

A WELCOME TO THE BOYS.

The South Africa Volunteers and the Glad Way They Were Received.

Just as PROGRESS is going to press, the special train which brings our soldiers from South Africa is about arriving at the station in this city.

- No. 6 hose company, with engine and decorated wagon.
No. 2 H. and L. Co., with decorated truck.
No. 1 Salvage Corps, with decorated wagon; thirty men in line.

The intention was to proceed from there to the station and await the arrival of the train. Then the route of procession was up Main street as far as Adelaide, and turning there, by Metcalf, Durham and Victoria streets, will proceed back along Main, through Mill to Union, where it will halt while the children massed in front of the High School will sing a selection of patriotic songs.

of the world, the last red spot on the map being thrown out in strong relief. A boy in khaki uniform will stand on the cart pointing to this latest addition to the empire. This latter explains the float which is extended to represent 'The Last Red Spot on the Map.'

PROMISES OF VICTORY.

The Signs of a Great Liberal Sweep on Next Wednesday Throughout the Country.

Next Wednesday is election day and as it draws near the interest in the great contest become more engrossing. Both parties are straining every nerve to win and so far but little advantage has been gained since the campaign was opened.

those supporting Foster and Stockton to make any wagers upon their success. Progress had heard of odds so high as four to one being offered upon the success of Mr. Blair as against Mr. Foster and not taken, and only a few days ago a gentleman who is credited with being the organizer, and developer as it were, of the Development Club, refused a wager the difference of which was sufficient in itself to prove to those who heard the offer that he had little if any confidence in the success of the conservative party.



NEWCASTLE FIELD BATTERY.

seen on the float will present a fine appearance. No. 4 engine, which is at present stationed in No. 5 house, will be decorated by the fire ladders who have charge of it.

the most encouraging character and down here by the sea there is not the slightest doubt but that the liberals will make tremendous gains.

In New Brunswick the events on nomination day and since then must have been very disappointing to the conservatives.

Notwithstanding attempts made by an organized flag company of the Development Club to take possession of the meeting at the Opera house, which was addressed by the several candidates, the effect of the speech of the Hon. Ministers of railways upon that occasion was splendid, so far as the liberal vote is concerned. For an hour and three quarters he held the undivided attention of the thinking portion of the audience and told them in complete straight forward facts just what he had done and just what he intended to do so far as the Intercolonial railway was concerned.



WILLIAM HUNTER.

It was not expected that Mr. James Bobinson would be opposed by Mr. John Morrissey as he decided to do so at the last moment. Mr. Morrissey is a liberal but in this case, at least, he is not acting in full accord with the executive of the liberal party.

Yerk county conservatives seem to be so concerned about the result that they are endeavoring to spoil the meetings. Mr. Gibson's election is so sure that the friends of Dr. McLeod seem to have become disturbed. In Carleton and Charlotte the reports are very encouraging, though it is acknowledged by the liberals that the gentlemen opposing Messrs. Carvell and Armstrong are surely the strongest of those nominated by the conservatives in the provinces.

Hon. Mr. White's field in Queen's seems to be quite clear. The defeat of Hetherington by Mr. Farris was so complete and so disheartening to the opponents of the government that the former attorney general of the province will not have much difficulty in joining his companions Messrs. Emmons and Blair in the ranks of the government party.

A Request of Sheriff Sturdee's. Sheriff Sturdee who is returning officer for the city and the county of St. John announced the names of his deputy returning officers and the places of polling and other information in Friday morning's Telegraph. He requests that the gentlemen named meet him at the court house at 2.30 o'clock Saturday afternoon.



ARTHUR HAYDEN. (Killed)

Red, white and blue ribbon, bunting and flowers will be used profusely. No. 3 ladder cart will be beautifully



A group in which Sergeant Polkinghorn, Bugler Holland, Joe Johnston (killed in Africa) James Johnston and Ambrose Peake appear.

as a result the float will be a thing of beauty. The body of the wagon will be covered with flowers and bunting. Uplights at each of the corners are connected by diagonal rods across the top. These are entwined with artificial maple leaves cunningly designed and colored by four of the young ladies. Surmounting the centre of all will be a large crown in crimson and gold. Under this will be a globe bearing a map

decorated. It has been built up several feet above its usual height, the lower part being draped with Union Jacks bearing the motto: 'Welcome Home,' on both sides. Above these are banks of flowers. The whole will be topped by an immense crown. At each side of the wagon in the centre will be transparent portraits of the Queen. Four boys in various uniforms of

Mr. Foster and Mr. Stockton represent the C. P. R., and Mr. Blair and Mr. Tacker represent the people. It was quite evident after the nomination proceedings on Wednesday night that the eloquence provided by the new political club had not made any impression upon the intelligent electorate. The result in this constituency is not in the slightest doubt, and the proof of this is the reluctance of

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DIED.

ook Village, Oct 9, Angus A McDougall to Maggie Gillis.
per Newswort, Oct 10, B D Howard Creed, to Helen McKay.
chester, Oct. 4, Edgar B. McAllister to Mrs Amy Odell Ross.

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PTE. HOWE, SUSSEX.

tion, will enter into it with enthusiasm and will.

The welcome at the station can only be imagined and not described as yet, but at an early hour on Friday morning everybody was astir and the members of the fire department including the salvage corps, the yacht club, the Neptune Rowing Club, the polymorphians, painter's society and every organization were all about as soon almost as the day broke.

- No. 1 company, with decorated hose wagon and engine.
No. 2 hose company, with decorated cart and engine. Tableau, "The Last Shot."
No. 3 hose company, with decorated wagon and engine.

Intercolonial Railway. S WILL LEAVE ST. JOHN. S WILL ARRIVE AT ST. JOHN.

