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FREDERICTON.

Aggravated Assault.

Association - Death of Mrs.

Cowperthwaite.

FREDERICTON, N. B., Aug. 15 .-

MR. RAMSDEN DEAD.

The British Consul at Santiago de Three Brothers in Jail Charged With Cuba Passes Away.

His Arrest and Liberation, and Work in the The Representatives to the Provincial Rifle

SANTIAGO DE CUBA, Aug. 11.— V. Ramsden, for over thirty-five years British consul at Santiago de Cuba, has just died at Kingston, Jamaica, in the 58th year of his age. He leaves a wife, three daughters and four fors, one of whom is British vice-

onsul at Manila.

Mr. Ramsden's service throughout the war, his efforts to bring about the surrender of Santiago, with a view to avoiding further bloodshed, and his kindness to all Americans with whom he came into contact, entitled him to

When the United States consul left Santiago on the outbreak of hostiliand he was most active in defending Fisher went to work this morning he ered to si and he was most active in defending the lives and property of United States citizens. His confluct aroused an intense feeling of antagonism against him amongst the Spanish ropulation, and early in May the consulate was attacked by a mob. After exhausting every peaceable means to quell the disturbance, Mr. Ramseden fired on the mob, and dispersed them. But in doing so he killed one. For this he was arrested, committed to prison and sentenced to death. His friends immediately sent word to the admiral commanding the West Indian station, who despatched H. M. S. Alert, H. M. S. Pallas, and H. M. S. Pearl to Santiago, and in view of this demonstration, 21. Zamsden was promptly released. But that gentleman would not leave Santiago. He considered it his duty to remain at He considered it his duty to remain at his post, where he continued to look after British and American interests,

his post, where he continued to look after British and American interests, until the city surrendered to the Americans, after which he departed for Jamaica, to take a well-earned rest.

Mr. Remsden's connection with the celebrated Virginius affair in 1873 is historical. Being then the British consul at Santiago, he notified the world through Jamaica that the Spaniards were putting to death the crew and passengers of the American ship Virginius and appealed to the British flag for protection. The British ship Niobe came into port from Jamaica. Her commander, Sir Lambton Lorraine, heard of what was going on. He sought an interview with the Spanish governor, and told him the massacres must stop. The governor protested that they were only "Yankee dogs" he was killing. No matter, Sir Lambton replied, not another one must be killed. The Spaniard was still defiant. He took his orders from the captain general, he said, and not from any meddling Britisher. Then the Britisher delivered his ultimatum: "My ship is in the harbor, with double" shotted guns. Kill another man and I will open fire and lay your town in ruins." And not another man was killed.

Mr. Raysden's brevery, as well as And not another man was killed.

Mr. Raynsden's bravery, as well as his diplomatic skill, has been thor-

oughly tested on neveral other occa-

NEWFOUNDLAND.

Return from England of Sir James Winter Premier of the Colony.

ST. JOHNS, N. F., Aug. 14.-Sir Jas. ST. JOHNS, N. F., Aug. 14.—Sir Jas. Winter, premier of Newfoundland, returned from England today to consult with the cabinet before starting for Quebec, for which place he will leave on Thursday night. He states that his mission to London was eminently successful. The colony obtains a royal commision to insvestigate the French shore question, which commission will leave. England next month, and also the establishment of a naval reserve, as well as many minor concessions.

reserve, as well as many minor concessions.

The premier denies that statement sent in a cable despatch to the effect that the Rt. Fig. Joseph Chamberlain, British secretary of state for the colonies, in an interview with him advised the colony to enter the Canadian federation.

PEACE PROCLAIMED

The Protocol Signed at Washington Friday Afternoon.

President McKinley Issues a Proclamation Stopping All Hostilities.

The War Between United 3 a Close—French Ambassador Thanked,

between Spain an the United States for three months and twenty-two days was quietly terminated at twenty-three minutaes past four o'clock this afternoon, when Secretary Day for the United States, and iM. Cambon for Spain, in the presence of President McKinley, signed a protocol which will form the basis of a definite treaty of peace. It is believed to be simple justice to the sister republic of France to record the fact that through her good offices this speedy termination of a war that might have run on indefinitely was brought about and the president himself deemed that action on the part of the French government as worthy of his speedly praise.

The closing chapter of events that led up to the signature of the protocol and the cessation of hostilities was full of interest. There were rumors in the carly morning that over night the carly morning that over night the carly morning that over night the fact that the note began to come from Madrid in small lots. The state department was soon advised of the fact that the message was under twenty and the heavy Long, now away on the part of the that the message was under twenty Long, now away on the protocol that the message was under twenty Long, now away on the protocol that the message was under twenty Long, now away on the protocol that the message was under twenty Long, now away to the carly Long, now a

Policemen Phillips and Rideout ar-rested Edward, John and Jas. Bonar, three brothers, and Joseph Morgan, this afternoon, and the quartette are now safe in jail, charged with aggravated assault upon William Fisher gravated assault upon William Fisher and with breaking into and smashing transmission, but as it was evident on windows in the house of William that it would be long and that its representation. Crawley. All the parties reside at ception would occupy much time, the Morrison's Mills, a short distance below the city, and the Bonars and Morgan are noted for their fighting propensities. The affair started with a
fight on Saturday night, then the
smashup at Fisher's was celebrated
sarty Sunday morning. Seen after the state department to inform Secretary Day
that the ambassalor was in full pos-

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WASHINGTON, Aug. 12.—With a signature. Later the American copy simplicity in keeping with republican of the protocol will be accompanied by the written credentials of the between Spain an the United States Spanish government sent to M. Camfor three months and twenty-two days

Secretary of the Navy Long, now away on a vacation, usually occupied. The president stood at the left hand corner at the head of the great cabinet table, Secretary Day, M. Thiebaut and M. Cambon in the order named on the left side of the table.

The rest of the party were standing

cath Bandar morning has been morning has been produced to superficient was a gain attacked by the Bonar of the Poster. They struck him over the head with a heavy club, felling thin to the floor and threatened. In kill, him, and some of the bystanders who took them off of Febrer think that they would have there and then put they would have there and then put they had not been interests with. The superior threats into execution murderous threats into execution murderous threats into execution murderous threats into execution. The superior with the superior of the superior with the superior with the superior of the su

The protocol was signed at 4.23 p. m. by Secretary of State Day, representing the United States, and M. Cambon, the French ambassador, re-

A copy of the proclamation has been cabled to the army and navy com-manders. Spain will cable her com-

mation. The navy department not criy fransmitted the president's pro-clamation in full to the several com-manders in chief, but also directions as to the disposition of their vessels.

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(Signed) ALLEN.
Acting Secretary.

The notification to Admiral Dewey was not made public, but Assistant Secretary Allen states that besides besides bedides bed

In compliance with the orders sent In compliance with the orders sent Admiral Sampson and Commodore Remey will each send a vessel around the coast of Cuba to notify the blockading squadron that the blockade has been raised.

Admiral Schley being on the Brooklyn and included in the orders to that vessel, will come north with her.

AT THE FRONT, with Gen. Wil-

AT THE FRONT, with Gen. Wilson's column, five miles beyond Coama, Porto Rico, Aug. 12, evening, delayed in transmission—Gen. Wilson moved one Lancaster batterey out to the front this afternoon for the purpose of shelling the Saonish position on the creat of the mountain at the head of the pass through which the road winds. The enemy occupied a position of great natural strength, protected by seven lines of entrenchments and a battery of two howitzers. The Spaniards were eager for the fray, and earlier in the day had fired upon Col. Biddlee, of the engineer corps, who, with a plateon of treop C of New York, was reconnoitering on their right flank.

As our battery rounded a curve in the road, two thousand yards away, the enemy opened an artillery and infantry fire. Four companies of the Third Wisconsin, which were posted on the bluffs to the right of the road, were not permitted to respond. The guns advanced at a gallop in the face of a terrific fire, were unlimbered and were soon hurling common shell and shrappel at the enemy at a lively rate, striking the emplacements, hatteries and entrenchments with the rhythmic regularity of a trip hammer. The enemy soon abandoned one gun, but continued to serve the other at intervals of over an hour. They had our range and their shrappel burst repeatedly over our men. One shell burst, the fragments killing Corporal Swarson, of Company L. and seriously wounding Corporal Yanke, and Privates Bunce and Vought, Capt Paget the British army officer, who is with the American force for the purpose

Here Capt. Lee and Private of Company F, were wounded by a ser bullets. In about two hows, enemy abandoned the other a in the men began to fiee from fine trenchments to ward a banana grathen the guns shelled them as tran. One gun was ordered to advato a position a quarter of a mile if ther on. It had just reached the transition when Spanish infantry inforsements filed into the trenchand began a deadly fire upon our mand began a deadly fire upon

This is the reply that the Spanish commander, Col. Nuevilas, sent to Gen. Wilson's demand for the surrender of Albanito, made last might. A fight is certain to occur unless orders are issued from Washington to

prevent it.
HEADQUARTERS OF GEN. WILLSON AT COAMO, Aug. 13, noon, de-

clamation in full to the several commanders in chief, but also directions as to the disposition of their vessels. The following orders are self-explanatory:

Navy Department, Washington, Aug. 12. To Sampson, Sentiago:

Suspend ali hostilities. Blockade of Cuba and Porto Rico is raised. Howell ordered to assemble vessels at Key West. Proceed with New York, Brooklyn, Indiana, Oregon, Iowa and Massachusetts to Tompkinsylle. Place monitor in safe barbor in Porto Rico. Wassen transfers his flag to Newark and will remain at Guantanamo. Assemble all cruisers in safe harbors. Order marines north in Resolute.

(Signed) Allen, Acting Secretary.

Navy Department, Washington, Aug. 12. To Remey, Key West:

Accordance with the president's proclamation telegraphical you, suspead immediately all habilities. Commance withdrawal of vessels in Cuban waters to secentile at Key West.

(Signed) Allen, Acting Secretary.

The notification to Admiral Dewey was not made public, but Assistant Secretary Allen states that besides be-

Gen. Miles expects to do nothing, pending the arrival at San Juan of the peace commissioners.

MADRID, Aug. M, 10 p. mi.—El Pais today printed the text of the protocol signed by the United States and Spain with mourning borders, and says: "Spain, without colonies, is reduced to the role of a third rate power.

El Imparcial says: "Peace will not bring to Spain even the rest she so much needs after three years and a half of war."

El Nacional says bitterly: "If Spain had at least been vanquished only after a furious and heroic struggle she could resign herself. Peace with the United States will be a momentary respite from our misfortune."

El Liberal says the article in the protocol relating to the Philippines does not indicate that anything good for Spain will be fixed upon, and the cuestion will not be settled favorably for her.

SALISBURY ATTACKED

For His Weakness on the Chinese Ouestion.

French Papers See Anglo-Russian War Im minent-References to China in the Queen's Speech at Prorogation of Parliament.

LONDON, Aug. 12.-All the morning papers, including the supporters of the government, attack Lord Salisbury for weakness in dealing with the Chin-

The Daily Chronicle says: "What i The Daily Chromicle says: "What is to be the result nobody can say. There is room for the gloomiest forebodings. Does the country realize that for want of a little foresight and firmness Great Britain may ere long be plunged into a collosal war? Such, without the least doubt or exaggeration, is the ap-

palling possibility."

The Daily News says: "The door is closed. The proudly boasted British hou does not exist in the Yang ooking to what Lord Salisbury has one in Egypt, his failure is inexpile

SHANGHAI, Aug. 12.-A despatch received to lay says an imperial edict has finally been issued at Pekin sanctioning the Belgian loam for the construction of the railway line from Pekin to Han Kau, despite the protest of Sir Claude Macdonald, the British

PARIS, Aug. 12.—The papers are full of significance of the Chinese ques-tion. The Matin says: "In China the grestest game in the world is being played, and French intervention should be efficacious and decisive." Le Soir has a sensational article headed, "War between England and

Russia imminent." The Journal Des Debats says: "Eng-The Journal Des Debaus says: "Eng-land is now seeking an arrangement with Russia. That understanding is impossible, unless flussia remains mis-tress of the north, and tingland is in-sured her influence on the Yang Tse-river. In short, the lines of the storm are beginning to be marked along with the disruption which may occur whenever China falls to pieces. Clearly, neither France, Germany or Japan could hold aloof from such an agreeent." The article hints that France would support Russia in the event of war, and says in conclusion: "France would be content with the southern provinces bordering on Tonquin."

LONDON, Aug. 12.—The house of

ons met today at 10.30 a. m. A host of questions on the subject of China elicited little information ex-China elicited little information except that the government leader, Mr. Balfour, declined to pledge the government to prevent the ratification of the Franco-Belgian Pekin-Han Kow concession. But Mr. Balfour promised that in the event of British capitalists appropriately alists purchasing railroad concessions btained by French or Belgian syn-licates in the Yang Tse Kiang valley, assist them both in Lo and at Pekin in this and in all other legitimate British commercial enter-prises. The Chinese appropriation bill then passed its third reading and the session was suspended until 2.30 p. m. when parliament was prorogued. The Queen's speech at the proroga

tion is as follows "My Lords and Gentlemen:

My relations with other nations con tinue friendly. I have witnessed with the deepest sorrow the hostilities which have taken place between Spain and the United States, two nations to which my empire is bound by many lines of affection and tradition Negotiations recently opened give fair ground for noping that the deplorable conflict will be brought to a termina-tion by conclusion of an honorable and enduring peace.

"The changes which have taken place in the territorial relations of other powers with the Chinese empire ined me to conclude agr whereby the harbor of Wei Hai We and certain positions adjacent to my colony of Hong Kong were leased to me by the emperor of China. I trus se arrangements will conduce the maintenance of his independer and the security of his empire, and be favorable to the development of the extensive commerce carried on between the people of Great Britain and China."

Paragraph three refers to the guar anteeing, in conjunction with Russia and France, of the loan to enable Greece to pay the Turkish war in-

The fourth paragraph expresses sat-sfaction at the concession of the con-cention with France. finally settling est African questio

The speech then refers to the rangements made to establish at an early date a penny postage between the United Kingdom, Canada, Newfoundland and elsewhere, makes reference to the plague still existing in eertain portions of Western India and the Punjaub, and concludes: "I am thankful that bountiful har-

ests have been gathered thro the greater part of India and that the internal and external trade of the ntry are rapidly recovering from the depression caused by the famine.

"Gentlemen of the commons: I thank you for the liberal provision you have made for the defence of my empire. The sacrifices asked of you are severe, but no greater than the exigencies of the present time require. I am glad to recognize the value of the provisions to which you have assented for increasing the strength and efficiency of my eveny

my army.
"My lords and gentlemen: I have seen with much gratification that you have this year added to the statute to those of Engiand and Scotland. I trust this valuable reform will tend to strengthen the bonds which unite the ole of Great Britain and Ireland people of Great Britain and increase their common affection for the fundamental institutions of

After expressing satisfaction at the doption of bills enabling accused persons to testify in their own behalf,

for preventing abuse of patronage, and the occupation of benefices of the established church, "the principles of which bills have been generally accepted for many years, though hitherto there has been no opportunity to make them law," the speech ends with: "I pray that the blessing of Almighty God may attend you."

THE LATE COL. UPTON.

UPTON—At Florenceville, N. B., July 27th, Lieutenant Goi, Charles R. Upton, in the 88th year of his age. Col. Upton was born in Sheffield, N. B., in the year 1810, to which place his grandfather emigrated, being one of the first settlers of N. B.

The greater part of his life was gent in Carleton county, where he carried on farming and was one of her majesty's justices of the peace. He was for thirteen years commander of the 67th battalion, and never failed to lead his men in good form at camps or reviews during that per-

His military pervices are as follows: 1837-38—Ensign and quartermaster, stationed with one company 36th regi-ment and two of militia to guard road eading from Fort Fairfield to the St. John river. 1849-Capt. 2nd battalion Carleton

Jounty militia.

1864—Major 2nd battalion Carleton County malitie.

1869—Acting captain No. 7 company, and battalion, 26 days camp at Fred-

1866-Major in regiment organized from 2nd battalion, C. C. M., to repel

1868-Lieut.-Col. 3rd battalion, C. C. 1869. Out. 29-Lieut.-Col. Carleton

Light infantry. On October, 1884, Col. Upton retired from the command of the 67 bat-talion. At the annual meeting of the officers of the 67th in Jan., 1885, Col. incores of the with in Jan., too.

Upton was presented with a complimentary address, accompanied by a handsome ebony, gold headed came, bearing a suitable inscription, by the icers who had been under his com-

The funeral services were held in the Florenceville Baptist church July 29th, conducted by the pastor, A. H. Hayward. Col. Upton was twice married, first to Miss Jane Burpee of Sheffield, to whom he had four sons and four daughters; second to a daughter of the late Charles Shaw of Wakefield, who is now left an aged

THE POULTNEY (VT.) TRAGEDY.

The Fair Haven (Vermont) Era of July 28th and August 4th, contains full accounts of the death of Mrs. Frances Metheney of Lake St. Cath-arine on the 25th ult., and the suicide of Mrs. Beverley Robinson the next morning at her house at Fair Haven, after shooting her baby. As Mrs. tobinson's husband is a native of St. John, a son of the late Major William B. Robinson, the affair has attracted a great deal of attention here, and many sensational reports have been circulated for which there was little or no foundation. Examinations were held before Mr. Justice Costelle on the honor confe vere called and examined. acluding the medical men who made autorsies on the bodies, the people ear the Robinson tent at Lake Catherine, the neighbors about the Robinson's servant, Beverley Robinson and others. The doctors gave evidence that Mrs. Metheney died from brain trouble. Mrs. Robinson was informed of it by her hubsand, and apeared to be greatly excited over it, nd committed the deed next mcrning luring her husband's absence. A brother of her's committed suicide in the ame town a number of years ago. At the close, Beverely Robinson, who had been held for evidence, was discharged, Justice Costello stating that t gave him great pleasure to say that 'no testimony had been given at either hearing to warrant you being held, and our straightforward story shows you have nothing to conceal."

Mrs. Metheney and Mr. and Mrs. chinson had been living together for two years or more, and Mrs. Methe and Mr. Robinson had gone out to Lake St. Catherine's, to be followed later by Mrs. Robinson, when the leath of the former occurred.

THE PEERLESS ST. JOHN.

To the Fredericton Gleaner Mayor Cobb of Newton, Mass., expresesd himself as delighted beyond measure with his brief visit to that city. He has been coming to New Brunswick for the past eleven years, spending with his family the month of July at is villa on Lake Alva, Charlotte Co. He had never before taken the trip up the St. John river, though quently in St. John city. He said that he had visited most of the noted rivers of the world and had been de-lighted with their charms of scenery has been on the Hudson, the Rhine and the Nile, but the beauties of the St. John surpassed all that he had ever seen. His mind could not picture mything more beautiful than a sail pon a day like Wednesday last. He ke very highly of the steamer Viceria and of the attention of her of cers, and of Mr. Baird, one of the managing owners, who accompanied the party to Fredericton.

QUEEN BISCUIT COMPANY.

H. H. Pickett, assignee of the Quee of the manufactured stock on hand, amounting to over \$1,000 worth. As already stated, the factory amd plant is owned by C. D. Boss, of New London, Conn., and it is understood will be sold or leased if a satisfactory price can be obtained, and if not it may be idle for a time. The owner is one of the largest biscuit manufacturers of the largest biscuit manufactured in the States, and it is said will no but will ke used in case of emergency.

Children Cry for

THE ODDFELLOWS

Fifty-third Annual Session of the Grand Lodge.

Address of Grand Master Bent an Report of Secretary J. C. P. Frazee.

An Enjoyable Sail on the River-Busines Transacted at the Session.

The annual meeting of the Grand Encampment of Oddfellows of the maritime provinces opened at ten o'clock on 9th inst. in Oddfellows' hall Union street. The representation was a large one, all the encampments over the jurisdiction sending their full their full quota. Grand Patriarch D. A. Grant. in his annual address, sald it afforded him much pleasure to welcome patriarchs to the seventh annual session. "I feel sure," said the grand patriarch, "that the kindly greetings are privileged to enjoy, the many attractions of their thriving city, and the commendable purpose for which we are assembled, will ensure to us all personally a pleasant and profitable day. I am equally confident that the result of your deliberations, and the occasion's incentive to renewed effort will be discernible in a general increase of interest and activity among the subordinate encampments of the jurisdiction. I congratulate this grand encampment upon reaching today another milestone in its career of prosperity. The years along which we had come have all been years of progress, in a more or less marked degree. An increase of membership however slight, at a time when many of our grand encampments are de-ploring a failing away, is just cause for congratulation, and I am sure the grand encampment will learn with easure from the report of our effiient grand scribe that there has been a slight gain in membership since our last annual session. Perfect harmony prevails in the subordinate encamp ments under our jurisdiction. No abeals have been submitted to this ofce, and such questions of patriarchal law as I have been requested to express an opinion upon were fully disposed of by reference to the constitution of subordinates. The reports of the deputies, the majority of whom have very faithfully reported to this office, would indicate the order to be in a very satisfactory condition throughout the jurisdiction."

