Apply to MRS. A. GIBSON on premises. 27-4-tf.**

**TO RENT—A new summer cottage to rent at Bay Shore, beautifully situated. Ten minutes from street cars. Seven rooms, open fireplace, large covered veranda. Partly furnished. For particulars telephone West 165, ring 31. 24-6-tf.**

**TO LET—Nice summer cottage partly furnished at Bonforth. Apply C. YALL, Globe Laundry. 6-8-tf.**

**TO LET—Barn with six stalls and good hay loft. Apply GEO. DICK, 63 Brittain street. 1-5-tf.**

**BAY SHORE, adjoining Sea Side Park. Summer Cottage, eight rooms. F. E. DEMILL, 13-7-tf.**

**COTTAGE TO LET.**  
 Newly furnished, nicely situated near bay shore at North Head, Grand Manan. Terms reasonable. Apply to J. E. ESTABROOKS. 25-7-12.

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**FOR SALE—A good double tenement on West Side. Price, \$2,100. J. W. MORRISON, Real Estate, 50 Princess street. Ring 1643.**

**Harbor Salmon and Shad.**  
**SMITH'S FISH MARKET**  
 TELEPHONE 1704. 25 SYDNEY ST.

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**HAYING BACKWARD AND GRAIN LIGHT IN NORTH OF PROVINCE**

DALHOUSIE, N. B., Aug. 1.—The oldest residents say that they do not remember a season with such a fall of rain as we have had for the past month. No haying has been started yet and grain is lying light.

Hon. C. H. Lablache has returned from Brookford, where she has been visiting her former home. Miss Alice Stewart, Mrs. Dates' niece, accompanied her to Dalhousie.

Esau Jiroux, of Charlot Station, West Co., who has been employed here in the Royal Bank of Canada for the past six months, was taken to his home last week ill, and a later report states that he has a severe type of typhoid fever.

Miss Stella Troy is visiting her parents on her vacation.

Mr. Buckhall has returned from an extended trip to Western Canada. R. Y. A. Backhall has returned from that section and engage in business. Major Montgomery returned yesterday from Amherst, N. S.

Master Andrew Wallace is confined to the house by strained muscles of the legs.

The bark that was grounded above town, was taken off yesterday at high water.

The I. C. R. has a crew of men repairing the road bed near the public wharf which was damaged by the high tide last Saturday morning. The road is to be shifted back from the King's highway at A. & R. Loggie's corner.

Miss Margaret Jessup and her brother James Jessup, are visiting their sister Mrs. Baker at the Royal hotel.

**WHEN "GIRL" WAS "GEL."**  
 Concerning the pronunciation of "girl," it is to be feared that only very careful English people fall to rhyme it with "pearl" nowadays. The song of some years back—"My dear little girlie, with hair so nice and curly, and every morning early"—shows the custom of the great public in our time, though in the "Viviana and his Dinah" period "girl" was rhymed with "dwell." "Gell" was no doubt the nearest the average man could get to the sound imperfectly represented by "girl" and at any rate was better than the vulgar "gal." But in these days few authors would go to the trouble of writing "gell" to show that a character was peculiar in thus pronouncing the word as "Thackeray" did in the case of Mrs. Gowan. So says a London correspondent.

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All the conditions of the specification must be complied with.  
 D. FORTINGER, General Manager, Railway Office, Moncton, N. B., July 29th, 1907. 23-7-11

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FOUR

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ST. JOHN, N. B., AUGUST 3, 1907.

DREYFUS AGAIN.

Major Alfred Dreyfus has made application to minister of war—formerly general—Picquart for leave to retire from the army on full pay. This request brings to light what appears to be a rather undignified proceeding on the part of the minister whose noble efforts in the past to clear the name of the persecuted soldier met with such high praise. When the Dreyfus appeal first demanded attention it was Picquart who came forward as champion for the prisoner, who fought his case step by step, and produced overwhelming evidence of his innocence. When the second court in the face of this evidence again adjudged Dreyfus guilty of treasonable practices, Picquart did not relax his efforts, but continued the fight until the court of cassation decided in favor of the accused to the extent of pardoning him, though without reversing the verdict of the former courts. Picquart had been chiefly instrumental in exposing the crimes committed by Esterhazy and Col. Henry, the suicide of the latter following after the decision of the court of cassation. He accepted the verdict and retired into private life. Dreyfus, however, displayed an independent spirit, rejected the general's advice and continued the struggle for his absolute vindication. He rejected the pardon and demanded that the charges made against him be declared wholly unfounded, that his absolute innocence be proclaimed, and that he be reinstated in the army with his former rank. In time all this was done, and since then Dreyfus has quietly served his country. His former friend has passed upward to the post of minister of war, and Dreyfus in the natural order of promotion should have been a general long ere this. He has found, however, that there is no advancement for him, and the cause of this neglect is said to be wholly due to Picquart's enmity against him for not accepting the advice tendered that he should take the pardon and drop the case. Such a feeling on the part of a soldier who proved himself a fearless champion of the oppressed, in former years, is in no way creditable to Minister Picquart.

SOMETHING DOING.

From all that can be learned of the private meeting held yesterday forenoon in City Hall, there is ground for the supposition that at least a majority who were present are in earnest in their desire to devise a better system of civic government. This being the case the members of the council should be willing to receive for consideration suggestions, and advice, from all citizens who have devoted any thought to the subject, and it becomes the duty of such citizens to offer their ideas in as definitely concise a manner as possible. The task of reorganizing St. John's civic service is no light one. It will not be discussed in a desultory manner and then dropped as being beyond the abilities of the aldermen, but the weakness of present methods which are clearly realized will be eliminated in a comprehensive scheme for the general policy and of the different departments will be looked into and with caution the committee will no doubt be able to suggest modifications which will meet with the approval of the electors—that is if the aldermen do their duty as they now appear ready to do. Many meetings will be necessary before any plan may be perfected, for the subject opens up a wide range of ideas. Certain methods which have succeeded elsewhere may not be adaptable to St. John, plans which have been discarded in other cities where conditions are different may be suitable here. At any rate there is slight possibility that anything worse than the present system could be introduced, for it is getting altogether beyond bounds. The aldermen are burdened with far too much work, the multitudinous committee meetings at which so many questions of minor importance occupy their attention are objectionable, and the boards are so large as to unwieldy. More than this the departments are not managed by any one central head; they do not work together, and ignorance of each other's plans frequently involves much extra work and unnecessary expense. For the betterment of the system the aldermen will find for their consideration many plans in operation elsewhere. There are those who strongly advocate government by commission, and point to Galveston, Texas, as an instance of what can be accomplished. The commission idea no doubt is the most modern and when the right man can be found, it is almost certain to be a success. But in Galveston the plan was introduced as the result of a general awakening on the part of the business men to the fact that the entire administration was carrying the city to ruin. It was a protective measure, enthusiastically supported, and has consequently been a success. Such conditions do not exist in St. John, yet the commission system might prove satisfactory. Several of the larger Upper Canada

cities favor administration by board of control. A small committee, working as a board of inquiry, systematizes all the departmental duties, reports on all questions such as are now discussed by the various boards in St. John, and acts in accordance with the instructions of the council which confines itself to general direction of public policy. The board of control is executive only in the sense that by its findings the engineers and other officials are guided. A plan such as this relieves the aldermen of all unnecessary work and necessitates only brief meetings once in every two or three weeks.

The committee plan such as was in vogue in Portland before the union, had some advantages, one of the principal being that by it the work could be distributed lightly among the aldermen. But in the event of a few able men being members of the council in company with others of only mediocre ability, star chamber methods were liable to be the outcome. And indeed, in Portland there was formerly the complaint that such was the case.

All these things will no doubt be gone over and the members of the council will in course of time be able to frame a scheme of government which will contain the most up-to-date ideas. If there is to be reform, it should not be carried out in any halfhearted way. We are far behind the times now, and any changes should be radical ones which will give St. John the very best system of government yet devised.

THE STAMPEDE.

(From the Denver Republican.) A forked flash of lightning, the bawling of a steer. Ten thousand hoofs are thundring across the prairie sea; and dust clouds hang, dun colored, against the rain clouds drear.

The great horns clash like sabres, as heads are tossed on high; the dusty desert trembles as the herd goes rolling by. With in the lead a cowboy who feareth not to die.

Now jaws are dripping slaver, and nostrils red with gore. But slackened are the hoof beats; he cheers who rides before. The herd will soon be milling—the run will soon be over.

But now the pony stumbles where dangers ever lurk, and in the day's faint dawning the form rests in the muck; another faithful servant who gave all to his work!

TIMES HAVE CHANGED FOR THE GIRL GRADUATE.

(From the Trinity College Record.) Stow away the tea cups, High up on the shelf; The dainty ones of Dresden, The fragile ones of elf.

O now it's all the porringers And bring the baby spoon; For teas are of the future And past that went so soon.

THE INCOMPLETE ANGLER.

I've often spun a fishin' yarn which wasn't swallered down. They allus seemer to doubt my word, when I'm known ev'rywhere, in tellin' of the fish I've ketcherd, as bein' fair and square.

Now I'll admit some tales I've told have seemed a little strong, An' folks have sometimes thought perhaps the weights an' measures wrong.

But I have a story here that's absolutely true, An' I could prove it if I had the fish to show to you. One day I went 'way up the creek to reach the other side, An' where I stopped to git across warn't more than eight feet wide; There warn't no bridge or boat in sight, but by an' by I found A log which went from shore to shore, nigh thirty inches 'round.

SATURDAY SERMONETTE

FATHERLESS BOYS.

