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R. Official Married to
del Charters Yesterday Afternoon.

Sept. 4.—A pretty wedding at half past two o'clock in St. George's church, conducted by William L. John, was married to Bolton Charters, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Charters, of the interior of the city, the color scheme being gold, Rev. W. B. Sisson, officiating in the presence of relatives and friends, no invited guests. The ceremony was beautifully decorated with flowers and mignonette ferns, many beautiful wedding gifts, cut glass and other objects. The groom's gift was a gold pocket watch with a chain being set with diamonds.

Mrs. Broad are both well known in this city, being very popular with a large family whose best wishes they receive through their friends.

ER LIMITS DID IN.

TON, Sept. 4.—At the office today a timber 120 square miles on the river, was bid in by W. E. Fairville at \$181 per acre for two square miles on the purpose brook. Subsequently for \$31 per acre by W. S. Little River. In the same town lands which took an entire list of \$21 acres, six lots, was sold to the upset price, with exception of one lot west from Baker Lake, which was sold to the upset price at \$181 per acre.

TON, Sept. 4.—Emma eighteen years old, daughter of J. H. Graham, of Elizabethtown, in the Mercy Hospital, died in her bed, which she herself had prepared. The mother of the graduating member of a high school, she declared that she would still refused to go until she had dressed her in a dress and started to school.

at, she declared, in her hospital. A moment later a revolver shot, and she unconscious in her room. She was taken to the Mercy Hospital, where she died. The only reason that she signed for the act is that she thought to go to school.

You can easily find what you want, where you want it, at this city, where it is to suit, through "Strout's 19", the biggest illustrated catalogue of farm bargains ever issued, for sale, Maine to Maine, at cost, copy free. E. A. CO., 88 Broad Street, Boston.

THE SITUATION AT SPRINGHILL

Conciliation Board Decides to Continue Its Work.

But Company Refuses to Take Any Part in the Proceedings—Many of the Men Have Left.

HALIFAX, N. S., Sept. 11.—A curious situation has developed at Springhill where the coal miners are on strike. The conciliation board appointed under the Lemieux act before the strike was declared, resumed its sittings yesterday. The company declined to take part in the proceedings, claiming that the men were no longer employees and the board adjourned, pending the decision of the Minister of Labor. Today the chairman announced that the conciliation board would continue its work.

The announcement was the result of a telegram received from the Deputy Minister of Labor, advising the chairman to take what action the board saw fit. The board decided that the case on hand be disposed of and adjourned to meet tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock. No representatives of the company were in attendance today. Manager Cowans, who is at Springhill, has been notified of the decision of the board. It is not likely the company will pay any attention to the notice, and in that case the board will probably act as in the ordinary judicial proceeding and give the decision to the men by force of law.

Nothing has been accomplished by the negotiation. The company had made a proposition yesterday to refer the disputed question to an arbitration board, but Mr. Cowans turned this proposition down. The men have decided to make no further overtures, and after the present proceedings are over the greater part of them will seek work elsewhere. About six hundred have gone already, and the prospects are that in three weeks' time the company will be unable to get enough men to operate the mine even if they wanted to. The company then will be in the awkward position of signing a body of men who are beyond their reach altogether. The men are keeping themselves well under control, and there has not been a trace of disorder nor an arrest made since the strike began.

NEWS OF REXTON

REXTON, N. B., Sept. 10.—Mrs. Dr. Thompson of Newton, Mass., who has been visiting her mother, Mrs. Abbott, left yesterday for her home.

Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Parks are visiting in Nova Scotia. Mr. Mitchell of Halifax is taking Mr. Parks' place in the Royal Bank of Canada. He is accompanied by Mrs. Mitchell.

Mrs. John Taylor, who has been very ill, is recovering.

Dr. I. W. Doherty returned a few days ago from a visit to friends in Folly Village, N. S.

John McMurray has returned home from Maine.

David Palmer, sr., is confined to his room with an injured limb.

Mrs. C. Atkinson and Miss Mary Carter of Kouchibouguac, were in town yesterday.

Miss Mary Moore is visiting friends here.

Miss Ethel Morris (Albert Co.) is visiting her cousin, Miss Harnett.

David Wood has returned home from Millville, Me.

Yesterday evening while Dr. J. W. Doherty was driving, his horse became frightened by R. O'Leary's automobile. The animal started to run and collided with J. & W. Brail's delivery team. The doctor was thrown out, but fortunately escaped with only a few bruises and a shaking up.

THE COMMITTEE ON CHURCH UNION

Negative Replies from Ontario and Quebec Baptists

They Decline to Enter into Organized Union with the Three Churches—Anglicans Unable to Reply Now.

TORONTO, Sept. 11.—The fourth conference of the joint committee on church union, representing the Presbyterian, Methodist and Congregational churches, convened this morning in the Metropolitan church with a very full attendance of delegates from the three bodies. This is the concluding meeting of the joint committee, the basis of union being sent after it is fully decided on by this conference to the people of the three churches for final action.

There was no general discussion this morning, the time being occupied largely with routine business. It was decided to hold two general sessions each day, in the morning and the evening, the afternoons being devoted to committee work.

The executive committee presented the outline of matters to be taken up, according to a plan considered at the meeting on Tuesday night.

The Congregational delegates presented a memorial from their congregational union, expressing themselves as favoring that ministers should not be required to actually subscribe to creed and desiring greater independence of individual churches. The communication was sent on without discussion to the proper sub-committee. The Anglicans, it was stated in another communication, are unable to reply to the invitations of the joint committee to join in the union negotiations until their general synod meets in 1908.

The reply of the Baptist convention of Ontario and Quebec was received.

They declined to enter into organized union with the three churches.

This is a very large question and not to be answered in a sentence," replied Prof. Kilpatrick to a question as to the general attitude of Presbyterians throughout the country to the proposed union, now that it has had another year's discussion. The general feeling is rather difficult to determine and it is possibly more varied among Presbyterians than among Methodists, the majority of whom appear to favor consummation of the union. Dr. Sparling said the Methodists in the west are strongly for union.

NEWCASTLE COUNCIL FAVORS SCHEME

NEWCASTLE, N. B., Sept. 12.—At the meeting of the town council last night, Ald. W. H. Belyea and John Clark were appointed a committee to confer with the Board of Trade respecting J. B. Beveridge's proposal to erect a pulp and paper mill here. The town will grant a free site on the river bank, supply water free and allow partial exemption from taxation. The council was favorable to the scheme, which will be pushed at once. Mayor Miller was empowered to call a meeting of ratepayers to decide upon this matter as soon as the committee finish their work.

MR. JOSEPH W. DOWNES

Mr. Joseph W. Downes, of Newton, reached the Massachusetts General Hospital on September 5th, of Bright's disease. He is survived by his wife, who was formerly Mary Desmond, of Hampton, N. B., and one daughter, Pauline. Regular high mass was celebrated at St. Patrick's church, Watertown, September 7th. His many friends in St. John and Hampton will regret to hear of his death.

POWERS ARE PREPARING FOR THE BATTLE OF AIRY NAVIES

Britain is Following Germany and France in the Building of Dirigible Air Warships.

The Powers are Busy Preparing for the Battle in the Air which is to be the Feature of the Next War.

The picture above shows the newest addition to the German air navy, a gas inflated air ship, which has passed successfully through her trials.

France was the first of the great nations to take up seriously the newest development of modern warfare. Already she has a fleet of twenty dirigible war balloons under construction, and Germany quickly followed suit, and now Great Britain is doing the same.

Yesterday the first British Dreadnaught of the air-made two trial trips, marred only by a slight derangement of the machinery. The English air ship proved itself capable of being easily handled, able to travel with and against the wind, and, most important of all, capable of being steered.

ST. GEORGE MAN AND A WORKMAN AT SYDNEY MINES WERE KILLED YESTERDAY

ST. GEORGE, N. B., Sept. 11.—While running a bolt on the emery wheel in the wood mill of the pulp concern Russell Waycott was fatally injured this morning. In some manner the belt caught and threw him with terrific force, striking Waycott on the head. He was rendered unconscious but revived after seven p. m. when death relieved him. Mr. Waycott was 32 years of age and a member of the Canadian Order of Foresters and a young man of sterling worth. His death is a terrible blow to his widowed mother, and it is possibly more varied among Presbyterians than among Methodists, the majority of whom appear to favor consummation of the union. Dr. Sparling said the Methodists in the west are strongly for union.

WANT BETTER SYSTEM OF TEACHING FRENCH

French Citizens of Moncton Present Memorial to Board of School Trustees.

MONCTON, Sept. 11.—The French citizens of Moncton started an agitation for a more thorough system of teaching French to the French children in the public schools. Tonight the agitation took a definite shape when a delegation headed by L. C. Delisle, O. S. Leger, Simon Melanson and others waited on the school board and presented a petition, signed by about five hundred French citizens, setting forth their views. The petitioners pray for the inauguration of a system of teaching the dual language in public schools similar to the system in Ontario. The petitioners claim that the French children can't be taught English correctly until they have been first taught French in the primary grades. The board intimated to the deputation that their petition should have been presented to the Provincial Board of Education. It was stated that the local government was already dealing with the question and hoped for an early solution. The school board appointed Chairman Hawke, Dr. Bourque and H. H. Ayer to meet a deputation of the French citizens and discuss the question of improving the conditions in the local schools.

PURCHASE FOR THE MONCTON SECTION

MONCTON, Sept. 11.—The first purchase of land for the G. T. F. Right of way from Moncton to Chipman, was made on Saturday by the agent of the Transcontinental Railway Commissioners. The site was about three acres of the Wm. Horsman farm, about three miles from Moncton, and east of the north track. Within the three mile distance from Moncton no site is at present being purchased, presumably because the precise point of junction with the I. C. R. has not been finally determined. The initial purchase of land, however, sets at rest the utterances of the doubters as to the construction of the Moncton section.

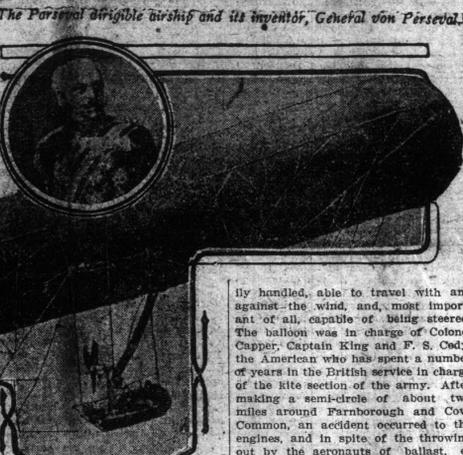
A BAYONET CHARGE DEFEATED THE MOORS

A Carefully Planned French Attack Was Successful

CASABLANCA, Sept. 11. (Wednesday).—The allied Franco-Spanish army today made a sudden and successful move on Taddert, where the Moors were entrenched in a strong position. The latter was destroyed by bombardment and the enemy was put to flight, leaving many dead on the field. The French lost one man killed and six wounded.

The attack was carefully planned and was based largely on the observations of the Moors' position made from a military balloon.

The allied army, which was divided into two columns, left the camp at six o'clock in the morning, leaving several companies of infantry to defend the base at Casablanca. The first column was composed of four companies of regular infantry, several companies of sharpshooters, a battery of artillery, and all the cavalry. The march was skillfully carried out under the cover of a fog until within half way to Laddert, when the fog lifted and disclosed several large bands of the enemy. The allies then charged at the point of the bayonet, and although the Moors resisted with their old time courage, they were finally compelled to retreat in the face of a superior force, and both of the columns of allied troops advanced on Laddert.



The Dirigible Airship and its inventor, General von Parseval.

CELEBRATED GOLDEN WEDDING ANNIVERSARY

Friends Have Pleasant Time at Home

HOPEWELL HILL, Sept. 11.—A particularly happy gathering assembled last evening at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Merrill Robinson of this village, the occasion being the celebration of Mr. and Mrs. Robinson's golden wedding anniversary, an event which had been looked forward to for some time with much interest, and which brought many congratulations and expressions of good will to the respected couple, in whose honor so many friends and relatives assembled last night. Some 70 guests were present, including, besides those from this village, Mr. and Mrs. Isahel Tingley and Mrs. Wilmot, from Lynn, Mass.; Hon. A. R. McClellan and Mrs. McClellan, and Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Reid, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Tingley of Riverview; Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Stiles of Albert, and Mr. and Mrs. Fowles, Hopewell Cape. A most enjoyable time was spent by all. After supper, which was served at 9 o'clock, Alexander Rogers, registrar of deeds, on behalf of those present, presented Mr. and Mrs. Robinson with a well filled purse, conveying to them the wishes of all present for future happiness and prosperity of the elderly pair. Mr. and Mrs. Robinson expressing their best thanks and deep appreciation for the kind offering and good will so splendidly shown by their friends. Hon. Mr. McClellan, being called upon, made a very happy and exceedingly interesting speech, congratulatory in character, and giving also a brief historical sketch of the Robinson family, with which Mr. McClellan is connected on his mother's side. After Mr. McClellan's address, music was furnished, Mrs. G. M. Russell, presiding at the organ. Mr. and Mrs. Robinson, who have the long record attained by so few of fifty years of married life, were married on September 10th, 1857, the officiating clergyman being the Rev. Wm. Sears, the well known Baptist preacher of that day. Both Mr. and Mrs. Robinson are well preserved, and show lightly the flight of years, which has carried away to the unknown land so many of the friends of their youth. Mr. Robinson is in his 79th year, and is a son of the late Aaron Robinson, being one of a large family of brothers and sisters, those of whom that are still living being Capt. C. D. Robinson, of St. John; Martin, of Lynn; Mrs. Jane Cochran, Curryville; Mrs. Maria Bray, Lower Cape; Mrs. Elizabeth Starratt of this village, and Mrs. Ethelinda Starratt of California. Capt. H. E. Robinson of Ellesmere Port, Eng., another brother, died a few years ago. Mrs. Robinson, who is ten years her husband's junior, was formerly Miss Isabella Hoar, a daughter of James L. Hoar of Champlain Road. Three of Mrs. Robinson's sisters—Mrs. Sophronia Robinson, Mrs. Martha Wilmot and Mrs. Isahel Tingley, were present last evening. Mrs. Wilmot and Mrs. Tingley coming from Lynn, especially for the occasion. Mr. and Mrs. Robinson have been the parents of ten children, six surviving as follows: Mrs. Jas. R. Russell, James L. Clark, Starratt, Winton C. and Stephen, all residing in this parish. The couple also have many grandchildren, a large number of whom were present on this occasion. Mr. and Mrs. Robinson's friends sincerely hope they may have yet many happy returns of the day, so pleasantly celebrated last evening.