Graveyards — of Gold.

Gold for various reasons disappears rapidly in all countries, but nowhere else does it pass out of sight so rapidly as in India and China. So rapidly does the precious metal vanish in these two Oriental lands that they have come to be known as gold graveyards. Speaking of this curious characteristic, Thomas J. Hurley of the American Institute of Mining Engineers in his recent pamphlet on the gold production of the world, says:

"A yellow stream flows into both of these countries year by year. There is no end to this stream; it is always flowing. The money does not reappear in the Indian banks. The soil of India absorbs the golden flood just as the sands of the desert swallow the overflow of the great rivers. When it is remembered that this work of absorption has been going on with little interruption for ten centuries, and still continues under our eyes, it is easy to form an idea of the immense treasures that are hidden in that country.

"All this gold remains sterile, and consequently is lost. It is absurd to say that it is brought into monetary circulation or that it passes through the hands of the native goldsmiths. It is disseminated in innumerable places, from which it never emerges.

"It is estimated that in the regency of Bombay alone there are 12,000,000 gold sovereigns hoarded. Hundred upon hundreds of millions of dollars lie in the hiding places of the famine-stricken land. All classes are afflicted with the incurable habit of hoarding gold. The splendid



SAMUEL JONES,
Fredericton.

Maharajahs have become shrewd enough to use banks of deposit, but there is still barbaric display of jewelled idols in the strong rooms and of golden vessels in the princes' apartments.

"Even the gods of India," remarked a writer in the *Courier des Etats Unis*, "are very fond of gold. They whistle for it through the lips of their priests. Obedient to the divine call, it comes rippling from all points, until it reaches the sacred purnis. It accumulates in the subterranean passages of the temples, to which the priests alone have access. Thence it overflows and takes its place like a proud conqueror upon the altars, where it shares with the gods the incense and the homage of the men it has bewitched."

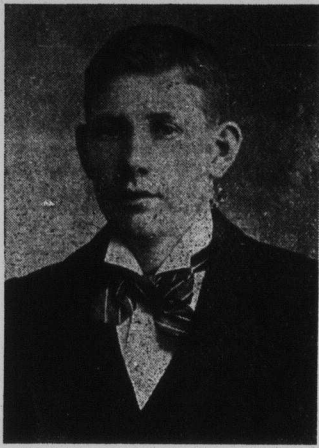
"It seems curious that while half the world is engaged in an eager search for gold the teeming populations of India and China devote most of their energies to keeping it out of use and circulation."

But India and China are not the only countries which absorb gold without ever giving it back again. As a matter of fact, in all countries there is a tendency on the part of coined gold to get out of sight and stay hidden. This is a subject which has occupied the students of finance in all lands, and there have been many analyses of the different causes for the disappearance of gold. Yet with the most ingenious explanations, the problem always has remained a very interesting one. Our own treasury officials have given it a good deal of study.

Of the vast amount of gold that is annually mined and put into circulation, there always remains a heavy balance unaccounted for, even after all allowance has been made for what would seem a fair amount to charge to loss by fire, by being sunk in deep waters and by hoarding."

Our treasury officials, according to Mr. Hurley, estimate that there is used in the arts annually, in gilding, in electroplating and similar operations which withdraw gold from possibility of other use, probably not less than \$10,000,000 worth

of gold. Then there is the use of solid gold in jewelry and plate. This in reality is not an actual withdrawal of gold, for it can be remelted and coined. Still, the handling of the metal in the process of manufacturing these articles and the handling of them after they are made is a source of a very considerable loss from friction, under which gold, because of its softness, loses weight



ADRIAN TIBBITS,
Fredericton.

sometimes with startling rapidity. It is estimated that gold for these purposes is used every year to the amount of fully \$50,000,000. This, with the amount, \$10,000,000, used in the arts, makes an annual total of \$60,000,000 in these two directions alone. Then there is to be added the uncertain and smaller, yet by no means inconsiderable, amount of gold lost every year by fire, shipwreck and carelessness.

"Since the resumption of specie payments in 1873" says Mr. Hurley, "the treasury officials estimate that \$300,000,000 in gold has disappeared from circulation. The Bank of England is said to be poorer by \$100,000,000 in gold than it was in 1897. France reports an immense decrease in gold coined in reserve, and other countries have similar stories to tell. An inquiry recently set afoot by our treasury department showed that the holdings in gold of the national banks on April 26 were \$195,769,872. The treasury holdings on May 1 were \$462,989,871. The two items aggregating \$622,759,743. The estimate for May 1 was \$1,043,525,117,



JAMES TIBBITS,
Fredericton.

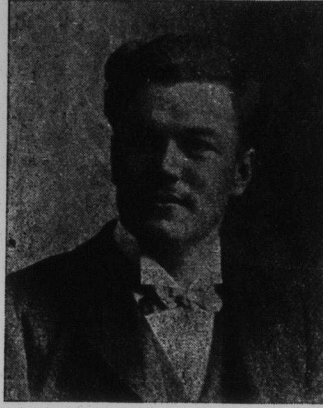
which left \$520,000,000 to be accounted for as held by state and private banks, companies, and in sales, tills, pockets and hoards.

"A large amount of gold is taken out of the country by travellers. One tourist agency receives from travellers from \$100,000 to \$150,000 per year and turns it into the bank of England. About \$75,000 per year is melted at Geneva, and in all a net loss of from \$600,000 to \$800,000 is indicated. At the latter figure the total in twenty five years would be \$20,000,000. Inquiries made of 45,000 firms and individuals indicate a total consumption of coin by manufacturers, jewellers, dentists, etc., of \$3,500,000 per year. The official estimate of the entire stock of gold in the country was \$1,053,518,892 at the beginning of August last."