The grand patriarch gave a lengthy ecount of his stewardship for the year, his visitations, etc., and in con-

lusion said: "Officers and Patriarchs-In returning to you today the high trust committed to my keeping one year ago, I do so with sincerest thanks for the honor conferred, and with best wishes that this organization will increase in strength and usefulness with passing years. It is not too much to say that Patriarchal Oddfellowship. by reason of its variable services to Robinson house at Fair Haven, Mrs. the order and the high principles it inculcates, is fully entitled to the support of the fraternity generally in our maritime jurisdiction. We sanguine enough to expect that it will continue to receive it. We recogn the subordinate lodges as first in importance of all Oddfellow organizations, but the encampment has times without number proved itself to be the strong right hand of the subordinate lodge. From the subordinate lodge we derive our existence as a patriarchal branch, and with the material it continues to provide, ve maintain We give it in return a mor

> May it be ever thus !" Grand Scribe Melville McKean, fir his annual report, returned thanks for the many kindnesses shown him by the members. The statistics showed that there was an increase of membership for the year of 21. The num ber initiated was 54; admitted by card, 6: reinstated, 1-making an increase of 63; but this was offset by withdrawals, etc., to the number of 42. The total membership is now finances showed a balance

grateful, earnest and devoted service

\$48.98 over expenditures. The reports were submitted to the isual committees. The morning's session was taken up by the initiation of candidates, receiving of reports,

On motion, the grand scribe was diected to send fraternal greetings to grand encampment now in session at

Deputy Grand Sire Pinkerton eston, delivered a most stirring ad-ess on Oddfellowship. He was adly applauded. A. H. Blackely. udly applauded. A. H. Blackely, apprintendent of agencies of Odd-allows Assurance Association of Can-

da, Kingston, Ont., also delivered an able address on the order.

It was decided to hold the election of officers after the opening of after-noon session at two o'clock, stand-ard,—Adjourned. officers of the Grand Encamp

exted as follows: Grand Patriarch-A. F. Messervey. Grand High Priest-F. W. Harper, Vestville, N. 3. Grand Senior Warden—Niel Morri

Grand Junior Warden-T. N. Patton Grand Representative—I. E. Smith

and Scribe - Melville McKean,

Grand Marshal-J. H. Brown, Lun-Grand Sentinel-J. A. Fraser, Monc-

Grand Outside Sentinel-W. J. Wat-During the session friendly greetings, were exchanged with the Grand Encampment of Ontario, holding its session today in Galt, Ontario.

Grand Lodge closed to meet next year at the place that may be select-

ed by Grand Lodge today for its next session.

The fifty-third annual session of the lamerica opened Wednesday at ten o'clock in Oddfellows' hall, Carleton. The fifty-third annual session of the America opened Wednesday at ten o'clock in Oddfellows' hall, Carleton. E. A. Bent, of Pugwash, N. S., grand

After the opening exercises, Past The speaker referred to the fire of Grand Masters H. W. Rogers, J. H. 1877, and said magnificent warehouses therland and Grand Representative Craig introduced Deputy Grand Sire Pinkerton of Worcester, Mass., who was received with grand honors. A. H. Blackley of Galt, Ont., was intro-duced by Past Grand Masters Grady and Whidden.

The committee on credentials made their report, after which initiation took

Grand Master Bent delivered his annual address. He said: Another year has passed; another year as they are reckoned by the angels of God, counting only the good done on earth, has come, lingered and passed away, and at its close we meet to congratulate each other on the good accomplished, the prosperity enjoyed, and to review the past and legislate for our common good. All nature is ovely, from the blue sky above our neads to the rippling streamlet passing gently by our feet. The Creator has provided on a grand scale for the comfort and enjoyment of man, still we are not without suffering, and helping hand and cheering word. One of the objects of our beloved order is to help our less fortunate brother,

We are pleased to greet our old associates, and to welcome our new brothers who for the first time are privileged to assemble with us. Let us then offer thanks to a gracious Providence that we are permitted to meet again 'n annual reunion. I cannot say the past year has been as prosperous as we would wish; our total membership has not increased to that extent we would desire, still we are on the increase. I feel it my duty, as my predecessor has, to call the attention of the grand lodge to the fact that some steps should be taken to have grand master, or some appointed representative, to visit the jurisdiction once per year at least, for which ser-vices he should be reimbursed. In various parts of the jurisdiction we have lodges which are not flourishing as they should; they require nurture and care. Certainly a little more attention of this grand body is necessary. In this matter I would particu-larly request serious consideration.

During the year but one subordinate lodge has be added—St. Thomas, of Weymouth, with a membership of 32, and a good field of labor. Owing to the inability to procure suitable halls, the formation of two other lodges had to be laid over.

In speaking of the Rebekah branch, the grand master said: Our sisters have made very good progress, and added five new lodges to their list, viz., Maple Leaf, Summerside; Jubilee, Little Glace Bay; Diamond, Truro; Unity, Annapolis; and Ruby, Sack-Grand Master Bent had the onor of being the first noble grand of a Rebekah lodge in this jurisdiction, therefore he considered a great responsibility rested upon him and he was happy to be able to report today it has rder is bound to succeed. eceived many inquiries from different sisters regarding the lodges, and had the entire year been at his disposal could have doubled the membership of that branch. However, the field is ripe for his successor. here," said the grand master, "to wish my sisters God speed." The grand master referred to the Windsor fire, and to the aid rendered the members of the order in that place. He also referred feelingly to the brothers who died during the year. Every lodge visited by the grand master was found in a flourishing condition. In closing, Mr. Bent expressed his warmest thanks for the many courtesies extended to him by the sisters and brothers, who so willingly rendered assistance he so much needed in the discharge of his official duties. "My ambition," said the grand master," "has been to discharge my duties impartially and in accordance with our general principles

and I trust my efforts may meet your Grand Secretary J. C. P. Frazee, in presenting his annual report, said 'We are met in one of the pretties and most enterprising cities of this great Dominion of Canada. Surrounded almost equally by the province of New Brunswick and Nova Scotlan (for the narrow bay but brings the adjoining province closer to her doors), at the mouth of a magnificent river, whose shores spread out into fertile valleys and smiling uplands full of abounding wealth, and on the side of a capacious bay opening out into the great Atlantic, no city of the dominion enjoys in its situation more natural commercial advantages than does the city of St. John, and no people, I think it will be conceded, are showing themselevs more alive to their privileges or more competent to take advantage of them than the people of this city. Indeed, I may go er, and say that no city of Caneserves, and I think none enloys, the respect of the whole British people, and of the people of Canada more fully than does this same city. At this time, when our great mother land is regarded with envy and hatred by so many of her neighbors and competitors in the world of strifes and struggles, who would willingly work her harm if they could and ared, and when, I am sure, on this ery account the loyalty of the whole cople of Canada has been intensipeople of Canada has been intensified, and their devotion to, and love for, the great nation under whose flag we enjoy the utmost liberty and such abundant blessings, it is pleaant to recall that the good city St. John in which we are now met owes its birth to that splendid loyalty which impelled its founders to relineverything but honor—the s, forming in many cases he which contained, under he ealth and honor, and the pro lasting good fortune and political im-portance—to go out into the wilder-ness, for it was that then, and fight the battles and suffer the hardships

of pioneers over again as they or their fathers had done before in the

country which they left. No city of

vantage the courage and enterprise of her citizens."

The speaker referred to the fire of mo e spacious stores, splendid churches and commodious and proved hotels arose with great rapidity to testify to the dauntless spirit and sagacious enterprise that have always characterized the people of St John, and are making the city more and more a home to be proud of, and a credit to the descendants of those who, for the love of the old flag, fought and conquered nature in some of her most forbidding aspects a hun-

dred years ago. We miss the faces and greetings of some who welcomed us here eight years ago-Cushing, Barnes, doch, the fathers of the order men who loved and honored Our brothers, and were loved and cherished in return. It is impossible for some of us to take up our work in this city without thinking of them. But the memory of them, though sad, because we see them no more, yet is pleasant when we recall our fraternal and social reunions and service they rendered to the brother-

The report showed that the mem-pership last year was 5,053, and the nembership this year is 5,085—a net increase of 32. The number who joined during the year by initiation, card, etc., was 519, and the number lost by death, withdrawn by card, etc., was 487. The total amount paid out for relief during the year was \$6,761.98. The amount paid for relief of brothers was \$4,587.79, and to widowed famllies \$392.48. The total receipts for the year were \$27,813.78, and the expenses \$15,957.04. The widows and orphans' fund now amounts to \$28,974.85, and the amount of invested funds and cash, \$87,565.76.

Grand Treasurer J. H. Balcom's report showed the funds of grand lodge were in a flourishing condition. The increase in the Rebekah membership during the year was most

The reports were referred to the isual committees

There was no session of grand lodge in the afternoon, an invitation having been accepted from the St. John lodges for a sail on the river. The steamer Star left Indiantown shortly affer half past two with a large party on are: C. T., E. H. Duchemin; V. T., board and proceeded up river about Louisa B. Swan; S. J. T., J. D. Seatwenty miles. The afternoon was an deal one for a sail on the river and all Elsie M. Bushell; Treas., R. H. Jenthoroughly enjoyed themselves. One fact was fully demonstrated, the Odd- sie McLean; Guard, Mary Worth; A. fellows know how to entertain. From the time the steamer left Indiantown a large and energetic committee kept passing to and fro serving refresh-ments, consisting of sandwiches, fruits and temperance drinks. It is peedless to say the visitors thoroughly enjoyed the outing and all were loud in their praise of the St. John Odd-The Carleton Cornet band was in attendance, and, as usual, furrished an enjoyable programme of ed by the Carleton marched to the boat. They made a fine appearance, the beautiful uniforms calling forth much praise.

The grand lodge met at eight o'clock. After the opening exercises it was decided to hold the election of officers at ten o'clock this morning. H. E. Codner submitted the report of the committee on law of subordin-

cites, which was adopted. On motion of Representative Messervey of Halifax it was decided to transfer the regalia account to the reneral account.

The report on petitions was accept-The amendment to the by laws, changing the election of representa-

tives to the grand lodge from two years to one, was carried. Deputy Grand Sire Pinkerton of Worcester, Mass., delivered a practical address on Oddfellowship, especially dealing with Oddfellows' homes for aged members and for orphans. Grand lodge adjourned until ten

o'clock this morning. (From Friday's Daily Sun.) The Oddfellows of the maritime provinces resumed their session at their hall, Carleton, yesterday morning.

After opening exercises, Representative Watts presented a resolution thanking the St. John members for the courtesies extended to the grand lodge. The resolution was

contailves S. N. McCully, C. N. Skinner and C. R. Allan entered the field, and for grand representative to the sovereign grand lodge Representative H. E. Codner and Past Grand Master Stamers of St. John were the contestants. The officers elected were as follows: James R. McDonald, Sherbrooke, N. S., grand master; D. J. McKenn, Wertville, N. S., deputy grand master; C. B. Allan, St. John, grand warden; J. C. P. Frazee, Halifax, grand secretary; J. H. Balcom, Halifax, grand treasurer; representatives to sovereign grand lodge, H. E. Codner, St. John, and H. W. Rogers, Amherst, N. S.

Rev. J. A. Smith of Orion lodge presented a resolution expressing the pleasure of grand lodge at the attendance of Deputy Grand Sire Pinkerton. The grand master, E. A. Bent, expressed the pleosure of the grand lodge to the deputy grand sire, who made a suitable response.

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P. E. ISLAND.

Sent Up for Trial in January on a Charge of Murder.

Good Claims are Scarce in the Klondyke-Money for the Plebiscite Campaign-Charlottetown's New Sewerage System.

CHARLOTTETOWN, Aug. 8.-The orisoners concerned in the murder of William Proud of Loyalist Road, North Wiltshire, during a street fight in this city on the evening of August 1st, have been sent up for trial in the supreme court on the charge of murder. The evidence given in the preliminary examination pointed wards the guilt of George Thorne, Edward Hughes, John Hughes and John Trainor, who have accordingly to stand their trial in January next. The attack upon the young man was brutal and unprovoked. It is a matter of doubt who struck the fatal blow. For several weeks past an extensive

survey of the city has been made with a view to the introduction of a sewerage system. The report was recently laid before the city council. The council has ordered the issue of debentures for \$50,000 to permit of part of the construction of the works this autumn. The pipes will be laid down in the principal streets this season Two pumping stations, east and west of the high central area, will carry the sewerage away from the lowest levels of the city. A reservoir on Pownal wharf will receive all sewerage, from which it will flow to the channel in Hillsborough river.

The third quarterly session Grand Division, Sons of Temperance, was held at Tyne Monday, 8th. Valley on E. Clark, G. W. P., who presided, spoke of his visit to the National Division meeting at Burlington, Vermont. He thought that if the proper effort were made Charlottetown would soon have the honor of entertaining the members of the National Division. Some money was voted to carry on the provincial campaign in the coming plebiscite. A public meeting was held in the evening in the Pres

byterian church. The officers for Charlottetown lodge I. O. G. T., for the present quarter man; Sec., B. F. Messervey; F. S., kins; Chap., M. Stephenson; Mar., Es-S. G. F. Dewar, M. D.: D. M., Flor ence Winchester: P. C. T., Mary Ross until she returned about six o'clock, It is the intention to hold a series of entertainments and a course of short lectures during the coming fall and

winter. Haying operations have been considerably delayed this year, owing to the frequent showers, and the bulk of it will not be saved in very good

condition O'Connell's day was duly celebrated city, joined by their brethren from Emerald, marched to the Opera house in the afternoon, where an interesting and successful programme was car ried out, including an address by Sheriff Gaffney on "Daniel O'Connell." A number of Klondykers have returned home and report a congested state of affairs at Dawson City. All

the good claims have been taken up in that vicinity, and he who would succeed now must start out and prosrect for himself. Only one in a thousand claims now upon the market are of paying value. Barett Henderson of North River successfully got twenty-eight head of cattle through there cut of a total of thirty-two, with which he started, and realized high prices for

BEDEQUE, P. E. L. Aug. 13.-Mrs. (Dr.) Carruthers and her two children, who have been visiting here for nth, returned home to Sackville ast Thursday.

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Many farmers are done having, but

there are more who find it almost impossible to finish on account of the dull wet weather. The wheat fields are beginning to look bad, and it is feared the entire crop will be a fail-Sir L. H. Davies and Hon J. Israel

Tarte, accompanied by Hon. Jas. R. McLean, Premier Farquharson, Attorney General McDonald and some others, came up from Charlottetown on Thursday morning and inspected the site of the proposed breakwater at Indian Head and then proceeded to Cole's wharf, where they inspected the dredging operations which have been going on there there for some

Mrs. Geo. Walker and family are visiting their old home and friends. Among other visitors to Bedeque are Mrs. Geo. Black of Sackville, Mame Luther of Dorchester, N. B., and Miss Ethel Armour of Charlotte-

A meeting of the W. C. T. U. was eld in the Baptist church on Thursday afternoon. A number of the members of the Summerside W. C. T. U. were present.

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FOR PROHIBITION.

The City Clergymen Discussed the Question Sunday.

The Coming Plebiscite to Test the Sentiment of People on the Liquor Business.

Sermons by Rev. R. W. Weddall, Rev. W. J. Minchin and Rev. L. G. Macneill.

(From Monday's Daily Sun.) What would Jesus do if He lived in this day and in this land, and was confronted by the problem which now confronts the Canadian people? The above question was made the

subject of consideration by Rev. R. W.

Weddall in his discourse in Queen Square Methodist church last evening. The speaker referred at first to the ministry of Jesus on earth, and its wonderful effect; and pointed out that His followers must possess the holy inspiration if they would accomplish noble purposes. It might be contended that Jesus held himself aloof from questions involving political economy, but His aim was to introduce the Christ spirit into all authority rule. He held Himself amenable human law, and acknowledged that government was of divine authorization. With methods of government he did not deal. The form of government then was a simple autocracy. The common people were ground down by laws, in the making of which they had no choice. Today, in this country, Vox Populi Vox Dei, is the motto government and people. Christ's mission was among the common people of that day, and it might well be that the common people shall now be the voice through which the Almighty God shall speak. The speaker believed that the same voice which sounded in synagogues and through the storms on Galilee or on the quiet mountain sides, would, if Jesus were in the flesh 'n Canada today be heard appealing through the length and breadth of the whole country, for men to rise in their manhood and exercise their power and influence for the destruction of the evil which is so

destructive to the hopes and prospects Jesus employed human agencies to carry out His purposes. If we are worthy successors of those to whom He trusted His work, we will act as they would have acted, under His inspiration. The people of Canada are given today such an opportunity as of equal relative importance since time began. If Napoleon in Egypt could say to his soldiers, "From yonder pyramid forty centuries survey on the 29th of Septetmber let him who

act before the judgment bar of God; and if in the early morning there should ever stagger over the doorstep of his home a loved son who has spent a night of decauchery, or if the girl he loves should live in wretchedness and woe because of being linked to a rum cursed man, his cries and tears will be but a hollow mockery in the face of high heaven.

because of his attachment to the home. There is no spot so sacred, and there is no such enemy to it as the rum traffic. He would sustain it because of his attachment to young men. If young men would attain to responsible position they must begin early and stick to it till death. Life is not long enough that we can afford to vaste the precious moments. Give the

Christ would sustain this measure because the rum traffic is the greatest adversary if missionary enterprise and opposed to all the principles of His kingdom.

a strong temperance and moral senti-ment as today, and never so many men ready to stand for God and the right. In conclusion he pictured an Anglo-American alliance, the dream of patriot and poet, in which the fair-est gen shall be this Canada of ours. Rum and war shall die together and Christ shall live and reign over a people who in reference to everey question will first ask, What would Jesus

REV. W. J. MINCHIN.

At the Congregational church last cvening Rev. W. J. Minchin preached on the coming plebiscite. What is the plebiscite? It is to test the sentiment of the people on prohibition.
The temperance people have made the motion, the government has seconded it and the people are going to vote on it in about six weeks. The question is, what is your sentiment? There are two ways of looking at the question: 1, the moral side: 2, the side of expediency. The basis of all reform is education; reforms have been brought about by legislation. The introductiom of text books into our public schools on the subject of alcohol is proof that our reformers believe this. There is the question of revenue. The government is receiving a total revenue from the liquor traffic every year the sum of \$7,071,215. This amounts to about \$1.37 per head of our population. It is asked how we can provide this amount if we do not obtain it from the liquor traffic. The fact is the fact is that under prohibition the country will be richer and our national revenue helped instead of hindered. Gladstone made the following remarks: "Gentlemen, you need not clies required any travelle need not give yourselves any trouble about the revenue. The question of revenue must never stand in the way of needed reforms. Besides, with a sober population, not wasting their earnings, I shall know where to obtain the reveaue." Sir Stafford Northcote, another eminent British chancellar of the exchequer, said: "If the revenue diminishes from increased habits of temperance, the amount of wealth such a dearest temperance to the amount of wealth such a dearest staff to the same and the such a dearest staff to the same and the sam

the nation would utterly throw into the shade the amount of revenue that is now deprived from the spirit duty, and we should not only see with satisfaction a diminution of the revenue from such a cause, but should find in various ways that the ex-chequer would not suffer the losses which it might sustain in that direc-

Hon. Geo. E. Foster and many other Canadian statesmen have as forcibly expressed the same views. The last named gentleman on one occasion, after setting out the vast drain that the liquor traffic had made upon the country during a number of preceding years, added these words: "The won-der is that with such terrible waste our country enjoys any prosperity. If this waste could be made to cease, Canada in ten years would not know herself, so prosperous and wealthy would she have grown." Speaking on another occasion of the probable re-sults of prohibition upon the national revenue, he said: "Although direct receipts from this traffic would certainly be expunged from our revenue still the improvement in the general commerce of the country, the improvement in the general welfare and well-being of our community, would be so great that the receipts in all other branches of our revenues would there would practically, after the first year or so, not be any diminution whatever in our revenues from our

tax payers." Let us look for a few moments at the state of Maine. The people there have been educated to prohibition. and are not going to give it up. In 1884 the vote upon the prohibitory amendment was as follows: For-70,-783; against-23,811; majority for prohibition, 46,972. The laws must have moral sentiment to enforce them. Statistics show a great decrease in the number of drunks, deaths from delirium tremens, paupers, convicts, etc., in the state since 1855. There are not one-sixth as many drunks as

When the army was encamped at Chickamauga the government opened canteens in the camps; but the Kansas regiment did not allow them to keep them open. They enforced their laws by their sentiments.

We have in Canada about 150 brewing and malting establishments with 1,885 employes. If converted into factories they would probably give employment to more than eight times as many persons and would pay annually in wages eight millions of dollars, against the less than one million now pail by the breweries. The liquor traffic restricts industry and brings poverty; prohibition promotes busi-

ress and brings prosperity.