DOUBLE WEDDING AT TRURO LAST NIGHT

TRURO, N. S., Sept. 11.—A double wedding in which Truro people generally took a very great interest was celebrated in St. John's Episcopal church last evening by Rev. Archdeacon Kauback, assisted by Rev. Mr. Warner, curate. The contracting parties were Miss Helen Marie Bigelow, who married Rev. William M. Cox, Episcopal clergyman of Washington, D. C., and Miss Sara Hermiona Bigelow, who wedded Frederick L. Schwartz, accountant of the I. C. R. at Moncton. The brides are daughters of Mr. and Mrs. James Edward Bigelow of Truro.

REINSTATEMENT. THE FIRST INTIMATION OF THE COURT HERE HAD OF THE RESULT OF THE APPEAL WAS WHEN WALLACE APPEARED IN COURT TO MAKE A MOTION. HE WAS A NATIVE OF CHATHAM, N. B. HIS WIDOW AND SEVERAL CHILDREN SURVIVE.

reinstatement. The first intimation of the court here had of the result of the appeal was when Wallace appeared in court to make a motion. He was a native of Chatham, N. B. His widow and several children survive.

GREAT RUN OF THE LUSITANIA

Speeding Across the Ocean in Record Time.

Steamed 570 Miles in 24 Hours—Little Doubt That She Will Beat the Atlantic Record.

NEW YORK, Sept. 11.—The giant turbine steamer Lusitania, which is buffeting its way across the Atlantic on its first trip to America, has "found herself." Unlike most steamers, the big liner is proving out the best time ever made on a westbound journey across the Atlantic. The last report from the Lusitania, dated at noon today, was received at the Associated Press correspondent aboard the ship by way of the Cape Race wireless station. It shows that in the 24 hours ending at noon, the run of the ship was 570 miles, a record of 23.4 knots an hour, and with beautiful weather forecasted there should be little doubt that the ship will reach Sandy Hook lightship under five days for the trip.

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The Fredericton Ho.

Investigation Continued.

FREDERICTON, N. B., Sept. 11.—The hospital investigation was continued this evening and lasted until midnight. Mr. Grimmer and Mr. O'Leary, both of whom were to give evidence to the effect that the matron had in conversation praised Dr. Vanwart, were not present. The former sent a letter to the board, the substance of which was not of much importance to either party.

Dr. Atherton persisted in his charges that Miss McCullum showed favor to Dr. Vanwart. T. C. Allen, one of the trustees, recommended that in the interest of the whole institution the matter be allowed to drop and start fresh. He asked the medical staff if they would not let the matter drop and the board could make rules and regulations governing the future and the difficulties would not arise again. Senator Thompson and other members present supported Mr. Allen.

Dr. Atherton replied that this thing had been going on a good while, that he did not think the hospital management had treated him fairly and he did not feel that he could any longer remain a member of the medical staff if Miss McCullum remained as matron. At the same time he spoke in the highest terms of Miss McCullum, saying that he believed that she meant well and never intended to show any favoritism. "I would be the last one to hurt a hair of her head," he said. "I believe she has worked hard for the institution, but she has her likes and dislikes, and probably means well."

The board strongly urged the doctor to let by-gones be by-gones, but the doctor held to his position and would not give in.

Dr. Atherton suggested to the meeting many improvements which the trustees looked upon favorably. Judge Barry asked if the medical staff did not think that much of the trouble that existed was owing to jealousy in the medical profession. Dr. Atherton strongly denied this and stated whatever difficulties the profession had it did not injure the working of the hospital. He felt all right towards Dr. Vanwart; he did not blame Vanwart in the least for getting all the business he could, but he did blame the matron for recommending Dr. Vanwart, and claimed that in many instances she interfered with his private patients.

Miss McCullum denied the accusation. The resignation of the nurses was then taken up. The matron answered in detail the charges explaining the accusations and denied fully all the charges made. She said she was willing at any and all times to meet any specific charge.

"I am conscientious in my work, a friend of the poor, and have ever tried to advance the interests of the institution. I want the public to know this. I will not resign. I must regard myself as respected and unless my resignation is demanded, I intend to remain matron. It would be most degrading to ask me to retire after the body of nurses had said I must go, or they would go. It would disgrace me for life."

In conclusion, Miss McCullum spoke of the great surprise and pain the action of the nurses had caused her, as she had always got along so friendly with each and all.

The trustees asked if the nurses' resignation was accepted could she supply another staff. Miss McCullum felt positive that the difficulty could be met. The meeting then adjourned until Friday. It seems quite evident that the trustees board from their remarks this evening intend upholding the matron, and it would seem that their action is unanimous.

THE RELIGIOUS WORLD

WHAT IS MAN?

Ps. 8. 4.
Rev. Dr. Parkhurst
Presbyterian.

Singular is it not, to live with himself for Him as in us, and just as much in us as in Him, that underlying thing that we call the "personal" we can say not one suitable word about. And this circumstance properly creates in us a sense that is very close to reverence. And in the course of this same Paulin David pass with reverence to man language that is almost as exalted as any that is applicable to deity.

We are taught in school to say a good many things about ourselves, our minds, our consciousness, our sub-consciousness, but that after all is only a learned kind of ignorance, of which there is a great deal in the world, dressing up our ignorance in the garments of an ambitious vocabulary, and handling such phrases as little other than removing one after another the outer garments, far within which, closely clad, concealed in impenetrable investiture, lies the inaccessible "I."

This kind of regard, full of wonderment and tinged with reverence, that I am just now encouraging you to cherish toward that inner sanctuary into which no man living has been able quite to enter, but that each thoughtful man feels is something there, has in it nothing that is inconsistent with the purest spirit of humility. Pride is not a plant that flourishes in such soil. Mystery is always subduing, even though it be the mystery in which our own innermost lies immersed. Pride in one of the accidents of life, things that blossom only where the soil is scanty. People are proud of their money, of their clothes, of their beauty. Like brilliant fireworks, pride grows best where there is not much to burn. But mystery brings quietness and lowliness of mind, be it the mystery of the other firmament in which the great starry worlds are suspended, in the impenetrableness of distance, or that other even more hidden world, the innermost of our being, oblivious of the fact of human sin. But we must not think of sin as a part of what God originally made us to be. He certainly never formed us in a way such that He was obliged to feel a kind of remorse in contempt for us as soon as the work of forming us was done. Even a human architect conveys himself of incapacity, who is compelled, immediately upon the completion of a work, to commence its repair. We are interested in that human mystery we call a soul as that mystery lay thought out in the mind of God before ever there was a soul, and as it stood forth expressed in the human fact upon which God is represented as speaking His benediction of "all very good." Sin is an interloper, was then, and is now, and no more belongs to that innermost of our being than the man and the disfigurement and disintegration that today distinguish the Acropolis at Athens as part of the original Parthenon and Erechtheum. While then we have no intention of ignoring that coating of corruption which, fungus-like, gathers along the edges of the original soul, yet hardly more important, is it for us to realize the condition down into which we may have fallen than it is for us to appreciate the condition down from which we have fallen. Sin, however bad, never seems to us bad except to the degree that it is felt by us as distinct and separate from the condition in which we were originally constituted to be.

It is the forechord of greatness to realize that one ought to be great. It is the vestibule of nobility of soul to understand that nobility of soul is a man's true prerogative. There is no true shame for ignorance except as we have a deep suspicion that we ought not to be ignorant. There is no true shame for sin except as there is a profound hidden understanding that sin is foreign to our true nature, that it is a form of disease inflicting itself upon a soul that is appointed to be in the possession of beautiful and eternal health.

And so we hold along the line of our present meditation, not out of forgetfulness that sin is bad, but out of the distinct remembrance that it is bad, and out of the conviction that the best way to appreciate it in its badness, is not to think too immediately and exclusively about the mean thing that we are all the time tempted to become, but to fasten our regards a little more constantly and affectionately upon the thing mysteriously great that it is our province to be and that it is our constitutional prerogative to be.

And even sin itself is one of the most evident proofs of the incalculable greatness of the soul. It is just by the native excellence of a thing that its corruption becomes possible. Its excellence that creates room for its depreciation.

At a depth to which a thing can fall measures the height at which it stood before falling. Just as it is told us that those who are now princes of darkness were once angels of light.

CHURCH NOTES

FOR BUSY MEN.

THE BAPTISTS.
THE MARITIME BAPTIST thus describes the proposed plan for a change of pastors in Baptist churches in England:—The scheme provides that no church shall be in "the circle," as the plan is called, unless its pastor receives from all sources, other than the Union, an income not less than \$500 a year in the case of rural churches, and \$200 in the case of town churches, that every pastor who has been in the circle for not less than two years, shall retire from his church on the 31st of September nearest to the end of the fourth year of his ministry thereafter, unless the church, by a majority of three-fourths of the members present, voting by ballot, in a meeting duly convened for the purpose, of which notice shall have been given during public worship on the two preceding Sundays, requests him to remain with them for a further period, which he may consent to do. Churches wishing to join, shall undertake that, while in the circle, they will appoint their pastors from among the pastors of other churches in the circle unless, at the time, the churches shall outnumber the pastors.

THE BAPTIST CHURCH of Amherst has volunteered to support the two lady missionaries from Cumberland County, who are laboring in India, Miss Maud Harrison, of Maccan, who is now on furlough, and Miss Paton, at present in the field.

ROMAN CATHOLIC

THE NEW FREEMAN, speaking of the situation in the Vatican, says:—"The Church is the House of God and as such should be given due respect, and yet many... forget to show Him the reverence they would pay to an ordinary head. Men of reason respect what is holy. All that the church contains—altar, tabernacle, services—are subjects of profound respect and suggest meditation. Not to gaze around, to talk, but to pay homage to Him whose guests we are do we enter the church."

THE ANGLICAN

THE NEXT LAMBETH CONFERENCE, the great decennial meeting of all the bishops of the Anglican communion throughout the world, including the Episcopal Church of the United States, will meet in London in July, 1908. This conference was instituted by Archbishop Longley in 1857, and consequently it met only three times since 1878, 1888 and 1897. The last meeting was put forward one year in order to coincide with the Diamond Jubilee of the late Queen Victoria. The meeting in 1908 will revert to its regular order.

REV. FREDERICK PERCIVAL FARRAR, son of the late Dean Farrar, has been appointed rector of Sandringham, in succession to Canon Hervey.

THE CANADIAN CHURCHMAN strongly deprecates what it says has come to be a fixed habit among members of the Anglican Community, viz., the discounting of their church affairs, and especially of their church troubles. It suggests a reason for this habit in the fact that it is "a legacy from the old regime in England, where the church is a national institution, in which the whole population has a legal right of interest, and where church questions are discussed like other public matters, as a matter of course. On the other hand, the various Nonconformist bodies are more or less private societies and naturally keep their affairs to themselves. In the Churchman points to Methodists, Presbyterians, Baptists and Roman Catholics, as shining examples of people who do not proclaim their internal troubles on the housetops.

SATURDAY SERMONETTE

VOICES.

Sitting on a veranda in a western city a few nights ago there came to us from a veranda across the street the musical talk and laughter of a "rosebud garden of girls." We did not care to know what they said, but we did enjoy the music they made with their inconsequent talk and laughter. One of them was a southern girl with whom I became acquainted afterward and I fell in love with her voice. I don't know whether she was "brown or bronze," plain or pretty. I saw only her lips and heard only the Houdou music that came from them. She had bewitching mannerisms (or womanisms) of speech and her southern inimitable, indescribable idioms once heard could never be forgotten.

Down the street from another veranda a half block away there came the coarse unmusical laughter and talk of another group of girls, but they were not a "garden of girls," unless they were a "garage garden," and I thought then, as I think now, that the voice should be sealed in our school and I would like to see them speak, the cultured or uncultured girl or woman.

The voice tells to the doctor or close observer how your friend, who is ill, is this morning, better or worse. And tell whether the man you hear speak is a saint or villain, or the woman you hear but cannot see in the dark, is pleasant and sweet in disposition or a scold.

There is the whining, unheeding

would not have been possible had he known them only at long range. He contends that although only a small percentage of those attending school should eventually become missionaries the Christianism and refining influence which will be carried throughout the settlements will abundantly justify the effort which is being made.

THE METHODISTS

THE ENGLISH METHODISTS before planning for the future already 124 circuits have invited the ministers they desire to secure after the conference of 1908, and 78 others for a year later.

THE GRIMSBY CAMP MEETINGS, Ont., have made application to be permitted to wind up their business. "At one time," says the Guardian, "it was a centre of spiritual activity and a place of sacred memory to hundreds of noble men and women. Latterly it has been a health resort with a few other features added, and therein has had successful rivals." Hence the collapse.

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SPECIAL SERMON FOR THE TEACHERS

FREDERICTON, Sept. 8.—To a congregation that will filled the Cathedral this evening Bishop Richardson preached an eloquent and powerful sermon on the teaching profession. Those present included the principal and teachers of many of the Normal School, Dr. Inch and other leading educationists. His Lordship took his text from the fourth chapter of St. Paul's Epistle to the Ephesians, 1st verse. Before entering upon his discourse, the Bishop said that no apology was needed for delivering a special sermon. All the churches in town were glad to welcome the Normal School students to the city, and he thought that the historical church, the Cathedral, should not be behindhand in extending that welcome. His Lordship in his sermon dwelt upon the importance of the teaching profession and the amount of good the right teacher would do in the world.

Hiram Mitchell, aged 80, a resident of Lincoln who was operated upon at the Victoria hospital today by Dr. Atherton for internal trouble and this evening was reported as doing well.

The cricket match yesterday afternoon between the Civilians and the Royal Regiment, drew a large crowd to Scully's Grove. The latter were without two of their strongest players.

The Civilians won by a score of 89 to 63. It was a remarkable match in many ways. The batsmen of the victorious team, Belcher and Roberts, made between them 62 runs; the other eight wickets contributed 12, leaving only eight runs for six wickets. Melton, the captured English cricketer, was cleaned bowled by Sergt. Galloway after making only six runs. For the military the star performer was Ellenton, who bowled and batted in excellent style.