Mr. Hurley says that all the indications are that the world's output of gold will continue to increase for many years to come, even over the vast amounts that are being turned out at the present day. Not only, he says, are new processes saving gold that it was impossible to save ten years ago, but new gold camps are spring-

ing into life and old silver mines are developing into gold propositions as greater depth is attained.

"We predict," he concludes, "that within



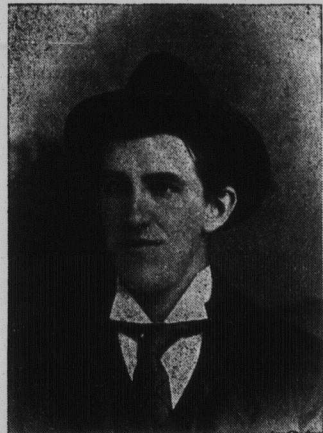
BRUCE MCFARLANE,
Fredericton.

the next twenty years Alaska and the Northwest Territory will yield over \$1,000,000,000, and that by 1925 they will contain a population of over 1,000,000."

Goethe and the Children.

Simple tastes are not confined to people whose circumstances allow them to live the simplest lives. Goethe complained that nature had predisposed him for privacy, but destiny had put him into a princely family and troubled him with the administration of a state. One simple pleasure, however he could always enjoy—the company of children. Intercourse with them made him young and happy.

At Easter time he was accustomed to invite his young friends to look for his possession when they found the cunningly hidden treasures. Goethe would



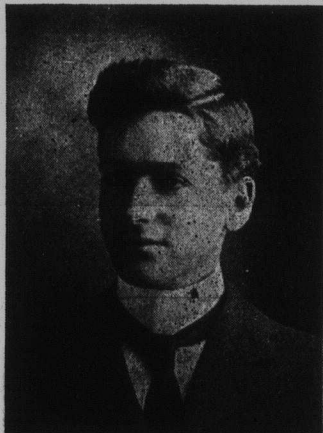
JOHN PICKLES,
Fredericton.

himself play with them until evening, and then crown the entertainment with a pyramid of sweetmeats.

Chambers's Journal recalls another annual occasion on which the poet gave pleasure to the children. It was long a privilege of a great public school to send its four best girls to congratulate him on his birthday. There is a widow still living in Berlin who was born in Welmur in 1812 and who had the honor of congratulating him on his birthday in 1823 and 1824.

The girls went in their best dresses, adorned with flowers, each bearing a plate with the most beautiful flowers artistically piled round a lemon. The valet received and announced them. The Goethes came, accepted the floral offerings one by one, and heard each child recite a simple poem. He shook hands with the children, and talked to them for some time.

The final act of the programme was the beckoning to the valet, who came and placed on each child's plate a head-piece



J. ALBERT PERKINS,
Fredericton.

Easter eggs in his garden. They ran all over the place, and fought pitched battles

(an old Austrian coin). This meant that the audience was ended.

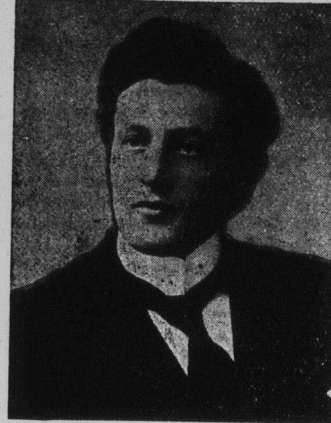
So much did the children appreciate the honor of this visit that the old lady says it was one of the brightest memories of her childhood.

The poet had his aversions as well as his affections. He hated tobacco, dogs and spectacles. When a spectacled person called to see him he was respectfully requested to unoggle himself before admission. The poet declared that he liked to see people's naked eyes.

Stories to the Youth's Companion.

In the 52 issues of the year *The Youth's Companion* publishes more than 200 stories yet so carefully are they selected that they prove inexhaustible in variety, unfailing in the power to delight. The stories already in hand for *The Companion's* 1901 volume show that this feature of the paper will be as strong as ever.

Among the groups of stories will be one of "Old Settlers' Day Tales"—stories actu-



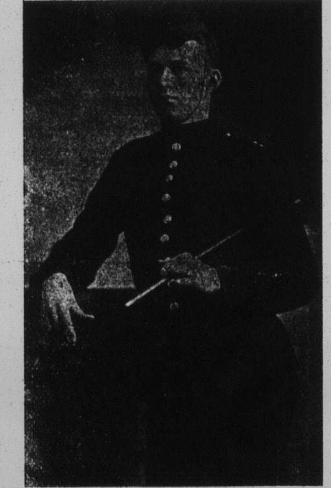
NORMAN MCLEOD,
Fredericton.

ally told at some of the gatherings of pioneers in the West. There will be four stirring "Tales of Our Inland Seas," picturing the adventures of the sailors on the Great Lakes; and there will also be four "True Tales from the Zoo," told by famous keepers and trainers of wild beasts. And this is only a beginning. We shall be glad to send Illustrated Announcements of the volume for 1901 with ample copies of the paper free to any address.

All new subscribers will receive *The Companion* for the remaining weeks of 1900 free from the time of subscription, and then for a full year, 52 weeks, to January 1, 1902; also *The Companion's* new Calendar for 1901 suitable as an ornament for the prettiest room in the house. *The Youth's Companion*, Boston, Mass.

Paul Patchos.

The pearl-fishing industry is described by the author of "The World's Rough



BERT FINNEMORE,
Fredericton.

Hand," as very much like mushroom-gathering. He says that it would be as sensible to drag the fields at random for one as to haul a scopp-net over the seabottom for the other. The mushroom is not to be found in every field, neither is the pearl oyster to be found on every bottom. Mud and sand it has no liking for, preferring a coral bottom well covered with submarine growths. Such places are called, "patches" by the pearling fraternity.