There are many fatherless boys in this city and in many other cities. Boys whose fathers are living and boys whose fathers are dead; and I think the boys whose fathers are living are the most to be pitied.

The active business man whose house is a restaurant and lodging house, not a home, is less acquainted with his children? He has to work all the time and over time for them and sees them for a few minutes in the morning and if he lurches down town, sees them perhaps in the evening for a few minutes. As for knowing his boys he knows no more of them than of the men he passes on the street.

I have no doubt but what many a fatherless boy is a man, and that he knows so little of his boys and would know them better if he could, but he has so little time at home that he really does not know their capabilities, limitations or temptations.

God help fatherless boys, for if they have not the best friend good or bad boy ever had a loving capable mother, then the chances are that some day the children will break their parents' hearts.

The fatherless boy is a boy who is not acquainted with his father and does not know that he is his best friend and that it is because the father or loves his boy that he works so hard.

The boy whose father died and left him the legacy of an honored name, is not fatherless, for the men who knew his father, who does not have him for a protector and when men say, "I knew your father and for his sake I will befriend you," that boy may carry himself more proudly for the dead hand of his father has decorated him.

If it were not for these fatherless boys have such good mothers they would more frequently go to recruit some of the most successful men I know were fatherless boys, and I have wondered at their success until I read in an English paper the following: "I was a father to the fatherless, and the widows' God."

It is a historical fact that a cock was publicly burned at Basel in August, 1474, for the diabolical crime of laying an egg, the egg being also burned lest it should produce a cockatrice or fiery flying serpent. "On the Thursday before St. Lawrence's day," writes Gross in his "Kurtze Basler Chronik," "they burned a cock on the Kolbenberg, which was the training of a dragon; for they feared that a dragon might be hatched therefrom. The executioner cut open the cock and found three more eggs in him, for, as Vicentius saith in the sixth book of his "Speculum Naturale," it hath always been held that cocks in his old age may lay an egg, whence ariseth a basilisk if it is hatched out on a dung heap by the serpent called coluber, or half serpent. He said also that certain persons declare they have seen basilisks hatched from such eggs."

DON'T SHOOT.

(Wall Street Journal.) Don't shoot at the consensus of all modern civilization. Not that men are afraid of blood-letting, but because it is bad policy. There are better things in military cases out of a hundred than powder and ball to promote the well-being of mankind and one of the main things is the training of the people to think clear and straight on matters of individual and public interest. Training, if we may believe Mark Twain, is everything. Even training for warfare is only another way of learning to resort to other means than shooting irons to settle a question of right or wrong.

LEAD US NOT INTO TEMPTATION.

Cecil was much impressed by the Sunday School teacher's plea for misapprehension and decided to save his pennies for the heathen. He made a great effort and failed once or twice. Then he prayed, "O Lord," he begged, "please help me save my money, and don't let Jim the peanut man come down this street."—August Lippincott's.

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WHY E. O. BROWN WAS FIRST SUSPECTED OF THEFT

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understanding the matter fully she signed the note. Brown endorsed it, and she had it cashed at the Royal Bank. When she afterwards found out that she had been misled, and when she was told that she would be responsible for the \$80.00, she told the Misses Stampfer—friends of her's—that had happened, and warned them that if they had any dealings with Brown to be careful of him. They immediately investigated their accounts and found that in June, 1906, they had given Brown \$1200 to invest for them. He produced a mortgage purporting to have been drawn by Warren J. Vessey and his wife, assuring them that it was a gilt-edged investment. When the judges, beguiled, due, she asked him for the money and he paid the \$1200. On learning Mrs. Senter's story, however, the Misses Stampfer took the mortgage to the Registry Office, only to find that the mortgage had never been registered, and that the certificate was a forgery. When the news of the arrest became known other parties who had dealings with Brown began to investigate and extraordinary developments followed. S. W. Crabbe, a prominent hardware merchant, endorsed a note given by Brown for \$200. After a time Brown came back, stating that he had paid \$100 on the note, and brought a new note for Mr. Crabbe to sign. It now turns out that the note for \$200 had been raised to \$2,300 and the note given to Mr. Crabbe for \$100 to \$2,100. It was also found that mortgages similar to the Stampfer mortgage, had been given by Brown, \$200. The question was, what was the mortgage for? The answer was, that no registration had taken place, and it was a forgery. The mortgages themselves were not bona fide. Of these there is said to be one of L. C. Worley for \$1,200, another for \$500 from Dr. Alley, another for \$1,500 from Robert Fennell, and several others whose amounts range from \$50 to \$200. The most unfortunate circumstance was the securing from Mrs. A. W. Mitchell, a widow, the sum of \$1,000. She had assigned all her property, including a law library worth \$2,000, safe, etc., to Professor W. A. Hawley, executor of the widow's estate. The first question was, what has Brown done with the money? He did not appear to be a spendthrift, he did not drink, and he was not known to drink. Among his papers, however, are a number of stock certificates, and it seems now that he has been investing heavily in stocks, and that his investments have been turning out unprofitable. It is not known whether any of the other charges given above will be preferred. Brown spends his time in all studying and he has had part of his books sent to him. The prisoner is 33 years of age, and was admitted to the bar in 1905, since when he has been practicing alone, handling a considerable number of cases.

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Don't Worry!

TOO TRUE. After our landlord had pocketed the thirty dollars which we pay monthly for our little apartment, he blushed painfully. "Why do you color so?" I asked. "Because I have a rent in my trousers," he murmured.—August Lippincott's.

A rosy found on Main street was left at the North End police station. Chief Kerr reports that the fire men's tournament fund has been swelled by substantial contributions received yesterday from Wm. Thomson & Co., James Ready, T. McAvity & Sons and Brock & Patterson.

SATURDAY

The Star

SUPPLEMENT

ST. JOHN, N. B., SATURDAY, AUGUST 3, 1907.

REAL ESTATE AGENTS START A BOOM ON THE SANDS OF EGYPT.

Report of Several Native Risings, Caused by Fanatics, Which Were Put Down With Difficulty -- A Financial Panic Safely Ended.

CAIRO, Aug. 3.—A native Liberal party has been formed to combat the seditious propaganda of Mustafa Kamel Pasha and other agitators. It is formed in the main of well-to-do natives who realize the pernicious effects of the anti-British movement on the minds of the ignorant natives. Not long ago the natives were "civil and submissive. Now they are openly insolent and talk of the day when they will be freed from the presence of the hated Christian.

Interesting details of the campaign near Sokoto and Hadjela in northern Nigeria given by Sir Frederick Lugard, high commissioner, have just been published here.

A mail arose at Sattru, a village fourteen miles south of Sokoto, in February and a fanatical outbreak against the Emir as well as against British rule followed.

The company of mounted infantry at Sokoto under Lieutenant E. de Blackwood immediately advanced, on Sattru and formed a square. The rebels charged and broke the square, routing the company with a loss of twenty-five killed including Lieutenant Blackwood and several other British men.

Within twenty-four days after this disaster a force of twenty-one officers and 526 men advanced on Sattru under circumstances under which according to Sir Frederick Lugard, the Northern Nigeria regiment may justly be proud. The village was finally taken at the point of the bayonet.

At the conclusion of this expedition the Emir of Hadjela required attention and independent attitude and a band of fanatical leaders preached a Jihad with disastrous results. When the Emir was taken on his journey the principal agitators he struck the British messenger and contemptuously invited the commanding officer to come and get the persons himself.

He did so. A force of over 700 men and two guns at once moved on Hadjela. A messenger was sent three times to warn the people in the capital of the laid down their arms and, and out they had nothing to surrender. Colonel Cole, who commanded the expedition was preparing to send a fourth messenger, when the column was suddenly charged by a body of mounted spearmen belonging to the natives.

They were dispersed, but despite heavy fire they returned and charged again. The British troops forced their way into the town where the streets were guarded by the enemy. It required about one and a half hours fighting to reach the enclosure of the Emir. Here the resistance was very stubborn, but the entrance was

at length forced and the defenders either killed or captured. The fighting men were armed with spears, spears, bows and arrows and a few firearms. Many wore shirts of mail. The Emir and his son were shot when boldly charging at a few yards' distance. The best was intense, often being in the shade and this retarded the movements of the British troops and at times greatly aided the natives. Troops reported from many parts of Africa, and in spite of the particular troubles reported from many parts of Egypt, there is a feeling that the acute financial crisis here in Egypt has had the "defining effect" of strengthening the nationalist movement. This opinion is held by "Al Watan" reports a further check on the activities of the Egyptian Home Rule Party by reason of the recent action of a group in the Legislative Council. The members convened a meeting of the intelligent native classes of Alexandria and Cairo for the purpose of discussing the situation. The rarity of representative public meetings in Egypt is a significant character of the event. By a large majority the issue of the conference was to repudiate the "extremist doctrines and the aggressive" president of the "Nationalist" leaders. A declaration was furthermore passed with acclaim asserting the Egyptian people to be neither hostile to Europeans nor opposed to the Occupation regime. The great mass of the Egyptians, it is said, are reconciled with the government as it is, and desire no fundamental changes in the constitution. The people acknowledge the benefits and security of life and property introduced by European administrators. They protest therefore against methods which are destructive of Europe's confidence in themselves. "Al Watan" characterizes this resolution as a "peace-loving and patriotic" industry or in the credit of the country. "Al Watan" characterizes this resolution as a "peace-loving and patriotic" conveying an analogy with the morning dew that revives the fainting plavias. Poverty apart, the event is believed to show the ability of the Egyptians and their legislators to understand the necessities of a "critical situation. The "peace-loving" have emerged with honor, it is said, from this severe ordeal of a financial panic and at the same time the prestige and authority of the Egyptian administration is greatly enhanced.