This is the greatest opportunity of the age; we should vote and stand for righteousness. This is a political question, but not party politics; we given today such an opportunity as should stand for the best thing for never was given to any other nation the general public. Is it right for men to drink and deprive their wives and children of necessities? The time is coming when we shall see the value der pyramid forty centuries survey of the work we are doing. There has your conduct," we can well feel that the eye of nations and the eye of God tion. We should put ourselves on record at the very beginning. We should study the movement, encourdares vote nay renember that he will age the young men, and by prayer have to face the responsibility of his and sympathy put ourselves on the right side

REV. L. G. MACNEILL. From the text: "Neither be partakers of other Men's Sins," Rev. L. G. Macneill spoke on the Prohibition Plebiscite last evening. He was glad that the government had given time for a full discussioin of the important onsiderable difficulty as to the expediency of the measure proposed to be enacted. His difficulty was not as to the legitimacy of such legislation. The position had been taken by Principal Grant that until the church has taken the ground that it was a sin to make, sell or buy that which intoxicates, she has no right to ask her people to vote for prohibition. There was little force in such reasoning, seeing that the ground of prohibition not the sin of the thing, but the amount and character of its evil effects upon society. It is no sin to carry a concealed weapon, to gallop a horse along a crowled street, to sell tainted meat, but the law rightly prohibits these because they are danger-ous and damaging. Intemperance is a sin, possibly the most gigantic evil, viewed from a moral or social standpoint, which surses our world. And if it can be shown that any traffic produces intemperance or increases it, society has inherent right to protect itself. Principal Grant asks, "Does conscience affirm prohibition?" and answers decidedly no. We reply neither does conscience affirm the suppression of lotteries, the spread of obscene literature through the mails, and the existence of nuisances, and yet society prohibits and has a right to detery promities and has a right to uppress these injurious things. Beldes our excise legislation is based on his principle. What is our license we but a prohibitory law, with an ocasional exception. Does not the right to isprive an overwhelming majority of people from engaging in the traffic imply the right to suppress the traffic altogether? Let it be admitted that the traffic is a public danger and that the traffic is a public danger and damage, a fruitful cause of intemperance which is a sin, and that society has the right to protect itself as far as statute law can protect it against such a danger, and you have the clearest ground for prohibitory legislation. Should it be objected that in a free Should it be objected that in a free country we ought not to interfere with a man's liberty, it may be said in reply that while we arrest and imprison a man who poisons our water, or adulterates our food, or who publishes an obscene paper, we surely have the right to limit a man's liberty when it interference with the Health and wall he

interferes with the life and well being of his neighbor.

Nor, again, was the preacher's ditificulty that of the late Dr. Crosby of New York, who said that "such a law would be a reflection upon Jesus Christ, who made wine, and drank wine, and ordered his people to drink it in commemoration of His sacrifice for sin." For if prohibition has to do, not with the sinfulness, but merely with the damaging results of the thing nterferes with the life and well bewith the damaging results of the thing prohibited, there can be no reflection on our Savisus's acts. Besides, it may be right under certain circumstances habits of temperance, the amount of to prohibit even what our Saviour did. wealth such a change would bring to As one has remarked, "Jesus as a

carpenter probably built frame houses in Nazareth. Many cities have a law prohibiting such houses. But surely ch a law is no reflection on the Saviour." Prohibition of anything by human law does not make it a sin; and should the government, in re-

sporse to the coming vote enact pro-hibition, it will not be a greater sir to drink wine afterwards than it was

in our Lord's day. These were not the real difficulties. The question is as to the expediency of such a measure. In the light of history, experience, and all the facts within our reach, would such a law be a benefit to Canada? Good temparance men have their doubts. They have studied the working of the Scott act, the Maine law, and other examples of partial prohibition, and they have learnt that in the centres of population "prohibition does not prohibit." They are witnesses to the un-workableness of the Scott act. They have read the statement that since its repeal in Ontario arrests for drunkenness have fallen from 4,700 to 1,700. They have learnt how when prohibition was law in New Brunswick it gave birth to greater evils than it was intended to destroy. They think of "the Quixotism" of un experiment of the kind in a dominion with a boundary line of thousands of miles, on the other side of which the traffic is lawful. They hear the terrible pre-dictions of would-be prophets, that it is going to result in "a frightful car-nival of intemperance and of public immorality," and though they are far from accepting such sweeping forebodings, yet they naturally hesitate. They fear that the legislation may be provocative of a law-breaking spirit; that not being grounded on moral conviction it may be esteemed heroic to break it. They are led to prefer to be "a law-abiding people with bad laws to a law-breaking people with good laws." Others see another difficulty in the disarrangement of the country's revenue. New taxes must be imposed. Will the two political parties agree in political party football for years to come? Mr. Macneill has no fear for the revenue. Even at its rate of increase for the past year we could He had long been convinced that the revenues derived from this tax are enormously outweighed by the burdens which the consequences of the traffic entail on the nation's resources. It would take a very small part of our annual liquor expenses to recoup the treesury for the revenue forfeited by prohibition. He, however, had his doubts of the patriotism of the politicians, and was not quite sure that they would take kindly to the work of destroying the goose that laid the golden egg of ten millions annual revenue. Possibly the people also were yet unprepared for the addition of \$2 or \$3 a head to their annual tax-bills. Nevertheless he felt sure that if prohibition really succeeded, the Christien people of Canada would willingly shoulder the extra burden. Mr. Macneill is not at all sanguine that even an overwhelming majority gained through agitation, through party and political methods, would represent the calm, deliberate convictions of the people; and therefore it is uncertain that such a neasure, if passed, would be much of an improvement upon pre-sent laws. Nevertheless he will vote quietly for trying the experiment. He will do so on the principle of his text, that he ought "not to be a partaker of other men's sins." He urged strongly against the licensing of a traffic productive of such evils. Said her "I do not drink. I do not ask others to drink. I do not sell or make drink. No. I do none of these things. But I

In this free country we are responsible for the sins of government. As Kip-

transgression! My friends, I am no

"The sins we commit in twos and So far as the license law is prohibitory, our conscience sanctions it; not further. I feel that I am putting my sheltering arms around the greatest moral evil in the land so long as I license what results in such evil. I cannot quiet the reproaches of conleast lessened my tax bill. Now that the issue is put squarely before me for the first time: "Will you be a partaker in other men's sins by licensing the traffic." Can I hesitate a moment? Whatever my views on the efficacy of however I may think of the unripeness of the country for such a law; what-ever doubts I may have about the possibility of totally abolishing the business, or even of securing by law a bigher level of temperance practice in the community; whatever my fears of encouraging law-breaking, or of bringcept the principle of prohibition as scriptural, just and necessary, and to reject the principle underlying a liceuse law as to some extent at least, making me "partaker of other men's

Thus some of us must vote, although not by any means confident that much improvement in practical temperance will result from the law. Some of us have some to believe that the cause of temperance has more to hope from the gospel than from the law; that the best way to make men temperate is by the same method as they are made truthful, honest, and forgiving; not chiefly by restrictive and prohibitive laws, but by the leavening and educative influences of the gospel of Jesus Christ. Get men to gospel of Jesus Christ, Get men to accept Christ, to study and low Christ, and they will be like Christ, and love to Him will be a law to them inore effective than any law secured by ballot.

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THE CAMPBELLTON WATER WORKS PROCEEDINGS.

William Pugsley C. C., returned from Campbellton Friday. The water works expropriation arbitration proceedings are not finished yet. On the contrary, they will probably be good for another ten days, but Mr. Pugsley took advantage of a sort of hill to get away for a day. He is acting with Mr. Stockton and local counsel for the Water Works company, of which Senator Thibideau of Quebec is the most prominent member. Mr. Pugsley states that a large amount of evidence has been taken and he is of the opinion that the company has already proved greater value than the \$50,000 offered by the town. If the award is higher than the offer the costs of these proceedings will be paid by the town. Otherwise the cost will fall on the company.

BRITAIN AND CANADA.

Interesting Letter Received by ex-Mayor Robertson While in London.

The Tide of Emigration, Says the Writer, Should Now be Diverted to Canada.

In his report to the city council this week ex-Mayor Robertson alluded to numerous letters which he received while in the old country, indicating the wide-spread interest in Canadian af-fairs which now prevails there. The following is an example of these letters. The writer of it is a member of a large mercantile firm in London. It speaks for itself:

Geo Robertson, Esq., St. John, N. B.:

Dear Sir,—I had the pleasure of
hearing your interesting address to
the London Chamber of Commerce

the London Chamber of Commerce yesterday, and cordially joined in the vote of thanks tendered you.

Indeed, I do not think that we in the old country can have too much enlightenment in relation to the different sections constituting the British empire. There is nothing like personal touch, and the more frequent the beter in the interests of all.

Canada has always possessed great interest for me, and I have been for many years troubled at the enormous flow of emigration to the United States, while to the dominion, equal-

States, while to the dominion, equally near, possessing to a settler I should think quite equal if not superior advantages, the flow has been so small. Further, so far as my personal experience and observation goes, life in the dominion possesses. more of repose and quiet content, in contrast to the worry and drive of the

United States.
It has been this enormous and cotinuous flow for more than fifty years past, of ready-made men and women (whom it has not cost the States a cent to raise) which has de-States a cent to raise) which has developed her enormous resources and wealth, and made her what she is to day, while the dominion, possessing equal natural resources, has been languishing for want of what the United States has had in superabundance. Now, this is a state of things which has been allowed to exist too long, to the grievous injury of the dominion and every other portion of the empire.

The present moment appears most auspicious for reversing this condition of things. First, the recent auspicious visit of the dominion premier has brought your country prominently before the attention of the United Kingdom. Second, the Klondyke development has created world-wide interest, and in this connection I call to mind the influence of the gold discoveries. the influence of the gold discoveries in Australia, prior to which time development there had been painfully slow, but afterwards it grew by leaper and bounds. Again, the gold discoveries in California had a like influence on the Pacific coast.

As you remarked yesterday, the di-verting of traffic out of an old rut to difficult, and to divert the flow of emi-gration so that the major number shall settle in the dominion would need strenuous effort; but in view of the enormous benefits which would the enormous benefits which would flow to all concerned, no stone should be left unturned to effect such a no-

progressed.

Assuming this commercies uself to your judgment, then, you being upon the spot would enable you to bring the subject personally before our calonial office, and, on your return, before the dominion government.

Your visit would thus enable you not only to serve St. John and the maritime provinces, but the whole of your wide and great continent, and indeed the British empire.

With best wishes for the entire was

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INDIA'S NEW RULER.

a few days ago, neral, has now given India a states man. Good soldiers are not so scarce in Great Britain at first-class states men, and the position of governo pared with that of the viceron pointment and not the cause of it. Mr. Curzon goes to India because India requires a governor general who knows the business both of India statesmanship and foreign diplomacy. The difficult problems in British foreign policy are nearly all in Asia, and India in the centre of British power and injuence in that ontinent. Besides all that India is melf in some respects the greatest empire in the world.

The man who bears rule in India I laced over more than three-fourths of her majesty's subjects and feudatories. The subjects of Great Britain in India are more in number than all the subjects of any other covereign three times as many subjects of any foreign nation except China. viceroy of India is a real ruler, though of course his power is not absolute. He has to face the most difficult problem of domestic statesmanship, having un-der him people of many races and faiths, people who are servile and humble enough, and others who are wild, fierce and fanatical. India is the abode of the ignorant and stupid, but also of the eleverest of all the Asiatics. It is a country where a ruling states man is required to keep his eyes open wider than in any other part of the Queen's dominions, and a country where the claimate and the surroungs hold out all inducements to m shut. It has been the scene told heroic efforts by the British ple in the field, and of noble toil

nime minister has thought it not too nuch to give to India his own right

hand man. Mr. Curzon is one of the o fast that their names are not found in many works of reference. But for haree years his name has been famil-iar to all who have taken an interest in to all who have taken an interest in British foreign affairs. As the re-presentative in the commons of the foreign office he has explained and defended the action of the depart-ment, for a parliamentary secretary is much in evidence when the secre-tary of state for his department is a tary of state for his department is a peer. If, as has been the case a good deal of the time, the head of the depart-ment is ill, the parliamentary secre-tary has also a large share of the working as well as the talking respon-sibility. Mr. Curzon has steadily won his way to the first rank and, while yet in the thirties, he goes to India to take up the task which has proved rather too heavy for his predecessor.

The new viceroy is the son of Lord
Scarsdale, who is a peer by inheritence and a clergyman by occupation.

Before his marriage to Miss Leiter, whose brother has recently made dubious reputation as a wheat dealer in Chicago, he was a fellow of Allls, Oxford. In 1885 he was appoin ted private secretary to Lord Salis-bury, and the same year he was a de-feated candidate for the house of commons. Elected in 1886 as a unic the began at once to take an interest in the affairs of India. This interest wa "Russia in Central Asia," and "Persia and the Persian Question." In 1891 he became under secretary for India. His party went out the next year, but a great disappointment to his frien his party and the public generally.

THE NEW CANADIAN LIBERAL

sit daily in the gallery of the legisla tive chamber at Toronto while the house is in session, and watch the pro-ceedings with deep and abiding interare members of the Ontario governagriculture. They watch the proceed-ings from the gallery because they have no seats in the house. Six months ago Mr. Gibson and Mr. Dry-den ceased to be members of the legis-

nister should be allowed a reason able time to find a seat. Half a year ppears to be more than a reasonable time, but the two ministers go on drawing their pay, and managing the affairs of their department as if they epresented somebody. They control atronage, dismiss offensive partisans, eward their supporters, and act the part of public servants just as if the

public had not dismissed them. These two irresponsibles are liberal of course. It is in these days only the liberal party that shows such fine disregard of the people's verdict at the polls or for the people's opinion or the people's interest anywhere. These two liberals who have notice to quit out will not go are watching from the allery while the other two-thirds of government is trying to pass a law to head off the action of the courts on ction petitions. The remnant of the liberal government is trying to enact that the votes of liberal election officers though the courts may declare them illegal, shall be counted so far as o keen the conservative candidates out of the seats that are legally theirs. liberal candidates now sitting Eight liberal candidates now sittle in the house under protest on accoun of these disputed votes, propose vote the competing candidates out seats. This is the sp ers of the house, but who hang allery. When they are not watching hey are in the lobby giving piracy. Such is liberalism as we have it in these modern days in this country. -

Where do these noble couple go fo a precedent? They have found one in the case of Mr. Gladstone, who once held office from Desember to July without a seat in the house. This occurred no less than fifty-two years ago, whe responsibility to the people was hardly established and when governments lefeated at the polls, held on as atter of course till the next parlia ment met. Nothing less than half a century old can be found to natch the ourse of these hangers-on to office. It harpens that Mr. Gladstone himcussed the precedent when it was half a century old. Writing to the North American Review, he said: e custom of not having ministers of the
m without seats is rarely departed from,
in an individual case; never, as far as
knowledge goes, on a larger scale,
om accidental circumstances it happened
I was a secretary of state between Deer, 1845, and July, 1846, without a seat
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house of commons, which did not wholly pass without ign) is I believe by much the most e instance for the last 50 years; and it within the last 50 years that our within the last 50 years that our

up, and to have been abandoned in British countries fifty years ago, has been restored by the liberalism of

THE DOWNFALL OF MR. FISHER

Hon. S. A. Fisher, minister of agri-culture, has been regarded as the proin the field, and of noble toil He was the spokesman of the temper-he who wrote that wonderful letter to rose lm suffering—equally heroic and ance party on the liberal side before the vatican on behalf of the prime ed the Woman's Christian Temperance Union last winter that he intended to take an active part in the plebiscite campaign. The campaign is now on and Mr. Fisher is one of the large colony of ministers who are touring in Surope. But this is not the worst of it. Mr. Fisher has cent us a marked copy of the London Post containing an interview of the representative of that paper with him. Mr. Fisher told the Post what the government was doing for the Canadian farmers in promoting the butter and cheese inustry, and went on to commend Canadian farm product generally. Passing on to the discussion of fruit, Mr. Fisher said: "Our peaches are not "quite so large as your hothouse peaches, but they have a finer taste, and our grapes, though you have not yet taken to their peculiar flavor, we our cold-storage system we can now perfect condition. Our making of mental stage, but we hope to make something of it."

If Mr. Fisher hopes to make some-hing out of the manufacture of wine, what must be the position of his wicked partners?

THE END OF THE WAR.

The war is now technically over, though it is possible that more fighting may take place in the Philippines before the order to suspend hostilisupposed to terminate with the signing of the protocols, which took place Friday. Several matters of detail remain to be settled by commissioners, but the main result of the war is the utter extinction of the colonial power of Spain. She gives up her West Indian possessions at once, and no doubt the ultimate result will be her withdrawal from all the islands of the east. The loss of Cuba and Porto Pico is a great humilistica. of the east. The loss of Cuba and Porto Rico is a great humiliation to Spain. Havana was once burned by French privateers and once captured by the British. But during a period of four hundred years since the time of Columbus Cuba has not passed out of the normal possession of Spain. Of the once great Buropean powers who in old times claimed this continent Spain was the first on the ground. No other European nation has held possession of as large a part of this continent as Spain. Today Spain is practically left without a foothold in the western world.

stern world. western world.

Now that the United States has driven Spain from Cuba, Porto Rico and the Philippines, she has to replace Spanish power with some other. There are Cubans who want to rule Cuba and who suppose that Spain was driven out for their benefit. There are lature, each having been handsomely defeated in his own constituency

Why do they remain in the cabinet? It may be asked. In fact the question is asked. But it is not answered, except by the remark that a defeated of the two.

A SERIOUS ASPECT OF THE PLE SPORTING MATTERS RISCITE

While it is true that the prohibition ists, and the temperance people generally did not ask for the plebiscit and did not want it, they are by the lebiscite act brought face to face with a great responsibility. What the government may do if a large majorprohibition car not be known. But The Canadian Wins the Second there is no doubt of the result in case the majority vote against prohibition or in case the vote in its favor is very small. Sir Wilfrid has refused to say more than that if the people vote for prohibition the government will "take the matter into consideration." But when a government asks the people to say whether they want prohibition; when \$250,000 is paid out of the public treasury to take the vote, and four five times that amount in time and money is taken out of the people interested in the contest, the governnotice of the opinion expressed. Should tion, what possible answer can the But suppose the test goes the other way. Then the government will have

an answer to every demand for proto the record of the vote as their justification for refusing even to consider the question. It will probably be many before another plebisoite is ordered. During that period it will be terested in the manufacture and sale of liquor to say that the people of Canada are opposed to a prohibitory

egative is a statement that the man who casts the ballot is not in favor of a prohibitory law for this country on save for about twenty minutes, when any terms or conditions. If a major-ity of the people who go to the polla vote in that sense, or if comparatively ew go to the polls to vote for prohi-This would perhaps be a great relief for many public men, but the possibility of it :s a matter of serious port to those who have looked forward to the legal suppression of the iquor trade.

CONSULTING HIS CLIENTS. Mr. Charles Russell, son of the Lord Chief Justice of England, is paying a visit to Ottawa. Mr. Russell is the solicitor in England and also at Rome of the Laurier government. It was he who wrote that wonderful letter to rose and others were also out during ociates, which was published in paper during the late session of par llament. It will be rememb in this letter Mr. Russell, for the Manitoba school settlement only a partial settlement, or first in stallment of justice. He also implored the Vatican to appoint a permanent delegate or ambassador to reside at Ottawa in order that negotiations might the more readily be carried on hereafter. Mr. Russell is receiving several thousand dollars a year from the dominion as solicitor for Canada in London The old and reliable of English solicitors who have been doing business for Canada almost since the union of the colonies were displaced to give him a chance. The old firm did the business well, but on Vatican diplomacy they were not worth a cent. Mr. Russell has probsell them on the other side at 1d. a ably come to Canada for fresh in-pound wholesale. With the aid of structions, and meanwhile Sir Wilfrid structions, and meanwhile Sir Wilfrid deliver the most delicate fruits in The premier has to keep up the game of persuading the Protestants that he has prevented a surrender to Rome, and of convincing the Vatican that h is making concessions to the Roman Catholic church, which the late government refused. This requires continual bargaining with Greenway, and many memorials to Rome.

Statisticians figure out that th Spanish war will cost the United States nearly a billion dollars, or say States nearly a billion the republished for each family in the republished is made: This is how the estimate is ma Current war expenses\$400,000, State expenditure Citizens' contribution to sol-Interest on war debt . . . Probable new pensions . . . Value of the Maine

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Canada Loses First International Yacht Race Through a Foul.

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YACHTING.

Yacht Races.

Gracie M. Wins Saturday's Race. the weather at Millidgeville is similar to that of St. John, but those who fog and finding, less than three miles away, at Millidgeville, a fine, warm mmer day and brilliant sunsh up series marked down for Saturday's fixture, and when the prepara be told that the test was one demand-ed by themselves, and that by their own method of inquiry they have found the country in favor of action.