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.

The Kind You Have Always Bought

Bears the Signature of *Dr. J. C. Watson*

DEXTON, Sept. 5.—The picnic, which was held of this week, was a de The sum of \$1,900 was re Miss Margaret Smith, visiting her parents, Mr. J. Smith.

Mrs. John Taylor, who ill, is somewhat improved. Miss Florence Mundle, left Monday for Frederic Normal School.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert W. dinville left Tuesday for Boston. They were accompanied by their daughter, Mrs. T. W. who has been visiting their sons, Glen and John.

Miss Margaret Graham to Providence, R. I., to act as teacher.

Miss Nellie Clark has Sackville to resume her teaching of piano music.

Dr. W. W. Wray has been the Royal Bank of Canada branch of the same bank N. S.

Mrs. Warman and her two nieces, Elizabeth and Esmeralda, R. I.

Miss Lou Abbott has gone to Allston College.

HOPEWELL HILL, Consolidated school at Hopewells was vacated, on Tuesday of this week, a slightly increased attendance of last year. The changes in the teaching staff being expected. Turner's place in the house department was taken by taking charge of Grade succession to Miss Mar who resigned at the close of the term. Principal Freeman, who such splendid abilities an eminently satisfactory district, continues in charge, also remaining in training department. Pupils from outside points included: Emery Smith, Turner, from Hopewell; C. Little, from Mable Hill; Huntley, from New Hope; Peacock, from Murray; Nita Fawcett from Rip. Some sixteen of the Normal School—very though it should be rem Consolidated schools are to take the place of schools, or necessarily pre-called learned professions induce young people rural occupation they are sure defeating their own school in this country. The life more attractive some time give common sense that a practical turn the boys would be induced on the farm and enter the trades. As a consequence these schools cannot in the judged by the number of out to the higher institution. Four of the sixteen referred to passed the matriculation examination, the other side, leading the county centage of 72, and Clyde Harvey following closely. Two were Horace Abel Cape and Miss Mabel Elliot. Miss Adda Johnson and entrance with 100 per cent. Three—Alonso Stiles, Marc Emma Marks—passed the five students the second. A number of other tend going to Montreal did not write the exam these colleges accept the case given by the trustees. Six expect to go to fall and about as many gone to the Normal School.

NEWCASTLE, Sept. 6.—Russell, accompanied by Mrs. Donaldson, is returning from the Normal School. Miss Young of Parrsboro her sister, Mrs. J. D. McNeilson has just returned from the Normal School.

Ellas Bovard of Moncton his mother, Mrs. Wm. N. Dr. G. T. Leighton of Re his parents here this week for Norfolk, Va., to attend the National Dental Association.

Prof. J. E. Layton has gone to Wesleyan College there. James Macdonald, who has returned from Boiesville. George Desbriay has returned from the Royal Barm to the branch here. Charles Russell is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Matthew. The funeral of the infant and Mrs. Fred Chessington this afternoon. Miss Ch. Franks and Wray, the dangerous ill in Moncton. Yesterday Misses Gertrude and Nellie Lingard of New Miss Ethel Atkinson of Icton went to Sackville. Ace Clark accompanied them on last night.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. E. McNeilson, B. C., who were Westminister, Mrs. McLeod's, who A. Clarke, left for home on J. S. Macdonald, who is the editorship of the Normal Leader, left for Sydney today. Capt. and Mrs. Cavendish returned from their vacation command of the local S. A. James Stewart has returned Cape Breton.

FREDERICTON, Sept. 6.—The board of the Victoria Hospital an investigation last evening to certain complaints the medical staff against Dr. Atherton was heard a statement to the effect that physician named Dr. VanW

PROVINCIAL NEWS.

REXTON, Sept. 5.—The Buctouche picnic, which was held the first day of this week, was a decided success. The sum of \$1,000 was realized.

HOPEWELL HILLS, Sept. 6.—The Consolidated school at Riverside, after nine weeks' vacation, re-opened on Tuesday of this week, Sept. 3rd, with a slightly increased attendance over that of last year.

NEW GLASGOW, Sept. 6.—The largest fire that has happened in New Glasgow for years took place tonight when the magnificent building, plant and machinery of the Standard Brick and Glass Company were burned to the ground.

CHATHAM, N. B., Sept. 7.—The election of county councillors took place on Tuesday. Several have gone in by acclamation but contests will take place in other parishes.

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GOVERNMENT WILL HOLD CONTRACTORS LIABLE FOR QUEBEC BRIDGE DISASTER



MONTEREAL, Sept. 6.—Sir Wilfrid Laurier accompanied by Hon. L. O. Davies and others, paid a visit to the scene of the Quebec bridge disaster on Tuesday last. The Premier was deeply moved by what he saw, expressing himself in feeling terms both to the officials and to the relatives of the men who had lost their lives in the catastrophe.

FATAL RIOT AMONG SHORE LINE LABORERS

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PURE BRED STOCK FOR NOVA SCOTIA

LONDON, Sept. 7.—The agent general of Nova Scotia, informed the minister, secretary for agriculture, he is returning today on the Athena, having purchased 18 magnificent Clydesdale horses, two Ayrshire bulls, and 18 Black Faced Highland sheep for the hilly districts of Cape Breton, at the request of Earl Grey.

FREDERICTON NEWS

FREDERICTON, N. B., Sept. 6.—Word was received here this morning of the death in King County of Wm. Todd, aged 50. Deceased was cousin-in-law of Samuel Owen of this city.

NOTICE OF SALE.

To Charles E. Fenigly, Herbert H. Fenigly, and all other heirs of Robert Fenigly, deceased, the Twenty-sixth day of February, A. D. 1880, and made between Robert Fenigly, of the City of Saint John and Province of New Brunswick, Trader, temporarily residing at Washademoak, in the County of Queen's, and Province, aforesaid, and Mary, his wife, of the First Part, and Timothy Cusack, of the City, aforesaid, Contractor, of the Second Part, and duly recorded in the Office of the Registrar of Deeds in and for the City and County of Saint John as Number 50329 in Libro X No. 7 of said Records, pages 226, 227, 228 and 229, on the sixth day of March, A. D. 1880, THERE WILL BE SOLD AT PUBLIC AUCTION AT CHUBB'S CORNER, (so called), in the City of Saint John, in the City and County of Saint John and Province of New Brunswick, ON SATURDAY, THE TWENTY-EIGHTH DAY OF SEPTEMBER, NEXT, at Twelve o'clock noon, the lands and premises by said Mortgage conveyed, and being described as follows:—All that certain lot piece and parcel of land situate at Reed's Point in the City of Saint John, in the City and County of Saint John, having a front on Prince William Street of Twenty-five feet and running back continuing the same width eighty feet or thereabouts, adjoining on the south the property owned by Thomas Fenigly and on the north property owned or formerly owned by John Clarke, being the southern half of lot number one thousand one hundred and fifteen (115).

WORD RECEIVED FROM STEFANSSON EXPEDITION

NEW YORK, Sept. 7.—Confirmation of the report that the Stefansson expedition is safe, was given in a message received at the offices of the American geographical society in this city today from the Vilhjalmur Stefansson, the ethnologist, a leader of the expedition into the Arctic. The message was dated at Eagle City, Alaska, which is on the upper Yukon River, and read as follows: "Expedition is all safe. (Signed) Stefansson."

A BEAUTIFUL COMPLEXION FREE

What beauty is more desirable than an exquisite complexion and elegant jewelry. An opportunity for every woman to obtain both, for a limited time only. The directions and recipe for obtaining a faultless complexion is the secret long guarded by the master mists of the ORIENTALS and GREEKS. This we obtained after years of work and at great expense. It is the method used by the fairest and most beautiful women of Europe. Hundreds of American women who now use it have expressed their delight and satisfaction. This secret is easily understood and simple to follow and it will save you the expense of creams, cosmetics, bleaches and forever give you a beautiful complexion and free your skin from pimples, bad color blemishes, etc. It alone is worth to you many times the price we ask you to send for the genuine diamond ring of latest design. We sell you this ring at one small price. The price is less than one dollar. The notice is free with every ring.

ONE MAN SHOT, ONE DROWNED
Two Tragedies Saturday
Near Campbellton.

Young Man Shot by Drunken Hunting Companion—Investigation Is Being Held.

CAMPBELLTON, N. B., Sept. 8.—A tragic event took place at 10.30 on Saturday night, when Oliver Peters, Ben. Bessie, Charles Bessie, Joseph Durong and Edward Doucet, all residents of Campbellton, across the bridge from Purvis mill, went out in the vicinity of Lily Lake, five miles from Campbellton, on a hunting expedition, armed with rifles and six bottles of gin. While under the influence of liquor, Oliver Peters, a son of Edmund Peters, of the I. C. R. employ, was accidentally shot through the heart by Ben. Bessie, one of his comrades.

Coroner Doherty held a preliminary examination on Sunday night, which was not concluded until nearly midnight. Several points brought out in the testimony of the witnesses demand further investigation, which will be continued tomorrow.

Frank Savoy of Dalhousie, who has been working this summer at Hildyard mill, says his life about midnight on Friday morning he saw Oliver Peters and Duncan Love were on their way down to the bridge to bring up logs to the mill. In some way, however, they pointed the shot, lost his balance and went overboard. Love, who was on the boom, after calling out and receiving no reply, ran to the cook house for assistance. Two of the men came down and they searched all night without finding the body. About 6 o'clock next morning, after the tide had gone out, they found the body in about four feet of water. Coroner Doherty was called in and after viewing the body and questioning the men, decided that no inquest was necessary, and gave a permit for burial. The body of the unfortunate young man was taken by team to Dalhousie, where the interment will be made.



WOMAN ASCENDS STEEP ALPINE PEAK

Madame Bayex Performs Feat Which Few Daring Men Have Accomplished—Reads to Brace Nerve.

PARIS, Sept. 6.—Madame Bayex, of Paris, whose husband is noted for his mountain climbing exploits, has just arrived in Paris, having equalled the best of his accomplishments in a daring ascent of one of the most difficult

and dangerous of Alpine peaks, Mont Cervin. The feat, in fact, is regarded as among the most remarkable accomplished by men in this line, much less women. In her narrative of the performance, while she confesses to no feeling of lack of courage, she stated her nerves had the defect existed it would not have been serious, and would not to any effect affected the solidity of the bridge. The distance of the plate from chord No. 3 was from seventy-five to a hundred feet.

BRITISH PAPERS FEAR NEW FRENCH TREATY

Lord Strathcona Issues Statement to Counteract Alarmist Crop Reports—His Estimate 80,000,000 Bushels.

LONDON, Sept. 7.—Paris telegrams today say the French government refuses to publish the particulars of the Franco-Canadian treaty, owing to the special desire of the Canadian negotiators to keep the details secret at present. The Morning Post in an editorial following the Yorkshire Post's lead of yesterday, says: "If the new treaty achieves its object it seems only too probable that the commercial policy of Canada will gradually be more and more deflected from the lines established by the institution of the Imperial preference ten years ago. Germany is well known to be only too anxious to secure the benefits of the intermediate tariff rates at the expense of the British preference."

Other commentators add that Germany is likely to specially welcome the French precedent, which shows that the Canadian ministers can be induced to go below the intermediate tariff rates at the expense of the British preference. Lord Strathcona issues to the press today a lengthy official statement seeking to counteract what he calls the "Alarmist crop reports without justification."

He quotes as from the Minister of Interior a number of authoritative estimates of the wheat crop reaching 80,000,000 bushels which, at the increased prices now ruling, would yield a greater cash equivalent than the 1906 crop.

Some Canadian experts advanced somewhat on this reassuring official statement though the trade believes there must be some explanation of the hardly less authoritative reports of an entirely different complexion.

MONCTON, N. B., Sept. 8.—One of the workmen engaged by the Dominion Bridge Company on the construction of the Hall's Creek bridge here, formerly worked on the fallen Quebec bridge. He worked at the riveting machine and was employed by the Phoenix Bridge Company from the time the bridge was commenced up to four weeks ago. He took a notion to leave and found his way to Moncton to work for the Dominion Bridge Company. The man who replaced him at Quebec is reported to have skipped and with a considerable sum of the company's money. He hasn't been seen since Friday, on which day he called and cashed a check at the local bank for about \$400, which was sent here to pay the man. On Saturday when pay time came round the foreman, whose name is Herbert, finally discovered the information obtained by the bridge officials here is to the effect that he was seen getting out of Friday, leaving no word as to his whereabouts.

QUEBEC BRIDGE WORKMEN TELL OF ELAWS IN STEEL

MONTREAL, Sept. 8.—At the opening of the coroner's inquest this morning on the subject of the unfortunate bridge disaster, the coroner addressing the newspaper correspondents present requested that they report accurately, as some reports to which publicity had been given were not in accordance with the facts.

The evidence of the workman Alex. Outmet, who began his testimony yesterday was continued. He declared that some time ago he noticed a large crack in a plate of steel at the main pier shoe. This plate was three quarters of an inch thick and the crack was twelve inches long. Asked to whether he could state positively whether this damaged plate was replaced between the time he last saw it and the accident, he replied that he could not, but it was his opinion that it was still in the pier when the accident happened. Witness was painting the steel work when he saw this defect at the end of July last and he worked for three days in the immediate vicinity. This damaged plate did not support any weight. There were three other workmen to witness knowledge who saw this crack, but two of them were killed. R. Lafrance being the only survivor of the three. The crack went through and through.

Basell Lafrance was then called. He began work at the Quebec bridge as a painter in July last. He remembered having been shown the damaged plate by Outmet, and corroborated what the latter had said regarding the dimensions of the plate. The crack was about half an inch open, and witness saw it for the last time about fifteen days before he quit work. He left the employ of the bridge company about ten days before the disaster. Witness did not speak to any one about it, because he thought the inspectors had seen it. The crack was in an oblique position.

Mr. McClure, engineer for the Phoenix Bridge Company on the works, was recalled and asked if he had considered the place where the alleged damaged plate of steel was, to which he replied he certainly had. "Do you believe that such a crack would affect the solidity of the bridge?" "It would to a certain extent."

"Do you remember having seen such a crack or having heard of its existence?" "I certainly did not see it or hear of any such thing."

"You keep records of your inspections of the bridges?" "Yes."

"When did you inspect this particular locality?" "On May 23, July 24 and Aug. 8."