There is a feeling in Cairo that the adoption of modern methods in connection with real estate, the sands, even as far as the Pyramids, were plotted by speculators who had been advertised in a fashion that recall the palmist days of boom towns in the western part of the United States.

THE ELUSIVE PERFUME IN NOW IN FAVOR

Dealers are After Something Which Cannot Readily be Recognized but Smells Like a Flower Garden.

LONDON, August 2.—The "elusive perfume" is the latest fashion in scents. Its object is to imitate the fragrance of a flower in such a subtle manner that not only is it difficult to discern whence the perfume comes, but it is impossible to recognize the flower from which it is distilled.

Interviewed concerning the subject, a Fall Mall perfumery, one of the best known in England, declared: "Our object is to collect and concentrate the very souls of the flowers, and after this to present them so that they merely suggest some pleasant spot in a well remembered garden."

The artistic temperament desires an atmosphere of its favorite flower. It likes some one to say there are violets in this room, and all the time the delectation has been gained by a tiny mass of scented tulle, among the leaves of a garden. A delicate aroma of roses, which may transform a London drawing room into a country lane by two of these drops of all-happiness, brushed into a lady's curls.

"The titles of modern perfumes have altered as much as their character. To name a scent 'white rose,' 'ily of the valley,' or 'wood violet' is a mistake. Not only is the sale increased, but the perfume is more enjoyable to use if some drop of 'Queen of the Rosary' is sprinkled on a lace fichu or a chiffon bodice, sprayed with 'Star of White Violet Buds.'"

"One of the most fascinating and popular scents is 'Flowers of the Linn,' which is closely rivaled however by 'Fragrance of the Orange Grove,' 'A Garden of White Lilies.'"

MARRIED BY A PRIEST, BUT NOT YET WEDDED

Disestablishment in France Leads to Complicated Situations -- An Action Against the Bishop.

PARIS, August 3.—M. Fondi de Notti, Conservative Council General of the Aude Department, has demonstrated in an original way against the Government. His daughter was engaged to be married but there was no mayor at Carcassons to marry her to her betrothed. The kind father determined that the young people were not to be kept waiting. A legal officer on his behalf drew up an official statement to the effect that no registrar was discoverable to unite the couple. Thereupon Monsieur de Beaujour, Bishop of Carcassons marched them off in church only, and married them in his own opinion, having already started on their honeymoon. But they are not in the least wedded of course in the eyes of the law, and unless a mayor or other qualified official does marry them their children will of course be illegitimate. This it has been declared here in demonstration against the government with a vengeance. Proceedings are being taken against the bishop by the Public Prosecutor for having celebrated a religious wedding without satisfying himself that a previous civil marriage had not been contracted as required by a law which it seems disestablishment has not repealed.

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BUCKEYE DAISIES MISSED THE CHANGE

Prize Beauties from Ohio Did Holyhood Palace

But the Killed Sentry on Guard Would Not Stand Still to Have His Picture Taken

EDINBURGH, Aug. 3.—The twenty-one prize girls from Ohio, who are hurrying and scurrying over Europe, but who resolutely refuse to recognize their international nickname "Buckeye Daisies" had the time of their tour at Edinburgh. They captivated it too with one exception.

The scene of their rebuttal was Holyhood Palace and the main of the piece was a killed Highlander sentry, who with rifle on shoulder paced up and down outside the entrance. He was a slight and portly man, wearing the young ladies. They hurried towards him the moment they caught sight of him. "Say girls, ain't he just swell," cried the leader of the party, and then, of course, being American girls, they laughed heartily.

The sentry who could not turn his gun on them and shoot them paced up and down with unmoved face. They scattered themselves along his line of route. Two of these had cameras. "He must stop," said a pretty brunette, "for in the next light I shall never be able to get a good snapshot." The sentry of course heard but heeded not at all. "I've tried two or three charming snapshots," he actually kept wagging his head and so that we couldn't catch him at all."

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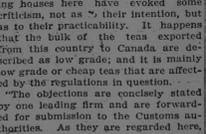
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COMMERCE IN TEA GREATLY AFFECTED

Japan Objects to Canada's New Customs Regulations. Trade is Now Active, and Rules Will Embarrass Bct Shippers and Importers.

OTTAWA, Aug. 2.—Canada's new customs regulations, making more stringent provisions against importation of adulterated teas, are not regarded favorably in Japan. Reporting on the subject to the Trade and Commerce Department, Mr. Alex. MacLean, commercial agent in Yokohama, says: "The regulations, given effect on June 1st, by the Canadian customs authorities, providing against the importation and sale of adulterated teas, have been placed before the export houses here have evoked some criticism, not as to their intention, but as to their practicality. It happens that the bulk of the teas exported from this country to Canada are described as low grade; and it is mainly low grade or cheap teas that are affected by the regulations in question. "The objections are concisely stated by one leading firm and are referred for submission to the Customs authorities. As they are regarded here, the regulations subjecting the exportation of tea to Canada to the delay involved in examination testing, and possibly chemical analysis, before the product can be placed before the export houses and cost of return transportation in case of such quantities as may be rejected. It is represented that the trade cannot be carried on under these conditions. "At the present time shipment is actively going on, the tea is packed at the height of activity for the season; contracts have been entered into and are being filled; and the putting into force now of regulations, however salutary, not anticipated when the season's trade was being negotiated, may prove very embarrassing to exporter and importer alike."



THIS WORLD'S SMALLEST PONY. This tiny animal is owned by a English farmer and is only eighteen inches high.

HINDOO NEWSPAPERS HAVE BEEN SEIZED BY THE BEINGALESE AUTHORITIES.

HEAVY PUNISHMENTS FOR CAMERA FIENDS Germans Will Hereafter be Protected Against Snapshot Artlets.

BERLIN, Aug. 3.—Damages to the extent of \$1,500 with a fine of \$200 or two months' imprisonment may hereafter be the fate of anyone who snapshots a private person, work of art or interior of a building, and circulates or publishes the picture without permission. Persons in the eye of the public such as the Kaiser, the members of the Royal Family, statesmen and actors are all sorts of public buildings and public works of art may be snapshots and reproduced without permission.

Tourists with cameras will not be affected as long as their snapshots are confined to such subjects. Illustrated newspapers are liable to the same restrictions. No police regulation is provided for, and prosecutions will follow only on complaint of persons involved. The law is specially designed to protect the copyright of photographers, painters, sculptors, architects and industrial artists. If the original work of the members of any of these professions are reproduced without their permission the reproducer may be punished in accordance with the new regulation.

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FRENCH WHEAT TRUST IS ONLY A BINCO GAME.

backing out of it naturally at a profit. It is declared that the process is not unfamiliar in finance. The subscribers will be left with a great enterprise on their hands and no American capital at all behind it. This new version of the gigantic meat trust is even more serious than the others. Only one thing is certain in this connection that is that it is very hard to find out the truth.

PARIS, August 2.—An altogether new complexion, so to speak, is now put upon the supposed Meat Trust. The Trust itself turns out to have been a bluff, according to the secretary of the French Master Butcher's Union. Huge capital was subscribed amounting to \$5,000,000. Land has been bought in three places near Bordeaux and Havre and on the Marne. All of the French livestock trade was to be monopolized, American lines, and not only was the fresh meat trade to be controlled, but the country was to be supplied with the best timed meats on the most approved Chicago plans. The market being controlled, prices were to be sent up with a view to compelling the French government to lower its customs tariff on imported cattle thus allowing the United States to flood France with their beef and pork. At the bottom of the whole scheme was one of the most notorious American speculative firms. Now the secretary of the French Master Butcher's Union says that the entire gigantic enterprise is a bubble and it seems hard to get at the truth since the secretary of the French Cattle Breeders the other day said exactly the opposite. The present authority asserts that the whole scheme is merely a company promoting bubble. He believes that the big company itself is a fiction he carried out. Land may or may not have been bought. Shipment may not have been planned. But the whole thing he doubts whether a single sheep will ever be slaughtered here. He hears that many butchers fascinated by the hugeness of the scheme have hastened to obtain a small piece in the trust, and have subscribed \$2,000, \$2,500, \$5,000, \$7,500. But the whole thing, he insists, is mere company flotation. One who has been a promoter will leave the scheme alone.

WOULD RECOGNIZE BAPTISTS BY THE CUT OF THEIR HAIR

Sydney Clergyman Says That Members of Different Denominations Have Personal Characteristics.

SYDNEY, Aug. 3.—Dr. Fitchett, addressing the Australian Methodist Conference which has just closed its session here, in an address elucidated the interesting idea that the adherent of every religion has some distinctive in its appearance. "If I were dropped," he said, "from a balloon into a gathering of Baptists I could tell you they were by the way they cut their hair. If I were dropped into the middle of an Anglican synod I could discover any ecclesiastical whereabouts by their collars. "If I were dropped into an assembly of Methodists from any sky I would not regard their hair nor their collars but other signs. I am frankly willing that my church should be judged by the type of face which displays its intelligence and its kindness."

SNEAK THIEF AND VICTIM WERE OLD JAIL FRIENDS

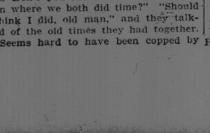
PARIS, August 3.—Tastefully dressed with a heavy gold chain across a brilliant waistcoat a man was jostled in the Boulevard St. Germain by a seedy looking individual who had been hastily jumped into an electric tram. The smart person knew the game so well, felt his waistcoat, found the chain of course had gone with the watch, jumped into a motor cab and was soon after the tram shouting "Stop thief." After a short pursuit he caught up with the tram and the thief was handed over to a policeman. At the station he made no attempt to deny the robbery, disgorged the watch and chain and was placed under arrest. The fashionable prosecutor was asked for his name and address but seemed strangely disturbed and hesitated for a moment. Before he could remember who he was and where he lived the police commissary suddenly exclaimed, "I do believe we have met before. Am I mistaken? Samuel Mathias, is it not?"