On Friday in the endeavor to on Friday in the endeavor to get everything completed, it was after

> creating, however, a very favorable The yachts crossed the line in the following order:

four o'clock on Saturday afternoon

before she made her appearance,

ada in setting the spinnaker on the run to the first buoy, the Thetis getting hers out and crossing the line simultaneously. The wind was, as usual lately, from the southwest, and the race was half through, not very much of it. The Canada took the lead before reaching the first buoy, but the rest of the yachts bunched pretty ition, that question will be set at well until more than half the course est for a good many years to come: had been sailed, the Gracie M., Thetic had been sailed, the Gracie M., Thetis and Kathleen reaching the second buoy almost simultaneously and turning the half way buoy opposite the club house within ten seconds of each other.

The appearance of the fleet on the long reach down river was a very pretty one, as each yacht had every nch of canvas set that would draw in order to make the most of the light wind. Several yachts of the squadron ecompanied the racers over the course, the Kelpie for some time acting as pace maker to the Canada.
The 'Ariel, 'Armorel, Sylph, Blue

The yachts turned out as follows:	the sta	
noy as conoms.	H.	M.
Canada	3	.34
Gracie M	3	39
Thetis	3	39
Kathleen	3	39
Beatrice	3	40
Sunol	3	42

to make the Beatrice show to the best advantage, and the Sunol did not carry enough sail. After the half way buoy the yachts strung out considerably, and finally

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Canada	4	32	
Gracia M	4	41	55
Thetis	4	42	
Beatrice	4	, 46	
Kathleen	4	51	88
Sunol	4	4	
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Curiously enough, the time allowances only change the positions of two of the yachts, the Canada and Gracie M., the latter winning with a time al-lowance of 7m. 38sec. by 2m. 4 secs.

The Gracle M. having now won two of the series has a good chance of winning it on the morning of Labor day, unless that race should be taken by the Thetis or Beatrice, in which case a tie would result.

A very large number of ladies were present at Saturday's race, and if the attractions of Milidgeville were more fully known the present club house, large though it is, would certainly not be able to accommodate all the visitors.

The officers of the day were Com-

The officers of the day were Com-modore Fairweather, referee, and F. Herbert J. Ruel, timer.

The next fixtures will be on Labor day at Millidgeville, when the final race for the Willis cup will be sailed in the morning and the first race for the Ruel challenge shield in the after-

erican boat on a foul. It appears that just as the yachts were coming up to the starting point the Dominion crowded the Challenger so that the latter was compelled to after her helm. The two boats did not come together, but the foul was there just the same, though it did not affect the

Condition Powder

race proper nor handican the American boat in the slightest. Splendid eamanship was seen in handling the two boats, and a great many were surprised to see how stiffly the Do-minion stool up to the breeze, while the Challenger was markedly keeled over. In beating to windward the Dominion showed marked superiority ind always gained enough to be able d the faster boat. Then again netty fair line could be got of the nerits of both craft, for there was every sort of wind from a light puff to a heavy blow coming from all points of the compass. At the start, which was made at 2.15, the wind was blowing smartly. The first buoy was nade as follows:

On the run back the Challenger gained steadily. This was evidently her strong point. In fact she picked up the Dominion so rapidly that at the end of the first riund she was

In the second round the wind continued to fall, and both boats shook out their last reefs and set larger jibs. The wind shifted in favor of the Challenger, but even with this advantage she could not point as high as the Dominion. The boats rounded the outer buoy as follows:

There was a gain of forty seconds for the Dominion. On the run back the wind shifted again, and in setting ner larger spinnaker the Dominion's gear fouled, and before the sail could be hoisted the Challenger came and over hand. She made up nearly her lee way, and when the round closed there was only ten seconds difference in the turning times of the two boats.

H. M. S. 3 41 40 3 41 50 In the third round the wind freshened again and drew further round to the westward. The superiority of the Dominion in the windward work evident, and she drew rapidly ah Once more, while the caps began to sparkle, the boats turned the outer

4 11 On the run home the Challenger's superiority before the wind was again apparent. Yard by yard she gained on the Dominion. As the boats near ed the stakeboat she seemed to simply shoot allead. Had the run beer five seconds longer she would probably have won. As it was there was barely a boat's length between them when they sailed past the stakeboat.

The Dominion Wins in the International Race.

MONTREAL, Aug. 15.-The Dominion today administered a decisive beating to the American boat Challenger, beating her by two minutes and forty seconds. In doing this the Caradian boat beat the American representative on every leg of the triangular course, which was covered three times, except on the run out to the first buoy, and in that the Challenger fouled the Dominion, though Duggan did not enter a formal protest. Duggan sailed his own boat to day, and though Jarvis of Toronto is a good sailor he is not in the same class with Duggan when it comes to hardling a small boat. Again the Dominion showed her ability to beat up into the wind, and this gave her an immense advantage over the Chal-lenger. Running before the wind the Challenger again proved the faster boat. The time of race was as fol-

1.38 SECOND ROUND THIRD ROUND. THE WHEEL

Michael Declined to Meet Linton BOSTON, Aug. 15.—A message was eccived by the Charles River park management this afternoon from Wm. the track, and also of Linton, says that the contract was made in April and it called for 32 pace makers. Today Michael asked for unlimited pace and to have the riders start from opposite sides of the track. Both these re-quests were acceded to and then Mi-chael declined to meet Linton.

The Olivette was late in arriving at indiantown yesterday morning, hav-ng been detained at Gagetown by a

A CANADIAN OFFICER Captain Ketchum of the United States

Army Dead, After a Long Illness. NEW York, Aug. 13.—Capt. Hiral H. Ketchum, commanding company D. Avon-by-the-Sea, N. J., yesterday, ged 55. He had been ill nearly a New York on sick leave from Fort Crook, Neb. A short time before he ecured leave of absence he was mar-

James S. Casey, Capt. Ketchum was suffering from a form of nervous prostration. When war was declared and his regiment was ordered to Cuba, his doctor would not permit him rejoining it, and after that his invalid condition grew worse. Capt. Ketchum was a member of the Reform and Army and Navy clubs. He was born in Canada, and on September 20, 1861. enlisted for a year as a private in company K, 16th New York infantry At the end of his time he re-enfisted as a private in company 1, First New York Volunteer Engineers, He was discharged on May 30, 1865, and on February 23rd, 1866, he was commissioned second lieutenant of the Thirteenth Infantry. He was made captain in the Twer specond on July 20,

HOW ONE OF OUR LADY READERS MAKES A GOOD LIVING.

I have noticed the different ways in which some of your readers have been making money, and I wish now to give my experience. I am selling Bairds Non-Alcoholic Flavoring Powders, never making less than \$3 a day, and I oftentimes clear over \$5. These powders are much cheaper than the liquids and they go twice as far. From one to eight different flavors can be sold at most every house for flavoring ice cream, custards, cakes candies, etc., and they give to any delicacy in which they are put that richness of flavor so common to the fruits and flowers they represent Guaranteed to be perfectly healthful By writing to W. H. Baird & Co., Station A., Pittsburg, Pa., they will give you full particulars and give you a start. I give my experience, hoping that others who are in need of employment can do as well as I have. A CONSTANT READER.

CONCERT AT HATFIELD'S POINT HATFUELD'S POINT, Aug. 15 .-The people of this place had the op-portunity afforded them on Saturday evening, 13th inst., of listening to a musical and literary entertainment gotten up for the benefit of the new parsonage about to be constructed here. The concert was under the management of W. F. Nobles of St. John and Mrs. S. D. Ervine of this place. The following programme was very successfully carried out: Trio. There is Music in the Air, by D. B. Pidgeon, F. Simpson and W. F. Nobles; children's chorus; reading by Mrs. F A. Cain; solo by Miss Lena Lake duet, Love Divine, by Mrs. F. A. Cain and D. L. Nobles; reading by Mrs. R. Somerville, giving a brief account of herself and her husband's voyage to and shipwreck at Arakayou, South America, on schooner John H. Cross in Dec. 1896; children's chorus; reading, Black Reynold, by Mrs. F. A. Cain; solo by D. B. Pidgeon; solo by Mrs. F. A. Cain; address by Capt. Brannan; duet, In the Cross of Christ I Glory, by Mrs. R. B. Somerville and W. F. Nobles; hallelujah chorus and national anthe The entertainment was held in the new Temperance hall, and this neatly new Temperance hall, and this neatly finished edifice was crowded to its utmost capacity. The above selections were very heartily received. Special mention should be made of David Pidgeon's solos, in which he showed the beautiful qualities of his rich baritone voice, and also of Mrs. Fred A. Cain, who displayed her pleasing qualities as an elocutionist and solo singer. The above mentioned conconsidered to be the best ever given in this place. The sum realized amounted to \$18.

The excavating for the new Baptist

parsonage will be completed by Fri-lay next, and the carpenters will begin work on the 22nd inst. The pulpit of the First Baptist church was occupied last evening by Rev. B. H. Nobles of Kentville, N. S., who delivered an able sermon from the words found in John ix.:29, which was very attentively listened to by a large congregation. During the ser-

ors here are Mrs. (Dr.) F. A. Wood-ury of Brattleboro, Vt. Mrs. P. R. tors here are Mrs. (Dr.) F. A. Wood-bury of Brattleboro, Vt. Mrs. R. B. Somerville of New York, Misses Lucy and Marjorie White of Boston, Mrs. A. B. Foster of Ottawa, Mrs. J. Simp-son, Fred and Burpee Simpson, Misses Hattle and Minnie Simpson, D. L. Nobles and family, Mrs. Fred A. Cain and W. F. Nobles, all of St. John. D. B. Pidgeon and F. A. Cain spent Sunday here

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-Capt. Hiral H. g company D, nfantry, died at J., yesterday. en ill nearly a ave from Fort time before he ice he was maraughter of Col. t. Ketchum was m of nervous was ordered to d not permit him that his invalid Capt. Ketchum the Reform and s. He was born ptember 20, 1861, as a private in York infantry. e he re-enfisted any 1, First New ineers. He was 30, 1865, and on ant of the Thirwas made capcond on July 20,

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well as I have.

ANT READER

TIELD'S POINT.

OINT, Aug. 15.place had the ophem on Saturday of listening to a ary entertainment efit of the new o be constructed was under the F. Nobles of St. D. Ervine of this programme was carried out: Trio the Air, by D. B. son and W. F. horus: reading by lo by Miss Lena ivine, by Mrs. F. obles; reading by giving a brief acid her husband's wreck at Araka 1896; children's ack Reynold, by solo by D. B. s. F. A. Cain; adnan; duet, In the lory, by Mrs. R. . F. Nobles: halnational anthem. was held in the , and this neatly

crowded to its above selections received. Special made of David which he showed es of his rich bari-of Mrs. Fred A. ed her pleasing cutionist and solo mentioned con-to be the best ice. The sum rethe new Baptist

carpenters will ne First Baptist last evening by Kentville, N. S., e sermon from John ix.:29, which During the ser-t sang Abide with

Dr.) F. A. Woodork, Misses Lucy of Boston, Mrs. a. Mrs. J. Simpe Simpson, Misses Simpson, D. L. Mrs. Fred A. Cain ll of St. John. D. Cain spent Sun-

CITY NEWS. Recent Events in and Around St. John.

Together With Country Items from Correspondents and Exchanges

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THE SUN PRINTING COMPANY. issuing weekly 8,500 copies of THE WEEKLY SUN, challenges the circulation of all papers published in the Maritime Provinces. Advertisers. please make a note of this.

Ald, Geo. H. Waring has been ap-pointed representative of American Lloyds in this city.

Members of St. John and county W C. T. Unions are requested to meet in Orange hall on Tuesday, August 18th at 3 p. m.

There will be no appeal in the school bond case, judgment having been signed on the 9th day of August against the school trustees for \$477.45.

Residents of Hampstead experienced two distince earthquake shocks, the first on Sunday morning about 4.15 o'clock.

The bank clearings at Halifax for the last week was \$1,356,848, compared with \$1,542,013 for same week last

Messrs. Case of Wickham are cutting and pressing the hay on the Loder farm in Sheffield, Sunbury Co., for Geo. F. Baird. Thomas Irvine & Co., forwarding

agents and marine insurance brokers of Liverpool and Southampton, write that Fenton Irvine has been admitted to partnership in the firm. The death occurred last Sunday of

Joseph Bates, father of Edward Bates, the well known builder, at the age of seventy-eight years. The re-mains were taken to Gondola Point for interment

The Coldbrook Rolling mills are now in full operation, making all kinds of merchantable iron, including wire nails and spikes. W. H. Thorne & Co., are the business agents. Officer John T. Kelly, of the inland revenue department, is after the scalps

of illicit whiskey makers in Kent county. News has been received that he has just captured a still in full series of fifteen photographic views of the maritime boys' camp at doat island is on exhibition at the Y.

M. C. A. reading room. They are from the studio of Parker of Yarmouth, and are very fine. All interested in the camp should see them. Mrs. W. C. Robinson, sister of his

honor the lieutenant governor of the province, died Friday at Riverside. Albert county, at an advanced age. on had been for some years a member of the household of his nonor.

Copies of Mr. Fielding's budget speech, "with the compliments of Hon.
A. G. Blair," have been received by most of the electors of Queens and Sunbury. And that is all they have received, so far, from the minister of

A friend of the Charlottetown Guar dian informs that paper that John M. Campbell of the Light Brigade was shot in the leg before Santiago and is now in a New York hospital. Mr. Campbell belongs near Alberton, P. E. I., and two letters of his have ap-peared in the Guardian.

A Kars correspondent writes: "M. S. W. Merritt and family, and Miss Eliza W. Merritt and family, and Miss Ediza. Dowling of St. John spent Sunday at Shannon. Rev. Mr. Gordon, pastor of the Baptist church, is here on a vacation. L. Urquhart will be laid up all summer with a sprained ankle. The hay crop is excellent."

One of the most respected citizens of Blackville, W. H. Grindley, died Thursday morning, aged 67 years. The deceased was postmaster at Black ville for 21 years, and was universall respected. His death was not used espected. His death was not use ected, as he had been confined to

A quiet wedding was celebrated on the 8th inst. at the residence of H. H. McLean of Andover, brother-in-law of the bride, when Miss Berdetta Burk was united in marriage with Robert Edmund Aston Coffin of Monticello, Maine, late of London, England. The nuptial knot was tied by Rev. J. F. Estey of Andover, N. B.

The death took place Friday m ing at her home on Park street, Am-herst, of Mrs. James Patterson, aged 83 years. The deceased lady was a Miss Marie Cahill of Sackville. Her husband survives her, also two sisters and one brother; Mrs. John Sears, Up-per Sackville, Mrs. Ebenezer Bowser, Pt. de Bute, and Norman Cahill, New

At the Woodstock board of trade At the Woodstock board of trade meeting Monday night last a communication was read from a Liverpool firm making enquiries regarding the prospect for a business in the hardwood line, and also a communication from another English house, touching the question of organizing a produce the second produc

"W. J. Dean, since tal dence here, has done forward the business forward the business of this village and parish. The elegant house, adap-ted for hotel, with store in connection, is now nearing completion. Mr. Dean's popularity was shown by his election to the municipal council, in 1897, and he is even stronger now than

Several changes are about to be made in the commanders of the Battle line steamers. Capt. Mulcahy, now in the Mantinea, will assume charge of the new steamer Leuctra. Capt. Lockhart leaves the bark Kelvin here and takes the Mantinea. Capt. Smith, who was in the Arbela, has been appointed to the command of a new boat, the Pharsalia. The bark Kelvin has been given to Capt. Robinson, late of the bark Veronica.

The causes of death reported at the Board of Health office for the week ending August 13th were: Consump-tion, 4; heart disease, 3; debility, 2; old age, 2; cholera infantum, 2; paralysis, 1; apoplexy, 1; peritonitis, 1; diarrhoes, 1; cardiao syncope, 1; natural cause, 1; perineal abscess, 1; bronchitis, 1; stomatitis, 1; cancer of stomach, 1; laryngeal paralysis, 1; tubercular meningitis, 1; endocarditis, 1; total, 26.

A frame dwelling in the Gypsy Set-tlement, Lancaster, owned by the city and occupied by Robert Hennessy and family, was burned to the ground Thursday evening. The origin of the fire is unknown. It spread to the outbuildings and all were destroyed. The uilding was insured for \$300 in the Imperial. Mrs. Hennessey and two-children who were in the house had a narrow escape. They lost all their effects, which were uninsured. David Lockhart was also an occupant of the remises and the city tenant.

William Kinghorn, P. H. C. R., assisted by J. A. Lindsay, organized a new court of Foresters at Ferryville, parish of Northampton, on August sth, with the following staff of offi-cers: Arthur Gibson, C. R.; Robert Hemphill, V. C. R.; Newton Dow, treas.; J. Rankin Brown, financial Harrison Rogers, recording sec.; William Gough, sr. woodward; Geo. Colwell, jr. woodward: Moses Grant, sr. beadle; Stanley Patterson, jr. beadle; Jas. Patterson, chaplain; Herbent Cluff, P. C. R.; Dr. W. N. Hand, physician; R. Alex. Brown, C. D. H. C. R.

The death occurred at Maple Creek, Northwest Territories, on the 13th of July last, of Patrick McBean, aged 75 years, after a prolonged period of suf-fering, eight months of which he was totally blind. He was born on the Nashwaak, where he resided until June, 1892, when he left for the N. W. T. During his sojourn on the Nash-waak he was for many years an elder in St. Andrew's Presbyterian church and superintendent of the Sunday chool. He leaves behind him his wife and two daughters in the Northwest, three sons elsewhere, and Mrs. James Forbes on the Portage, to mourn their bereavement.-Gleaner.

Hon. Peter Mitchell some three weeks since, under the advice of his physician, Dr. Shepherd, Montreal, went to Newcastle, Miramichi, to get relieved of a stomach complaint, from which he was suffering and he has strictly adhered to the die prescribed-porridge and milk, and for drink entirely confined to six or seven tumblers of new milk, with one-third or fourth of soda, each twenty-four ours. This, with the change of air and complete rest, has had the effect of almost restoring Mr. Mitchell's health and he is now able to move out almost every day. He hopes in two or three weeks more to be able to get back to Montreal, restored to health.

R. W. Carson of St. John, N. B. who left Dawson City in July, arrived nere on Saturday and left for his here on Saturday and left for his home in the east by Sunday's train. He was disappointed, brought out no gold at all and is now going to return soberly to his dry goods business. In conversation with a World reporter, he said that perhaps one man in 100 would make his fortune in the gold fields. He sold his outfit at an advented to the same of the same contract to the same contract. vance of about 50 per cent. on what it cost him. He says many people are discouraged and selling their outfits
-Vancouver World, Aug. 8th.

Ald. Macrae yesterday received word that his brother Archie had secured the degree of doctor of philo-sophy from the University of Jena, Germany. Dr. Macrae is a graduate and gold medallist of the gramma school and an honor graduate of Dalhousie. He has been studying for some time at Edinburgh and on the centinent at Heidelberg, Jena and other German universities, and is now coming home with the degree of Ph.
D. His many friends here will be
glad to hear of his success. Considerable of his attention has been given
to the study of theology, and it is
thought he will enter the ministry.

RUST IN THE WHEAT (Charlottetown Examiner.) We greatly regret to learn that, as We greatly regret to learn that, as a result of the recent calm, foggy mornings, followed by hot sun, rust has appeared upon the wheat growing in various parts of the country. From some localities the report is that "the wheat is completely ruined." This is, we hope and believe, an exaggeration of a serious condition, the more depressing because it was totally unexpected. ected. A week or two ago the pros-ect of a good wheat crop was never etter, as the acreage under wheat in this province was never larger. But now the prospect is that the wheat of this year will, upon the average, be considerably reduced in quantity and poor in quality. The loss to those farmers whose wheat fields have been smitten by rust will be heavy.

WHAT A DIFFERENCE. (Detroit Free Press.)

She—I really think it was bad taste in you to drink so much wine at the

dinner last evening.

He—Oh, I suppose you do. But, really, I didn't realize the bad taste till I awoke this morning. It was something horrible.

NOTICE.

To Subscribers of the St. John Sun.

The following Collectors are in the Counties named. Subscribers in ar-rears will pleased be prepared to pay

vhen called on. L. J. Polkins, Prince County, P. E. I. H. D. Pickett, Digby and Annapolis

ounties, N. S. I. D. Pearson, King's, N. B. A. J Markham, Kent County, N. B.

E. P. Dykeman, Queen's, N. B. Edgar Canning, Albert, N. B.

L. M. Curren is travelling the Counties of Sunbury and York.

DIED IN THE WEST.

A telegram was received at North Sydney on Thursday from British Combia announcing the sad news of the drowning of Harold C. Robertson in the Columbia River. No particu ars as to how he was drowned have peen received. The deceased was a son of the late Chas. Robertson of connected with the bank of Nova Scotia, and previous to his departure for the west, was agent at North Syd-ley for the Union Bank. He was mar-rise a year or two ago to a Yarmouth land.—Sydney Record.

A telegram was received in Springhill from James McSaveny on Wednesday stating that Alfred Whittle of Springhill had been instantly killed in the mine at Union, B. C.

CARLETON COUNTY DEATHS.