When a patch is struck, the boats work gradually up to windward until they find the weather edge. Here they drop anchors, fished so that they may act merely as drag; the divers go overboard, and the drift to leeward begins. While the boats drift on the surface, the divers walk in zigzag fashion over the patch below.

This is the usual mode of working. It might be thought that, with so many vessels engaged in one locality, the supply of shells would rapidly be exhausted. Such, however, is not the case, for not only are

the patches often many square miles in area, but a diver's horizon, even in the clearest water, is extraordinarily limited; and should he chance to walk again in his or another divers footsteps, it is not at all unlikely that he would pick up as many shells the second time as he did the first.

Pearl shells, when separated from the spongy growths which usually form on the upper shell, and divested of their horny edges, are about as large as an ordinary breakfast plate, and average two pounds in weight. In the London market they bring from one hundred to one hundred and fifty pounds a ton, or to bring the calculation down to simpler figures, from two to three shillings a pair.

As for pearls, the finding of them is entirely a matter of luck. One man may open tons upon tons of shells without finding anything but a few hundred valueless "seeds," while another may take a fortune out of a day's gathering.

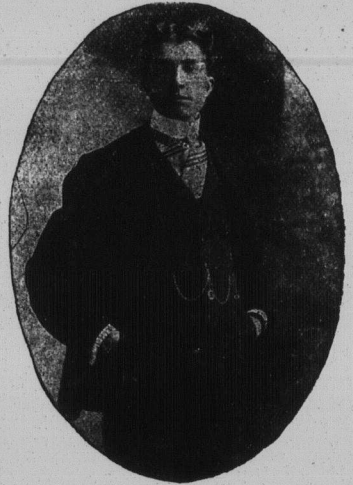
It has now been pretty well established that pearls are formed by the intrusion of some foreign substance between the mantle of the mollusk and its shell, which substance, setting up an irritation, is coated over by the oyster with layer after layer of its own nacreous or pearly secretions until it becomes completely encysted.

In all probability this foreign substance is a minute parasite, for it is well known by divers that shells honeycombed by boring parasites yield the largest percentage of pearls.

By Proxy.

Below is an anecdote, found in *Short Stories*, which a Roman Catholic priest, now deceased, was fond of telling in his informal parish lectures. Its quaint and homely moral is evident.

Bridget only came to confession occasionally, and when she did come she found it very difficult to remember any wrong-



J. HAWKINS,
Fredericton.

doing on her own part. She had, however, a better memory for her husband's sins.

"It's Moike, me husband, that's the bad one, father," she said once to her confessor. "It's three weeks that Moike niver confesses, an' hiven knows his sins is scarlet. He drinks like a baste an' smokes loike a fire. He swears that bhad St. Patrick wud trumble. An' sure ye shud see Moike smash the dishes an' break the furniture an' fling the stove-lids an'—"

"Six 'Hail Marys' every day for a week and three fast days, Bridget," said the father.

"Oh, fwhat do you m'ne, father? Sure, Oi niver confessed a sin!"

"But you confessed Mike's," said the father, quietly, "and as long as you make his confessions for him I think you ought to do the penance, Bridget."

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so I sung out back, 'What is it, Jon? Do you surrender?' 'Surrender—no!' calls out the reb.

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The long pent up enthusiasm of the people of St. John broke loose on Friday morning on the arrival of the special from Halifax, which brought us back our brave soldier boys.

The chief event in connection with the return of the soldiers and no doubt the one most appreciated by them is the banquet to be given in St. Andrew's rink this evening.

An interesting double wedding took place on Thursday at the residence of Mr. John B. Beattie, Prince street, West end.

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The members of the E. K. Y. C. intend producing the spectacular musical extravaganza, 'Jeppha', at the opera house about the middle of November.

The following ladies have consented to act as chaperones: Mrs J W Daniel, Mrs G F Smith, Mrs Howard Wetmore, Mrs J O Sharp, Mrs F E Hurlington, Mrs F S White, Mrs J W McKeane, Mrs G M Robinson, Mrs W G Robertson, Mrs A B Holly, Mrs J W Jolly, Mrs G W Merritt, Mrs Robert Jardine.

The luncheon given by Mrs. Tuck, last Saturday in honor of Mrs. George E. Foster was quite an elaborate affair. The floral decorations were most artistic.

On Tuesday afternoon Dr. W. W. White entertained a number of gentlemen at luncheon, at his residence, Cor. Princess and Sydney streets.

At a concert given by the pupils of the convent of the Sacred Heart at Memphrunkook, on Thursday last the following St. John young ladies took part: Misses Marie and Edna Ready, Alice and Amelia Green, Josephine Fitzpatrick and A. Maguire.

Mrs. Edith McCaffrey and Mrs. P. Sullivan returned this week from a pleasant trip to New York. Miss May Holter of the North end is in Halifax visiting for a few weeks.

Mrs. Walter B. Brown entertained a large party at her home, Princess street on Wednesday evening of last week. The chief amusement was progressive whist at which great interest was taken by the many guests.

A number of young people surprised Mr and Mrs Wilson Crosby, Esq., of Bangor, with Mrs. Crosby and some young visitors to town.

Wm. H. McLarae, at their home, King street, West End, one evening last week, and presented them with a handsome sideboard.

The many friends of Dr. John Berryman are grieved to hear of his continued serious illness. Mr. J. S. Nell and Mrs F. J. Morrison of Fredericton, were in the city for a few days, during the early part of the week.

Miss Marion Stephens of Hartland, N. B., was in the city over Sunday, the guest of her cousin, Rev. C. T. Fuller, Wesleyan street.