The gentleman addressed tried to look as though he were somebody else. The police officer added, "Allow me" and felt in Samuel's pockets. He found there two more watches and a savings bank book for \$200, which was not in his name. Samuel made a weak effort to explain that the two watches and the book had just been left him by a deceased uncle. The police officer cheerfully brushed the story aside and reminded him that he had already been convicted seventeen times of various offenses, chiefly larceny, and Samuel saw that they really had met before. All of this time the first chief had been looking hard at the second. "Why, Sammy, don't you know me," he cried at last. "Look by all that is wonderful!" Of course it is. Don't you remember Fresnes prison where we both did time? "Shouldn't think I did, old man," and they talked of the old times they had together. "Seems hard to have been copped by

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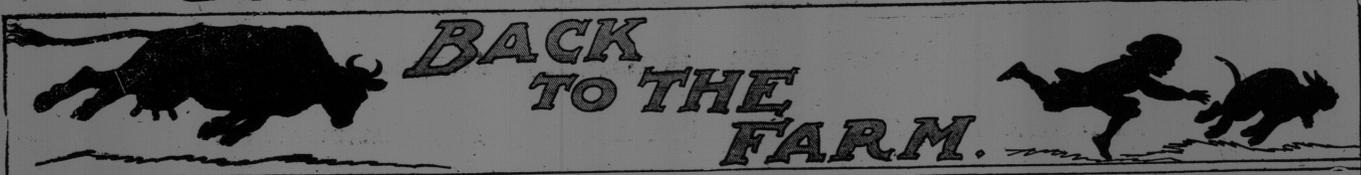


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BUSTER BROWN AND TIGE



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1 SHE SEEMS GLAD TO SEE HIM. AUNT EMBELINE WELL WELL

2 LETS GO AND FIND THE ANIMALS

3 OO! LOOK WHO'S HERE

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5 WE GOT AWAY FROM HIM. ALL RIGHT

6 HERE I AM BOSSY ARNT YOU TICKLED? HOLY SMOKE

7 GEE! THIS IS FINE FUN IS THAT KID BACK HERE AGAIN?

8

9

10 GEE! WHAT A SYSTEM

11 MERCY! THEY ACT WITH SPEED AND WITH PRECISION HE ALMOST FELL ON ME

12 IT ALL HAPPENED IN A FEW MINUTES THOSE SOILED PIGS- I'M GLAD I'M NOT ONE

RESOLVED. THAT IF WE COULD SEE INTO THE FUTURE WE WOULD OFTEN CHANGE OUR PLANS. IT ISN'T THE FUTURE'S FAULT THAT WE CANT SEE INTO IT. THE PRESENT IS THE DOOR TO THE FUTURE AND IT IS OPEN. WE KNOW THAT IF WE BURN THE HOUSE DOWN TO-DAY WE WONT HAVE ONE TO MORROW. IF YOU ABUSE YOUR STOMACH TO-NIGHT YOU'LL BE SICK TO-MORROW. IF YOU TAKE GOOD CARE OF YOURSELF TO DAY YOU'LL BE WELL AND HAPPY TO MORROW. IT'S A CINCH. YOU ARE MAKING YOUR OWN FUTURE EVERY MINUTE AND BUILDING YOUR OWN HEAVEN...OR NOT. B.B.

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# PIERROT FRILLS THE LATEST FAD IN NECKWEAR

FROM Joannette Hope comes word that all Paris seems to be going wild over neck frills. For the matter of that, so is more or less of America. It does not take a Parisienne to appreciate what a difference in her appearance a new and becoming bit of neckwear will make. Our women are fully aware of it, too, and what's more, want the very latest thing that can be found in neck-frings.

Now, at the present moment, that very latest thing is frills in the shape of a Pierrot collar. This is nothing more than a narrow frill of sheer linen, batiste or lace that finishes all the smartest neckwear. It takes the place of the long-worn ruching, and is really much more practical, as it can be made and laundered at home.

The frill is so very new, even to Paris, that it will probably last through next winter, at least over here. It would be a good thing, then, for women to start some of the new frilled neckwear as hot-weather fancy work. They will make acceptable Christmas gifts, even if one does not wish to lay in a supply for one's self.

Not every one will find these Pierrot effects becoming. In fact, they are somewhat trying to any woman with a short neck or round face. Even so the dainty stocks and jabots to which they are attached are well worth copying, and the frills may be made detachable by being finished with a narrow binding and basted in the top of the stock. They are usually from an inch to an inch and a half wide, and are either gathered or sewed into fine knife pleats. Many are finished with a narrow fagoted or hemstitched hem; others are embroidered in dots, and still others of lace, gathered very full or pleated.

The prevalence of the Pierrot collar emphasizes the fact that the soft hand-made collars with jabots are gradually taking the place of the stiff linen embroidered ones so much worn the last few months by the tailored suit. They are seen in all the fine, sheer lingerie materials, and while the more exclusive styles are very expensive, they may be easily copied at little more expense than the cost of the linen. A quarter of a yard would more than make either one of the jabot stocks shown today, leaving odd corners from which one of the single collars could be cut. The simple beauty of the first little stock, for instance, is quite disproportionate to the amount of material used to make it. A more elaborate handkerchief linen left over from a blouse may be run in thread tucks into a shapely collar, with a knife-pleated frill at the top. While the tucks may be sewed by machine, it were better, if it is to be a gift, to have the collar entirely hand-made, even to the embroidered oval eyelets, through which is run soft black taffeta tied in a stiff little bow in front. This is a very popular model for wearing with the tailored suit.

Requiring more work, but also more attractive, is the next stock of sheer batiste, with its dainty handwork and novel jabot effect. The collar is joined by fagoting, which is enjoying a revival, just now in every sort of lingerie. The collar part is formed by three bias bands a half-inch wide, joined by two rows of fagoting and finished with a plain gathered frill. The jabot is made by sewing a shaped ruffle to a narrow strip of double batiste an inch wide at the top, tapering slightly to the rounded point. Groups of lace buttons give a pretty finish. The ruffle may be a straight strip of any desired width, with a three-eighths of an inch hem fagoted to it. It is cut slightly narrower below than



on each side of a plain band with a row of hemstitching through the center. With it is worn a stylish tie of dark green liberty ribbon, very simple to make. Two strips of the ribbon are loosely knotted together, about an inch below the collar, and the long ends are then tied in separate knots an inch and a half from the ends, which may either be cut bias and hemmed or finished in a fine fringe. Probably, of equal effectiveness, and as quickly worked, if dots were substituted for the hemstitching. These dots would be very pretty done in a color to match the tie.

With such models to give suggestions, the clever girl may evolve for herself or her friends any number of soft stocks, with or without the latest Parisian wrinkle, the Pierrot frill. Better yet, they need cost her so little, that if she grows indolgent at once, she can have half-dozen Christmas presents made during vacation; presents, moreover, that could not be bought even in Paris in their simplest forms for less than \$2 apiece.

## New Laces and Their Uses

A SEASON when lace is in vogue is sure to be a season of unusually beautiful frocks. This year the manufacturers seem to have excelled themselves, and have shown, besides, exquisite real laces, which we all can admire if few afford, really beautiful examples of machine-made varieties. The dominant style in the new laces is hard to define. Indeed, it might be tempting to say anything was good so long as it is lace. No particular kind seems to be so common, more probably, of choice, whether one has a blouse, gown or trimmings of point de Venise, the filmy new white Chantilly, point de Florence, guipure, valenciennes, German or French, princess, or that special fad of the moment, filet. The combination of different kinds of laces is markedly also of lace with embroidery.

Judgment is necessary, however, as to the proper kinds of laces for different materials and occasions. There are for dressy affairs whole robes of such laces as Irish crochet, all-over valenciennes, point venise and princess.

By the way, the woman who has need of a formal frock which is suitable for many purposes, and is always becoming and beautiful, will always be coming and beautiful, will do well to buy herself one of the pattern lace robes now offered at such remarkable reductions. Exquisite designs in both heavy and thin qualities may be had as reasonably as \$15. Such a robe is a better investment than the equally lovely lingerie ones with their intricate of filet, cluny and other laces, as they will prove a greater acquisition next winter, especially if enough material is bought for an extra low-necked gown. Little or no trimming is needed, and the robe can be easily draped over a hustrous-silk with a chiffon interlining.

With guipure styles the yokes and undersleeves may be of cluny, filet, valenciennes, princess, Venise, or Irish lace, or several of them combined. Nets and fine lace all-overs are much used for the undersleeves of silk and cloth costumes, even when other kinds of lace are employed in the rest of the gown.

Lingerie frocks, on which a season or two ago valenciennes was used almost exclusively, now are trimmed with the heavier laces in all widths and combinations, such as venise and valenciennes, baby, Irish and batiste embroidery, filet and cluny. The narrow effects in these laces are used instead of handwork to conceal the seams as formerly.

Lace medallions in every shape are popular, also lace edgings, intricate and even all-overs embroidered in colored silks.

## For Fall Wear

THE fall of the colors that will be most generally worn will be dark ones. Tans and grays have outlived their popularity, and will be superseded by somber colors, principally dark green.