SCH. DECORRA ABANDONED BY CREW LAST THURSDAY FOUND STRANDED ON DIGBY COAST

DIGBY, N. S., Sept. 7.—Tug George L. C. E. Lewis, master, which has just returned from the Bay of Fundy, reports that the two topmast schooner Decorra, hailing from Machias, Maine, stranded three miles west of Gullivers Cove. This is some miles west of Point Prim Light. The vessel's foremast was set, her compass gone, boat gone, and crew not on board, and ship's papers are not to be found.

The collector of customs sent Officer Thorne down with a tug to take charge of the wreck and see that she is stripped before a blow comes on. She has a cargo of soft coal. The vessel lies amongst rocks and is exposed to northerly winds, which, when coming on, will break her up. At present the winds are southerly and westerly, which are not felt much where the vessel lies. Captain Geo. Post, receiver of wrecks in this district, went to the wreck and took charge of her.

Mr. Thorne, the customs officer who went to the wreck, found that coast plates had been aboard during the night and took everything they could carry away, including the ship's stores, rope, etc. They also took the galley stove. By order of the receiver of wrecks the vessel has been stripped of her sails, anchors, chains, etc. The schooner is full of water and is resting upright between two ledges of rocks. The customs officers found a number of letters aboard bearing the date 1906 and addressed to Capt. John W. Berry.

spot an hour's journey below the summit. Owing to the severe cold on the effects of lightning Spoor died at 3 o'clock on Thursday afternoon. Helbling and Imfeld pressed forward, a return to the Italian side having become impossible. After intense suffering they arrived yesterday evening at Zermatt, having spent the second night near the shoulder of the Matterhorn. Imfeld's feet were badly frozen but Helbling was little the worse for his experiences.

SHE LIVED ON GRASS FOR TWENTY DAYS

Terrible Experiences of Woman Who Fell Into Alpine Crevice and Was Prisoner There.

GENEVA, Sept. 7.—An almost incredible story of human endurance, of resistance to cold and privation comes from Loèche. A Swiss woman who was staying at Loèche Hotel went alone to visit the gorge of Dala, who precipices have an altitude of some 4,000 feet, on the 19th of last month. As she did not return, search parties were sent out, but were proving unsuccessful, a large reward was offered for her recovery, but it was not until yesterday that she was found.

It appears that the unfortunate woman fell down a crevasse. She escaped injury but was effectually imprisoned in the chasm. There she remained for twenty days, living on grass and water. When found she was in a semi-starved condition and raving like a madman, her privations and the terror of her situation having destroyed her reason. She was taken to the hospital at Loèche, where she lies in a critical condition. Her relatives have arrived at Loèche.

Three tourists who ventured to climb the Matterhorn unaccompanied by guides, have had a terrible experience, one of them dying from exposure. "The three men, whose names are Helbling, Spoor, Dr. Robert Helbling and Karl Imfeld an engineer of Zurich started on Wednesday to make the ascent notwithstanding the very unfavorable state of the weather. After leaving the Col du Son where they had camped, they were surprised by a violent storm above Pio Tyndal. They were obliged to pass the night at a



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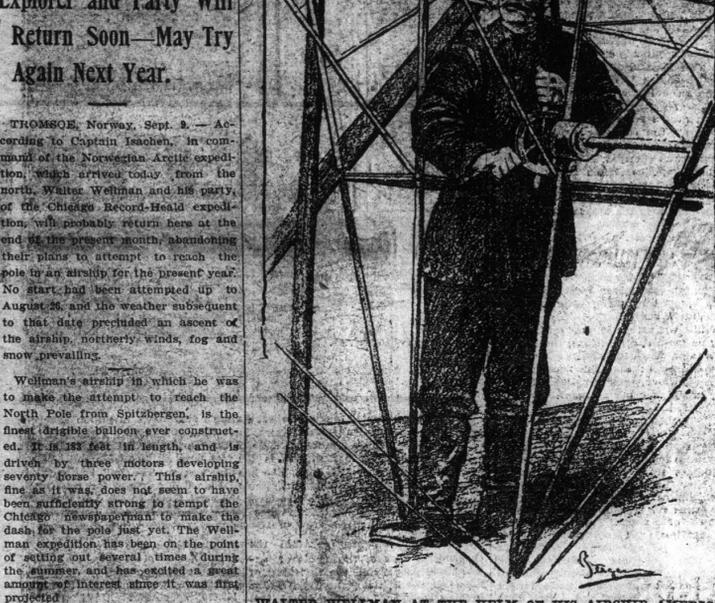
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VANCOUVER, B. C., Sept. 9.—J. J. Hill of the Great Northern has secured a controlling interest in the Crow's Nest Pass Coal Company, Hill's first move, according to the report here, was to dispense with the services of Alexander Lindsay, the reason assigned being that Lindsay was unfriendly to organized labor. Toronto officials of the company denied the report.

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NEAR WORCHESTER, MASS. INCLUDING STOCK AND CROPS

Sell your milk and cream at high prices; brook watered pasture for \$25 head; 2 story house of 12 rooms; see picture B6108, page 17, 'Strout's List' No. 197, barn 32x72; teup for 30 cows and 4 horses; 2 hen houses, ice house, and other out-buildings; in good repair and newly shingled; chestnut shade, with good view; 2 lakes near. Price, \$5,500, and easy terms; and will include to settle estate quickly; 4 acres corn, acre potatoes, apples, 15 tons hay in barn, 15 cows, 3 horses. E. A. STROUT, C. O., 88 Broad St., Boston, Mass.

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POLITICAL INDEPENDENCE.

The system of party government, which has for some generations been regarded as a heaven-sent device...

These critics of party government are of various sorts. There are the honest and sincere radicals who firmly believe that party machinery offers opportunity for the appeal of the demagogue...

In view of such a condition of affairs it is well for the intelligent citizen to ask himself seriously if, after all the system of party government is detrimental to the best interests of the country...

Moreover, that order is most stable and also most democratic which can stand only on a basis of justice...

SEWAGE POLLUTION OF STREAMS. A discussion of sewage pollution of streams proving the dangerous effects...

There is, however, an essential detail, the omission of which defeats the ends of democracy. The policy of a party must be the result of thorough popular discussion.

The situation may not be ideal, but it is apparent that if a citizen desires to be a positive force in the political life he must work through one of the great political parties.

We are frequently told that the crying need of our day is for men who profess to be totally independent of party affiliation.

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MR. GRAHAM AND THE I. C. R. The new Minister of Railways is reported to have summed up his policy with regard to the management of the Intercolonial as follows:

1-The road must give good service to the people. 2-It should pay its way and if possible pay some interest on the investment.

3-Beyond this the government road should not aim at profits, but should reduce fares and thus bring about a reduction of fares upon other roads.

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The study made of the Mohawk river for the New York State Board of Health shows the varying effects of stream conditions on cumulative pollution. Schenectady's water supply, when drawn from the river, was polluted by the drainage from Amsterdam and cities above, and the source of supply was changed.

While the article is regarded in drawing no general conclusions, the impressive facts which it presents permit only one deduction: that the necessity for protecting our water supplies is becoming every year more urgent.

CANADA'S BIG YEAR.

The statistical report of Canada's commerce for the year 1907, showing an aggregate trade of \$212,053,107, moves the New York Sun to complimentary astonishment.

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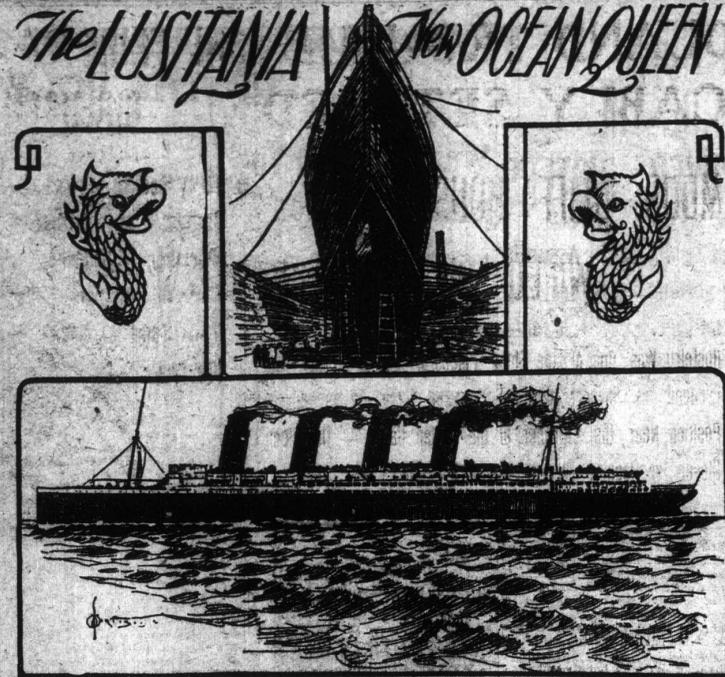
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In this centennial year of Robert Fulton's steamboat invention several gigantic ocean steamships, marking vast advances upon all predecessors, have been completed. The latest is the greatest. It is the Lusitania of the Cunard Line.

LIVERPOOL, Sept. 7.-Amid the cheering of tens of thousands of enthusiastic people and the shrieking of manifold steam, the giant Cunard Line turbine steamer Lusitania sailed this evening on a 5,000 mile race against time, across the Atlantic, which all in England tonight are confident will win back for the Cunard Line the laurels wrested from them ten years ago by the North German Lloyd.

smaller sister, the Lucania, that with four hours start already was far down the Irish channel. The scene was a memorable one. Fully 100,000 spectators lined the landing stage and the river banks, yelling themselves hoarse as the liner gathered headway down the river.

Every river steamer and river-side factory for miles along the Mersey, joined in a deafening chorus of good-wishes. Lit up from stern with lights glinting from the port-holes, marking her numerous tiers of decks, the mammoth proportions of the Lusitania were emphasized by the illuminations.

Feeding stuffs of all kinds very scarce. Oils. Pratt's Astral... White Rose and... High Grade Sarna... and Archlight...

HOPEWELL HILL NOTES. HOPEWELL HILL, Sept. 9.-The present is probably the most unfavorable buying season for seventeen years.

FRUITS, ETC. Prunes, California... Apples, evaporated... Walnuts, Greenmount... Raisins, Valencia...

PROVISIONS. American clear pork... American mess pork... Pork, domestic... Fats, beef...

FLOUR, ETC. Manitoba... Medium... Cornmeal, bag... Oatmeal... Middlings, small lots...

GRAIN, ETC. Hay, pressed... Oats (Ont), cut lots... Beans (Canadian, h.p.)... Beans, yellow eye...

GROCERIES. Beef tongue, per lb... Onions, Egyptian, bag... Onions, Spanish, cases...

Lame Horses. Certainly do not know the name of your horse. Whether it is from a Bruise, Cut, Strain, or from any other cause, our medicine will cure it quickly.

SAILOR STABBED ON BOARD VESSEL. Miss Close Intends Starting Another Home for Pauper Children at Annapolis.

ANNAPOLIS, Md., Sept. 9. -With a deep knife wound in his back, another in his left breast, and his clothing saturated with blood...

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SIR EDWARD GREY. British Foreign Secretary. has called for the Newfoundland revenue cutter...

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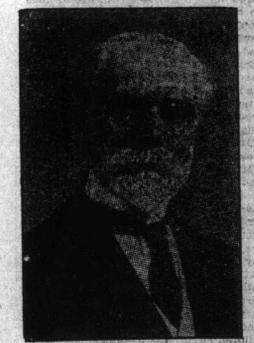
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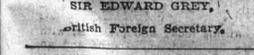


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St. John's, Sept. 8.—The city is flooded by the two hundred from the public houses, the dealers paying \$100 dollars each. The water at the window and O. S. Legare and living near the city from a neighbor yes not return it. Today Main street, by the water at the window of the annual, the whip and proceeded down the street, ruderly lady, who was arrested and charged with various driving. The general car inspector who leaves the service a pension, was suit by a number of felony and presented with a headed cane and an its has been in the since 1887, entering at the revenue cutter Gresham, has been instructed to advise the American fishermen in the same sense as to their rights and privileges in the jurisdictional waters of Newfoundland, the formal conclusion and publication of the modus has been deferred, pending consideration of the proposal of the Newfoundland Premier, Sir Robert Bond, that opportunity be afforded for conference between the insular authorities and the American fishermen with a view to introducing some modifications in the modus by mutual agreement if the charges could be effected without undue loss to long after preparations for this season's fishing had been made and the fishing vessels had begun their voyages. Such modifications are to be considered in a friendly spirit by the two governments and then adopted if not found to compromise the treaty rights of the United States and acceptable to both.



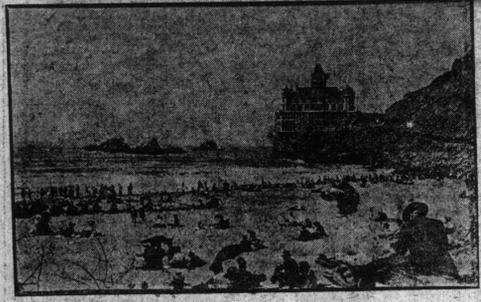
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FAMOUS CLIFF HOUSE WIPED OUT BY FIRE

This Hostelery Was One of the Show Places of San Francisco, and Escaped the Ravages of the Earthquake Owing to Its Isolated Position Near the Entrance of the Golden Gate—Had Been Closed for Repairs—Was Valued at \$50,000



CLIFF HOUSE AND GROUP OF BATHERS

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 7.—The Cliff House, San Francisco's first attraction for tourists was burned to the ground tonight. Only a blackened heap of ruins is left. Formed by a lively ocean breeze, the flames made such headway that the firemen devoted themselves to saving adjoining property. The Cliff House had been closed for some time for repairs. Workmen left the place at noon and the fire started is not known. This is the second Cliff House to be destroyed by fire. The building which was burned today was built a dozen years ago by Adolph

Sutro of Sutro Tunnel fame. The hotel was owned by the Sutro estate and was valued at \$50,000. John Tait, the lessee, estimated his loss at \$50,000, minus \$38,000 insurance. The Cliff House was built on a rocky promontory overlooking the Pacific ocean, and its broad verandas afforded a clear view of the seals sporting on seal rock near shore. From this point also one could watch ships entering and leaving San Francisco through the Golden Gate to the right and see the endless waters of the Pacific ocean to the left. The magnificent baths nearby were not damaged.