At a quarterly meeting of the Ladies Auxiliary of the Y. W. C. A. Tuesday morning plans for the winter work were discussed.

Oct. 31.—The large dancing-party given last evening at 'Jenny's' the residence of Dr. and Mrs. Bailey in honor of their guest, Miss Markham of St. John was an altogether delightful affair.

Mrs. T. C. Allen, in this afternoon, entertaining a party of friends at her home, from 4.30 to seven. Miss Helen Brannon left on Friday for South Framingham to resume her duties after several weeks spent with relatives here.

Mrs. E. H. Spurgeon returned today from a two months visit to Cambridge, Mass. Miss Maude McKee has returned from an extended visit to Halifax.

Wilson Crosby, Esq., of Bangor, with Mrs. Crosby and some young visitors to town. Miss Nan MacDonell of St. John, is visiting her aunt Mrs. John M. Willey.

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ST. GEORGE.

Mr and Mrs Gillespie from Nova Scotia who have been visiting Mrs James McKay are this week with relatives at Beaver Harbor and Pennfield. The friends of Miss Gertrude Taylor will be sorry to hear of her serious illness with Typhoid fever.

MONKTON.

Nov. 1.—Miss Margie McGrath, of St John is visiting Mrs Coffey, Lutz street. Mrs William Coffey, who has been visiting friends in St John has returned home.

NEWCASTLE.

Nov. 1.—Miss Ella Debon, who has been spending several weeks in Sussex, has returned to her home in Newcastle. Miss Gertrude Jardine is spending some time with friends in the city.

GAZETOWN.

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ST. ANDREWS.

Oct. 2.—Judge Cockburn and Mrs Cockburn were in St Stephen last week. Mrs Fred Seely of St John was in town last week.

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and showed two false legs. The men who had moved the boxes next passed in procession. They were both walking on steel and cork combinations.

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THINGS OF VALUE.

Ida—Thy eye was over the Rhine before their engagement. May—Yes, and over the washbasin after their marriage. This never was, and never will be, a universal panacea, in one remedy for all to which flesh is heir.

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The Mutual Life Insurance Company OF NEW YORK.

STATEMENT FOR THE YEAR ENDING AUGUST 11, 1900. Income, 58,890,077 21; Disbursements, 38,697,480 68; Assets, 304,844,637 62; Policy Reserves, 251,711,988 61; Guarantee Fund or Surplus, 50,132,648 91; Insurance and Annuities in Force, 1,052,665,211 64; Loans on Policies During the Year, 4,374,636 86.

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Job... Printing.

Are your Letter Heads, Bill Heads, Statements, or Envelopes running short? Do you consider that you could effect a saving in this part of your business?

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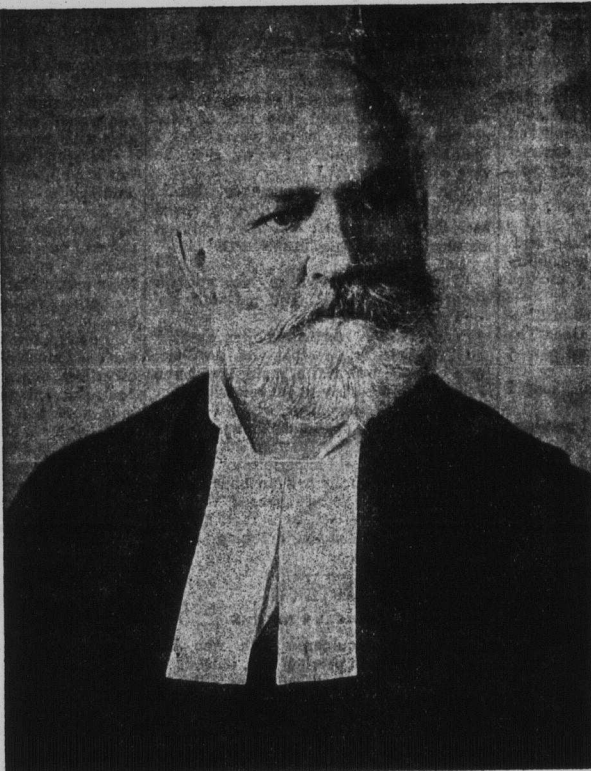
ST. JOHN, N. B., SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 3, 1900.

Liberal Party Candidates

Nominated on Wednesday by Thousands of the City and County of St. John.

HON. A. G. BLAIR

Was nominated for the city by:—
 James F. Robertson, merchant.
 James Pender, manufacturer.
 Robert Thomson, shipowner.
 Boyle Travers, physician.
 Thomas A. Rankine, manufacturer.
 Thomas Gorman, merchant.
 J. Morris Robinson, banker.
 Arthur W. Adams, merchant.
 G. Wetmore Merritt, merchant.
 W. Malcolm Mackay, merchant.
 Leonard B. Knight, lumberer.
 Edward Sears, gentleman.
 Daniel J. McLaughlin, merchant.
 Edward S. Carter.
 Rupert G. Haley, manufacturer.
 W. C. Rudman Allan, druggist.
 John F. Morrison, warehouseman.
 Joseph Bullock, messenger.
 Peter S. MacNutt, merchant.
 Michael F. Mooney, builder.
 John M. Taylor, merchant.
 Thomas Lunney, clothier.
 J. Pope Barnes, merchant.
 Charles McDonald, manufacturer.
 Theodore H. Estabrooks, merchant.
 Edward J. Broderick, physician.
 George A. Horton, merchant.
 Daniel J. Purdy, merchant.
 Henry Maher, grocer.
 Thomas McAvity, merchant.
 Howard D. Troop, merchant.
 Charles P. Baker, mill-owner.
 George H. Waterbury, merchant.
 Beverly R. Macaulay, merchant.
 George McKean, merchant.
 Michael Ryan, victualler.
 Arthur N. Shaw, carriage manufacturer.
 John McMullin, merchant.
 John P. McGory, grocer.
 Robert V. deBury, gentleman.
 John Sealy, merchant.
 H. George Addy, physician.
 Michael Gallagher, grocer.
 Robert C. Elkin, merchant.
 Orlando H. Warwick, merchant.
 Alfred O. Skinner, merchant.
 Alexander P. Barnhill, barrister.
 Douglas McArthur, bookseller.
 Thomas B. Hilyard, mill-owner.
 Joseph H. Scammell, merchant.
 John R. Vaughan, merchant.
 Charles E. MacMichael, merchant.
 Edward Lantlum, merchant.
 William H. Murray, lumber manufacturer.