Plain effects will be most in vogue, and if any stripes, checks or plaids are worn they will be dressed in a herringbone weave. The only exception to this rule will be the Scotch effects, which will be worn to some extent, but not by those who endeavor to keep strictly up to date. Such stripes as will become popular will be of the nondescript variety, almost invisible, and set against a dark background.

Broadcloth in somber colors will hold its own, as will also serges, worsted suitings, velvets, velveteens and corduroys. Chiffon panamas and volleys will also be much affected, but collars will not be so popular this season.

at the neck to make a more graceful point. This stock has the advantage of being more practical than the next one, which is not easy to launder, though a very popular style just now.

To make such a stock, handkerchief linen, batiste or mull may be used. Cut a strip of the linen five inches wide at the top, narrowing to two inches at the bottom, and knife-pleat it finely. Allow about three inches of material

for every inch of pleating needed. Cut a stiff piece of linen or canvas about two inches wide, and sew the pleating to it in alternating points about two inches apart. The collar is made of eight of an inch tucks, and is finished with a knife-pleated frill. The tiny satin bow is the new Delft blue to match the lining of the hat.

Pretty variations of these jabot effects have the pleating finished with a quarter of an inch hem with three eighth-of-an-inch tucks above it set a little more than their depth apart. Others are hemstitched in any width hem, or finished with buttonholed edges, or lace.

If laundering seems too difficult, the jabots of deep cream lace, which may be easily cleaned with gasoline, are liked. These may be worn with a stock of sheer or heavy linen, in which lace motifs have been introduced, while around the top is a lace frill to match the jabot.

One of the very newest of the Pierrot collars is the last one, of sheer linen, with hemstitched frills at top and bottom of the stock, which has groups of four tiny tucks

way or semi-fitting. Bolero are in favor for the dressier styles, generally much covered with lace inserts and embroidery, or both combined.

To be in fashion this summer one must have some sort of a lace coat or coatee, either black or white. These have the most charming effect worn over lingerie frocks, and are more summery as well as elaborate looking than the equally popular separate coatee of silk.

Tusore in natural shades, trimmed with edgings of black taffeta, is enjoying immense popularity for tailor or shirtwaist suits and long, loose coats.

Indian muslin and spotted gauze are being much used for afternoon and evening gowns for summer wear, as these fabrics do not crush as easily as muslin de soie.

An interesting revival, straight from Paris, are frocks of pin-spotted muslin, with discs of madeira work of varied widths. A large size is chosen for the skirt and smaller for the bodice, the discs being connected with each other and outlined with very narrow pleatings of valenciennes lace.

Blonde lace, the favorite lace of the second Empire, is much in evidence just now. Can it be the precursor of the crinolines, without which no woman of the same period considered herself well-dressed?

There is somewhat of a tendency to soberness in gowns at present, and gray and ecru predominate in most large gatherings. But let no one with gaudy taste grow alarmed. Their love of color should be more than gratified in the gorgeousness of hats.

The latest hats are immense, both as to shape and trimming. Great heavy bunches of roses or lilies or clematis, covering the entire crown as if scattered carelessly over it, are a fancy of the moment. These are held by a small bow of velvet

## THE SIMPLE COTTON FROCK

RUSTING husbands who, in the interest of economy, express a liking for the simple cotton frock will be somewhat staggered when the bill comes in. The cotton gown is no inexpensive luxury these days—that is, if one indulges in the exquisite embroidered batistes, printed silk mulls, plain or figured swisses and fascinating cotton voiles which are seen in such tempting array in the stores this season. Not only do they rival the sheer silken truffs in charm, but they frequently exceed them in cost. However, for real summer wear there is nothing more beautiful, and as late as this they may often be picked up at a bargain.

Fortunately the cheaper cottons are surprisingly artistic in coloring and design. The dimities, lawns, organdies, printed batistes and domestic swisses were never lovelier, and there are many new combinations of silk and cotton which are wonderfully alluring. Many of the mercerized muslins and ginghams it would be almost impossible to get so lustrous and silky do they look; while such stuffs as spider

cloth, which is one of the distinct novelties, have such an exquisite sheen and artistic coloring and designs that they defy description. It is sheer, but not transparent, and usually has scattered floral sprays that melt into the background instead of standing out clear and distinct.

The swisses are more popular than ever, the dotted ones more particularly. These last are seen with dots of every size, in self-colored effects or in contrasting dots on a solid ground. Thus a light blue swiss may have big coin dots of blue, or the same shade is seen with the dots in white or black. Colored dots on white swiss are much in evidence.

Frequently the color is introduced in the trimmings, and plain dotted swiss is used for the body of the gown with flouncings and insertions of similar dotted swiss, with the edges scalloped and buttonholed in white or in delicate color, and embroidered in sprays on garlands of light blues, pinks or lavenders. Other swisses show stripes of embroidery done on a background of swiss like the foundation material, but tinted and finished

on both edges so they may be cut out and used as ordinary insertion. They come in most of the new colorings, but are particularly lovely in corn color, pale green and lavender.

As for the makeup of the simple cotton frock, it is even farther removed from simplicity than the fabric itself. Laces of all kinds is used in profusion, and the extravagant amount of pin tucking in vogue means a vast amount of work even on the apparently simple gown. One such dress had a rich with a border of pin tucks and lace insertion draped on the waist, while the skirt had no other trimming but horizontal pin tucks set about an eighth of an inch apart and reaching from the bottom of the skirt to the knees.

Ribbon trimming is also much used on the sheer cotton frock, and the shifty, frilly effect is gained by means of many ruffles at the bottom of the very wide skirts. Frequently these ruffles are so applied as to seem part of the skirt rather than set on. Long panel lines worked in inset lace and embroidery are also in evidence.

## IN SHOP AND WALK

THE colors most affected in bathing suits are again blue and black, although some few brown ones are seen. A few are trimmed with white, but the majority of them are decorated with heavy black braid. Buttons and straps of the material are also in vogue as trimmings.

Now and then the popular square neck is finished off with narrow light blue velvet.

Linen-bags are again in favor, not only the purses that are worn at the belt, but also the large bags that are pulled together by a drawing string and worn over the arm. These latter are made in imitation of the leather bags so popular last winter, while the former fasten by means of a flap and a button and the ultra-fashionable. Flaring bows of ribbon are in favor, and trimmings of white dotted swiss are much worn. The tendency seems to be rather toward small flowers than large ones. If these flowers are colored, a different shade is often ingeniously introduced, either in the center or in the petals at the edge.

In parasols, hand-painted and hand-embroidered effects are popular. Stripes are also much used, sometimes the entire parasol being striped, and sometimes only a small section near the top. Often the founce of the petticoat is striped to match the parasol.

White linen gowns are equally popular either strictly plain or marvelously elaborate. The tailored ones usually have the three-quarter length coat, either a cuta-

ribbon, as if the flowers were merely tied in a loose bunch.

Silk linings to broad-brimmed hats, after the eighteenth century style, are coming rapidly to the fore, and promise to have a strong influence on the early fall models.

White, cream, pale yellow or beige straw, very frequently bound with an edging of black straw about an inch wide, forms the majority of the midsummer models.

Often these hats are quite destitute of trimming at the back and sides, having no other adornment than a huge bunch of cigarettes or ostrich plumes in front.

One such model, a large black straw cloche shape, recently seen, was lined with pink straw and had no trimming but a big bunch of shaded pink tips in front and two coral-headed hatpins run through the back.

The large bows of black taffeta, so popular earlier in the season, have given way to white ones on black or white black-edged hats.

Stripes are still prevalent, but they are now varied with plain materials. Little coasters of taffeta or very light cloth, or again of thick tussore, which is so much seen this spring, are worn with the striped flannel suits so much in vogue of late.

The latest idea in petticoats is to wear one of a brighter hue under a more somber skirt. The fabrics used for the dress skirt are the sheerer materials, such as voile, colienne and marquisette.

Tiny butterfly bows are not novel, but they are pretty when made of fine linen, finished with a crocheted border. One particularly smart tie was double, with the lower wings edged with German valenciennes and the upper with tiny crocheted circles and stars.



THE STAR, ST. JOHN N. B., SATURDAY, AUGUST 3 1907.

NOT NECESSARY TO  
BUY COMBINE TAR

Ald. McGoldrick Offered Carload  
at Lower Figure.

Clark and Adams Say Warehouse Site  
is Not Ready Yet—C. P. R. Ask  
City to Build Conveyor

An adjourned meeting of the Board  
of Works was held yesterday afternoon  
and business not dealt with at  
Tuesday's meeting was taken up.

The following were present: Ald. McGoldrick,  
presiding; Aldermen Lewis, Hamm,  
Christie, Sproul and Baxter, with  
Engineers Peters and Capt. Ferris.

Francis Kerr was heard. He would  
like to have Sydney slip widened and  
the privilege of building co. pockets  
upon it. At present the wharf is use-  
less, whereas if it were widened he  
would be prepared to lease it at six per  
cent. of the cost, and the city would  
also have wharfage.

Ald. Lewis suggested that the re-  
corder and the engineer should visit  
the spot.

Engineer Peters said that the cost  
would be \$2,000 or \$2,500.

Engineer Peters reported on some  
retaining walls. The board accepted  
the director's recommendations that  
the retaining wall should be  
repairs at the cost of \$25, another on  
Exmouth street at \$25, and another on  
Sheriff street at \$50.

Engineer Peters said that some time  
ago the N. B. Telephone Co. asked for  
leave to lay conduits on Water street.  
The matter, he said, had been left  
to the committee, but no action was  
taken.

Engineer Peters said that on Paradi-  
se Row there is only eight feet be-  
tween the track and the gutter, but as  
the gutter is low it is hardly safe for  
a team to drive along. He would favor  
having the gutter raised. The board  
left the matter in the director's hand.