(Hartland Advertiser.) James M. Barter of Avondale, aged 88 years, who lived with his son, James A. Barter, died suddenly on Friday, 5th. Although he had been bed-ridden for more than two years, his end came without much warning. A native of Kings county, he lived later in St. John, and came to Avondale in 1854. He had seven children, who are all dead but the son with whom he lived. His wife died eighteen years ago. He was a member of the Methodist day, and interment took place Waterville.

One of the oldest residents of Bloom ld, Carleton Co., passed away last Friday. Joshua Sweet was born at Windsor, N. S., in November, 1821, and came to Bloomfield, then cated New Ireland, in about 1834, when it was all woods with only paths for roads and very little clearing. He was married in 1843 to Miss Famnie London of Red Bridge, and had two daughters. Mrs. Henry Hare of Mo cello, and Mrs. G. G. London of Brook ville, and one son, George, of this place. Only his son and wife survive him, his daughters having died some time since. He was buried in the Methodist burying ground Sunday af ternoon. The funeral, which was one place, was conducted by Rev. Stanley Young. The same morning the funeral of Mrs. John Kidney, in which many of the same people were mourner took place at Oakville.

AT SANTIAGO.

A soldier in the American army at Santiago writes as follows to a St.

John friend: "It is almost impossible to get writ-ing materials in the field. The reads are so bad and transportation so un-certain that sometimes we did not get half enough to eat. Since we came ato Santiago we are better off and have a chance to recuperate. Nearly every man in this regiment is sick but now we hope they will soon get over their chills and fever. The only fight we had was on the 1st of July, when we captured Fort San Juan. The fight asted three days, and a hot time it was. People who want war can have it; they can also have my share of it, too. The more we see of the Cubans the stronger dislike we have for them. They are a lazy, shiftless, good fornothing lot. Altho' they go with scarcely any clothing on, they stole a great quantity from us, which we ad to abandon for a time during the had to abandon for a time during the fight. Here in Santiago we are feeding the Spankards and Cubans, but when we try to hire them to help unload the boats, it is no go. They simply will not work. I don't think the Cubans can run this island themselves nd it is likely the U.S. will keep roops down here for two years any way. But I am not anxious to stay. The Spanish sailors all look half starved, but they are a better lot than the Cubans, the majority of whom are negroes. The customs of the people are not very progressive. The rich class have fine places, but the poor just build a fire in the, back yard and get their meals. The houses are queer structures. There is a great variety of fruits growing here—limes, mangos, coconuts and lots that we are not familiar with, but everything is terribly expensive," SUSSEX NEWS.

The I. C. R. Employes' Picnic a Big Success—Foundation for the New Exhibition Building.

SUSSEX, Aug. 14 Notwithstanding the heavy penalty for adulterating milk taken to the for adulterating milk taken to the creameries, it does not deter some of our farmers from going into temptation. A short time ago John H. Yandall of Springhill had to hand over \$25 for this offence and Hartly Wheaton of Petitoodiac will likely have to pay a similar amount for much weak in the hestinging of the such work in the beginning of the week. Others are being spotted. Harvey Mitchell, the overlooker of these industries, will be found a person not to be trifled with. SUSSEX, Aug. 15.—It is stated that Mrs. Geo. Cougle and daughters are about to leave Sussex, accompanying Walter M. Cougle to Worcester, Mass., where they will make their home at present

fair way of recovery from the illness caused by a piece of bone lodging in his throat. He was considered in a critical condition, but was operated on and the matter developed into an attack of quinsy.

Miss Warner of Halifax assumes the matter of pullbase at the

the position of milliner, etc., at the brick store about the 1st of September, formerly filled by Miss McLeod, now Mrs. Jno. Thompson.

Rev. Mr. Camp's sermon to young men, delivered in the Church avenue

Baptist church last evening, is spoken, of as being a very excellent one.

Rev. Mr. Davis occupied the pulpit of the Methodist church last evening.

The attendance was quite large.

Rev. Mr. Lucas, the travelling sec-retary of the Provincial Sunday School association, who had been attending the Sunday school convention recently held in London, G. B., returned home at midnight on Saturday night. He was accompanied on his outward trip by Rev. Mr. Hubly as far as Boston, who remains in the states for a time. Mr. Hubly's son is filling his place in the Reformed Episcopal church during his ab-

Albert Fisher of Lynn, Mass., one of the prominent members of the Sus-sex Boot and Shoe company when in existence, is visiting friends in Sus-sex, and will leave for Lynn on Tuesay next, where he has been very

Mrs. Butterworth, nee Ross, of Loran, Mass, is visiting her mother, Mrs. M. Mahoney at the west end. John Cochran of the customs department was in Sussex today, and was driven around town by the collector here, and expressed himself much delighted with what he saw

Twelve cars loaded with I. C. railway employes and their friends ar-rived here a little before 11 o'clock this morning, most of whom went direct to the military grounds and located themselves beneath the large trees watching the sports. The day was all that could be desired.

The well known Creighton farm Lower Cove was sold in front of the Dominion building to satisfy a mortgage claim on Saturday last. It was knocked down to Ora P. King. The foundation for the new exhibi-tion building was staked off this nipruing, and John Andrews has secun to put down the stone foundadon. The building when finish have an area of 276 feet in length and 76 feet in width. The frame work will be wholly of plank and semething ruite new in these parts.

Teacher — "Tommy, what do you know of the Sphinx?" Tommy—"The Sphinx is a woman with a great head, She has talked for 3,000 years." HAMPTON NEWS

Probate Matters-Picnic to the Willows-Proposed Conservative Convention.

HAMPTON, N. B., Aug. 15 .- In the probate court on Monday, Judge Morton granted a license to sell real estate of the late John C. Sartell of Springfield to the executors, Benjamin Gray and Joseph Cliff. Philip Palmer,

The painting of the Ossekeag Stamping Company's factory has been completed and the buildings micely lettered, which adds greatly to their ap-

pearance.
Wm. T. Bell, who had the contract for the above work, as well as the railway painting from Norton to St. John, has completed all his work in this neighborhood and had removed

his men to Coldbrook. The picnic of the Sunday schools in connection with the Episcopal church was held on Friday last at the Willows, and proved a complete success. Capt. Earle of the steamer Clifton won great praise for his kindness and attention to the wants of the merry-

Mr. Pierce, wife of Henry Pierce, who has been ill since January, is now sinking rapidly and no hopes are ententained of her recevery.

It is understood here that a conservative convention for Kings county will be held at the Court House about September 1st for the purpose of organization. The feeling in favor of a

complete overturn in provincial, as well as deminion government, is very Albert J. Sproul met with a painful accident last week while driving from Centreton. He was thrown from his carriage near Ciffon and received a severe cut on the forehead and briuses on the hand, arm and leg. He pluckly held on the reins and after being dragged a considerable distance, suceeded in stopping the horse and re-sumed his journey home. He is so far recovered as to be at his office, but is still very sore from the fall. A new road across the railway square from the freight house was laid out today and will be pushed to com-

pletion at once. This is a step in the right lirection. Haying on the upland is nearly com-leted, hotwithstanding the bad wea-her. The crop is excellent, but has cent gathered in only poor shape, wing to such a protracted spell of ark weather.

Oats are ripening very fast and crops are giving promise of good returns.

INTERCOLONIAL CHANGES.

Says Friday's Montreal Herald: "A under of changes are taking planted the Montreal officials of twernment railway system. To interwood, it is understood, is about 10 per to sever his connection with the general traffic department of the Inter-colonial to accept a corresponding position on one of the large American roads. Yesterday Mr. Scriver succeeded Mr. Blair as city ticket agent top the government railway, Mr. Blair leaving the service."

The case of Edmund Lawton against Mrs. Geo. Cougle and daughters are about to leave Sussex, accompanying Walter M. Cougle to Worcester, Mass., where they will make their home at present.

The many friends of Will McArthur, son of J. A. McArthur of Sussex, will be glad to learn that he is now in a consider.

ONTARIO AND QUEBEC LANDING EX CARS.

OTTAWA, Aug. 15.-Private advices no meetings here of the Canadia. arce, as all are away from Ottawa on heir holidays and will not return before the conference assembles. Only ninisters after they once assemble to

OTTAWa, Aug. 15.-Private advices from British Calumbia tonight state that Mr. Semlin vill form his cabinet. Joe Martin and F. Carter Cotton of the Vanco-iver News Advertiser

OTTAWA, Aug. 9.—Lord Aberdeen leaves for England on the 12th. Lord Minto will arrive about that time. The post office department an nounces the parcel rate to Bermuda sixteen cents per pound, increasing twelve cents per pound hereafter. Chief Justice Strong's appointment as sole arbitrator in the claim between the United States and Chili, reached the American consul general here today to be handed to the judge on his arrival from Eng-

A complaint has been made to the post office department respecting the neglect of certain postmasters to notify the publishers when papers addressed to subscribers are remaining undelivered. A special card has been provided for the purpose, and postmasters who have been lax in the matter must give it their careful attention in finites.

ention in future.

The post office department has been notified that samples of tobacco for transmission by post to Great Britain can only consist of unmanufactured obacco, and must not exceed four unces in weight. Every such package is subject on delivery to a suctoms charge of 16 cents.

MONTREAL, Aug. 9.-It is reported on good authority that G. H. Duggan, who designed and was to have alled the Canadian defender of the Sewanika cup, is ill and the physician in attendance fears typhoid fever. The news has created consternation among the members of the Royal St. Lawrence Yacht club, for more con fidence was placed in Duggan's abil-ity than in his boat. The club has sked Amelius Jarvis of Toronto rated the next best small boat sailer to Duggan, to hold himself in readiness should Duggan be unable to sail.

OTTAWA, Aug. 10.—The Spanish vice-consul of Balifax has forwarded to the state department a request for the sum of 1,500 francs found upon a Spaniard whose body was picked up in the open sea by an American school sailing into Halifax. The money is wanted for relatives of the deceased.

The supporters of the Laurier gov-ernment here are simply astounded at Liuetenant Governor McInnes's action in dismissing the Turner government cially as he is an appointee of Laurier and to a certain extent commits the federal authorities action. There is not wanting evidence, how-ever, that the dominion government will not scruple to throw the lieutenant governor overboard unless he gets out of his present hole unsmirched. A high authority says Gov. McInnes did Toronto. not seek advice in Ottawa as to the course he should pursue, but, on the contrary, acted on his own responsibility. It is held that the proper course the lieutenant governor should have pursued was to convene the legislature immediately. All returns were in, and then to have asked the Turner min-istry to step out if they had not a majority of the supporters in the house. It is said that if Beaven fails to form a cabinet the only course open to Governor McInnes will be to resign, as Beaven's failure would be tanta-mount to a provincial verdict of want of confidence in the lieutenant governor. Another general election can-not be ordered without a new ministry

is installed.

Engineer Ridout of the railways department leaves tomorrow to finspect the first completed section of the Crow's Nest reliway preparatory to a payment of a portion of the federal

Dr. Dawson, director of the geological survey, hastily left for Edmunton tonight on receipt of a telegram of a wonderful strike of oil near Victoria Lake.

OTTAWA, Aug. 12.-Circulars are being distributed to all the creamer-ies, cheese factories, dairymen's asso-ciations and others, asking expressciations and others, asking expressions of opinion on a bill introduced last session by Mr. Parmelee to prohibit the improper speculation in butter and cheese.

The tonnage passing through the Sault Ste. Marie canal fell off six bundred tons in July.

The annual statement of the Pos Office Savings Bank shows the depos its increased \$969,603; withdrawals increased \$1,197,002, and the interest allowed depositors decreased \$41,786. The amount to the credit of depositors

The amount to the credit of depositors increased \$2,100,118.

The department of agriculture are conducting interesting experiments in a modern cold storage building here with butter, beef, eggs and cheese, especially as regards use of formaline, the new antisoptic. The experiments so far are very successful.

Information is received here that Beaven has abandoned the task of forming a government in British Columbit, and Governor McInnes has sent for Mr. Semlin, the leader of the opposition.

position.

OTTAWA, Aug. 14.—The financial statement for July shows an increase of \$1,883,200 in the revenue, caused by the crowding in of Jerman and other foreign goods to get advantage of the preferential tariff. The expenditure shows an increase of \$68,616 on account of consolidated fund and \$49,178 on account.

of consolidated fund and \$49,178 on oapital account.

SHERBROOKE, Aug. 14—The works of the Jenckes Machine Co., the largest industry of the kind in Canada, were burned to the ground last night. The fire is supposed to have originated in the forge room of the Rand Drill Co. The estimated loss is \$225,000; partially covered by insurance.

MADOCK, Ont., Aug. 14.—Fire this morning started in the Windsor hotel stables and burned our the Windsor hotel, Sinclair's store, Bristol's sash and door factory, Mullett's and Flynn's blocks, Orr's blacksmith shop, the Methodist church, and a couple of residences. To'al loss, \$50,000.

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Agents.-The only Canadian 'Life of Gladstone" is by Castell Hopkins, Hon. G. W. Ross, and Sir Wilfred Laurier. A lasting monument to the great man and to Canadian Literature. Beware of American catchpenny books handled by Canadian Hevses. Dooks handled by Canadian Houses.
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LETTER FROM KLONDIKE W. J. Bowser, says the Vanco Bank of B. N. A. party that went to Klondike early in May, It is dated July 10th, and gives particulars of the trip down, saying that they packed their stuff in relays from Lake Bentrip down, saying that they packed their stuff in relays from Lake Bennett, to Lake Lebarge, and so on down the river. They made between 50 and 60 miles a day on the trip down. The rents are very high at present in Dawson, and Mr. Tabor rented an upstairs office from C. T. Danbar, formerly of Vancouver, for \$350 a month. Another office that he occupied temporarily he paid \$200 a month for. It was only 8 feet by 9 feet and very poorly lighted. Several Canadian lawyers bave lately arrived in the district, and steps are on foot to form a law association. Mr. Tabor was fortunate enough to take in his typewriter, as typewriting work is done at 80 cents a folio. In speaking of the methods employed by the government officials in the Yukon, he says they are "all on the make," and Registrar Wade and other officers are pretty well off already. A few days before writing he bought what he says was the only Bible in Dawson, paying between \$7 and \$10 fer it in gold dust. The banks are only paying \$14 to the The banks are only paying \$14 to the ounce for gold, but there is an assayer on the way in, for the Bank of British North America, and probably the price of gold with be raised after he arrives.

The Races at Woodstock Wednesday.
WOODSTOCK, N. B. Aug. 10.—The
horse faces in the park today fully
sustained the good reputation Gallagher Bros. have carried since they
took the track in hand. There was a
very good attendance. An excursion

culation ime-2.23, 2.22%, 2.21% was the 2.20 race, ich at the time of sending this match is unfinished and will not distanced in the fourth heat. This was intensely exciting, being neck and neck between Calcandra and Rowdy respectively. Fredericton and St. Stephen horses. The next heat was won by Rowdy by a hair's breath. The official record of this race, as far as run, is as follows:

2.20 CLASS.

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FREDERICTON, N. B., Aug. 11. The annual meeting of the York Co. Rifle Association was held here today. There were twenty-one competitor and the weather was very favorable. The scoring averaged higher than usual. This forenoon the association match for the Eller cup and P. R. A. medal was fired at 200, 500 and 600 yards, with the following result:

Perkins, \$6, P. R. A. medal and Sgt. Offen, \$3. 82

Maj. Loggie, \$3. 82

Capt. Hawthorne, \$2. 81

Surgeon Bridges, \$2. 78

Pte. Perkins, \$2. 77

Sgt. Rossboro, \$2. ...76

The Y. C. R. A. cup, shot for this

afternoon, was won by Sgt. Offen with 77 points; Loggie made 76; Wilson, 76; Perkins, 74; Mack, 65; Risteen, 64;

Major Loggie and Sgt. Offen tied for the Vanwart cup with 45 each, ten shots at 600 yards. In the shoot off Loggie won. Capt. Perkins won the grand aggre

gate with 163 points; Sgt. Wilson, 161, W. H. Grindley died at his ho

Doaktown this morning, 75 years old. He had been postmaster of the town for thirty-one years. A double wedding at the residence of a leading King street manufacturer is one of the events of the near future.

The brides prospective are sisters, and one of the young gentlemen belongs SUSSEX, Aug. 12.-The case of the

persons who are charged with assisting Joe Whate was up for hearing today. Deputy Sheriff Freeze concluded his testimony and the case is stood over until Thursday next, owing to cerned. Geo. W. Fowler, M. P. P., and Fred C. Fairweather for prosecution, and J. P. Byrne for the defence.

Rev. Andrew Gray, D. D. who spending his vacation with friends, has been requested to lecture here on Monday evening, the 22nd instant. His theme will be, An Angio-Saxon Alliance the Hope of the World. Coun. Gilliand of Rothesay is Suctex on business today.

The remains of young Roach, son of Robert Roach of St. John, arrived here today, and were conveyed to the Episcopal cemetery at Upper Corne Mr. Dewdney of St. John conducted the funeral ceremony in a most solemn manner. The funeral attendance was quite large and the parents have much

A team belonging to Mr. Carleton took fright near the railway crossing yesterday afternoon, and ran for home. In turning a corner the wagon upset, and a little boy who was in it was hurled to the ground and received a very painful injury.

Walter M. Cougle, employed in one of the largest printing establishments in Worcester, Mass., is spending his Sussex Record. His many old

friends are glad to see him. Dr. J. J. Dayley and wife and a number of other visitors here, have gone for a week's outing at Pleasant Lake, the scene of the Joe White operations which has caused so much

J. Ernest Smith and wife of Oxford, Nova Scotia, were in Sussex today attending the funeral of their nephew,

before mentioned. D. P. Kent and son, Thomas, both lying ill with a threatened attack of typhoid fever, supposed to have been contracted while boring on the government works in St. John recent-

ly. Dr. Pearson is attending them. A number of wheelmen tourist from Boston, Saratoga, N. Y. and Pres-ton, N. J., have been doing Sussex, and are greatly impressed with the beauties of the place.

Rev. Mr. Smith of Albert county formerly rector of Waterford, is visiting friends in Waterford and Sus-

An excursion under the auspices of the Citizens' band, Sussex, will take place about the 31st inst., leaving here by train for Hampton, then by steamer Clifton to St. John, returning by the Quebec express. The charge for the run will be quite low. MILLSTREAM, Kings Co., Aug. 9.-

The farmers are all busy with their hay here. They are progressing very slowly on account of the dull weather. visiting her parents here, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. O'Brien. Otty Keith, a little son of B. A. Keith, is at present quite ill.

Mrs. William McLeod and family of St. John, are spending the summer at the residence of Alex. McLeod.

Many people from the U.S. and elsewhere are enjoying the fresh air and cool breezes of the Millstream. CORN HILL, Kings Co., Aug. 6.-The farmers are cusy securing their hay, which is a good crop.

T. J. Dillon received a consignment of cheese from the factory here, last week. D. C. Diagle, dairly commis-sioner, has paid the cheese factory a

Mrs. Henry Branscombe, who has been quite ill, is recovering. Considerable sickness prevails, measles being

Mr. and Mrs. William McGlone, who were married recently, left on Wednesday for the United States.

Abner Rouse of Elimvale captured two large bears a short time ago. The

SUSSEX, Aug. 12.—The regular monthly meeting of board of trade was held in room in Dominion building. Thursday evening. A fairly large number of members present. President Huestis reported that he had made extended inquiry into facts connected with condensed milk while in England, and thought it inadvisable to agitate for building of such a factory here, as prices ruled low and tory here, as prices ruled low and

On subject of incorporation of Sussex considerable discussion took place, J. Richmond, S. H. White, O. P. King, J. M. McIntyre, W. J. Mills and others giving their ideas of same.

tition very keen.

ed that the sense of those present was decidedly in favor of incorporation of Sussex. A diversity of opinion was, however, expressed as to whether a full measure of incorporation or a partial measure should be adopted. the matter will come up for further on and the voice of the rate payers probably heard at a public meeting in the mear future.

contract of putting in the seats and other furniture for the new Methodist church at Newtown, work to be completed by the end of the month of

RICHIBUCTO, Kent Co., Aug. 10 .-H. H. Phinney, who has a good posi-tion in the postal service in Manitoba, arrived here on Monday, accompanied by his wife and three children. They are the guests of Wm. Hudson, father of Mrs. Phinney.

Work has commenced on the Kingston bridge. Messrs. Murray & Mundle have the contract for running the ferry, which will be operated both day and night. The two topmast schooner Minnie Moody came in from New York on Monday with two hundred tons of hard coal, consigned to J. & W. Brait.

J. & T. Jardine's bark Ossuna arrived from Liverpool on Sunday. The Methodist Sunday school are clichicking today in Long's grove. The Masonic order are preparing for a monster picnic, to take place here on

ST MARTINS And 11-A public meeting was held in the Temperance hall, St. Martins, on Thursday evening, at 8 o'clock, for the purpose of nizing the parish for campaign work at the coming election on the

Rev. S. H. Cornwall, who was appointed at the meeting held in St John, as one of the parish vice-presidents, was unanimously elected president; Miss Edith Skillen, secretary; Mrs. Joseph Carson, 1st vice-president; A. W. Fownes, 2nd vice-president; J

The following persons were then elected on the executive committee Samuel Patterson, Michael Kelly, M. R. Daley, Jacob S. Titus, George Mo sher, Edwin Lewis, James A. Floyd Wm. R. Floyd, Samuel Fownes, Richmond Long, Robert Connolly, Geo. R McDonough, Mrs. Robert Ruddock, Mrs. Charles Lovatt, Miss Hannah Vail, Miss Annie Power, Miss Mary Shanklin, Wiss Maggie Smith, Hattig Brittain, Emma Marr, E. A. Titus, L P. Hayden, Mr. Trueman.