HON. ANDREW G. BLAIR,
 Nominated Wednesday by the Liberal Party for the City of St. John.

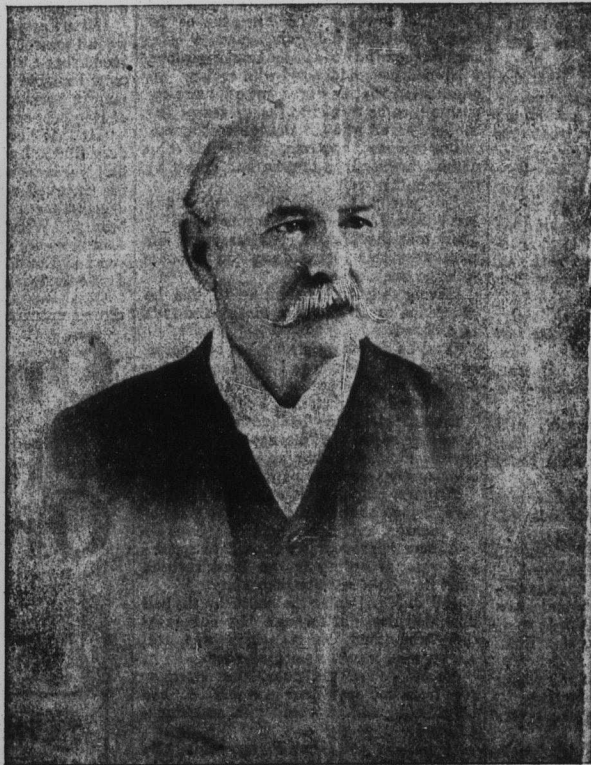
J. Harrison,
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 C. E. Burpee,

W. T. Thomas,
 Byron G. Gody,
 W. A. J. ck,
 David O'N-ill,
 Owen Flynn,

Martin Brennan,
 Thomas McGuire,
 Frank E. Shanklin,
 John Coleman,
 And thousands of others.

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 James Ready, brewer.
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 Alexander P. Barnhill, barrister.
 James H. Doody, plumber.
 Charles E. MacMichael, merchant.
 Patrick Gleeson, accountant.
 Douglas McArthur, bookseller.
 Herbert J. Olive, accountant.
 John M. Driscoll, merchant.
 Thomas R. Hilyard, mill-owner.
 Joseph H. Scammell, merchant.
 G. Sidney Smith, barrister.
 James Manchester, gentleman.
 John R. Vaughan, merchant.
 Edward Lantlum, merchant.
 Andrew Collins, carriage builder.
 C. M. Dade,
 C. J. Ward,
 John McManus,
 J. S. McDaid,
 Alexander Corbett,
 George A. Knott,
 H. Hopkins,
 W. A. Colman,
 Otto L. Rienicke,
 H. C. Hoyt,
 William Kerr,
 Robert C. McAfee,
 Patrick Nugent,
 Robert Caples,
 M. R. Dotsen,
 J. Hayes,
 William Hayes,
 James Rodgers,
 James Macaulay,
 John Donovan, jr.,
 Jeremiah Donovan,
 James H. Vening,
 T. Gains,
 William Gaynes,
 J. Nelson,
 Patrick Lanley,
 H. B. Robinson,
 C. E. Robinson,
 Thomas B. Donohue,
 C. W. Stephen,
 Charles O. Rienicke,
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 George Cusack,
 James Edmunson,
 W. Baily,
 Hugh Hayes,
 Thomas Hayes,
 Kean Bros.,
 John Donovan,
 Philip Clarkson,
 James Shay,
 Edmund Riley,
 Patrick Ryals,
 John Whoolley,
 Owen Flynn,
 David A. Morrow,
 Andrew James Stephens,
 James French,
 James J. Coleman,
 Charles W. McAfee,
 John Hanna,
 Frank E. Fawcett,
 D. Varner,
 J. A. Malcolm,
 H. B. Schofield,
 Samuel Blaine,
 John Bain,
 And thousands of others.



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Child's Play of Wash Day

SURPRISE SOAP

pure hard soap which has remarkable qualities for easy and quick wash—SURPRISE really makes Child's of wash day. Try it yourself. ST. CROIX SOAP MFG. CO. St. Stephen, N.B.

All Right!

There's nothing wrong with any part of our laundry work. Better than that—every part of it is the best that can be done anywhere. Colored shirts do not fade—woolens do not shrink—collars do not acquire saw edges—button holes are left intact when we do your work. Where shall we send the wagon, and when? Phone 214.

AMERICAN LAUNDRY,
 108, 100, 102 Charlotte St.
DE BROS., Proprietors.
 100 B. A. Dyring Co., "Gold Medals" Montreal

They swear as often as possible.
 papa was acquainted with the
 of the ten twent third!