The director was given instructions to  
put the city drags at work at the  
Pettinell wharf.

Ald. Lewis said that there is a re-  
gular duck pond at the east end of  
Broad street, which he thought a dis-  
grace. The duck pond was likely to  
cause a fever. The stench is very of-  
fensive.

The director was asked to report at  
the next meeting.

A communication from Supt. Downie  
of the C. P. R. said that they were  
making no preparations for putting a  
grain conveyor to the new wharf. The  
company feel that the city should pro-  
vide the conveyor.

Engineer Peters said that the con-  
veyor to the other wharf was built by  
the company.

It was decided, on motion of Ald.  
Baikin, to inform the company that  
the city feel that the C. P. R. should  
build the conveyor, as they did the  
Sand Point conveyor and replaced it  
again after the fire, and also that the  
matter was important as the company  
was considering allotting the new  
wharf to the C. P. R. for the Em-  
presses.

A communication from Clark &  
Adams said that they can not go ahead  
with the building of the warehouse, as  
the site was not ready. They asked  
that the aldermen come over to the  
West End and visit the spot them-  
selves.

The matter was referred to the West  
End committee. Ald. Baxter said that  
it was not his impression that D. C.  
Clark is altogether in the right and  
Clark & Adams wrong.

Ald. Christie moved that the I. C. R.  
be requested to move their track so  
that the proposed changes can be made  
in the D. A. R. warehouse. The alder-  
men found out that this was the com-  
pany's recommendation to council and if  
there are any opposing the change they  
can be heard before the council meeting.

Ald. Baxter suggested a spur wharf  
at Reid's Point with about 15 feet of  
water for small vessels. The director  
was asked to report at the next meet-  
ing.

Ald. McGoldrick said that he had an  
offer of a carload of tar at a lower  
price than offered by the combine. The  
matter was left to the committee.

The request of the different lines  
for the warehouse or the winter sea-  
son was discussed.

Ald. Baxter moved that the Wm.  
Thomson & Co. be asked to state how  
many sailings they would guarantee.  
Ald. Baxter thought that the sugges-  
tion of the Wm. Thomson and Co. as  
to the allotting of the berths, a re-  
asonable arrangement. They ask that  
they be allotted berths 1 and 2 at West  
St. John, leaving the Donaldson No. 4,  
the C. P. R. their own wharf No. 2,  
Sand Point, and the new Clark wharf.

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deceive. The first and original Cold-  
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and white lettering and bears the signa-  
ture of E. W. GROVE, 25c.

A meeting of the Teamsters' Union  
will be held on Tuesday evening, when  
they will consider an invitation re-  
ceived from the firemen's tournament  
committee to join in the parade on  
Labor Day. Should they decide to turn  
out it will be quite an attraction.



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CARS WILL BE SCARCE AND FARMERS  
URGED TO BUILD POTATO HOUSES

WOODSTOCK, Aug. 2.—Last night in  
the council chamber in response to pub-  
lic notice a large number of prominent  
potato shippers and growers had an  
interview with Hon. L. P. Farris and  
Solicitor General Jones, of the local  
government, and Messrs. Kirkpatrick  
and Tinker, of the C. P. R. Those pres-  
ent included Fardon, Tweeddale, Smith,  
and Clark, M. P. P.'s. Messrs. Manzer,  
Porter, Demmings and Stewart of Vic-  
toria county, Bernier, Hall, and Vio-  
lette of Madawaska, McCain, Ray-  
mond, Dugan, Bohan, Gallagher, Dow,  
Phillips, Everett, Gillen, Brewer, Bull,  
Balmain, Smith, and many others of  
Carleton, London, Bell and others of  
York.

J. T. Allen Dibbles, president of the  
board of trade presided, and he called  
on all shippers and dealers to make  
known their wishes. The solicitor gen-  
eral and Mr. Farris briefly outlined the  
objects of the meeting. The govern-  
ment wished to learn the actual con-  
ditions and prospects for taking care  
of the potato crop which is this year  
estimated at a million bushels in this  
section.

Mr. Frank Smith, M. P. P., and Freshet  
Agent Kirkpatrick, made addresses,  
the former advising the farmers not to  
overdo the potato business, the latter  
promising more cars but pointing out  
the necessity of each farmer erecting a  
root house, which can be done at a  
cost of \$100. He said the C. P. R. could  
build no potato houses, but would ar-  
range with others as best they could  
respecting sites and sidings. There was

some prospect of entering the English  
market, but little probability of the  
West India market being feasible. Cars  
would be scarce in early fall. He would  
recommend the government to send  
capable men through the country urg-  
ing farmers to build root houses and to  
arrange with the government to send  
Smith in the course of a long address,  
which provoked a protest from Mr.  
Tweeddale that one man should not  
monopolize all the time, said every  
farmer should have his own storage  
facilities, that it would pay them to  
borrow the money, and if they been  
thus equipped last winter they would  
have obtained 150 per cent. more for  
their crop.

EVERY YEAR ADDS TO SCIENTISTS'  
KNOWLEDGE OF THE PLANET MARS

ROME, Aug. 2.—Signor Schiaparelli,  
the Italian astronomer, and M. Camille  
Flammarion, are in correspondence re-  
garding the subject of Mars, its possi-  
ble canals and inhabitants. Signor  
Schiaparelli, it will be remembered,  
was the first to discover some thirty  
years ago, the markings on the planet  
Mars now popularly known as canals.  
Interviewed as to his present views  
on the planet which is now only about  
35,000,000 miles from the earth, Signor  
Schiaparelli stated that since his  
early researches Mars had already  
approached the earth in a fashion sim-  
ilar to its present movement four or  
five times, but that it had been impos-  
sible to make but few discoveries, al-  
though some knowledge was added year  
by year to that already possessed. Signor  
Schiaparelli went on to say that he  
placed great hopes in the photographs  
that are to be secured by Professor  
Parry Lowell in America.

Signor Schiaparelli however declares  
that there is nothing to indicate that  
there are upon Mars individuals closely  
resembling human beings. For in-  
stance, he thinks inter-planetary  
communication may be established  
some day Signor Schiaparelli remark-  
ed that it was impossible to even ven-  
ture an opinion as to what the future  
would bring forth in astronomical mat-  
ters incredible progress had already  
been attained. For instance scientific  
research had revealed the fact that the  
sun contained iron, zinc and other met-  
als. Hence while it would be mad-  
ness to entertain any sanguine hopes it  
was equally certain that science had  
many new and great surprises in store for  
the world in the near future.

M. Camille Flammarion commenting  
upon the fact that Mars which is gen-  
erally at least 47,000,000 miles away  
from the earth, is at present not more  
than 35,000,000 distant remarks that it  
must be a pleasant planet to live on  
as the weather is always fine and the  
sky is always cloudless. The winds are  
never high; there are no rains or  
storms. "It is," he observes, "the Mon-  
te Carlo of planets." A man on the  
planet is always cheerful. The winds  
there must be more slow and quiet  
than here for the Martian year is  
twice as long. The Mars is much less  
worrying, less active, less nervous  
more thoughtful, wiser and more pru-  
dent than we. M. Flammarion believes  
in the famous Schiaparelli canals  
which he supposes to be natural water-  
sheds improved by artificial means. His  
friendship was deeply soured for by  
the white men and considered a stigma  
to the life and success of the colony. Like  
most red men, he distrusted the white  
and their designs.

In England Pochontas was treated  
with all the honor shown to royalty.  
Her grace and charm seem to have  
won all hearts, and she was at her  
cross with the best in the land. She  
was presented at Queen Anne's court  
and attended a ball given by the Bishop  
of London and visited the Globe Theatre  
to see Shakespeare's "Tempest." In  
fact, she took on the mark and sever-  
al of civilization with that easy grace  
which belongs to the truly great and  
was as much at home in court as in  
her own western cottages. But inwardly  
she seems to have pined for  
her own free, open life of the forest,  
and when she was about to return on  
the road ship George she sickened and  
died at Gravesend, having lived long  
enough, as one commentator has said,  
to unite two hemispheres, two races,  
two civilizations.—William Ordway  
Partridge in Circle Magazine.

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MOULDERS STUCK  
TO DUTY'S POST  
Fire Was Blazing About Them and  
Hot Lead Dropping  
Blaze at Fleming's Foundry Yesterday  
did \$1000 Worth of Damage to  
Roof and Moulds.

A fire which broke out in the roof of  
Fleming's foundry on Pond street yes-  
terday afternoon did about \$1,000 worth  
of damage.  
Such a thing could not have hap-  
pened at a more inopportune time, as  
the time for casting had just arrived,  
the iron being already melted in the  
furnace and a big ladle filled. The  
moulders stuck to their work, how-  
ever, until the ladle was emptied, al-  
though in great danger.  
The fire was first detected as a small  
blaze in the roof of the moulding shop  
by men who were working there and  
it is supposed to have caught from a spark  
or through excessive heat around the  
blast furnace.  
Box No. 52 was rung in and pails of  
water were at once carried to the roof,  
but the flames spread rapidly through  
the dry wooden structure, and by the  
time the roof was reached it was all  
ablaze.  
No. 3 and No. 4 engines and No. 3  
Salvage Corps quickly arrived upon  
the scene and the flames were soon un-  
der control.  
The fire had spread up under the  
plates with which the roof was shing-  
led and a lot of these had to be ripped  
off, causing considerable delay, but  
after three-quarters of an hour's work  
the fire was completely extinguished.  
Just at the time the fire started the  
men were about to cast, and two or  
three tons of molten iron had been  
drawn off in a big ladle for the first  
casting. Some excellent work was then  
executed by the men. The iron had  
to be poured either upon the floor or  
into the mould as it would have other-  
wise hardened in the ladle.  
In spite of the fire blazing overhead  
and molten lead dropping from the  
roof, the men made a desperate effort  
and managed to pour the contents into  
the moulds. The bottom was dropped  
out of the furnace and about two tons  
of molten iron fell out.  
A lot of the moulds were ruined by  
the fire. The amount of damage has  
not been appraised but it is thought  
to be somewhere between \$500 and  
\$1,000. The building is well covered by  
insurance in the following companies:  
Commercial Union Assurance Co.,  
The Norwich Union Fire Insurance  
Society of Norwich, England,  
The Northern Fire Assurance Co., of  
London,  
The Guardian of London, and the  
Traders' Fire Ass. Co.  
A temporary roof will be put on the  
building and casting will be resumed  
on Monday.