MARSEILLES STIRRED UP BY TRUNK MURDER HORROR

Confession of the Goolds That Husband Perpetrated Terrible Crime Doubtful, and Theory of Insanity Advanced.

MARSEILLES, Sept. 6.—The terrible murder of Mme. Emma Levin, and the finding of her dismembered body in a trunk at the railway station here continues to be the subject of almost universal discussion here and at Monte Carlo, where the tragedy occurred. The gruesome confession made by the man Goold, now in custody for the crime, borne out at it was by the confession of his wife, who is also in custody, is not believed by the magistrates who examined him, and the theory of insanity finds a good deal of acceptance.

THE PRINCIPALS. Mr. Goold, a man of 54, is described as amiable and clever, excellent company, with a hobby for amateur photography. He comes of a good Irish family, being the youngest brother of Sir James Goold, who succeeded his uncle in the title in 1882. On the death of an intermediate brother, Frederick Goold, in 1900, he laid claim to the title, and has used it. It is said that he knew her then as an accomplished pianist, here, and was born in 1852. She was brought up as a dressmaker. At 18 she is recognized as a woman of great energy, with complete authority over her husband. Marie Grodin, who lived with her father and mother, was first married to a young man of St. Marcellin, contrary to her parents' wishes. A week after the wedding the young woman left her new home with a little money. She took refuge in Geneva, where she worked for some time as a dressmaker, and then proceeded to London, where she met Goold. It is sixteen years since she married

ONE THIRD OF ALL SCHOOL CHILDREN ARE DEFECTIVE

Report of Medical Commission Contains an Astounding Revelation—Deduction is That All Districts Suffer Under Same Conditions as New York

NEW YORK, Sept. 8.—The re-opening of the public schools throughout the country is to be the occasion of a report on the physical condition of school children by a committee of prominent educationalists, headed by Chairman Edgington, former President of the New York Board of Education. The inquiry has taken a wide scope and the observations apply not only to the school children of New York, but also to those of Boston, Chicago, and other cities. In general, the report shows that about one-third of all the school children in the United States are behind their proper grade because of physical defects that could be remedied. A synopsis of the report says in part: "In general, the physical defects and home conditions of 1,400 school children of New York City, it is estimated that 15,000,000 of the children of the United States have physical defects more or less which school teachers' attentions from parents and physicians. It is the percentages recorded by the board of health should be maintained throughout the country (and it seems likely that they would be as adenoids and impaired vision, malnutrition and defective breathing are found in rural as well as urban schools) there must be 1,400,000 ill-nourished children, 5,410,000 with enlarged glands and 6,520,000 with defective breathing in the United States. In New York City the estimated figures are: Mal-nutrition 48,000; enlarged glands 187,000; and defective breathing 230,800. "The large percentage of the defects indicated are easily remedied and many could be prevented by proper care, though except in the case of defective vision, the cases are not always easily determined."

LONGWORTH SAYS THAT ROOSEVELT WILL NOT RUN

NEW YORK, Sept. 8.—A special from Honolulu to the American quotes Congressman Longworth, who has just sailed from that port for San Francisco as saying:—"President Roosevelt will not become a candidate for renomination unless the entire country demands it. He has firmly made up his mind to stick to this course and only a more widespread demand for him to accept the nomination will alter his determination."

Mr. Goold at St. Mary of the Angels, Paddington. Soon afterward the business is believed to have decreased, and they went to Montreal in Canada, and established a large dressmaking business, catering for the best society. Three years ago they retired, and went to 18 Adelaide-terrace, Waterloo, Liverpool, where they adopted the title of Sir Vere and Lady Goold. There they lived in apparent affluence and appeared to have been accepted by one section of society as thorough gentlemen of high degree. Mrs. Goold is described by one who knew her then as an accomplished pianist, and a generous woman, a French lady to her finger tips. Much of their time was spent in travel. During the last three years they have occupied a charming suite on the first floor of the Villa Menechini in the Boulevard de Moulines, Monte Carlo, where they were accompanied by their niece, Mile. Girolin. Mme. Emma Levin was the widow of



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a great Stockholm merchant, who died about eight years ago. She moved in good society, and was well-to-do. She was always smartly dressed, and was very intelligent. Her mother still lives. During the last two months the victim of the tragedy was staying at the Hotel Bristol, Monte Carlo, where she made the acquaintance of the Goolds. Mme. Levin had no children of her own. She adopted some years ago a little girl of poor parents who lived in Switzerland. She kept the child for several years, and became very much attached to her, but the parents ultimately insisted upon their daughter being restored to them. Mme. Castellani, a Swedish lady, who knew Mme. Levin at Monte Carlo, spoke very highly of her to a representative of the Parisian press. Mme. Castellani said that the only fault she found with her was that she was too fond of jewelry, and took an ostentatious delight in wearing it. She possessed the diamonds, her jewelry being estimated to be worth more than \$10,000, and on Sunday evening she left the Hotel Bristol at Monte Carlo, where she was staying, wearing the greater part of them.

On Sunday, August 4, at 5 o'clock, Mme. Levin entered the Villa Menechini and was not again seen alive. At the time it is said that she was wearing most of her valuable collection of jewels.

PALMA TROPHY WRESTED FROM BRITAIN BY UNITED STATES

L. C. R. EMPLOYEES TO BE RETIRED

Names of Eighty Applicants Forwarded to the Minister of Railways.

OTTAWA, Sept. 7.—The United States captured the Palma trophy on Rock-life Rifle Range today by the phenomenal score of 1712 out of a possible 1800. This beats all previous records. Canada scored second with 1674; Australia third with 1633 and Britain 1580. The shooting of the United States team averaged 214 to a man, thus beating the world's record either with a service or match rifle. Bryan's score of 74 out of 75 at the 1,000 yard range also beats the world's record. The scores are as follows at the three ranges: Team 800 900 1,000. To 1 United States... 590 573 549 1712 Canada... 566 554 551 1671 Australia... 570 533 530 1633 Great Britain... 531 522 529 1580. The individual scores of the United States and Canada, the next in order, were: American team—Windsor, 213; Tewes, 215; Hudson, Sir Orr, 206; Semon, 209; Benson, 215; Casey, 215; Bryant, 219. Total, 1712. Canada—McInnis, 212; Russell, 214; Smith, 207; McHarg, 202; Graham, 212; Kelly, 211; Skedden, 206; Richardson, 207. Total, 1671.

The Governor General Lord Grey presented the trophy to the winning team. After the Palma trophy match a dinner was given in the main D. R. A. building at the range. Col. Sam Hughes presided; Sir Wilfrid Laurier was on his right. In proposing a toast to the Parliament of Canada, Col. Sam Hughes said that although not a political supporter of the prime minister, he was glad to be able to say that Sir Wilfrid stood shoulder to shoulder with them in everything that tended to the betterment of rifle shooting in Canada. In replying, Sir Wilfrid said that he appreciated these remarks all the more as they came from his old friend, Col. Sam Hughes. He was not sure that the colonel would agree with him, but he could not help saying it all the same, that Colonel Sam was a far better warrior than a politician. Sir Wilfrid believed more in a citizen army than in a force of regulars. He trusted Canada would never be called upon to employ either, but he would like to express the hope that if that day did come, England and the United States and all the forces of the Anglo-Saxon race would be allied. Col. Hughes proposed the health of the minister of militia, and in doing so said the riflemen and the militia had no better friend than Sir Frederick George Perry, car repairer, St. John. John Kenny, laborer, St. John. Ed. T. Addison, cleaner, St. John. Geo. Foster, carpenter, St. John. Enoch Price, toolmaker, Moncton. Robt. A. Stevens, carpenter, Moncton. Theo. W. Price, engineer, Moncton. Jos. H. Moore, engineer, Point du Chene. William H. Bell, car inspector, Newcastle. James Milligan, conductor, St. John. A. Hainnie, conductor, St. John. James Kelly, conductor, St. John.

LONDON, Sept. 8.—Arthur Barclay, the negro president of Liberia, is announced to be received by King Edward at Buckingham Palace today.

On Sunday, August 4, at 5 o'clock, Mme. Levin entered the Villa Menechini and was not again seen alive. At the time it is said that she was wearing most of her valuable collection of jewels.

LOOKING UP RAILWAY PROJECTS FOR SEVERAL BRITISH CAPITALISTS

HALIFAX, Sept. 8.—Walter A. Harper, an English engineer, has been in Nova Scotia for about a week investigating the Nova Scotia Eastern Railway project for a line from Halifax to the Atlantic on the Guysboro seaboard for some London brokers, and came from Sydney today to see Premier Murray. To a reporter this morning Mr. Harper would only say that he was investigating this proposition for some London people and the report he would make would decide whether or not they would offer to build this road. During the past week Mr. Harper has gone over the line of the proposed railway and has thoroughly investigated the matter. He will remain in Canada for about six weeks, as he has other positions to look into. Mr. Harper is of the Institution of Civil Engineers and his firm Harper Bros. & Co., London, is widely known. They are consulting engineers to the Buenos Ayres Mountain Railway, the London and Port Stanley Electric, the St. Thomas Electric, the Shanghai Tramway and the Delhi Tramway. He will visit Montreal, Ottawa and Winnipeg.

London. He regretted that he was in Nova Scotia and therefore unable to be present. General Drain, president of the National Rifle Association of the United States, paid a high tribute to the character of the riflemen from Australia, Great Britain and Canada, against which the United States team had competed. He said: "We could ask for no fairer treatment and we could wish for no more generous opponents." The original had been the highest that the world had ever known. He thought the day might come when the United States and Great Britain would be found in arms as allies. The following account of the Palma trophy and the different international contests which have taken place in its possession are given in a recent issue of Arms and the Man: The Palma trophy was a creation of Centennial year, 1876. The sum of \$1,500 was raised by public subscription for its purchase. Invitations to compete in a rifle match were sent to all the principal countries of the world. The original conditions were: Teams of eight men, from any country, armed with any rifle, to shoot at 800, 900 and 1,000 yards, thirty shots at each range, the contest to continue over two days. In the initial match, that of 1876, teams representing Scotland, Ireland, Australia, Canada, and the United States were entered and competed. The American team won the match with a score of 8,126, the other scores being: Ireland, 3,104; Scotland, 2,963; Australia, 3,062; Canada, 2,923. This match was shot on the Creedmore range, as there was at that time no suitable range near Philadelphia. Again at Creedmore in 1877 did the possession of the Palma trophy hang in the balance. The United States had held it since 1876, and Great Britain challenged and sent a team to win the trophy for the country of the Queen. The American team was again so strong and the prize remained in the United States. Scores were: United States, 3,334; Great Britain, 3,342. In 1901 Canada appeared as a contestant. The shoot occurred at the well known Sea Girt range. Canada won with a score of 1,522. The American team made 1,494. The United States, in an attempt to win back the prize which she so long held, sent a team to Canada, in 1902, where on the Rockcliffe range, the same ground upon which the match will be shot this year, Great Britain, Canada and the United States renewed their struggle for supremacy. The British and American teams were very closely matched. Great Britain showed her superiority by winning with a score of 1,486. The American team had 1,477, while Canada scored 1,373. The match was lost for the United States at the 900 yard range. The Americans led at 800 yards. The British forged ahead at 900, and the scores of the two teams tied at 1,000 yards. Again was the contest renewed in 1903. This time the contestants met upon the Bisley range in England. Teams representing Great Britain, Canada, France, Australia, Norway, Natal, and the United States, 1,320 in all, competed. This was the greatest battle for the trophy which had taken place since the initial trial in 1876. Russia also intended to enter a team, but on account of the difference in their calendar the representatives of the Czar did not reach the grounds in time to enable them to compete. The American team finished first, with a score of 1,370, thus beating the record made by the British team in Canada the year before by 11 points; Great Britain vs second with 1,355; Canada, 1,318; Australia, 1,301; Natal, 1,286; Norway, 1,241; and France, 1,220. This match was marked by an absence of misses on the part of any member of the American or British teams. Every shot fired by them struck the target. After the American team had returned to the United States a controversy arose concerning the barrels used by them. These barrels while of the service type, were of private make, and should have been authenticated by the United States military authorities. This was not done, and technically the American riflemen were in the wrong. This error was acknowledged by the Rifle Association of Great Britain. It had remained in their possession since that time, no other contest having been arranged until this year. The rules governing the competitions are that each competitor shall use the rifle and the sights used in active service in his own country, and any suitable ammunition. Firing will take place at 800, 900 and 1,000 yards ranges, seven rounds for each.

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L.A. N. S., Sept. 8.—Found in his back, at breast, and his with blood, one of enburg fishing vessel at Halifax was Friday night. The stabbing occurred on a vessel and the inion was such that prompt medical attention had been given. Deceased for some time before the men came to the man who was getting a knife used a knife on the crew, then injured many were. One of the knives was dangerous, being of an inch of his...
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WANT MORE MONEY FOR HOME MISSIONS

St. John Methodist District Meeting in Session. Large Number of Lay Delegates and Preachers in Attendance—Meetings Will be Continued Today.

The financial district meeting of the St. John district of the Methodist Church was held yesterday in Zion Methodist church, Rev. James Crisp presiding. There were three sessions. The morning session began at 9:30 and was taken up by discussion on home missions and the appointment of one minister and one layman to act with the chairman in visiting weak circuits. In the afternoon assessments for the various funds were made. Arrangements for holding meetings in behalf of these funds were also made. In the evening a public meeting in aid of the Sustainment Fund was held. Rev. J. Heaney and Rev. H. S. Young delivered addresses. A short business session concluded the meeting.