Season For Human Felings.

at the usual number of folks are be-
 and wounded this year in the
 docks and Maine woods by eager
 men, who mistre them for deer or
 wild creatures: The annual "st of
 ies of this nature is large, and some
 fatal accidents are very distress-
 They could all be avoided by
 precautions, as the use of rail-
 of violent hue, and the employ-
 of protective noises. A horn and
 s so geared to the sportsman as to
 warning foot at every step would
 to warn careless marksmen of his
 ce and while he stood still he could
 a whistle. It might scare off some
 but men go to the woods more for
 than meat, and personal safety is of
 importance than fresh venison.

oman who has attended a good many
 affairs at Topeka, K. n., says that
 tain woman is always invited, al-
 she is not a good dresser, is not
 looking or enteraining, and does
 along to the "crowd." Investigation
 s that the woman is invited to keep
 on "talking" about the other women,
 a vicious talker, and when not in-
 raised Old Cain with her tongue,
 she is always invited.

eggs—"I'm astonished that Hettie
 marry Tom. She has always main-
 that there wasn't another like him
 world." Griggs—"Perhaps that is
 ason she didn't marry him."—Boston
 script.

so souls without a single thought.
 are the names of that newly mar-
 couple in the next flat?"
 , we can't find out for a few weeks;
 now calls the other 'Birdie.'

as Maud Gonnes plan of educating
 y thousand little children to hate
 and is a queer up to date rendering
 catholic precept: 'Thou shalt love
 neighbor as thyself.'

FOR A WOMAN'S SAKE.

IN TWO INSTALMENTS.

CHAPTER I. AT THE GARDEN GATE.

It was market-day at Podley Royal, and the one long street and market-places of the little town were full of carts, gigs, lowing cattle, and bleating sheep.

Nelly, it all hangs on old Patch retiring, for, as for his dying, I don't believe he ever will. But here we are at home—You will come in, Nelly?

bank and searched for a fresh situation I could hope for no better salary than I am getting. In fact, Mr. Witherley pays me handsomely, as salaries go in the banking business.

CHAPTER II. THE PRODIGAL'S RETURN. The broad-shouldered man who had stared at Edith in passing was, indeed, as she and Nelly Amyard had guessed, bound for Midhall, the residence of Ralph Witherley, the banker of Podley Royal.

Before the servant could ask any questions, the visitor pushed him on one side, and entered the hall.

vigor that proved it was no ghost that pressed it. 'Sit down, dad, you look a bit upset,' exclaimed the returned prodigal.

'That's right, Raymond. We will find you a good wife. I know of several nice girls with money.'

Mr. Witherley had called the bank staff into his private room that morning, and had announced to them that he was about to take his son into partnership, and that in honor of the occasion, the salary of each, from the head cashier to the office-boy, would be raised ten per cent.

Next week I will have some nice people to meet you. Lord Sinfain, I know is at the Towers, and there are a few others who are not in London.

TAKES THE CAKE... DOES... PACKARD'S Ladies' Special Dressing... GIVES THE BEST SHINE... OLEANS AND PRE-SERVES THE LEATHER.

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Whether Edith was right or wrong in her foreshadowing of the future, there was no doubt at all about the present.

One Hen One Day One Mill... Sheridan's CONDITION POWDER... CANTER

Chat of the Boudoir.

The whimsical fancy for decorations of embroidery on cloth or velvet combined with fur is rather lacking in good taste, but it is one of the season's fads which cannot be passed by unnoticed.

Chinchilla, very expensive and the most perishable of all the furs, is in high favor for collars, revers, hats, muffs and trimmings generally, and miniver, too, is used for many purposes of combination.

Some of the most elegant sable garments have a genuine underleeve of lace falling with the fur sleeve over a bishop sleeve of gold cloth with a sable wristband.

The uses for fur trimmings are more widely varied than ever, and however diaphanous the material may be, narrow bands of fur are a suitable trimming.

The long loose coats with sacque backs and the three-quarters length cape seem to be the prevailing shapes in outside garments for evening wear, and they are made of satin and cloth as well as lace.

The long loose cloaks with Watteau effect at the back will be worn again this winter, and like the three quarters capes are made of satin and cloth in the light colors.

Triple shoulder capes are a feature of the three-quarters length coat as well, the edges finished with a narrow band of stitched velvet, while the finish at the neck is a Napoleon collar of velvet, opening in front to show a white satin stock and lace cravat.

Soarlet and gold in combination give a military touch to many a costume this season, but it is almost exclusively reserved for young women.

One of the most elegant novelties in the way of an evening wrap is a long loose coat of tacked black chiffon and a wide applique of Chantilly lace around the hem.

A long evening coat of lace with chinchilla trimmings is shown in the illustration with another wrap made in the form of a long cape.

In smaller neckwear the variety is still greater and decidedly more attractive than ever, now that the glitter of gold is a dominating feature.

The one feature of Millinery that seems to stand out is the use of flowers, which blossom out on felt, velvet and fur hats quite as profusely as they did in the summer.

The new muffs are large and varied in style between the soft round muff of fur, with tails across one side, and dainty little novelty of velvet, fur and chiffon.

High Louis XIV, heels are the correct thing for dressy shoes, and colored suede slippers which match the gown are one of the fads in footwear.

Glossy silk called fleur de sole is very pretty for tuckered vests and waists.

Serious Moment in Furniture Store For a Man With a Jealous Wife.

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Blank's name was well known at the furniture store, and when he appeared two weeks ago with a pretty woman it was assumed that she was Mrs. Blank, Jones, the head salesman and his assistant, Smith devoted several hours to Blank and his companion.

novelty of velvet, fur and chiffon. One kind of large muff is drawn up at the top, where three little heads are the finish, with some gold tassels attached to gold cords.