POCHONTAS.  
Her Visit to England and the Effect  
It Produced.  
Pochontas was born in the year  
1595. Her father, Powhatan, was the  
lord and ruler of thirty tribes or clans  
of savages inhabiting the coast of Vir-  
ginia, which was then called Virginia,  
after the Virgin Queen, Elizabeth. His  
friendship was deeply soured for by  
the white men and considered a stigma  
to the life and success of the colony. Like  
most red men, he distrusted the white  
and their designs.

WORCESTER, Mass., Aug. 1.—Geo.  
Perrin, 21 years old, of Greenfield was  
discovered at Orange, this afternoon.  
Perrin was repeating a telephone wire  
when he came in contact with the feed  
wire and was killed instantly.

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Newfoundland coast are expert wreck-  
ers — not in that they wreck ves-  
sels to rob them, but in that they  
know how to avail themselves legiti-  
mately of the opportunity afforded.  
In this connection Sir Wilfred Laurier  
used to tell of a meeting between a  
priest in charge of a parish near Caps  
Race and the bishop of his diocese.  
"How will your people do this winter?"  
asked the bishop.  
"Very well, I think, your reverence,"  
replied the priest cheerfully, "with the  
help of God—and a few wrecks."  
August Lippincott's.

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ON AND AFTER SUNDAY, June  
16th, 1907, trains will run daily (Sundays  
excepted), as follows:  
TRAINS LEAVE ST. JOHN.  
No. 2—Express for Pt. du Chene  
Moncton, Campbellton and  
Truro..... 7.15  
No. 6—Mixed train for Moncton..... 7.45  
No. 4—Express for Moncton, Pt. du  
Chene connecting with Ocean  
Limited at Moncton for Hal-  
fax, Quebec and Montreal..... 11.00  
No. 26—Express for Point du  
Chene, Halifax and Pictou..... 12.00  
No. 136—Suburban train for Hampton..... 13.15  
No. 8—Express for Sussex..... 17.15  
No. 135—Suburban train for Hampton..... 18.15  
No. 131—Express for Quebec and  
Montreal..... 19.00  
No. 134—Suburban train for Hampton..... 22.40  
No. 10—Express for Moncton, Syd-  
ney and Halifax and Pictou..... 23.35  
TRAINS ARRIVE AT ST. JOHN.  
No. 9—From Halifax, Sydney and  
Pictou..... 6.55  
No. 135—Suburban train from Hampton..... 7.45  
No. 1—Express from Sussex..... 9.00  
No. 133—Express from Montreal  
and Quebec..... 12.50  
No. 137—Suburban train from Hampton..... 15.30  
No. 5—Mixed train from Moncton..... 16.10  
No. 3—Express from Moncton and  
Point du Chene..... 17.30  
No. 25—Express from Halifax, Pic-  
ton, Point du Chene and Camp-  
bellton..... 18.15  
No. 135—Suburban train from Hampton..... 20.15  
No. 1—Express from Moncton and  
Truro..... 21.30  
No. 31—Express from Sydney,  
Halifax, Pictou and Moncton  
(Sunday only)..... 1.40  
A through sleeper is now running on  
the Ocean Limited from St. John to  
Montreal. The through sleeper on the  
Maritime Express has been discon-  
tinued.  
All trains run by Atlantic Standard  
Time. 24 1/2 o'clock is midnight.  
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Moncton, N. B., June 15th, 1907.

THE STAR, ST. JOHN, N. B. SATURDAY, AUGUST 3, 1907.

**BAND OF NEW YORK CHINAMEN BOSTON BRETHREN**  
Entered Narrow Alley Where Half a Hundred Men, Women and Children Were Sitting After Day's Work and Opened Fire—Three Men Were Killed and Several Wounded.

BOSTON, Aug. 2.—Burning with hatred for their deadly enemies belonging to the rival On Leong Tong, a band of New York Chinamen, numbering a dozen or more and belonging to the notorious Hep Sing Tong, entered a narrow alley in Boston's Chinatown tonight and drawing 44 calibre revolvers opened fire with deadly aim upon half a hundred Chinamen seated in easy chairs up and down the alley smoking their pipes and conversing. At the sound of the first volley the Chinamen rushed for their quarters, stumbling over one another in their haste to reach shelter behind closed doors. Fearless and daring the Hep Sing Tong men chased their victims into their own doorways and shot them down as they rushed up stairways or into side rooms. Then casting away their guns the strange visitors rushed from the quarter, seeking safety for themselves. Three Chinamen were left dead in the alleyway, three were lying as they lay across the steps of their little shops and four more carried the bullets of their rival Tong men.

**GIRL EVANGELIST MAKES MANY CONVERTS**

Frances Storr, aged twelve, has been preaching to large audiences in England.

**MAY PUT STEAMER ON ST. JOHN-ALBERT COUNTY ROUTE**

HOPEWELL HILL, N. B., Aug. 2.—R. A. Jamieson, of St. John, manager of the St. John Steamship Company, was at Riverside this week, and while primarily here on a vacation trip, took occasion to interview the business men of this section in regard to the propo-

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\$3.00 Hats for \$1.98  
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65c Caps, 48c  
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Straw and Linen Hats at Your Own Price. A Special Lot of \$2 and \$3 Hats for 48c each.

**CROPS THROUGHOUT WEST WILL NOT BE LARGE, ESPECIALLY IN MANITOBA; REPORTS UNFAVORABLE**

WINNIPEG, Aug. 2.—In presenting to its readers the regular month's crop report for August, the Free Press says it does so with regret that it is not more favorable, but with the conviction that it is as near the absolute truth and to the conditions as it is possible to come.

**JOHN FRANCIS WAS HAVING GREAT TIME**

Had in Gambling Room—Had \$140 of Money Believed to Have Been Stolen from Wm. Lounsbury

HALIFAX, Aug. 2.—Chief of Police Power received a telegram from St. John chief of police asking him to arrest a mulatto named J. Francis, who the telegram stated was wanted for the larceny of \$100. Detective Henahan who made the arrest found Francis gambling in a club room on Gettington street. When searched fourteen ten dollar bank notes were found in his pocket.

John Francis the mulatto mentioned above is a son of the notorious Amelia Francis and is well known to the local police. In St. John he has a reputation as a gambler and pool-player. His love for driving the balls over the green baize seems to have proved his undoing in Halifax.

LONDON, Aug. 1.—The British steamship, from Hopewell Cape, N. B., Glasgow, which passed Kinsale today, signalled she had been in collision with floating ice and had sustained slight damage.

**TWO NORWEGIAN SAILORS WHO WERE FINALLY PICKED UP BY SAIL BOAT AND LANDED AT SHEDIAC—SCOTT ACT CONSTABLE FOUND DRUNK**

MONCTON, Aug. 2.—With their ship five miles from the nearest land, two Norwegian sailors yesterday jumped from the wrecked Augustus Letter into the Straits of Northumberland. A little later they were rescued by a passing boat and taken to Shediac, where they were held in custody.

**MILITIA NOTES**

FOR CITY AND ELSEWHERE

Don't Deny Children This Treat

When the British team visits St. John on the 5th the officers and men of the 3rd C. A. will do their utmost to entertain them.

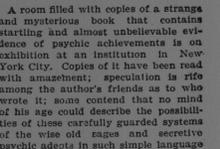
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Pen-Angle Guaranteed Underwear

MONCTON, Aug. 2.—A young Sunny Brien, while riding a bicycle from Moncton yesterday, placed a lighted cigar stub in his pocket to conceal from his parents the fact that he had been smoking. His clothing caught on that the blaze was extinguished.

**WHO WROTE THIS WONDERFUL MYSTERIOUS BOOK?**

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A room filled with copies of a strange and mysterious book that contains startling and almost unbelievable evidence of psychic achievements in an exhibition at an institution in New York City.

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EIGHT

THE STAR, ST. JOHN, N. B. SATURDAY, AUGUST 3, 1907

A CUSTOMER'S REASONABLE WISH IS THIS STORE'S PLEASURE.

DYKEMAN'S.

The Shirt Waist Sale

which started on Friday morning bids fair to be the greatest event of its kind that has taken place in a long time, at least the prices are the lowest and the quantity largest that we have yet put on in any shirt waist sale.

19 Cents for good serviceable shirt waists, and from that price up to \$2.25.

A great big Cushion Cover bargain. 150 English tapestry cushions all ready for the filling, that were made to retail at \$1.00, are on sale here at 29 cents.

100 American Duck Cushion Covers all ready for the filling; regular 60 cent quality on sale at 25 cents.

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WE ARE SHOWING Child's Chocolate Kid Lace Boots,

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Shirts Tonight. These shirts are as soft as a GOVERNMENT JOB, not so HARD to GET.

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LOCAL NEWS.