Queen Square church—Joseph Bullock and T. O. Daley. Centenary church—J. Hunter White and J. L. Thorne. Exmouth street church—William Tait. Portland church—W. D. Austen. Carleton church—Enoch Thompson, Andrew East and Joseph Routledge. Carmarthen street church—No representative. Zion church—A. C. Stouts. Fairville church—J. Powell. Courtenay Bay church—John Irvin. Sussex church—Robert McPhee and Stephen S. Taylor. Apohaqui church—No representative. Hampton church—J. W. Smith, Andrew Ruddle and W. D. Fowler. Jerusalem church—William Harrison. Kingston church—James Baxter. The Methodist ministers of this district are:

Queen Square—Rev. Hedley D. Marr, B.A.; Rev. G. M. Campbell, secretary of the Canadian Bible Society, by permission of conference. Centenary Church—Rev. Dr. Sprague; Rev. Chas. Comben, supernumerary. Exmouth street—Rev. Samuel Howard, B.A., B.D. Portland—Rev. Neil McLaughlin, B.A. Carleton—Rev. Jacob Heaney, B.A.; Rev. Henry J. Clarke (with permission to reside in England); F. H. W. Fickles (Kearmouth), supernumerary. Zion Church—Rev. James Crisp, president of the conference; Rev. Robert Wilson, Ph. D., supernumerary. Fairville—Rev. Thos. J. DeWalt. Courtenay Bay—Rev. Josiah B. Champion. Sussex—Rev. Jabez A. Rodgers, D.D.; Rev. Isaac M. Parker, supernumerary. Apohaqui—Rev. W. H. Spargo; Rev. Daniel E. Basley, B.A., supernumerary. Springfield—Rev. Henry Penna (Belisle Creek). Hampton—Rev. Geo. A. Evans; Rev. J. A. Duke, Rev. Edwin Ross, D.D., supernumerary. Jerusalem—Rev. Levi J. Leard. Welsford—Rev. John J. Pinkerton. Kingston—Rev. H. Stanley Young, B.A. (Long Reach); Rev. Edward C. Henegar, B.A., B.D., missionary in Japan (Korea).

Students—Herbert F. Bull, T. Spencer Crisp, Mr. Allison University. At the morning session besides appointing a visiting committee for missions and church reform, the second session was devoted to home missions. In the support of home missions was investigated and the amount to be furnished by the district in support of such missions was determined. Each minister reported how much his circuit could subscribe. Hunter White, who was the representative of the Maritime Provinces on the general mission board of Toronto made a vigorous address in support of home missions and asked that a water effort be put forth in their behalf. Mr. White and Rev. Neil McLaughlin were appointed a committee to visit the different circuits and urge that subscriptions be made larger. At 2:30 p. m. the afternoon session was opened. The assessments for the various conference funds were first made. These funds were the Supernumerary, Contingent, Union Church Relief and General Conference funds. The Union Church Relief fund has had its last payment made and no longer exists as it is not now necessary. Meetings in support of several of the church funds were decided upon and deputations were appointed to address these meetings to be held in the various churches. The funds in behalf of which the meetings will be held are the Educational fund, the Sustainment fund, the Mission fund and the Temperance and Moral Reform fund. Last evening the meeting in behalf of the Sustainment fund was held. Rev. H. D. Marr was to have addressed the meeting, but was prevented from attending by illness. Rev. J. Heaney took the place of Rev. H. D. Marr in support of the fund. Both speakers dwelt on the benefit the church and the young and struggling preacher derived from the Sustainment fund. At the close of the meeting a resolution of thanks for the use of Zion church was passed by the meeting.

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ST. MARTIN'S LIBERALS APPROVE SELECTION OF HON. WM. PUGSLEY

The following communication has been received by Hon. Wm. Pugsley, Minister of Public Works, from the Liberals of the parish of St. Martin's, N. B., Sept. 7th, 1907. Hon. William Pugsley, K. C., D. C. L., Minister of Public Works, St. John, N. B.: Sir—At a largely attended meeting of the Liberals of the Parish of Saint Martin's, held this evening the following resolution was unanimously adopted: "Resolved that the Liberals of the Parish of Saint Martin's, desire most heartily to approve of Sir Wilfred Laurier's selection of Hon. William Pugsley, to fill the important position of Minister of Public Works. Dr. Pugsley has shown marked ability in the discharge of his professional and public duties, and for a considerable time past his admirers everywhere have looked for his entering the larger field of federal politics. "We select Dr. Pugsley as one of his colleagues. Sir Wilfred Laurier has called to his Cabinet our greatest New Brunswicker—one of whom we are all proud, and whose leadership we feel certain will give genuine satisfaction to all those interested in Liberal success, and in having the ablest possible representative from New Brunswick in the Cabinet of the Dominion." Signed, H. E. GILLMOR, F. M. COCHRAN, Committee.

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NEWFOUNDLAND AGREES TO MODUS VIVENDI PENDING HAGUE SETTLEMENT OF DISPUTE

LONDON, Sept. 5.—The negotiations for a renewal of the Newfoundland fisheries modus vivendi pending the submission of the dispute to the Hague tribunal have practically been concluded and a new agreement, covering the present season, probably will be signed within a few days. The delay was caused by repeated proposals of the Newfoundland premier, Sir Robert Bond, of a substitute for the modus vivendi to which the British officials have given every consideration. The matter, the Associated Press is informed, has now been disposed of and an agreement has been reached to renew the modus vivendi with some modifications. The most important change relates to Sunday fishing, a prohibition of which it is understood the United States has agreed to.

THE HAGUE, Sept. 5.—The examining committee under the presidency of M. Bourgeois today approved the American proposition on the subject of the establishment of a permanent international high court of justice with the exception of the paragraph referring to the allotment of judges. A small committee was appointed to examine the question of the allotment of judges. This committee will meet September 10.

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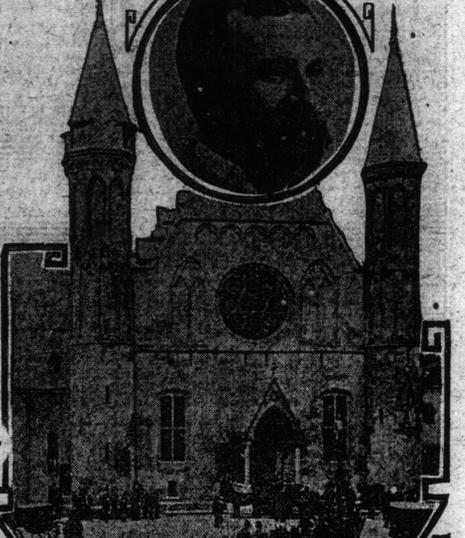
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The building at The Hague where the Arbitration Tribunal sits! United States Ambassador Reid, at the left, who suggested the settlement of the fisheries dispute by mediation, and Premier Bond, of Newfoundland, who objects to the present modus vivendi.

RECENT WEDDINGS

WINCHESTER-LEVY.

A pretty wedding took place at noon Wednesday at Digby, N. S., when Edna Claire Levy, of Grand Manan, N. B., became the bride of Angus G. Winchester, of Digby. The ceremony was performed by Rev. W. W. Hancock. The wedding took place at the groom's home, which was tastefully decorated with flowers. The bride was dressed in a blue broadcloth traveling suit, with hat to match, and carried a bouquet of white chrysanthemums. She was attended by Miss Annie Blackford, and her bridesmaids were Miss Edith, and her cousin Katherine Whitman, as flower girls. The groom was supported by Percy Harris of Halifax, while James D. Ritchie of Halifax and Mr. Starr of Kentville acted as ushers.

CREWSDON-FOREY.

A pretty wedding took place Tuesday afternoon at the residence of the bride's parents, Smythe street, Fredon, when Rev. Geo. B. Fayson united in marriage Miss Jennie Forey and Charles N. Crewsdon, a prosperous farmer of Lower Prince William.

LINGLEY-CUNNINGHAM.

The home of W. A. and Mrs. Cunningham was the scene of a pleasant social event Tuesday evening, when their daughter, Miss Lillian Cunningham, was united in marriage by Rev. G. G. Strathie. The wedding was a quiet one, only the immediate relatives being present. The bride and groom were united in marriage by Rev. G. G. Strathie. The wedding was a quiet one, only the immediate relatives being present. The bride and groom were united in marriage by Rev. G. G. Strathie.

THAYER-WILLIAMS.

A very pretty wedding took place last evening at St. Mary's Church, the contracting parties being Harry Allen Thayer of Holyoke, Mass., and Miss Arrie L. Williams, formerly of St. John, but lately of New York. Rev. W. O. Raymond performed the ceremony. The bridesmaids were Miss Katie Bates and Miss Pauline King of this city, and Miss Laura Poole of Westfield. L. Beattay acted as groomsmen.

HARRIS-WHITMAN.

ANNAPOLIS ROYAL, N. S., Sept. 4.—What was probably the most brilliant wedding seen here for many years, took place today in St. Luke's Church, when Miss Gertrude Whitman, eldest daughter of Frank C. Whitman, was married to Frank St. Clair Harris, manager of the Union Bank at Bridgewater. At sharp three this afternoon the bride party entered the church to the strains of the wedding march. The groom, Rev. Henry How, performed the ceremony, which was witnessed by relatives of the contracting parties and a large number of invited guests. The church was filled to the doors and many were unable to gain admittance. The bride, who was given away by her father, was attended by her sister, Miss Constance Whitman, Miss Charlotte Corbett and Miss Ivy Roy, of Halifax, as bridesmaids, and by her little sister Edith, and her cousin Katherine Whitman, as flower girls. The groom was supported by Percy Harris of Halifax, while James D. Ritchie of Halifax and Mr. Starr of Kentville acted as ushers.

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HAGAN-REID.

NEWCASTLE, Sept. 9.—Captain M. Hagan of Fawtucket, R. I., and Miss

M. Blanche, daughter of Benjamin Reid of Newcastle, were married by Rev. Father McGuire in St. Mary's R. C. church in St. John, N. B., on Wednesday. The bride wore a tailored travelling suit of blue poplin with a large picture hat, with large black plumes. The bridesmaid was Miss Orlo Reeve Roach, St. John, and she wore gray. She wore a picture hat similar to that of the matron, and it was adorned with plumes of black. The best man was Joseph E. Stone, brother-in-law of the bride. The wedding music was the bridal chorus from Lohengrin as processional, and Mendelssohn's wedding march for the recessional. Played by Leader R. Howe. Only relatives were present. There was no reception, as Prof. and Mrs. Book took the 5:30 o'clock afternoon train for the west. Their wedding trip will take them to Niagara Falls, St. Louis, Pike's Peak, Colorado Springs, and they will locate in Missoula, Mont., where Prof. Book is teacher of psychology, having taught in the college two years. Prof. Book took his degree at Clark University in June. He is a native of Princeton, Ind., from which place he entered Clark University. The bride is a native of Sussex, N. B., and was graduated an associate of the London College of Music in the class of '88. She has been a teacher of piano and harmony in Worcester for nine years and has given many recitals.

DOW-BURDITT.

ANNAPOLIS ROYAL, N.S., Sept. 5.—A very pretty wedding took place in the Baptist church at Middleton on Thursday, when Miss Burditt, daughter of Mrs. John F. Burditt, and the bride Eugene M. Dow of Boston. The church was very prettily decorated by the friends of the bride, Rev. A. T. Dykeman officiated, and Miss Sadie Dykeman Wagner's bridal march from Lohengrin. The groom was supported by his college friend, E. W. Colgate, professor of economics at Colgate University. The bride was preceded by the bridesmaid, Mrs. Thomas Burditt, E. S. Spurr, and Mr. R. Elliott, and the bridesmaid, Miss Charlotte Layton of Truro. The bride was beautifully gowned in cream messaline trimmed with black tulle lace. Her hat, which was of rich hand cream, having been worn by the bride's grandmother. After receiving the congratulations of the contracting parties, the happy couple were driven to the home of the bride, where the wedding repast was served. Mr. and Mrs. Dow left on a trip of the cities of eastern Canada.

GORIE-CAMPBELL.

Friday afternoon at four o'clock a very pretty wedding occurred at St. Jude's church, West Side, when Clara M., daughter of Thomas Campbell of Westfield, was married to William Gorie of Lancaster. The ceremony was performed by Rev. G. F. Scovell. The bride was given away by her father. She was attended by Miss Ada M. Campbell. Albert Warren acted as groomsmen. The ceremony took place in the presence of only the immediate relatives of the contracting parties. The happy couple will reside in Lancaster.

COSMAN-MASON.

A quiet but pretty wedding took place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin M. Mason on Wednesday, Sept. 4th, at 3 p. m., when their youngest daughter, Miss Mabel, was united in marriage to William Pennington Cosman. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Henry Penna (Methodist) in the presence of near relatives of the contracting parties. The bride was daintily dressed in white silk organdy. After lunch was served Mr. and Mrs. Cosman left on the noon train for New York, where they will make their home. The bride's going away suit was of blue chiffon broadcloth, with white tulle trimmings. Many beautiful presents were received, including a number in silver, among them being a handsome tea service. The groom's present to the bride was a chased gold bracelet. The young couple's wedding friends who wish them every happiness.

MACOMBER-COCHRANE.

ST. MARTIN'S, Sept. 10.—The residence of Mrs. Mary L. Cochrane was the scene of a very pretty house wedding on Tuesday afternoon at 4 o'clock, when Miss Mabel Cochrane, St. John, was united in the bonds of holy wedlock her second daughter, Mabel Helena, to Frederick Leslie Macomber of Dorchester, Mass. The young couple were unattended. The bride entered the church in a gown of white tulle, trimmed with silk applique rosebuds and valencienne lace. She carried a beautiful bride's bouquet of cream roses. The ceremony was performed under a handsome floral arch. The double-ring ceremony was used. Immediately after the ceremony and congratulations a sumptuous luncheon was served. The guests consisted of only the immediate relatives of the contracting parties and numbered about forty.

POSTER-CLARKE.

At Battledore, Saskatchewan, Sept. 3, Rev. Warren Rothwell, B. A., B. D., married Lily May Clarke, recently of Moncton, N. B., an English. Dulas Foster of Swathmore, Saskatchewan, but formerly of Moncton, N. B. The young couple left for their future home, forty-five miles southwest of Battledore, where Mr. Foster has a fine farm, three miles from the junction of the C. P. R. and the G. T. P.

Constable Joseph Mover paid a visit to Sussex, N. B., and placed arrested John Brown of that place. He was formerly a resident of Fraserville, Cumberland Co., and sold a lot of land to a party in that portion of the county to which he could not obtain a title. He was arrested by Constable A. H. Brown and brought to Amherst. His trial took place yesterday afternoon and he was remanded until Friday, the 13th inst. George M. Fowler, M. P. for Kings County, appeared for the defendant.—Amherst News.

PITTSBURG, Pa., Sept. 10.—Two Italians, John Rizzo, and his son, were murdered tonight at McKeesport, near Pittsburgh, in memory of whom the local police are being summoned to prevent a riot.