One feature in the detail of the bodice is a lacing of gold or silk cord across the shoulder seam, each point tacked down with a tiny gold button.

Silk tassels and gold tassels as well are used by way of variety in place of drop buttons.

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It so happened that Blank wanted some new furniture for his own house and a week later accompanied by Mrs. Blank he went to the same furniture store.

"Perhaps," said Jones, "you would like a table similar to the one Mrs. Blank was looking at last week."

Smith arose to the emergency and stepping on Jones's foot hard enough to emphasize his hint he said: "Mr. Jones is an Mrs. Blank of Boston who bought a lot of furniture here last week.

While Smith was talking he watched Blank's face closely. When Jones referred to a table that Mrs. Blank had looked at the week before, Blank's expression indicated that he was uncomfortable.

"Thank you. You saved me that time." "Oh, that's all right," said Smith, "but I want to tell you that you are foolish."

Count von Zeppelin is more like a business man than an inventor in appearance—a spry, red-faced, white-mustached and very active old gentleman of sixty-five.

When Andree set sail for the uncharted realms of death from Spitzbergen his balloon rose from a huge round house fixed upon the shore.

my skull fractured; but powerful friends interceded in my behalf and I didn't have to spend the night in jail, as people usually have to do who have their skulls fractured in N. Y. As I say, I had a good time, on the whole.

THE TEST IS SATISFACTORY.

The trial trip of Count von Zeppelin's great airship on Lake Constance at Zurich Switzerland, on Friday afternoon was apparently a complete success.

The long yellow sausage shaped contrivance wrinkled in its oily skin, bending, dinting and wriggling in its sinuous course, is almost as little like the old fashioned pudgy round balloon as it is like the birds that for so many centuries have tried and failed to teach us to fly.

This is what it did:

Rising to a thousand feet, it travelled eastward with the east northeast wind for nearly seven miles. Then it swung around in a wide curve and headed for home against the wind.

The slender proportions of the airship make it when in the air look smaller than it is. In reality it is a huge tube, strengthened by twenty-four longitudinal ribs of aluminum that gather to an aluminum tip at each end.

Beneath the tube and about sixty feet from either end are two boat-shaped cars made of aluminum. Each, indeed, is a boat, capable of resting on the water when the ship descends, and each will, if necessary, carry four persons besides the complicated and ingenious machinery.

The balloon is divided into seventeen compartments, each inflated and deflated by separate valves. The two cars are connected by speaking tubes and bell signals.

The device for steering the balloon up and down is ingenious. Each car is attached to the balloon by aluminum tubes. Running between the cars is a girder, upon which rolls a 300-pound block of lead.

The ship will contain gas enough for flotation for three weeks, the oiled silk being coated by a secret process which renders it very nearly airtight.

This, then, was the ship into which to day at a little before 5 o'clock Count von Zeppelin, Lieut von Crogh and Engineer Burr climbed for their venturesome trip.

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Headache

Is often a warning that the liver is torpid or inactive. More serious troubles may follow. For a prompt, efficient cure of Headache and all liver troubles, take

Hood's Pills

While they rouse the liver, restore full, regular action of the bowels, they do not gripe or pain, do not irritate or inflame the internal organs, but have a positive tonic effect.

at all druggists or by mail of C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass.

the balloon ready to rise with the wind. The actual trial was delayed by rain and by the inevitable last mistakes of workmen until late in the afternoon.

Officers and friends of Von Zeppelin were standing on the float. The five balloons stepped aboard, waved farewells, gave orders. See's off!

On her way down the wind the ship steered to right and to left to show her ability; her track was the track of a drunken man.

Then she turned in a great radius of half a mile, and her wake was marked by sifted sand from the ballast bags. In the gathering dust she could be seen slowly making headway against the wind.

Thirty-two horse power engines against the wind pressure on a long pointed cone of smooth silk—obviously the force of the wind must be considered.

And then the night came and the experiment was ended for the day.

An Efficient Watchman.

A gigantic watchman, ten feet tall, the story of whose exploit is taken from the Brooklyn Eagle, is an ostrich, living on an ostrich farm in Florida.

It anything alarms him, he at once communicates his alarm to his companions by a series of yells as he advances to the attack.

He is a bird of unusual intelligence, but is very savage. At night it is especially dangerous to go near him. To see his keeper force him back to his pen in the morning is one of the sights of the farm.

One night Napoleon caught a thief. The farmhands were all asleep when there arose a terrible hubbub, which, as the men became awake enough to distinguish sounds, resolved itself into the angry cries of Napoleon and the shrieks of a human being.

Rushing to the pen, the men saw the ostrich chasing a negro. The fellow had come to the pheasants' quarter to steal pheasants, and had been discovered by Napoleon. When he tried to get over the fence the bird struck him a glancing blow on the thigh, which ripped open the flesh and exposed the bone.

TO THE DEAF.—A rich lady, cured of Deafness and Noise in the Head by Dr. Nicholas Artificial Ear Drums, has sent \$1,000 to procure, so that deaf people unable to procure Ear Drums may have them free.

"Poets," said the youth with long hair, "are born and not made."

"Probably," replied the long-suffering editor. "Still I would desire to advocate the Herod method of doing business. So long as we can't discriminate at that early age, I am in a favor of letting all habits live."

APIOL & STEEL PILLS

A REMEDY FOR IRREGULARITIES. Superseding Bitter Apple, Pill Cocks, Pennyroyal, &c.

Order of all Chemists, or post free for \$1.50 from EVANS & SONS, LTD., Montreal and Toronto, Canada; Victoria, B.C. or Martin Pharmaceutical Chemist, Southampton, Eng.

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