After some discussion regarding meetings to be held in different sections of the parish, the meeting was dismissed to allow the executive to complete their arrangements. The wet weather for the last few

getting their hay. Mrs. Henry Vaughan and Miss Jane Lockhart are visiting St. Martins and are the guests of Captain Benjamin Miss Mabel Olive of the west end is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Benjamin Vaughan, 1r.

weeks has prevented the farmers from

HOPEWELL HILL, Albert Co., Aug. 10.-The Right Rev. Bishop Kingdon vacation in Sussex. Young Cougle was will conduct service in St. John's

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Perry of Susses Miss Cora Bishop of Jorchester, an Miss Price and Miss Mabel McDonald

of Petitcodiac are /visiting friends The Baptist Sunday schools of Albert, Hopewell Hill and Hopewell Cape

richicked yesterday at the underground lake at Demoiselle. Sch. H. R. Emmerson is loadin deals at the Hill wharf for the ship Katy. The bark Highflier is loading in the stream at Hopewell Cape.

Mrs. Clark Robinson received a telegram today announcing the death of her father, Andrew D. Smith, at Meltive of Scotland, and a former resident of this county.

WOODSTOCK, N. B., Woodstock seems to be infested with a gang of burglars who, if not discreet, are at least daring. Scarcely had the police magistrate finished his entence of two years in the peniten tiary on four youths who admitted that they broke into the C. P. R. freight station, when the news became public that the Presbyterian nanse had been invaded last night and a large quantity of clothing and other goods belonging to Rev. James and Mrs. Whiteside taken. Mr. and Mrs. Whiteside were about to leave for Fredericton today, Mr. Whiteside havng resigned his charge on account of ill health. They had packed all their clothes and furniture, and having locked the house, spent last night with a friend, Mr. McAfee. This morning they found that the house had been entered. The thieves had made away with a large quantity of their belongings. Mr. Whiteside's clothes were about all taken. Two carpets were

among the missing, besides much clothing, table linen, etc. The trunks Word comes from Grand Falls that work is being rushed on the point where the proposed canal is to be be-gun. For a few days work was susday from Sir Wm. VanHorn to the effect that all available men be put to

work at once. Sixty men were work-

HAMPSTEAD, Queens Co., Aug. 9. HAMPSTEAD, Queens Co., Aug. 9.—Mrs. Charles Carpenter of Queenstown, who underwent an operation at the hospital in Fredericton, from which she died last Saturday evening, was brought to her home at Queenstown yesterday on the steamer David Weston. The funeral took place this morning. Her remains were interred in the F. B. cemetery at Central Hampstead. The services were conin the F. B. cemetery at Central Hampstead. The services were conducted by Rev. Geo. W. Foster. She leaves a sorrowing husband and one son, two sisters, two brothers, one of whom is Rev. J. W. Clark paster of the Waterloo F. C. B. church, St. John, besides a number of relatives and friends.

and friends Mrs. Lydia Nase of north end is th guest of Mr. and Mrs. Isaac S. Van-Lina Wasson of this place, who went to Boston last fall, arrived hom

Fred A. Peters, jr., of St. John, who met with quite a serious accident over a week ago, was able to go home yesterday by str. Olivette. He has to use crutches.

Miss Blanch Worden of Sussex is

risiting at her uncle's, Fred C. Stults. Rev. George W. Foster preach emperance sermon at Hibernia church last Sunlay in the interest of the plebiscite. The pastoral commit-tee of this circuit met at Hibernia yesterday to transact business pertaining to procuring a minister for the

Mrs. R. W. Wallace and children, Fredericton, and Miss Wallace of St. Joseph Wasson.

SACKVILLE, Aug. 12.-Although ckville as a whole is still, like Washington, "a city of magnificent ices," there has yet grown up in the past ten or fifteen years within a radius of half a mile or so from Crane's Corner quite a fair sized country town. The shops are all equipped with the electric light and there is a light here and there on the streets. And so in the evening, when the streets are full, when one stands on the post office steps and surveys "the spacious animated scene" cannot help feeling himself, like St. "a citizen of no mean city." Paul. During the past twelve or fifteer months Captain Hanson, Edward Ogden and Hiawatha Dixon have

built handsome residences on Bridge street. On Squire street Silas Copp has put up a neat cottage for his cousin, Dr. Copp, who is soon to move over from Point De Bute. The most important building enterprise, however, of the season is the reconstruction of the Methodist church. This is expected to cost not less than \$11,000, esulting in what is virtually a new building. Across the church from north to south has been run a tranbuilding. sept in the northern arm of which are to be placed the organ and choir with the pulpit in front just clearing the side wall so as to be in sight of the entire audience. This arrangement will bring the minister into much nore comfortable relations with his hearers, and will probably render the church a very easy one to preach in. The auditorium is to be seated with splendid new oak pews, arranged in curved lines with the pulpit as a ocus, and rising towards the rear, amphitheatre-wise. All the old windows along the sides have been taken out and are to be replaced by new nes with round heads filled with elegant tracery work, while in the four

gables are immense rose windows. It is said that all these windows are to be very largely glazed with stained glass. The spire, which has always been the weakest feature in the old church, is to be raised thirty feet, the tower also from which it rises being rendered much more ornate and im pressive in its appearance by new and more suitable windows, louvres, etc. Here, too, let it be said that the shingles, which were such an eve-sore. on the sides of the old church have een replaced by clapboards. very much improved and it is to be

fitted up in the most approved modern style, with especial reference to its use as a Sunday school room. Last, but not by any means least, auditorium, basement, and class room are all to be thoroughly and continuously ventilated by air passages feed- Peck occupied the chair. The follow- friends in New Brunswick. to the tower, so that if hereafter the tor finds his flock prone to sleep, ne will not be able to account for this thenomena by blaming the impure air. H. & H. Copp of Sackville are he contractors, the work being done under the supervision of John Teed,

Sackville for his integrity and capacity as a contractor. Sackville, however, does not only do good deal of building, but it also, as you are doubtless aware, makes vast mounts of hay. In fact its prosperity is largely built on that article. This year our farmers do not feel very hilarious in regard to this important crop. The harvest truly is great, but the price is uncomfortably low, Grass which last year brought six dollars a ton standing this year brings only three. Then the hay making weather

through August has been unendurably

already well and favorably known in

bad, rain, overcast skies prevailing with scarcely an exception. Owing moreover to the unusual scarcity of young cattle the farmers cannot turn heir cheap hay into beef. They have, however, other crops than hay, and good ones, too, so that they will probably not be crushed even by the pernicious abundance of their hay crop. Of striking events there is at present a great dearth in Sackville, the perhaps, being the eccentric energy displayed by our trustees in purchas ng school sites. Within the year they have bought one for \$1,400, bargained for a second at a considerably greater price, and all but bought it, and have

ow secured a third at some seventeen hundred dollars. Naturally this rather startles the ratepayers, and there are rumors of protests, legal Robert Douglas, late of St. has opened a watchmaking and jewgeniously inserted by druggist Dix in place of an old hallway between his own store and York stre stand is a first rate one, and R.D.'s nterprise should meet with success Frank Wilson, also of St. John,

closing out his dry goods business in this place. Charles Pickard is selling out his stock of ready-made clothes and offering for sale his grocery store, building lots, etc., with the intenti of transferring his business operation to another province.

The Death Roll — Now Owns the

Fastest Trotter in the Parish. HAVELOCK, Kings Co., Aug. 12.

There is considerable sick Havelock and vicinity, and an unusua number of deaths. Laura Thorne, only daughter of Caleb Thorne of Canaan road, died on Sunday after a brief ill-Much sympathy is expres for Mr. and Mrs. Thorne, who are both in very delicate health. William, only child of Mr. and Mrs. William Alward, died yesterday after a few hours' illness. The funeral took place afternoon from the residence of Mr. Alward. The services were con-ducted by the Rev. Mr. Snell,

Finch District lodge, I. O. G. T., will convene with Willow Tree lodge, Lower Ridge, on Saturday afternoon, Aug. 20th. A public meeting will be

held in the evening, when it is prolebiscite campaign. LeBaron Dimcck has traded his rotter with Mr. Mullen of Elgin for Wild Harry. Mr. Dimock is now the Havelock. The fall races are to take

place the first of September. MARYSVILLE, York Co., Aug. 11. -Charles Henderson, conductor on the C. P. R., and Mrs. Henderson and daughter of Grand Falls are spending a few holidays at the home of Mr.

and Mrs A. G. Robinson. Charles Likely, who has been home or a short time, returned last night to his business duties in St. John. Rev. Mr. Cosmond, Reformed Baptist, occupied the pulpit of the Re formed Baptist church on Sunday, 7th August, afternoon and evening, while Dr. McLeod of Fredericton had charge of the Free Baptist pulpit in the absence of Rev. Mr. Parsons, who is in Carleton county, visiting his daugh-

er, Mrs. Raymond. Mrs. H. B. Smith entertained a number of her friends on Tuesday evening to an enjoyable programme of music. Mrs. William Drysdale and her son Hallie, who have been paying a visit of four or five weeks at the old homestead of her mother and sisters, will return to her home in Woodstock on

in Marysville on Wednesday were Mayor Cobb of Newton and party of American and St. John friends, several members of the government and United States consular agent, J. T. Sharkey of Fredericton. They visited the cotton mill, being escorted through the different floors by the superin tendent, I. B. Cudlip. Afterward they visited the church. Mayor and Mrs. Gibson were invited to join the party at the dinner at the Queen given by the government.

FREDERICTON, Aug. 14.-The ther day a party of tourists on a visit to the executive buildings were in the library. One of the group inquired about a book containing the Queen's autograph. This is kept with other valuables in a locked case. The iibrarian opened the case for them to examine the contents. After the party had left the fly leaf of the book on which is written her majesty's autograph was found lying on the floor visitors or some one ease nad torr the leaf out, evidently intending to steal it, but either dropped it on the floor, or fearing detection thought better of the dastardly act and left

the leaf where it could be found. About six weeks ago Wilmot Guiou's store at Springhill was broken into and a quantity of cash, jewellry and some clothing stolen. The case was put in Detective Roberts' hands, and Saturday morning he arrested Fred Cox (colored), and is now in posses sion of most of the jewellry and goods. The cash is spent. Cox will plead guilty when arraigned before

HOPEWELL HILL, Albert Aug. 13 .- Prohibitionists of Albert met in Albert last evening to organize for the plebiscite campaign. G. M. ing were present: W M. Burns, Robert Slater, Chesley Bennett, Rev. C. W. Townsend, Rev. Thos. Allen, Hillsboro; J. S. Atkinson, I. C. Prescott Rev. C. Comben, Rev. A. H. Foster, Robert Tingley, Willis C. Newcomb, D.W. Stuart, Ezra Stiles, John Keiver, W. A West, Rev. I. B. Colwell, Wm. Calhoun, W. A. Trueman, M. M. Tingley, Jas. G. Stuart, Fred G. Moore. Nathaniel Peck, S. C. Spencer, J. Alex. Fullerton, Rufus Trueman, E. E. Peck. Leander Elliott, Dr. S. C. Murray, Mrs. S. C. Murray, Mrs. I. B. Colwell, Mrs. Geo. D. Prescott, Mrs. Egbert Wood, Miss Lena Nichol, Rev. Mr. Rutledge, Geo. W. Barber, Hopewell; E. H. Robinson, Jos. Alexander, Farvey; Rev. J. B. Gough, Alma. Enthusias dresses were made and the following

resolution adopted: Resolved, That it is advisable that the electorate be reached as far as possible through the medium of publie meetings to be addressed by outside as well as local talent, and by the distribution of temperance literature, A plebiscite county association was organized with the following officers: Rev. C. Comben, president; A. C. M. Lawson, sec. treas.; vice presidents, Rev. A. H. Foster, Hopewell; T. E. Colpitts, Alma; Rev. Mr. Townsend. Hillsboro; Rev. T. Bishop, Harvey; Chas. Smith, Coverdale; Rev. J. B. Young, Elgin. It was decided to or ganize parish associations in every parish, the vice presidents of the county acting as presidents of the parish associations. A good amount was raised for temperance literature and plans laid for a vigorous cam paign. At the close of the general meeting, Hopewell parish organized with the following officers: Rev. A. H. Foster, pres.; Rev. I. B. Colwell, vice Farmers and Dairymen's Ass pres.; Fred G. Moore, sec. treas.; members of executive, I. C. Prescott, G. M. Peck, Willis C. Newcomb, D. W.

HOPEWELL HILL, Aug. 12 .- Mrs. Mary Robinson, widow of the late Win. Robinson of Moncton, and sister of Lt. Gov. McClelan, died yesterday at Government house, Riverside, after a brief illness, in the eighty-fourth year of her age. The deceased was a daughter of the late Peter McClelan one of the best known of the early business men of Hopewell. Two brothers, the lieutenant governor Thomas McClelan of Riverside, ne sister, Mrs. Elisha Turner of Har-

Justice W. W. Jones last week to answer to a charge of alleged fraud in connection with the selling of a horse, was discharged yesterday by the justice, no evidence being produc against him. David Grant of Moneto for the defence and W. A. Truemar for the prosecution.

The following from the Hill superior school have passed successfully the Normal School entrance examinations: Henry West, Lawrence M. Colpitts and Maisie Jamieson, for first class; Misses Alberta Jamieson, Orpah West and Julia Brewer for second class. Rev. A. Chipman and Mrs. Chipma of Alfred, Me., are visiting frie this parish. Mr. Chipman was located on this circuit some fifteen years

PETITCODIAC, Aug. 13.-The West-

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necessary repairs and improvements

to the wires. Miss Lena Keith, who was recently thrown out of a carriage in Sackville and severely injured, is able to walk with crutches.

The blueberry business is assuming large proportions. Good sized pails are selling for 30 cents. As a result of the sharp competition between George Stockton of Havelock and an American syndicate prices have advanced in this line of trade.

The interior of the Free Baptist church has been improved during the summer, and now presents a splendid appearance. The Sunday school picnic to Penobsquis on the 10th was a pronounced success. Rev. Mr. Frances

Rev. Dr. Macrae of the Presbyterian college, Quebec, is spending a few tays with his sister, Mrs. David

jured on his bicycle. Riding down a steep hill the wheel became unmanageable and striking a log threw Cochrane fifteen feet. No bones were

SHEFFIELD, Sunbury Co., Aug. 13. The weather for having has become so very unpropitious that some of the farmers in Sheffield have "hung her up" for the present and have taken to ploving.

Sidney F. Bridges is now visiting Corner, was stricken with paralysis on Weineslay last and is now under

the care of Dr. Curry. While H. B. Bridges was handling his pitching machine putting up hay one day this week the blocks gave way and let the fork drop, the point of it penetrating into his arm and disabling him from work. He is doing fairly well now under the care of Dr. Camp.

FARMERS' INSTITUTE MEETINGS BATHURST, Aug. 11.-The meetngs which are being addressed in this county by the commissioner of agriculture and his institute staff are arousing much enthusiasm. The series now being held are designed for the French speaking districts and this is the first time when a regularly organized attempt has been made to give

them equal privileges with their English speaking brethren. At the three meetings already held the halls have not been large enough to hold the audiences which gathered. At Petit Rocher fully 800 people were in attendance, and only between 400 and 500 could gain admission to the

Billois at both Petit Rocher and Grand Ance, and the French speaking people seem to be well pleased that they have in Mr. LaBillois such an eloquent and energetic representa

tive in the cabinet. At Grand Ance last evening, where a considerable proportion of the audience were English speaking people Mr. LaBillois spoke in both languages and W. W. Hubbard, secretary of the gave a short address in English.

Dr. Gugnon of Terrebonne, P. Q who was the principal speaker, deal-practically and fully with the method ary to make dairy farming suc sful, and both amused and in struced the audience. The doctor is thoroughly practical farmer, who has had experience in institute work in Quebec province, and his work in New Brunswick will, judging by the adresses he has already delivered, be of great and lasting benefit to the French speaking farmers of the prov

L. C. Daigle, a native of St. Louis Kent Co., has acquired a special agricultural school education, which in ad litnon to his practical knowledge o utter and cheese making, admirably ualifies him for the position of dairy aperintendent, spoke lucidly upon his abject, and all present, a large number of whom were ladies, exercised the greatest interest in all the ad-

All the principal French districts in the province will be visited by the gentlemen mentioned between now and 5th September.

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SHEEP IN MAINE.

What would be the result if to-day there were ten times as many sheep as now in the state? This would not interfere with our dairy interests in the least. There are enough pastures growing up to weeds and bushes to keep this number, and there has been enough hay sold from the farms of Maine the past winter, which has not netted \$5 per ton, to winter ten times as many

The farmers are not as prosperous as 25 years ago, which is wholly their own fault. No farmer is poor who has a good flock of sheep, a good dairy herd of cows, ten good, growing steers, several good swine, a poultry yard of a hundred hens, with a we tilled, well-dressed farm. This stock can be kept on any 100-acre farm, an all the grain and hay can be raise

to feed them. The income from such a stock would be sufficient to support a large family and allow a snug sum for surplus. know of no position a man can ge into that offers more sure returns greater happiness than to be at hom

under his own vine and fig tree.

THE WHEAT CROPS. Hon. D. C. Fraser, M. P. for Guys Atlantic express yesterday on his wa to his home in New Glasgow. Mi Fraser, who has just returned from glowingly of the conditions existin there. The crops were splendid, he said, the wheat crop exceeding the fine harvest of last year by 15,000,000 tushels. The farmers were much encouraged, and they had good reason to be, for the past two years had enabled many to overcome difficulties that had resulted from previous failures of crops. The Northwest development was steady and not a boom. It is a splendid country, and he would recommend any of our eastern young men who made up their minds to try their fortunes elsewhere to try the Northwest. He believed that in a short space of time the country will be largely populated, even as far north as the Peace River district.

THE KLONDYKE.

(Truro News.) Our exchanges for some days have ad the following paragraph: "C. Ward, a Nova Scotian, has ar-

rived at Seattle with \$125,000." We have every reason to believe that the above refers to Clarence Ward, son of the late John Ward, who fo years worked in the round house this town, and a brother of Will Ward now living in Rossland.

Clarence some eight on nine year ago workel in the moulding shop o the Truro Foundry and Machine Co He went west and joined the Mounte Police, and some of our exchange say that the "C. Ward' mention above formerly belonged to our Moun ted Police.

POISONED CANDY.

DOVER, Del., Aug. 12.-Mrs. J. Pol Doane of this place, is dead, and he ister, Mrs. J. P. Dunning, is seriously il, the result of poisoning from eating andy. Four other persons were made ick, but soon recovered. Mrs Dunning is the wife of Preston Dunning, the well known Associated Press corndent, now in Porto Rico, and ooth women are daighters of ex-Connan John B. Pennington. The andy came through the mails on Wednesday. The postmark on the box was illegible, but it is supposed by Mrs. Dunning to have been sent by a lady friend in San Francisc

THE GRAND TRUNK.

Star's MONTREAL, 9ug. 12,-The ion correspondent cables: Acthe half year ending June just issued end to be £106,900 sterling, admit-ng payment of full dividend for half year of £2 per cent, on four per cent. stock, leaving about £2,500 to be carried forward.

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ND TRUNK.

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The Saraband's Skipper.

The last half hour of the steamship Saraband had come. All day she had lain in the pitiless bay, crouching un-der the fierce blast of the northeast gale, the seas sweeping her decks, and now all on board knew that she had but a short time to live.

She had had her day. Built to carry 120 passengers, she had once been one of the popular boats going through the newly opened canal to the east, and her long flush deck had been the scene of many a gay gathering when her passengers had assembled under the awnings to laugh, firt and talk after dinner. But larger and faster boats had come and her glory had departed, so that after many vicissitudes here she lay, her passenger accommodation taken out and the space filled with grain from the Black Sea ports, sinking.

Her decks were slanting at an angle of 45 degrees, for the wheat had shifted, and she lay nearly on her beam ends; every movable thing had long been washed away, and one structure which should have been immovable—the engine hatch had also

been smashed in. That was the immediate reason why she was going to founder; the en-gine room plates were awash and the fires in the stokehole were out, and for the last two hours she had only been kept head to sea by means of a sea anchor made of the derricks and spars. A portion of every sea that came on board found its way through the makeshift contrivance of spars and tarpaulins nailed over the gaping chasm in her deck that marked the former position of the engine hatch, and each found her a little lower in

the water. In the shelter of the bridge deckthe only structure which had been strong enough to resist the remorseless violence of the seas-clustered the crew, some thirty hands, hardfaced sailors and grimy firemen; the former quiet, apathetic, almost careess; the others, save for a few, deadwhite with fear, spending their last moments cursing with foolish, meaningless repetitions of the same words, the ship, their luck in coming in her, and the skipper, for not making use of the two remaining boats which hung from their davits at the lee side of the bridge deck, and which from their elevated position had not gone when the other boats had been swept away. On the bridge stood the skipper and the mate, bearded, elderly men both, straining their despairing eyes into the wall of mist and spray which relentlessly rushed down upon them, in the faint hope that some passing vessel might appear through

the gloom of the gale.