NEW MODUS VIVENDI A SHAMEFUL SACRIFICE, SAYS PREMIER BOND

Newfoundland's Prime Minister Declares Fisheries Agreement a Disgrace to British Diplomacy—His Government Will Resist it by Every Constitutional Means in Its Power.

ST. JOHN'S, N. F., Sept. 10.—In a statement published in the form of an interview here today, Sir Robert Bond, premier of Newfoundland, declared that the modus vivendi recently agreed upon by the British and American governments is "a disgrace to British diplomacy and a shameful sacrifice of the interests of the people of the colony."

FEDERAL INVESTIGATION OF BRIDGE DISASTER RESUMED



Another View of Quebec Bridge Ruins, Looking Across the River

QUEBEC, Sept. 10.—Shortly after ten o'clock this morning the government commission, which opened its session yesterday afternoon into the Quebec bridge disaster, resumed its sitting. J. Sterling Deane, chief engineer of the Phoenix Bridge Co., resumed his testimony.

ORIENTALS ARMING IN VANCOUVER CITY; ANOTHER OUTRAGE

Rifles and Ammunition Imported by Chinese—Attempt to Burn Japanese Mission School—Orientals Threaten Industrial Strike All Through British Columbia—Jap Officials Demand Protection.

VANCOUVER, B. C., Sept. 10.—Last night saw the arrest of a dozen Orientals, chiefly Chinese, for carrying loaded revolvers. This was followed by the discovery of a suspicious seven foot case shipped here from Westminster to prominent Chinese merchants.

SEATTLE, Wn., Sept. 10.—A special to the Post Intelligencer from Vancouver says: A combined Chinese and Japanese organization of Vancouver yesterday afternoon made overtures to the Hindus to join them in an industrial strike all along the British Columbia coast.

WOODSTOCK SCOT ACT SPY CHARGED WITH PERJURY SAID TO HAVE SKIPPED CASES HE ENTERED ARE DISMISSED

WOODSTOCK, N. B., Sept. 10.—In the police court today several Scott Act cases were adjourned until Tuesday. Two town cases against Harry Palmer and John Y. Smith were dismissed, there being absolutely no incriminating testimony.

TWO FISHERMEN LOST THEIR LIVES

NEWCASTLE MAY HAVE PULP AND PAPER MILLS

NEWCASTLE, Sept. 10.—Rev. Father McGuire had a narrow escape from drowning yesterday afternoon, but fortunately escaped unhurt.

BISHOP OF LONDON NOW IN MONTREAL

MONTREAL, Sept. 10.—The Bishop of London spent a busy day in Montreal today. His Lordship spent a busy day yesterday in sightseeing and in devotional services.

BAPTISTS OF ONTARIO AND QUEBEC NOT FAVORABLE TO UNION WITH OTHER CHURCHES—NOR ANGLICANS

TORONTO, Ont., Sept. 10.—The fourth conference of the joint committee on church union, representing the Presbyterian, Methodist and Congregational churches, held their initial meeting for the year this afternoon in the Metropolitan Church.

MAUGERVILLE MUSINGS.

MAUGERVILLE, N. B., Sept. 9.—Bishop Richardson will hold a conference in the Parish Church on Wednesday morning, Sept. 11th.

TRYING TO LEARN WHO SET THE FIRE

Several Witnesses Heard in Case of Bay of Fundy Lumber Co. vs. Thomas Brown.

HAMPTON, N. B., Sept. 10.—The September term of the Kings County Circuit Court opened at eleven o'clock this morning. His Honor Justice Landry on the bench.

BURGLARS IN ROYAL BANK AT CHIPAWA

Got Twenty-Five Dollars, but Were Warned and Had to Leave in a Hurry.

TRUE BILL FOUND AGAINST YEO

NEWCASTLE, Sept. 10.—The cases on the county court docket this morning, with Judge McLeod presiding, were King v. Richard Yeo, charged with rape; Mary A. Curtis v. Sun Insurance office; John T. and Jas. A. Rundle and Emma McMillan v. James and Laura MacNeil, ejectment case; Thomas J. Carroll v. Peter Archer, assault. The grand jury found a true bill against Yeo. His trial will come up on Thursday. The court adjourned on Wednesday.

Advertisement for Carter's Little Liver Pills, featuring the text 'ABSOLUTE SECURITY' and 'Genuine Carter's Little Liver Pills. Must Bear Signature of Dr. J. C. Carter.'

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NON JURY

Harrison vs. Newcombe: A. W. Baird for plaintiff, D. Mullis, K. C., E. S. Ritchie, for defendant. By mutual consent this case will be tried by Judge Landry in chambers at St. John on the close of the jury cases.

CASTORIA

COBALT, Ont., Sept. 10.—Overcome with gas yesterday, Fred Pettit, a Nova Scotian, fell out of the bucket while descending the Green Meohan shaft and fractured his skull so badly that his chances of recovery are slight.

Clarence Dair, driving into the village, saw the bank door open and

William Tait, the last witness heard today, related the progress and extent of the fire, the efforts made to keep it under control, and the repairs made to the dam. He has been a resident of the neighborhood for 14 or 15 years, and parties at various points on the lakes and streams have been accustomed to fish there, although when the proceeds of the dam were first restricted that at present.

LOCAL MATTERS OF INTEREST.

SATURDAY

The suit of William Mitchell and Signora K. Mitchell, his wife, plaintiffs, and Harry G. McViney, administrator of all the goods, chattels and credits which were of Sarah Clark, deceased, at the time of her death, who died intestate, defendant, was settled yesterday before the parties and the case withdrawn. Dustin & French for plaintiffs and E. G. Kaye, Esq., K. C., for defendant.

The boys composing the running team of the Calais fire department have returned from St. John where they took part in the firemen's sports, getting honorable mention in the parade and fourth place in the quarter mile race, in which 14 teams competed. Considerable amount of preparation was made for the event the Calais team made a very creditable showing against the veteran organization with whom they competed, and can be counted on to land inside the money in any event in which they may participate next year. They were royally entertained by the St. John firemen and enjoyed the trip very much—Calais correspondence of Bangor Commercial.

Yesterday afternoon on Main street a street car, slipping on the wet rails, backed down the hill and collided with a car behind. No serious damage was done, but the passengers were somewhat panic-stricken and in attempting to spring from the moving car, Mrs. R. O'Brien, of Britain street, was thrown to the pavement and stunned. She was carried into McMillan's drug store and Dr. Pratt summoned. Her injuries will probably not have any serious results.

Miss Josephine Faulkner, daughter of W. H. Faulkner, Esq., of this city, left by the Maritime yesterday morning for Sackville to take the position of matron in the hospital of the Ladies College there. Miss Faulkner is a graduate of Mount Allison, 1899, and took her hospital training at Hartford, Conn., and Royal Victoria, Montreal, and is thus well fitted for the duties of the position which she has accepted—Moncton Times.

Willie Alley, the twelve-year-old son of Charles Alley of Metcalf street, North End, slipped on a banana peel while on his way from school yesterday at noon, and broke his leg at the knee. The accident is particularly regrettable because of the fact that the kid has been a cripple for some years to such an extent that he has been compelled to use a cane.

Joseph Taylor, stage carpenter of the Opera House, received an infernal machine yesterday. Mr. Taylor became suspicious, owing to the fact that one had damaged Harry McMahon, several years ago at the same place. Mr. Taylor immersed the machine, which was inside a pencil box, in water and then turned it over to the police. The parcel was given to Mr. Taylor last night and was securely wrapped up. Although it had stamped it had not been sent to the post office. Mr. Taylor does not know who could have sent him the box and Detective Killen is now working on the case.

The Massey Harris Co., Ltd., will shortly remove from St. John to Moncton, which latter town will henceforth be the distributing point for the Maritime Provinces. It is felt that the transportation facilities from there are more convenient than in St. John for the business of this company. A commodious building is being erected in Moncton and will be ready in a couple of months. By the first of December the company will vacate the premises now occupied on German street, St. John, but hereafter will conduct an agency in this city, although the work now being done here will be almost wholly transferred. It is not yet known who will occupy the German street building when the Massey Harris people leave, but it is understood that the F. E. Williams Co. have an option on it. There is, however, said to be some objection on the part of property owners in the vicinity, who oppose the idea of the Williams company opening a pork packing plant there, which the believe is the intention. The building is owned by Dr. Walker, of South Bay.

The Bangor News of Wednesday prints an excellent cut of O. B. Fernandez, chief of the Old Town fire department and grand marshal of the parade division in St. John firemen's parade. In an interview Assistant Engineer J. Frank Granville says: "The time of our lives. They couldn't do too much for us. We were royally entertained from the moment we landed until we left."

It cost Miriam Lodge, I. O. O. F., about \$75 to entertain grand lodge last month—Beacon.

Mrs. Flewelling, wife of Rev. J. E. Flewelling, of Canterbury Station, left for California last Wednesday evening, in company with her sister Miss Annie T. McIntyre, and will spend the winter in Glendale, near Los Angeles, where her parents reside.

MONDAY

The Rev. Edwin C. Jenkins, (Baptist) a late arrival at St. John and now in charge of the Ladlow Church, West End, seems to be seeking a little chaplaincy, in a sermon last Sunday he made all kinds of accusations against the leading men of the city, the Council, and almost all in any public office, saying that the city was reeking in drunkenness, immorality, thievery and everything that was bad and in fact was worse than Sodom and should have the same fate as that ill-fated place of olden times. We are not acquainted with the Rev. but this effusion seems something like the vapors, of some young fellow just from the farthest back woods—Victoria County News.

The death occurred this morning of Walker Bains, of 11 St. Paul street. Deceased was thirty-five years of age and was an employee of the Hygienic Bakery He is survived by a widow. In the police court yesterday afternoon, the case against the Grand Union for selling liquor on Sunday last,

came up. Officer Marshall was the principal witness for the prosecution. He told of seeing a number of persons going in and coming out of the hotel on that day. John Bent, night porter at the Grand Union, said he saw no one in the bar between 7 p. m. on Saturday and 6 a. m. Monday morning. John Donovan, a resident of Pond street, told of trying to get liquor on Sunday morning, but testified he failed in doing so.

G. A. Young, of Ottawa, who has been working on the Geological Survey of this province and Nova Scotia for a couple of months, past, arrived in the city yesterday. He is at the Royal. In conjunction with Dr. Ellis, Mr. Young will work in New Brunswick for the next fortnight. While examining the St. John valley, St. John will be used as headquarters. The extension will cover the valley and beyond Fredericton.

A party of some twenty Italians went to Campbellton over the I. C. R. last evening. The party will be employed on the construction of the International Railway, which is being built from Campbellton to St. Leonard. Chief constable Tucker, who is in charge of the police, will be in charge of the party. The party will be in charge of the police, will be in charge of the party. The party will be in charge of the police, will be in charge of the party.

TUESDAY

Last Friday a committee from the Board of Trade waited upon the Minister of Public Works to confer with him regarding the necessity of increasing facilities for handling freight in the I. C. R. yards here. Dr. Fugley left for Ottawa Saturday night and will present their claims to the railway department. The improvements asked for have already been pressed upon the government by the Board of Trade and merchants of the city generally, and last March the government promised to grant the demands.

The Jewish New Year began last evening and was celebrated by services in both the Hazen avenue and Carlton street synagogues. The services at the Carlton street synagogue were conducted by the regular rabbi, Dr. Simon A. Segal. At the Hazen avenue synagogue Dr. Karbals of New York led the services. Dr. Karbals is supplying in St. John until the appointment of a regular rabbi. He will be here about four weeks.

John Macfarlane of Glen Farm, Whitehead, Kings Co., seventeen years old, fell from his bicycle yesterday afternoon and broke his knee-cap. Dr. Macfarlane of Fairville is in attendance.

John Francis charged with receiving money stolen from William Lounsbury of St. John, was held in custody on Sheffield street, knowing it to have been stolen, was found guilty Saturday afternoon.

A boom has been predicted for St. John for a number of years and finally it seems to have struck here. This is evidenced by the fact that during the present year nearly a half million of dollars is being spent in the erection of new buildings. These buildings include residences, philanthropic institutions and business houses. The two buildings, however, which are causing the most interest are the Royal Bank and the new Y. M. C. A., which will cost \$60,000. Tenders for the new Y. M. C. A. have also been received. A new four shed is being erected at York Point. Messrs. McLean and Holt have just about completed the new foundry, which buildings in Albin street, and other companies are building extensions to their premises.

On Wednesday morning 100 geese arrived in this city from J. P. Trenton, Point du Chene, for shipment to Boston. The geese were in crates and had apparently had some hard usage. Eight of the birds were found dead, while others were badly bruised, and one had its leg broken. Mr. Lee of the Eastern Steamship Company procured some food and water for them, but did not bother any more with them, thinking that they would go on the Yale the next morning. On Saturday morning, however, they were still on the wharf. A policeman notified Secretary Wetmore of the S. P. C. A. of this fact, and upon arriving he ordered the geese fed and watered. He has not yet decided what action he will take.

The mission which was opened yesterday morning at the Cathedral was notable for the large congregation in attendance. The opening sermon was delivered by Rev. Fr. Connolly, S. J. The first week of the mission will be given over to women and the second to men. The services during the mission for women will be 8 a. m. mass and important instruction; 9 a. m. mass and important instruction; 7:30 p. m. rosary, sermon, benediction. The last mission in the Cathedral was six years ago.

The sudden death of George Dallas, a laborer employed in the Imperial Oil Company, occurred while he was working on their building Saturday afternoon. Coronor Berryman was summoned, but decided that an inquest was not necessary. Dallas' wife and two daughters arrived from England only about a week ago. Deceased was an active member of the Salvation Army. The funeral took place at 2:30 this afternoon from his late residence Sheffield street.

Allan R. Crookshank of Rothesay, resident engineer on the construction work of the National Transcontinental near Edmundston, passed through St. John Saturday evening on his way to his home, where he will spend his vacation. Mr. Crookshank is a graduate of the U. N. B. having received a degree in engineering from that institution in 1905.

THURSDAY

Arthur Martin of High street, North End, had a very narrow escape from a dippy wedding breakfast when he was shipped yesterday afternoon while working on the Thomson line at the I. C. R. pier. He was struck by a sling of deals and rendered unconscious. Dr. Pratt was summoned and treated his injuries, which consisted of a nasty cut on the cheek and some painful bruises.