All members of the Father Matthew five and drum band are requested to meet in St. Michael's hall at 7.30 this evening.

Eight deaths occurred in the city during the past week, resulting from the following causes: Tuberculosis, 3; heart failure, 1; lupus, 1; premature birth, 1; acute Bright's disease, 1; splenic anaemia 1.

Rev. Father Edward Conway, who was lately ordained here, left at noon today for Ottawa where he will assist Rev. Father Savage in the parish work.

There's going to be a sale of white lawn and muslin shirtwaists, embroidered linen waists, colored cotton waists, shirtwaist suits, linen skirts, etc., at M. R. A.'s on Monday. Every garment of these kinds now in stock will be included in the price-reduced lot, there will be no withholding, no half-heartedness about the sale. All sizes, qualities and modern; a rare chance indeed to lay in a supply of clean new wearables for August and September. Sale Monday.

BUILDINGS BURNED IN ELECTRIC STORM

Damage Done in Various Ontario Towns—

Indian Killed While Seeking Shelter Under Train.

ATLMER, Aug. 2.—During a severe electric storm last night the Aylmer pork factory was struck by lightning and set on fire and completely destroyed. The amount of the loss is not known; the insurance on the building is \$25,000 and on the machinery \$8,000.

SARNIA, Ont., Aug. 2.—During a severe storm here last evening, the plant of the Lennox & Company was struck by lightning, and one of the big tanks of oil was fired. Some of the employees were slightly hurt in the panic and in the dash for safety which ensued, but no one was seriously injured. No damage was done to the plant.

While seeking shelter under a freight car during the thunder storm, Peter Menasse, 58 years old, an Indian from the reservation was run over and instantly killed at Point Edward.

FOR TUESDAY EVENING.

The following is the programme for Tuesday evening concert in St. David's school room, under direction of Walter H. Belding, in aid of the Every Day's Club's playground:

- 1. Male quartette—Messrs Hopkins, Brown, Belding and Stillwell. 2. Vocal solo—Devitt Cairns. 3. Reading—A. E. McGinley. 4. Trio, Violin, cello and piano—Messrs W. Pheasant, G. Taylor and Prof. Williams. 5. Vocal solo—Miss Edwards. 6. Mixed quartette—Messrs Margaret Seaton and Elizabeth Thompson, Messrs H. Shaw and Dewitt Cairns. 7. Violin solo—Walker Pheasant. 8. Reading—Miss Mae DeCen. 9. Whistling—Walter Nixon. 10. String trio—Miss Carrie Ballie, Mrs. G. C. Davidson and G. C. Davidson. 11. Vocal solo—W. H. Belding. 12. Reading—A. E. McGinley. 13. Male quartette—Messrs Hopkins, Brown, Belding and Stillwell. God Save the King.

FOURTH ANNIVERSARY.

On August 4, 1903, Cardinal Sattin was elected Pope by the Cardinals in conclave at Rome. He took the name of Pius X. Under the heading of "Long Live the Pope," today's Monitor editorially says:

Hail to the triple-crowned Chief of the Catholic world. His Holiness Pius X., now gloriously reigning, on Sunday he completes the fourth year of his successful pontificate, having been elected Supreme Pontiff on August 4, 1903.

Worthy successor of a long line of distinguished rulers, he lives many years more to govern his faithful subjects the world over.

LET HIS DAUGHTER DIE, HE IS GIVEN THIRTY DAYS

NEW YORK, Aug. 2.—Clarence W. Byrne, a salesman, who was recently convicted of failing to employ medical assistance for his six year old daughter, who died of pneumonia, was today sentenced to thirty days' imprisonment by the court of general sessions. Byrne was found guilty of violating a section of a penal code which provides: "A person who willfully omits, without lawful excuse to perform a duty by law imposed upon him to furnish food, clothing, shelter or medical attendance to a minor, is guilty of a misdemeanor." The complainant was Coroner P. P. Arcelli. The decision was given by Justice Keen and the whole court was unanimous for conviction and sentence.

PORTLAND, Me., Aug. 2.—During a thunderstorm at Mallison Falls, South Windham, this evening, Frank Elliott and his son, Seth, were struck by lightning, the bolt entering their home. Both are still unconscious but the attending physician said that there was hope that each would recover.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Aug. 2.—Attorney General Bonaparte has rendered an opinion to the acting secretary of war, stating in effect that the naval militia of the United States is a part of the organized militia, which is accepted by the department will give an opportunity for teams from the naval militia to enter the rifle contests at Camp Perry, Ohio, during this month.

OTTAWA, Aug. 2.—Anthony McGill has been appointed chief analyst of Canada in place of Thomas MacFarlane, who died last month. Mr. McGill has been assistant for many years.

PEOPLE ARE LOSING THEIR SENSE OF SIN

Complete Reformation of the Church is Needed to Accomplish Effective Work.

EAST NORTHFIELD, Mass., Aug. 2.—That a reorganization of the Church of today is necessary because of the realization of sin is lost in the people, was the main point of the address of R. B. Meyer, the famous English preacher and writer, who made the opening address before a thousand people at the twenty-fifth annual session of the general conference for Christian workers, founded by D. J. Moody, and which convened here this evening.

It is stated authoritatively that the gathering this evening was the largest that has ever attended the conference. The chairman of the conference, who presided this evening, is W. R. Moody, the eldest son of the famous evangelist. Dr. Moody was the first speaker this evening. He said that the church of today could only meet the acute difficulties of her present position by reverting to her original type, during the first century. "The sense of sin," he said, "is almost a lost experience among the people of this area and it must be recreated in their souls. The church must be reorganized and the high ideals of the past must be revived."

The other speaker this evening was Baron Waldemar Utkull, of St. Petersburg, and treasurer of the Russian Baptist Union. He has but recently returned to this country from his native land, and expressed his opinion this evening that the political outlook in Russia when he was there did not suggest in any way a great revolution. He thought that it would be some years before the government was finally reorganized, but said that in his opinion it would not be a great many years hence when Russia would be, like England, a limited monarchy.

"The people of Russia," said Baron Utkull, "do not love the Czar, but they do not want him killed."

"The people of my country concluded the speaker, 'like the people of the United States very much.'"

The feature of the conference is the music, which is under the direction of Charles M. Alexander.

Another event on the programme is the sunset services, which are being held every evening. The service is held on Round Top, the knoll where Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Moody are buried. The conference will be continued tomorrow.

HILLSBORO LOCKUP IN USE AT LAST

HILLSBORO, N. B., Aug. 2.—This evening the Hillsboro lockup was used for the first time. Provincial Constable James Irving was compelled to lodge James Gallagher, who for years has been a public nuisance so that patience ceased to be a virtue. The streets have been cleared of a profane and vulgar disgrace to the community. It is hoped this will have a good effect.

ST. JOHN'S, Nfld., Aug. 2.—James Kent, senior member of the legislature from the eastern division of St. John's, was appointed attorney general today, in succession to Sir Edward Morris, who resigned last week. Kent was special counsel for the government in the prosecution of the west coast herring fisheries cases last winter.

BENNINGTON, Vt., Aug. 2.—The farmers of this vicinity lost thousands of dollars worth of produce during a hail storm late today. The storm was the heaviest of the kind experienced here in many years. Hail stones as large as marbles fell in such quantities that boys on the streets were able to make snowballs. Growing crops, especially garden trucks, were badly damaged and in many cases ruined.

BIRTHS.

CHESELEY—In this city, Aug. 2, 1907, to Mr. and Mrs. Orianda W. Chesley, a son.

DEATHS.

LEWIS—In this city, at 1 p. m. on the 3rd inst., at the home of her father, Mr. Cyrus Fowler, after a lingering illness, Mrs. George H. Lewis. Funeral from the home, at 25 Long Wharf, at 2.30 p. m. Sunday. Interment at Cedar Hill Cemetery.

COX—On Aug. 2nd, Mrs. Winifred infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Cox. Funeral Sunday at 2.30 from her parents' residence, 27 Brittain street.

TOO LATE FOR CLASSIFICATION. LOST—Wednesday evening, between Spring and Sydney streets, High School Class Pin, 97. Kindly leave at Star Office.

SYDNEY COUPLE HELD HERE ON THEFT CHARGE

Italian Man and Woman Arrested This Morning on Telegraphic Instructions.

Chief Clark received a telegram from Wm. R. Hearn, the magistrate at Sydney, C. B., asking that the trains be watched and to arrest Joseph Ventresca, an Italian, and his wife, Concetta Ventresca, who are wanted in Sydney for stealing \$30. The couple left Sydney yesterday at one o'clock, and were accompanied by a nine months' old child. The man was described as having smooth face, long nose and being about 22 years of age, and the woman as 25 years of age. Policeman Crawford was sent to the depot this morning, and on arrival of the night express from Halifax had little difficulty in recognizing the couple. The man is now locked up in a cell, and the woman and infant are in the guard room at Central station. Chief Clark has wired Sydney to send an officer after them. Only \$85 was found on the couple.



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Ladies' \$3.75 and \$4.25 Lustre Skirts, Black, Brown and Green. Sale Price \$2.98

100 Ladies' \$4.25 Mixed Tweed Skirts, Sale Price \$2.98

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A Full Line of Going Away Necessities at prices within the reach of the slimmest purse.

- Trunks, \$2.95, \$3.15, \$3.50, \$3.85, \$4.25, \$4.60 Suit Cases, \$2.25, \$2.50, \$3.65, \$4.25, \$5.50 Extension Cases, 75c, 90c, \$1.00, \$1.10, \$1.20 Hand Bags, \$2.25, \$2.50, \$2.75, \$3.95



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