At length the skipper turned and scrambled down the sloping bridge to where the mate crouched on the lee rail. "We shall have to try the boats, Mr. Smith; she'll not last much longer!" he shouted, the wind picking up each word as he uttered it and sweping them away to leeward, as if jealous of the mate hearing them.
"It's a very poor chance," said the mate, "but I suppose its only one. How

ong do you give her?"

Haif an hour at the outside. Are
the boats all ready?"

"They've been ready since morning," said the mate, "but can we get them in the water unsmashed, and won't the firemen rush then?"

"I dont thing so," replied the skip-per; "there's time enough and room enough for all to get away."

enough for all to get away.

But his face took a grimmer look as he led the way down from the bridge to the chart-house, the mate following itra. Inside they could hear each other with greater ease, and the skipper, while taking his revolver from a drawer, gave the mate his fixed instructions.

"We'll lower the forward lifeboat first, as she's the biggest; you will take charge of her, get your crew aboard, and have every one in his place before we start to lower, so that you can shove off as soon as she touches the water. If those patents act you ought to be all right." (The boats were fiftted with a patent con trivance by which the tackles holding them are automatically released the moment the boat is water borne, so that there is no unhooking of blocks to be done while the boat is getting deched to dashed to pieces against the ship's

"I shall be all right," said the mate, "but what about you? Who's going to lower the falls of the after boat? You can't manage it from the boat itself, with all the crowd you will have on board."

on board."

"I'll lower her from the deck," said the skipper. "If they have a long painter made fast to the ship, they can easily pull up again under the counter, and I'll make a jump for it."

"Mind you dont jump short; you'd have a poor chance with those boots and oliskins on," said the mate.

"Oh, I'll manage," replied the skipper. "Call the men up."

The men came up in a body, and the skipper came out on deck, revolver in hand.

"The ship's sinking," he said, "and I have decided to take to the boats. There's plenty of time and room for There's plenty of time and room for all to get away in safety if you obey orders. You will remain standing where you are till I call your names; then the man whose name is called will take his place in the boat. Any man that starts for the boat before I tell him I will shoot; understand all?" re was a low murmur from the n, and the shipper continued:

Mr. Smith vill take charge of the The mate, with a look at the skip-per, climbed into the boat as she hung in the davits. The skipper then called in the davits. The skipper then called the names of the crew he proposed to send in her, sending first the sailors, so that the make might place each in his proper station in the boat, before the firemen, etc., who would be of no use in the critical manoeuvres of getting her away from the ship's side, crowded her up. But these same firemen did not understand his reason, and thought he was showing undue preference to his own men, and, a preference to his own men, and, a heavier sea than usual striking the steamer, there was a cry of "She's going down, and he's sending the sail-

"Stand back!" oried the skipper.
Crack! and the leading fireman
spread out his hands and pitched onto his face, rolling in a limp bundle down onto the lee rail. The rest of the men stopped. They might as well be drowned as shot, they thought and they huddled together, looking with horrified glances at their dead with horrined glances at their dead comrade. The skipper paused, how-ever, lowered his revolver, and then called the next name; they had learned their lesson, and went quietly to the boat, which was got safely and drifted out of sight in the mist

of the gale. The other boat was filled without any mishap, and the skipper, the only man left on the deck, lowered her. She also got clear away, and drifted out to the full length of her painter. The skipper walked aft to wait for them to haul up again. He had to pass the body of the dead man, and he did not look at it. The next boat was hauling up on the painter and was getting close; the skipper got on the rail ready to jump. At that moment a fireman, the brother of the man he had shot, reached over the boat's bow, and, with a cry of "Blast you, stop and drown with Bill!" cut the painter.

The distance between the ship and boat began to widen instantly, and in spite of the frantic efforts of the saflors at the oars the deeply ladened saflors at the oars the deeply ladened boat was swept away and blotted out in the mist. The skipper got down from the rails, and made his way back to the bridge deck. He had just prepare for the next world, after forty years at sea!

He climbed up on the bridge again, and sat on the canvas windscreen to think. His wife and children, who would look after them now? His wages were £16 per month; on that he had had but small chance to save. Well, he supposed the Shipmasters' Society would do something for her, but she would have to give up her little house at Forest Gate, and drop from the position of a captain's wife to letting lodgings; perhaps one of the children could be got into an orphan-age; if not, well, it meant starvation or the workhouse. He thought of his own life, of his hard, ill-used boyhood, cabin boy in a Quebec timber ship; of his manhoood, spent in unremitting toil in all parts of the world, of the various ships he had commanded, in each of which he had been expected to use less coal, less paint, fewer provisions, and to go with smaller crews than in the last. He thought of the blackguards he had had to command as crews, and the trouble he had had with them, and the old sailor proverb rose to his lips: "To live hard, work hard, die hard, and go to hell after all, would be too damned hard." Well, he'd not had much fun out of life, and now he was going to find out what it all meant. Anyway, he had always done his best for his ship. His eyes fell on the dead body of the fireman. That too! If the man should indict him at the bar of the last judgment he would answer there, as he would have answered to an earthly court: "In my judgment it moved in a half-forgotten prayer. "Our Father, which art—" and the wave swept on. But the Saraband had gone. The skipper had gone to meet his fireman where "there shall

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CERVERA AND OFFICERS. PORTSMOUTH, N. H., Aug. 14.-Admiral Cervera, with his officers, attended the church of the Immaculate Conception this morning, and after dinner at the hotel the entire party went over to the navy yard. The stay there consumed three hours, and about 7 o'clock the Spanish officers

came back to the city. Tomorrow will also be spent at the yard, and Tuesday morning the distinguished visitors will leave for An-

Prince Max of Saxony, who spent two years as a working priest in Whitechapel, has just been appointed Bishop of ulm. While in London, the prince acquired a thorough knowledge of English, and won the affection of all his colleagues.

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" Edith (triumphantly)—"I felt sen his face before. That's the fe

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NOVA SCOTIA.

Twenty-eight Thousand Shad Caught in One Day at Scott's Bay.

PARRSBORO, Aug. 8.-The funeral of William Fraser, locomotive engineer, who was accidentally killed at Springhill Mines on Friday, took place here yesterday and was one of the largest gatherings ever seen in the town. The arrangements were in charge of the Oddfellows of Parrsboro and Springhill, the dead driver having been a member of the order. A special train from Springhill brought the band of the 23rd Battalion, about 60 Oddfellows and a number of other pas The services were conducted by Rev. W. C. Wilson, rector of Springhill, assisted by Rev. Robert Johnston, rector of Parreboro, and were held in St.

For the first time since the ship of lumber commenced this spring a scarcity of schooners for lightering is reported. The increased demand is probably caused by the expected arrival of several steamers at West Bay in addition to the ships and steamers

already up there.

The Second Adventists are holding a series of meetings here in a large series of meetings here in a largent. There are three ministres in

HALIFAX, Aug. 12.—A despatch from Trail, B. C., states that Harold E. Robertson, a native of North Sydney, was drowned yesterday on the Columbia river. He was formerly connected with the Bank of Nova Scotia at Yarmouth, and was married to a daughter of Municipal Clerk S. B.

AMHERST, N. S., Aug. 12.-The redence, with all its contents, at Learnington, valued at over \$3,000, owned and occupied by James Nelson, vas destroyed by fire at about three o'clock this morning. On the fire being discovered the inmates had to flee for their lives, not having time to ress. There was no insurance. WOLFVILLE, N. S., Aug. 12.-W.

W. Buchanan lectured on Tuesday and Wednesday evenings in behalf of the plebiscite in College hall. Miss Walton added much to the pleasure of the occasion by her beautiful solos On Tuesday afternoon a temperance conference was held, and after con-siderable discussion the following reolution was adopted: "That the cite campaign to be approved by a convention to be called later on." Dr. Chipman of Grand Pre was elected president, W. Duncan, secretary, and vice-president was elected for each county ward, J. W. Caldwell for Wolfville, ward 8. The finance committee is H. D. Harris of Kentville

McDonald of Wolfville. H. Morrow, returned missionary from Burmah, is fn town, the guest of Principal Oakes, Mr. Morrow is at hopes soon to be able to return to his beloved work in the far east Mrs. was necessary for the safety of the men in my charge." A sudden quiver marned him she was nearly gone, and he rese to his feet for one last look. Pre seminary, is now at a sanitarium. to windward. As he looked into the blinding spray he saw a large wave come out of the mist, and knew it would swamp her. He gripped the rail with both hands, and his lips a name for himself in his department of philosophy.

Wolfville hotels are overflowing with guests, and private houses have been obliged to open their doors. Over one thousand people have visit-ed Evangeline beach during the week, and every available team is kept busy driving the tourists to points of in-

A number of rare and beautiful palms have been received by Prof. Sears from Hon. Charles Ellis of England for the Horticultural school,

Rufus Redden has purchased a property on the dyke west of the Corn-walls bridge, where he will erect a large steam saw mill. He is also planning to build a large oval build-ing to be used as a skating rink in winter and a bathing house in sum-

HALIFAX, Aug. 14.-The Wanderrs won their first match with the St. Johns, Nfld., cricketers, and the secnd was a draw.

The Lorne club regatta on Saturday was not at all interesting.

An American steam tug arrived today to tow two pontoons to New York and thence to Santiago, where they will be used by the American govern ent in an attempt to raise the Span

sh warships.

Hay is selling loose in Annapoli valley at \$4 to \$5 per ton. The crop this year is large, but is being harsted in very poor quality, owing to the wet weather.

NEW BRUNSWICK

sults of Examinations for Normal School Entrance and Advance of Class.

The following are the results of the formal school entrance examinations and examinations for advance of Number of candidates for class I..232 Number of candidates for class II..365 Number of candidates for class III. 24

Total number of candidates ... 621

Number of candidates who obtained class I 121

Number of candidates who obtained class II 179

Number of candidates who ob-

The twelve candidates who obtained first class with the highest average of marks were, in order of merit: Rhoda J. McDougall-Shediac. Herman J. McLatchy-Hillsboro Albert Co.

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Sadle J. Estey-Jacksontown, Carle-E. McClintock-Centreville, Henry B. Ward-Hillsboro, Albert

Co.

Hattle M. McNaughton—Sallsbury,
Westmoriand Co.
Alonzo D. Jonah—Alma, Albert Co.
The twelve candidates who gained
second class with the highest average
of marks were, in order of merit:
Daisy A. Perkins—Fredericton,
Leuline Allaby—Norton, Kings Co.
Leuna A. McLean—Napan, North

mherland Co. Emily W. Fleiger-Chatham, Northmberland Co. Clarence Sansom—Bolestown, Nor-humberland Co.

Melissa Cook-Campbellton, Resti-Fred J. E. McGinn-Moncton, West-Bessie R. Marr-Jordan Mt., Kings A. Laura Tompkins-Florenceville,

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AN N. B. NURSE

Dies While Nursing Wounded American Soldiers.

She Was a Red Cross Nurse and Came from New Brunswick.

NEW YORK, Aug. 11.—The first Red Cross nurse to die in this war in active service while tending the wounded is a Canadian, Miss Dorothy hinney of New Brunswick.

A telegram received from Camp Thomes, Chickamauga, by Dr. A. Monae Lesset, at the Kings county spital in Brooklyn, announces that Miss Phinney died in Camp Thom of intermittent fever on Tuesday. She was stricken while hard at work minig to the ill of the camp.

She was one of the nurses sent out by the Trained Nurses' Maintenance Red Cross auxiliary. The women who undertook the task of nursing the sick coldiers knew well the risks they ran, out they never flinched or hesitated.

They bravely faced all dangers and many many to the coldinary of others are very ill.

Miss Phinney was a supervising urse at the Kings county hospital She was only twenty-four years old, but was one of the first nurses to velunteer. Soon after she was sent to Camp Thomas at Chickamauga. She was untiring in her work of relieving the ill soldiers, but she overtaxed her strength and fell a prey to the fever that was raging among the

ill to keep up any longer. Then the physicians, seeing her condition, re-moved her to the Letter hospital. It was too late, however, for she grew

rapidly worse and died.

Miss Phinney's family lives in New
Brunswick, where she lived with her parents until she entered the Lowell, Mass., General Hospital. She was graduated from there in 1896, and ater was griduated from the Sloane

Maternity Hospital. For the past six months she had been a nurse in the medical and sur-gical department of the Kings County Hospital. She was well known in Brooklyn, and her gentle ways and sympathetic nature made her very popular and very successful as a

Her body will probably be taken the old home in Richibucto, N. B. Fred Phinney of Richibucto arrived

Fred Phinney of Richibucto arrived here Saturday night from Florida with the remains of his sister. Miss Dot Phinney, who died there some days ago. The deceased lady was a member of the Red Cross Society, as previously stated in this paper. The remains will be taken to Richibucto for

CABLED FROM LONDON.

The New Imperial Postage Rates Will Go Into Effect on Christmas Day— Board of Trade Returns.

MONTREAL, Aug. 10.—The Star's London correspondent says: I learn on unimpeachable authority that the on unimpeachable authority that the new imperial postal rates will come into operation on Christmas day, the consent of the chancellor of the exchequer having been obtained today. Hon. Mr. Mulock will leave for Canada on August 20th. It is definitely decided that he shall receive knighthood, though it will not be announced sail for Canada tomorrow by s. s. Do-minion. The latter, in addition to carrying Sir Thomas Lipton's chal-lenge for the America's cup, will as-sist in the solution of the Behring Sea. guestion at the Quebec conference.

The Pacific cable negotiations are still proceeding. The question of what part Canada shall bear of the cost of the construction and maintenance is the chief consideration.

is the chief consideration.

The Board of Trade returns for July show that while the imports into the United Kingdom from all countries decreased less than one per cent for the month, and increased four per cent for the seven months, imports into the United Kingdom from Canada decreased 13 per cent, and one per cent respectively. The exports from the United Kingdom to all countries decreased six and four per cent, but the exports to Canada from the United Kingdom increased 32 and 14 per cent. The chief increases in imports from Canada for seven months are: Wheat, £76,000; wheat flour, £142,000; bacon, £230,000; butter, £49,000; eggs, £3,000; fish, £115,000; The chief decreases are: Animals, £168,000; hams, £19,000; cheese, £345,000; metals, £6,000; wood, £717,000.



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B. T. OF T. ing of the Maritime Grand Cour

AMHERST, N. S., Aug. 9.-After onal exercises the maritime grand council was opened in Temperance Hall, Amherst, at 2 p. m.
J. G. Simonson, grand councillor,
opened the eleventh annual session in ordance with the requirements of

A. M. Featherstone reported for the tee on credentials, naming the following officers and representatives:
J. G. Simonson—Grand Councillor.
W. L. McFarlane—Grand Sceretary.
Fred J. Todd—Grand Treasurer. R. W. Davis—Grand Herald. Geo. A. McDonld—Grand Sentinel.

J. Bryenton-Grand Trustee. Rev. Thos. Hart-General Superinendent of White Cross.

Miss A. I. Hamilton, M. D.—Medical

W. L. McFarlane-Representative to Representatives — Mary B. Lynch, John Richardson, Isaac Anderson, Lorne C. Kyle, J. W. Tabor, M. L. Gregg, A. A. McKinnie and E. N.

It was ordered that the grand degre be conferred on representatives en-titled to receive the same, and on motion the council lowered the royal The grand councillor appointed the

following committees:
Temperance work—Fred J. Todd Miss A. I. Hamilton, M. D., Rev. Thos.

Roach, J. Bryenton, M. L. Gregg.
State and extension—. W. Tabor, E.
N. Stockford, A. M. Featherstone. Memorials-L. C. Kyle, Miss M. C.

Lynch, R. W. Davis. Cadet work-A A. McKinnie, Miss A. I. Hamilton, J. E. Roach. White Cross-Fred J. Todd, J. E. Press-M. L. Gregg, Miss Mary B.

Distribution-Geo. A. McDonald, R. W. Davis, J. W. Tabor. Finance Miss A. I. Hamilton, M. D., J. W. Tabor, Geo. A. McDonald. Political action-Rev. Thos. Hart, F. J. Todd, A. M. Featherstone Templar—Rev. Thos. Hart, G. A. McDonld, W. L. McFarlane. Sick and funeral benefit-W. L. Mc-

Farlane, R. W. Davis, Miss A. I. Ham-Grand Secretary W. L. McFarlane read his report, which contained very complete statements: On motion the report was handed to the committee

General medical referee, Miss A. I. Hamilton, M. D., gave a verbal report, after which she asked A. M. Featherstone, dominion representative, several questions concerning the work. Mr. Featherstone replied in an interesting and helpful way.

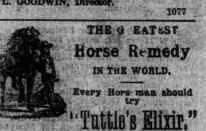
Adjourned to meet tomorrow at 9.30 NATURAL HISTORY BULLETIN.

The sixteenth annual bulletin of the The sixteenth annual bulletin of the Natural History society has just been issued. Like its predecessors, it is full of facts about New Brunswick, and will be of interest to all our students of the natural sciences. Prof. L. W. Balley gives a sketch of Dr. James Robb that will give a good idea. of that pioneer of agricultural science. John Moser gives a list of our native mosses, which, while not very light reading, will be valued by students abroad. S.W. Kain gives an anotated catalogue of the earthquakes ick, and Dr. G. F. Matthew re me recent discoveries in the roout St. John. A good map in o nection with this article shows the formations in the Kennebeccasis valley about Torryburn, Rothesay, etc. Prof. W. F. Ganong has ten short notes on botanical, zoological and physiographic subjects. These are of considerable general interest and are well worth reading. Dr. Philip Cox gives a list of our native batrachians with notes on their distribution. The appendix contains a report on the work done at the summer camp held at Quaco last summer. It consists of reports by P. G. Hall, Dr. G. F., Matthew, President G. U. Hay, and Professors Duff and Ganong. We understand that copies of this report will be forwarded to any resident of Quaco free on application. The zoological report shows considerable activity in the study of birds, fishes, and insects. Other items are a meteorological abstract for 1897, mean sea level at St. John, by E. T. P. sea level at St. John, by E. T. P. Shewen, and reports of committees. Reports are also published of the natural history societies at Frederiction and Sussex. A portrait of Dr. Robb forms an appropriate frontis-

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Sch Ayr, Brinton, for New York.
Sch Annie Laura, Marshall, for Plymouth.
Sch Beulah, Wasson, for Thomaston.
Sch Georgia E Barton, for Rockport.
Sch Lizzie B, Belyea, for Thomaston.
Sch W H Waters, Belyea, for New York.
Coatwise—Schs Gertie H, Thompsom, for
Sandy Cove; Solina, Macthews, for Point
Wolfe; Chaparral, Mills, for Advocate Harorr; Union, Shields, for Alma; str Alpha,
rath, for Cheverie.

Adelaide, Australia.
Sch Irene, Wilcox, for Boston.
Sch Riverdale, Urquhart, master.
Coastwise—Schs Sparmaker, Livingstone, for Advocate Harbor; L'Edna, Sabean, for Parrsboro; Dora, Canning, for Parrsboro; teulah Benton, Mitchell, for Weymouth; Geo. Slipp, Wood, for Harvey; Whistler, Faultner, for Mattland.

CANADIAN PORTS.

, Aug 10, bark Albatross, Chal-At Montreal, Aug 10, bark Albaiross, Chalmers, from Barbados.

HALIFAX, Aug 12—Ard, str Portis, Farrell, from New York.

At Hillsboro, Aug 12, schs W R Huntley, Howard, from Fibt Grewille; F R Hewson, Pararson, from River Hebert.

At Cahso, Aug 13, sch Hatelwood, Farris, from New York.

At Chatham, Aug 13, sch Elt e, Howard, from New York.

HALIFAX, Aug 13—Ard, str Mina (cable) Decarteret, from Seston.

HALIFAX, Aug 14—Ard, str Halifax, Pye, HALIFAX, Aug 14—Ard, str Halifax, Pye, IALIFAX, Aug 14-Ard, str Halifax, Pye. At Newcastle, Aug 12, bark Thelma, Haaversen, from Dublin; 13th, barktn Jeanette, Wallenstein, from Weener.

At Victoria, B C, Aug 11, 5 s Corangt.