The ambulance was called out three times this morning between 9:30 and 12 o'clock. The first trip was to convey Eugene Robinson from the tugboat Waring to the hospital, while on the second trip it had to go to Bandolph's mill for a sick woman, and the third trip was to bring the wounded Italians to the hospital from the West Side.

S. M. Wetmore of the S. P. C. A., is complaining of the fact that a shipment of one hundred geese which arrived in the city by the I. C. R. on Wednesday morning on the way to Boston, were not forwarded until Saturday night last and because in the meantime they were left without food or water and several of them died. Mr. Wetmore claims that the car containing the geese was delivered to the Eastern Steamship Co. immediately after its arrival. The geese were forwarded by the Yale on Saturday evening, having first been fed and watered.

Edward Smith of Milford is threatening suit for damages against the Parish of Lancaster, on account of injuries which his wife received through what he alleges was the carelessness of those in charge of the highway construction work. In passing along Weston street repairs were made to a raised sidewalk. Mrs. Smith lost her balance and fell several feet. She sustained two broken ribs and numerous bruises about the head, in addition to having several teeth knocked out. Mr. Smith says that the spot was not properly protected and lighted, and he will bring suit against the parish on the grounds of negligence.

A pleasant gathering was held at the summer home of L. R. Ross on Saturday in honor of James Millican, late of the I. C. R. Mr. Millican has been superannuated and will leave soon for a long stay at Medicine Hat, and his bride will also be of the party. Mr. Millican was presented with a handsome travelling bag.

WEDNESDAY

An agitation is on foot among the dairy farmers of Kings county to raise the wholesale price of milk. This step is being vigorously opposed by the local milk men, and it is hoped that for a time at any rate, no such step will be taken. If the charge is effected it will mean that local consumers will be asked to pay 8 cents per quart for milk.

Yesterday afternoon shortly after 6 o'clock a horse driven by John Flaherty, came down Sydney street at a rapid pace and while crossing to Waterloo street knocked a little girl down and injured her slightly.

On Sunday last Rev. E. M. Fletcher, of the Charlotte street Baptist church, West End, baptized seven converts at Dufferin Harbor and four at Chance Harbor. The field has been supplied during the past summer by Mr. Clifford Clark, a student, and son of Mr. D. C. Clark, of the West End, and the result of his work has been very encouraging.

On Friday, Sept. 13th, the Dominion convention of the W. C. T. U. will open its sessions in Winnipeg. New Brunswick will be represented by Mrs. A. C. Gray, the provincial president being unable to attend.

The Canadian Woodmenware Company recently burned out at Hampton in connection with the re-establishment of its industry. The latest place talked of as the future location of the company's headquarters is South Bay. James Lowell, M. P., is endeavoring to have the company locate in the old Sutton mill, and has made proposals to that effect. The proposal may be accepted by the company.

C. V. Wetmore of Sydney was at the Duffin yesterday. Mr. Wetmore, who is interested in the Lepreux iron deposits, stated yesterday that their development would begin shortly. Men of good financial standing have taken up the matter and will put a couple of hundred thousand dollars into the enterprise. Work is expected to commence in the course of a few months. Mr. Wetmore said that at the ore would be shipped to distant points, but that it was possible that the company might erect a manufacturing plant in St. John.

Mr. J. Everett Watters, who is conducting the Nickel moving picture show here, called at the Gleason to buy and issued a challenge for a ten mile race on the river here with a 25 foot motor boat in the Maritime Provinces, the race to take place during Exhibition week. Mr. Watters is the owner of the Marconi, and he is of the opinion that some of the St. John motor boat owners may desire to come up here and try conclusions—Gleason.

The Independent Order of Foresters has a luxurious tent at the Toronto Exhibition. We presume Mr. Geo. E. Foster is being exhibited to all good Foresters at ten cents a peep—Hallfax Echo.

Mr. Ernest W. Appleby of St. John spent Sunday in Marysville the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. K. Cochrane. Mr. Appleby is popular in St. John musical circles and the duet he and Miss Edith Cochrane sang at the Methodist church Sunday evening was very enjoyable—Gleason.

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Situated at Brookville on the farm of Silas C. McManis, four miles from the city, is a deposit of marble and quartz in which several local mineralogists have been deeply interested for some time past. Minute expert examination has shown that the find is a valuable one, that the deposit is of most excellent quality and can be mined at a comparatively small expense.

Leonard Moore and Robt. Smith, the two men arrested in the Milford robbery cases were brought before Justice Masson, of Fairville yesterday and remanded to jail. Smith was later liberated on bail. T. H. Wilson gave bonds for \$250 and Wm. Fox for the same amount on Smith's behalf and the prisoner's recognizance was taken for the balance. Moore was brought to the county jail by Officer Lawrence. The preliminary examination is set down for Wednesday of next week.

The report of the royal commission to inquire into the dispute between the Bell Telephone Company and their operators is ready for distribution and will be given out today. The commissioners deal severely with the company and make strong recommendations in favor of the operators.

WEDDINGS

McDONALD-STEVENS.

A pretty wedding took place last evening at the residence of Geo. E. Stevens, Metcalf street, North End, when his daughter, Rosa Hayward, was united in marriage with E. Frank McDonald of the St. John railway office staff.

The bride was charmingly gowned in pearl grey silk, with grey velvet trimmings. She was given away by her father. The many pretty and valuable gifts were a tangible testimony of the popularity of the young couple. Many articles of silver and cut-glass were received, several handsome steel engravings and a pair of pretty Japanese rugs.

Conspicuous among the gifts were a handsome chifonier of mahogany, the gift of the groom's fellow-workers, and a unique and pretty Royal Houlton tea set, from T. H. Hall and employes. The groom's gift to the bride was a gold locket and chain. A substantial gift was the gift of the bride's parents, a pair of diamond earrings, from Rev. David Hutchison. Only the immediate relatives and friends of the interested parties were present. The young couple will reside at St. Victoria street.

McCOLGAN-PATCHELL.

A popular young couple of the North End made their nuptial beginning in married life last evening, when Miss Jessie Sheffeld Patchell and T. Arthur McColgan of Fairville were united in marriage by Rev. Jas. Crisp. The ceremony was performed by Rev. David Hutchison. Only the immediate relatives and friends of the interested parties were present. The young couple will reside at St. Victoria street.

McLELLAN-THOMSON.

MONTON, N. B., Sept. 11.—A very pretty wedding was solemnized in St. John's Presbyterian church this evening at 7 o'clock. The principal bride being A. M. McLellan, chief clerk in the office of W. B. MacKenzie, I. C. R. engineer of construction, and Miss M. Beatrice Thomson, daughter of the late C. D. Thomson. The church was prettily decorated with ferns and potted plants for the occasion. Nuptial mass was celebrated by Rev. Louis O'Leary at 8 o'clock.

The bride looked charming in white point d'esprit over white taffeta, and wore a veil with orange blossoms and carried a shower bouquet of white roses. The bridesmaid, Miss Sadie Harriman, wore a gown of pale green and carried a bouquet of pink carnations. The groom was supported by A. P. M. Harriman.

A dainty wedding breakfast was served at the home of the bride and the happy couple left on the 9:50 train for a trip through the Annapolis Valley.

Mrs. Flaherty has a large circle of friends who join in wishing her and her husband every happiness. The wedding march in the church was played by Miss Mamie Synnott.

DRYDEN-ELLIOTT.

SUSSEX, Sept. 11.—There was another pretty wedding in Sussex at one o'clock today, the principal bride being Ernest Garfield Dryden, brother of A. P. H. Dryden and a well known hard-

ware man of Houlton, Maine, and Miss Mary Elizabeth, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Elliott. The bride, who was one of the most efficient members of the Sussex Mercantile staff, is a daughter of one of the leading jewelers of this place. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Frank Baird of Chalmers church, the officiating being crowded with friends at the contracting parties. The bride was given away by her father and looked charming in a grey check silk with white picture hat. She carried a beautiful bouquet of roses. The happy couple were unattended. The bride's presents were numerous and valuable and included a purse of gold from her fellow employees and a cut glass water bottle from Chalmers church. The ceremony was one of the most popular teachers. Mr. and Mrs. Dryden took the C. P. R. for their future home in Houlton. Special music was rendered for the occasion.

BEER-MURCHIE.

ST. STEPHEN, N. B., Sept. 11.—The home of Frederick Murchie on King street is to be the scene of a brilliant wedding this afternoon, when his daughter, Roberta Thomson Murchie, becomes the bride of George Edgar Beer of Charlottetown, P. E. I. The ceremony takes place at half-past four, Rev. George N. Young officiating. Mrs. James Dustin of Moncton will be the attendant of the bride. The bride will be attended by Howard M. Murchie, brother of the bride, the assistants are Mrs. W. Winches, Mrs. R. T. Horton, Miss Sadie McVay, Miss Queenie Well, Miss Maudie, Miss Fannie Todd, Mrs. Frank Purves, Mrs. Frank Lane, Mrs. Frederick McCullough, Miss Grace Delinast, Mrs. A. E. Vessie and Miss Hazel Grimmer. Master Horton and Miss Maudie Grimmer are the flower bearers. The house is lavishly decorated with flowers, and the bridal dress is of rich white satin. At the close of the ceremony luncheon will be served, after which the bride and groom will leave by the C. P. R. for wedding journey. Their future home will be in Toronto.

TAYLOR-TITUS.

A wedding which has created much interest because of the popularity of the young couple, took place in Trinity at four o'clock Wednesday afternoon, when Miss Martha Titus, daughter of F. R. Titus, was united in marriage to Fred G. H. Taylor, of the Union Bank of Halifax. The bride, who entered the church on the arm of her father, was beautifully gowned in an exquisite white gown with a train of white satin, with Honiton lace and cream broadcloth, with a lace hat trimmed with silk roses. She carried a bouquet of white roses.

The maid of honor was dressed in Dresden silk pinstrip over pale green silk, with black picture hat. The bride was given away by her father. The groom was supported by his brother, Arthur Taylor. The bride's attendants were Miss Edna Titus, as maid of honor, the bridesmaid wore Dresden silk muslin over pale blue silk, with black picture hat. She carried a shower bouquet of sweet peas.

The groom's honor was dressed in Dresden silk pinstrip over pale green silk, with black picture hat. The bride was given away by her father. The groom was supported by his brother, Arthur Taylor. The bride's attendants were Miss Edna Titus, as maid of honor, the bridesmaid wore Dresden silk muslin over pale blue silk, with black picture hat. She carried a shower bouquet of sweet peas.

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MARRIAGES

MAXWELL-DODD.—On June 24th, by Rev. H. H. Nobles, John Maxwell and Charlotte Dodd, both of St. John.

GORIE-CAMPBELL.—By Rev. G. F. Scovill, at St. Jude's church, William Gorie of Lancaster, St. John county, to Clara M. Campbell of Westfield.

ROBBINS-RAY.

YARMOUTH, Sept. 11.—The marriage took place at noon today of Miss Rubie Bernie Ray, daughter of Busby Ray of Port Royal, to J. J. Clarke Robbins of Yarmouth. The ceremony was performed by Rev. C. W. Rose in Zion church.

INGRAM-KEWICK.—HARCOURT, N. B., Sept. 11.—A very pretty wedding took place yesterday afternoon in the Methodist Church, when W. N. Ingram and Miss Kate M. Kewick were united in marriage by the Rev. C. H. Manderson. The bride was attired in white broadcloth, with veil and orange blossoms, and carried a large bouquet of sweet peas with maiden hair fern. The bride was given away by her uncle, William Kewick.

The church was beautifully decorated with evergreens, white asters and potted plants. The ushers were the Messrs. Marion Dunn and Helen Buckleridge. The bride's going-away gown was wine colored broadcloth, with a becoming hat to match.

Mr. and Mrs. Ingram left on the Ocean Limited for Montreal, New York and other points. The bride was the recipient of many valuable presents.

Cards have been received in St. John announcing the marriage in Boston of George Arthur Oulton, formerly of this city, and Miss Mabel Daphne Neal, daughter of Mrs. Louise E. Neal. The happy event took place on the 6th instant and Mr. and Mrs. Oulton sailed the next day from Quebec on the Empress of Ireland on a wedding trip to England and the continent. Mr. Oulton is a son of George H. Oulton of the railway mail service, and since leaving St. John several years ago has been for himself a place in service of the Illinois Central railroad, which he now represents in Boston. When in St. John he was in the employ of Major Grant and was prominent in amateur athletics, making many friends who will be interested in the announcement of his marriage. Mr. and Mrs. Oulton will be at home at 101 Bromfield Road, Somerville, Mass., after November 1.

MILLER-CRAWFORD.

A very pretty wedding took place at the home of Mrs. Robert Bent, 21 Wentworth street, Malden, Mass., Sept. 4th, when Mr. Herbert Miller was united in marriage to Miss Jennie Crawford, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Crawford, of North End.

Rev. Wm. Dowdy of Malden Episcopal church officiated. The bride wore a very pretty dress of white organdy, trimmed with Irish point lace and carried a shower bouquet of sweet peas. Miss Clara Bent, of Malden, who acted as bridesmaid, wore Swiss muslin, and carried a bouquet of pink roses. Mr. Robert Bent, of Malden, was best man. The bride's going away dress was of brown with a large picture hat of white, Mr. and Mrs. Miller received many beautiful presents, including substantial checks. They will reside in Malden, Mr. and Mrs. Miller are spending their visit at the home of the groom's parents, 215 Carmarthen street, St. John.

DUFFUS-MACKINDLEY.

HALIFAX, Sept. 12.—The marriage took place at St. Paul's church at 1:30 this afternoon of Major Allan Duffus A. D. C. of the 1st C. A., and Miss Edith Gwendolen Mackindley, daughter of Andrew Mackindley of the firm of A. & W. Mackindley, Ven. Archdeacon Armitage officiated. The groom was supported by W. J. Stairs and the bridesmaids were Etheldreda and Nora the bride's sisters and her cousin Kathleen. The guests numbered about 150 and the ushers were Peter Jack, Cyril Mitchell, Edward Dwyer, Wm. Willis, George Nichols and J. L. McKinnon.

After luncheon at the residence of the bride's parents and a reception Mr. and Mrs. Duffus left for the Maritime express for Montreal and other points. The couple were exceedingly popular and the presents were very elaborate.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Sept. 11.—The Panama Canal cost the American government \$84,449,000 up to December 31, 1906, according to a statement of the audit expenditures just published.

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