At Chatham, Aug 11, bark Carita L Measen, from Boston; ship Malone, Olesen, from Southampton; 12th, barks Gato, Tallaksen, from Glasgow, Amici. Bertolothe, from Casellemare, Italy; Rollo, Iaobhsen, from Dundrk,

At Hillsbore, Aug II, son Hannah F Carle-ton, Falkingham, for Newark. At Yarmouth, Aug IZ, barkin F B Lovitt, Pancy, for Buenos Ayres. At Windsor, Aug 10, sch Aberdeen, Howard, for New York.
At Chatham, Aug 11, sch Avalon, Wagner, for New York.

th Campbellton, Aug 12, bark Ax, Ygge-th, for Tyne; sch Laure B, Bonnell, for Sid, strs Duart Castle, Seely, from St John, Sid, bark Akerhue, Christensen, for Shields. for Bermuda, Windward Islands and Demerara; St John City, Harrison, for London.
WEST BAY, NS, Aug 11—Sid, str Hildawall William

ASTLE, Aug 18-Ard, bark Agat, At Liverpool, Aug 12, str Lucania, from At Liverpool, Aug 12, str Cunaxa, Grady, from Miramichi for Manchester; 10th, bark

stone Island.
From Liverpool, Aug 12, bark Petitodiac, for Sydney, CB.
From Cardiff, Aug 13, bark Auriga, Johns, for Pars.
From Glasson Dock, Aug 13, bark Farrel.
Krusse, for Richibucto.
From Manchester, Aug 14, str Plates, Allen, for St John.

FOREIGN PORTS.

BOSTON, Aug 11—Ard, strs Yarmouth, rom Yarmouth, NS; Cumberland, from St. John; sehs Spring Bird and Thetis, from Paspellac, PQ; Emma E Poter, from Clemnatoport, NS; Nellie J Crocker, from St. John; Sandalphon, from Mattland, NS; Lizzle Dyas, from Bellevue Cove; J H Martin, from Annapolis, NS; Mary Eleanor, from New-

Annapolis, NS; Mary Bleanor, from New-tile, NS.

MACHIAS, Me, Aug 11—Ard, sch Victory, from Moncton, NB, for Boston.

AMSTERDAM, Aug 3—Ard, str Vlug, from St John.

CITY ISLAND, NY, Aug 11—Ard, schs Gypsum Empress, from Windsor, NS; Grets, from St John; Vlola May, from Calais, Me; Seth W Smith, from Calais via New Haven; Reporter, from St John.

VINEYARD HAVEN, Aug 11—Ard, sch Avis, from St John for New York.

At New York, Aug 9, brigt G B Lockhart, from Curacoa; sch Golden Hind, from San Domingo.

At Norfolk, Aug 10, str Aldersgate, Jones.

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At Norfolk, Aug 10, str Aldersgate, Jones, from London via Nassau (and sailed for North Sydrey, CE).

At Baltimore, Aug 10, sch Blanchs Hopkins, Crockett, from Hillsboro.

At Brunswick, G4, Aug 10, bark Antigus, Holmes, from Rio Janeiro via Barbados.

At Rosario, July 11, barks Argentina, McQuarrie, from Buenos Ayres; Northern Empire, Ellis, from do.

SALEM, Mass, Aug 12—Ard, schs Uranus, from Hillsboro for New York; Everett, from Shulee for do; Maud Mullock, from Calais for New London.

VINEYARD HAVEN, Mass, Aug 12—Ard, schs Helen Montague, from Hurricane Island for Philadelphia; Alice Maud, from St Mary's Bay for orders.

NEW HAVEN, Conn, Aug 12—Ard, schs Rondo, from St John; Partee, from Calais.

MACHIAS, Me, Aug 12—Sid, schs Victor, from Monoton, NB, for Boston; Highland Queen, for Boston.

CALAIS, Me, Aug 12—Ard, schs Andrew Peters, from New York; Nellie, from do.

BOOTHBAY, Aug 12—Sid, schs Utility, for Kolon.

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BOSTON, Aug 12—Ard, strs Storm King, from Artwerp; Halifax, from Halifax, NS; Prince Edward, from Yarmouth, NS.

At Montivideo, Aug 11, ship Eskasoni, Townsend, from Greenook.

At Elo Janeiro, Aug 4, brig Century, Racquet, from Paspeblac.

VINEYARD HAVEN, Aug 13—Ard and sid, schs Otis, from St John for New York; Osprey, from Pembroke, N S, for do.

Ard, schs Quetay and Cora May, from St John for ordens.

BOSTON, Aug 13—Ard, strs State of Maine, Chn for orders.

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BOSTON, Aug 14—Ard, str Yarmouth, from Yarmouth, N S. D W B, from St John, N B; Utility, from River Hebert, N S.

At New York, Aug 13, bark Baldwin, Wetnere, from Port Spain.

Cleared. At New York, Aug 10, brigt Irma, for Basse Terre; sch Onyx, McKinnon, for Chatham and Newcastle.

At Boston, Aug 11, schs Wendall Burpes, Leo and Maggie J Chadwick, for St John, At New York, Aug 12, schs Gypsum King, At New York, Aug 12, schs Gypsum King, Con Windage; Phoenix do: Moama, for Apple

Sid, str Boston, for Yarmouth, NS. Bound south, schs Hattle C, from Shulee, NS; Addie Sawyer, from Calais, Me, for Patchogue, LI; Sarah Eston, from Calais, FALL RIVER, Aug 11—Sid, sch Genesta, for St John.

Passed, str Portia, from New York for Halifax and St Johns, Nfid.

From Rouen, Aug 12, str Mantinea, Mulcahy, for St John.

From Port Eads, Aug 10, bark Alkaline, Horghton, for Galveston.

From New York, Aug 10, schs Howard, for Halifax; Goldfirch, for Liverpool, NS (anchored in Hart Island Roads).

NEW YORK, Aug 12—Sid, str Mongolian, for Glasgow.

ROUEN, Aug 12—Sid, str Mantinea, Mulcahy, for St John.

Sid, schs Hattle E King, for St John; A B Kerr, for Shulee; Ella and Jennie, for Grand Manan; Carita, for Port Medway; Lyra, for Noel and Parrsboro, NS; Daniel Simmons, for Port Gilbert; Olivia, for Bear Raver, NS; Belmont, for Meteghan.

Sid, sch Richerd Hill, Avia, William F Campbell, F and E Givan (ordered to Long Island City).

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Passed, schs Elwood Burton, and Gypsum Empress, from Windsor for New York; Addie Fuller, from Shulee for do; B C Borden, from Windsor for do; B B Woodside, from Hillsboro for Chester, Pa; M J Soley, and Swanhilda, from Nova Sootia, bound

West.

From Delaware Breakwater, Aug 11, bark Baldwin, from Port Spain for New York.
Sld, schs Maggie Miller, for Fredericton, N B; Nellie Watters, for St John, N B; Annie C, for Aunapolis, N S; B B Hardwick, for Windsor, N S; Leo, Röy, Wendall Burpee and Lizzie J Chadwick, for St John.
Psd, sch Ravola, from St. John for New York.

From New York

NOTICE TO MARINERS

d St Helena previous to July 25, ship Burrill, from Manila for New York; amburg, Caldwell, from Hotlo for the helos July 31, ship Sekoto, Ferrom Calculta for Hamburg.

Deal, Aug 12, bark Fin, from Landing John.

Intervalual, Aug 13, bark Courant, upon Paspeblac for Clyde.

Aug 5, lat 46.08, lon 50.14.

Bark Vale, Anderson, from Bay Verte for Liverpool, Aug 3, lat 49, lon 20.

Bark Falcon, from Pugwash for Belfast, Aug 6, lat 50, lon 28.

July 27, lat 46 N, lon 45 W, bark Invermay, from Havre July 14 for New Brunswick Bark Genests, Davies, from Rio Janeiro via Barbados for Mexico, about Aug 8, off Daryfoot Light.

BIRTHS.

MURRAY—At Fredericton, N. B., Aug. 7th to Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Murray, a daughter

MARRIAGES.

BRITTON-THOMSON—At the home of the bride's parents, Windsor, Car. Co., N. B., August 10th, by Rev. Jos. A. Cahill, Miss Ines M. Britton to James A. Thomson. LAYTON-FOWLER—On Aug. 9th, by Rev. C. H. Townsent, at the residence of the bride's father, Hillsboro, Alton Layton to Maud Fowler.

DEATHs.

PATES.—In this city on August 14th, Joseph Bates, aged 75 years.

BOYLE—At Mace's Bay, Aug. 15, after a short illness, Teress S, third daughter of Thomas and Margaret Boyle, in the 19th year of her age. (Boston and Stillswater, Minn., papers please copy.)

CONEOD — At Hubbard's Cove. Halifax county, N. S., Marice, aged 55 years, wife of Edward Conrod, after a long and distressing fillness.

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CORAM—Entered into rest, at Kingston, on August 15th, Jane, widow of the late John Coram, in the 85th year of her age.

CORCORAN—In this city, on Monday, Aug. 15th, of chalera infantum, Mary Kathleen, aged three years, daughter of James and Gertrade Corcoran.

CURRAN—At 16 Reading street, Roxbury, Mass., Aug. 9, William J. Curran, beloved husband of Annie T. Curran,

DURDAN—At Fairville, Aug. 15th, James Durdan, in the 51st year of his age.

DARRAH—At Milton, Yarmouth, N. S., Aug. 8, after a long illness of consumption, Mrs. Thomas Darrah, aged 21 years.

CLENDENNING—At Wickham, Queens Co., Aug. 11th, from heart disease, Annie May, in her 18th year, third daughter of D. W. and Ella J. Glendenning. (Boston papers please popy.) please popy.)

HANSON—At Bocabec, Aug. 1st, Wellington
Hanson, aged 56 years and a months:

McDONALD—At New Glasgow, N. S. Vaug.

6th, Deborah A. McDonald, widow of the
later Laby McDonald, Germany alter builder.

Aug.

late John McDonald, formerly ship builder, of St. John, New Bronswick, aged 59 tears, McINTOSH—In this city, on August 15th, after a short illness, Robert W. McIntosh, aged Tl years, a native of Charlo, Restiguted Co. (Western papers please copy.) McINTYRH—On Friday, Aug. 12th, after a lingering illness, Jean Russell, Infant daughter of Wm. C. and Nettie McIntyre, aged 13 months.

MILLIDGE—At Oak Bay, N. B., Aug. 9th, by drowning, Mary Flora Adelia, aged 14 years, daughter of Rev. J. W. and Mrs. Millidge.

Millidge.

MONTGOMERY—At Calais, Aug. 5th, Earl F. Montgomery, aged 10 months and 5 days. PETERS—At Wickham, Queens Co., N. B., on Friday, 12th Aug., James W. Peters, in his 85th year.

ROOP—At Wickham, Queens Co., Aug. 12th, Mrs. W. J. Roop, aged 64 years.

ROWAN.—On Saturday, 13th, of cholera infantum, Margaret Armstrong Rowan, aged 9 months, only child of J. Jackson and Sarah A. Rowan.

STOVER—In Eastport, Me., Aug. 2nd, Jane, Randall, infant daughter of Pho Mile Augustus and Alice Stover, aged 2 years and 2 months.

SULLIVAN—In this city, on Aug. 12th, attar.

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SULLIVAN—In this city, on Aug. 12th, after a lingering illness, Willie A., managest son of Charles and Frances L. Sullivan, aged 6 years and five months.

WEDDELL—At Quebec, on Aug. 6th, 1398, Margaret Burray, widow of the late Alexander Waddell, M. R. C. V. S., in her 32nd

Local Supporters are Getting Afraid -Wheat is Rusting-Four Strange Clergymen.

MONCTON, Aug. 15.-The local government supporters in this section are in a panicky condition and are will-ing to promise anything that will appease the wrath of the people. Messrs, Robinson, Richard and Wells have Robinson, Richard and Wells have been visiting various sections of Moncton parish lately giving government money freely to sections of road that have not had a dollar, many of them for two and three years. If the elections are not coming on this fall it is very evident that the Emmerson party have discovered that it would be certain death politically to appeal to the people next spring unless something is done, but they will discover that there is a point beyond which no party can go and wounds in the body politic that no "salve" can heal. politic that no "salve" can heal.

The twelfth annual convention of
the maritime railroad convention of

the Y. M. C. A. will meet with the Campbellton associations on the 19th, 20th and 21st of this month. The conation, it is expected, will be especi-

ally interesting.

There are now eight patients in the Moncton hospital, and the promoters are more than ever satisfied that the undertaking was a judicious one and in the public interest.

The wheat is rusting badly in this part of the province. Many fields are totally rulned, and others will be hardly worth cutting. Much of the hay has also been gathered in a damaged condition.

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J. H. Dunlop, Capt. Dernier and S. W. Palmer, who left here early in June to join a party at Boston for the Alaskan gold fields, have arrived safely at St. Michael's, which is within 350 miles of their destination. Mr. Dunlop in a letter home says there are 1,000 people "broke" in St. Michael's, and there is talk of compelling transportation companies to carry people back.

PEACE PROCLAIMED. (Continued from First Page.)

pular discontent. This is exactly class that pushes itself most into dence, and whose views and opinevidence, and whose views and opinions are most overheard and published. Their advice to the Cubans is to repudiate all offers of peace or a cessation of hostilities and to look upon the armistice as an agreement between the United States and Spain on their own account and not binding upon the free and independent state of Cuba, whose liberating army not only repudiates pacification, but still ignore the armistice to the point of continuing to wage the war and shooting every Spaniard in the field.

A wild rumor is affoat to the effect that the Cuban army will attack Santiago and capture it, to the glory of SPOKEN.

Str Parklands, from Parreboro for Manchester, Aug 3, lat 44.10, lon 45.16.

Bark Sagona, Thompson, from Liverpool for Richiboucto, Aug 1, lat 49, lon 24.

Ship Austria, from St John for Bristol, Eng, Aug 6th, lat 42.54, lon 59.33.

Ship Theo H Rand, from Darien for Aberdeen, Aug 7, lat 32.13, lon 78.10.

Brigt G B Lockhart, from Curacoa for New York, Aug 9, off Eng Harbor.

Bark Loreid, from Liverpool for Pugwash, Aug 5, lat 46.08, lon 50.14.

Bark Vale, Anderson, from Bay Verte for Liverpool, Aug 8, lat 49, lon 20. body of men against law and order is formidable. This hysterical people demands suppression with an iron hand. While still in embryo, this influence is already felt among certain classes, who refuse to work or serve the government until a statement of the freedom and independence of their country is made clear.

A knowledge of this condition is imperative to the moulding of future policy and to explain whatever harsh tone may be rendered necessary in

steps may be rendered necessary in dealing with the insurgents. MADRID, Aug. 15, 10 p. m.-The

Cuban autonomist government has resigned. It is believed that the Spanish government will decline to accept the resignation of Governor Generals Blanco and Augustin.

Havana telegrams represent the Spanish element in the colony as favoring American annexation as the best means to insure prosperity and avert anarchy.

M. Cambon, the French ambassador to the United States, who represented

Spain in the peace negotiations at the Grand Cross of the order of Charles III.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 15.-The department of state has just posted the The following despatch was received

at the department at 11.15 p. m., Aug. 15, from Consul Wildman, Hong Kong: "Augustin says Dewey bombarded Manila Saturday; city surrendered unconditionally. Augustin was taken by the Germans in launch to Kaiserin Augustine and brought to Hong Kong. I credit report."

LONDON, Aug. 16.-The Times this morning comments editorially upon the curious simultaneous resignations of Gen. Blanco and Gen. Augustin, and expresses the opinion that neither of the retiring governors general will be very severely censured on his arrival in Spain.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 15 .- General Shafter's report of the health condi-tions of his troops at Santiago for August 14 shows: Total number sick. of fever cases returned to duty, 226. Deaths, August 11, three, including Corporal Marionames, Co. H, Second Mass, typhoil fever; August 12, three; August 13, seven, including Thos. II. Welsh, Co. L., Ninth Mass., asthensis; J. M. McNamara, Co. K, Ninth Mass., pernicious malarial fever; August 14.

LONDON, Aug. 16.-The Santiago correspondent of the Times who acted s interpreter for General Shafter during the interviews preceding the sur-render of Santiago, describes fully the fighting and capitulation of the city: and criticizes severely the tactical olunders made, the opportunities missed and the lack of the information of correspondent says the necessity for the surrender of Santiago is no more evident now than it was before.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 15 .- Since the declaration of war, the quartermasters department has purchased sixteen arge vessels and eleven small vessels and has chartered sixty-six ships and boats of various kinds for the transportation of troops and supplies to Cuba, Porto Rico, Honolulu and the Cuba, Porto Rico, Honoldiu and the Philippines. Upon this department has also devolved the duty of equipping the entire volunteer force with all articles of clothing. It has also had to provide for all camp and garden accounts. rison equipment, arrange for camping grounds, water supplies and water sewerage. It purchases and supplies all the artillery, cavalry and draft all the artiHery, eavalry and dram-horses, mules and wagons, ambu-lances, harness and forage and grain for the animals. Thousands of these animals and equipments for them have been purchased during the brief war and grain are now needed to feed the animals. All the transportation of troops by rail, as well as by ships, is under the direction of the quartermasters' department.

Some criticism has been passed upon

the quartermasters department, but the officers believe that in the short time allowed them a great deal has been accomplished in a most satisfac-

SANTHAGO DE CUBA, Aug. 15, 6.30 p. m.—The official report submitted to Gen. Shafter by collector of the port Donaldson shows the customs revenues from July 30 to Aug. 13 to be \$64,215, an excellent showing for the tirst fortnight of American adminis-

tration.

Miss Clara Barton of the Red Cross seciety today cabled President McKinley, requesting that a vessel be given her at once for the purpose of taking relief supplies to the starving Cubans in Havana, where, according to reports, want and distress prevail. It is expected that a vessel will be placed at the service of the Red Cross society immediately, as there is an abundant stock of food supplies here orly awaiting means of transportation, and the excellent and far reaching work Miss Barton has done here ing work Miss Barton has done here demands recognition to the extent of furnishing her an opportunity for further and much needed relief work in Hayana. SANTTAGO DE CUBA, Aug. 15,

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1.30 a. m.-The following is Gen. Lawten's address to his staff, a part of which will shortly return home:
"Headquarters Second Division Fifth

MARINE MATTERS.

Suhooner Glenera has been taken to Carleton to be broken up.

Bark Cedar Croft, Capt. Young, which sailed from Rotterdam July 31 for Campbelltown, N. B., and passed Hook of Holland August 4, has returned to Rotterdam with captain sick.

Army Corps.

captain sick.

Steamer Anaccs, Capt. Robinson, from Chatham, N. B., grounded on Burbo Eank on the 5th, but floated and has arrived at Manchester. It is believed that no damage ras been sustained.

Schr. Wellman Hall, when hauling out from pier No 4, East River, on Monday, in tow of tug Henry Hoehn, collided with two ice barges, which were in tow of one of Cornell's tugs. The schooner was taken to Jerger Selections of the schooner was taken to Jerger Selections.

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which was in collision with the ship Charles now repairing at this port. The Enddeign effected temporary repairs at Boston, which are interesting to see. Her bow where she was injured in patched with heavy planks and some 200 berrels of cement have been used in plastering up the whole. The Endeleigh is lying at the Monticello whart.

Str. Rosefield, from Havne via Sydney, is now due at this port.

Str. Ullapool, which arrived Wednesday night, was consigned to J. H. Scammell & Co.

of the stern there is scarcely any doubt that the vessel was sunk in collision.

Bark Gler, from Hallfax, which arrived at St. Malo July 26, has been delivering cargo which is damaged.

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Sch. S. G. Hartt, from Fernindina Aug. 1 for Halifax, N. S., stranded on Little Kinnikat on the 10th. The vessel and cargo are a total loss. Crew caved.

Schr. Emergy 97 tons, built at Mahone Bay, N. S., in 1884, which arrived at New York August 4 from Jeremie, has had her name changed to Mildred and now halls from New York, having been sold to W. R. Hutchings. Steamer Buenaventura, 1151 tons, built at Sunderland, E., in 1871, was sold by the U. S. government at New York Aug. 4 to the Luckenbach Wrecking Co., for \$12,200.

Bark Emma R. Smith 371 tons, built at Hantsport, N. S., was sold at New York Aug. 4, to Hutchings Bros., for about \$4,500.

Capt. Ed. Keans, formerly of Lower Granville but now of Digby, lately purchased the schooner Emerald. She has been fishing off Cape North, and according to reports is a great sea boat and good sailer.

ST. STEPHEN.

Shot Dead by "is Brother-To Work on C.

ST. STEPHEN, N. B., Aug. 15.-A pad fatality occurred at Grand Lake stream, Maine, yesterday afternoon, when O. S. Tarbox, aged fourteen years, was accidentally shot dead by his brother. The young boys are sons of Charles Tarbox, formerly of Calais, and were camping in the woods near

Villager (with dignity)—No, sir; this is a prohibition town, and I don't know where you could get liquor.

Stranger—Don't you? You must be a prohibitionist.

The treasurer of Guy's hospital, London, has received an anonymous donation of \$5,000 from one who listened to Mr. Balfour's speech on the occasion of the distribution of prizes in the medical school, with a request that the governors would use the sum for the purpose of another purpose of the purpose of

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