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### THE NEW Church Hymn Book for sale at the "Greetings Office" in several Qualities and Styles.

#### When You Think

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#### Favored Tax on Land Values Only.

Paper by Aid Stuart of Newcastle, Be- fore Municipalities Union.

Newcastle, Oct. 12. At this morning's session of the convention of the Union of New Brunswick Municipalities a paper on taxation was read by Aid Stuart of Newcastle. Few thoughtful men, he said, will contend that the prevailing system of municipal taxation in Northumber- land county is fair or reasonable, either in theory or practice. And many who have equated it into it denounce it as decidedly wrong in principle and vicious in its practical application. Our municipal taxes are derived from the levy of a certain percentage on the assessed value of land, buildings and other improvements, personal property and income, and from a poll tax. The rate of taxation on each of the above items is the same; and, with one or two exceptions, each county, city and town has to raise one-sixth of its revenues by means of a poll tax. Allow- ing for the exemption in most New Brunswick municipalities of the first \$200 of income, land, improvements, personal property and income are supposed to be assessed at the full value of each. Now suppose, for the sake of argument, that the assessors are both honest and capable that they value correctly and assess properly without fear or favor—the selling price of land being so much less than that of the improvements thereon, every temptation is offered and facility afforded for speculators to hold land idle in hope of a rise in price whereby they can reap a golden harvest from the extra value created for their holdings by the industry of the rest of the community. The land speculator is no good in any place. His

policy is to acquire and hold land in what he considers a growing district and keep it idle until prices go up. Year by year people settle near it, clear the ground, open up streets erect buildings and bring trade to its neighborhood. Schools, churches, theatres, railway stations are built near it, and soon his unimproved property becomes most desirable for residence or business purposes, and he is offered for his claim many times more than what he paid for it. Then he sells and pockets the extra value wholly created by the labor of others, the unearned increment, which should all go to those who created it, that is, to the community.

Aid Stuart argued that the speculator hinders the progress of a place. The grant of vast areas to persons not willing or able to improve them was a curse. Vacant land is taxed too low. Only a small proportion of personal property pays any tax. Many an assessor, too, while he estimates pretty correctly the annual results of the unskilled laborer, the artisan and the salaried man, makes a poor guess at the incomes of those higher up. Aid Stuart gave reasons for the glaring irregularities so often found in assessments, and took up consideration of how to improve the system. Taxes ought to be taken off improvements, personal property, and income, and the poll tax should be reduced or abolished, while needed revenue would be obtained by increased tax on land values. There would be at least two benefits from taxing land values only.

1. The taxation of land values only will, by increasing the taxes on land tend to do away with speculation in land, for few or more (were the taxes high enough) could then afford to hold land idle. The taxes would be so heavy that the owner would be compelled to immediately put his land to use or sell it to someone who would improve it. Vacant land being thus forced upon the market men desirous of obtaining land on which to build warehouses or homes could purchase it much more cheaply than at present and thus more easily shake off the incubus of landlordism, which is fast reducing the people of this country to the status of the peasant and laborer of Europe and Asia.

2. The tax on land values only would simplify the task of collecting taxes. He could not hide nor misrepresent his land. The assessors would have no choice in the matter. The holder of so many square feet or so many acres would have to pay so much and all the world would know as himself just what he should pay. If he failed to pay, his land would be there as ample security. But under our antiquated and wasteful system, much of the taxes levied is never collected. Many make false entries regarding their income or personal property, and the value of

improvements is fixed according to the judgement of assessors upon whom, as we have seen, a multitude of influences can be brought to bear. Also, because of our iniquitous economic system that compels men to leave their families and wander hither and thither for work, which they sometimes find and often don't, much of our poll tax is evaded and lost.

Aid Stuart said as these ideas are new to many people and as undue haste is always to be deprecated, this Union should not ask the Legislature to at once compel all municipalities to restrict taxation to land and abolish all property qualification for voting and holding office but should merely demand from it the right for all municipalities to regulate, for the present at least, such matters for themselves. Such permission being obtained, each municipality could fight the question out for itself, and advance as rapidly or as slowly as the majority of its people should. In all cases, let the people rule.

#### Defends Italy for Her Tripoli Policy.

Italy's justification for her action in Tripoli is set forth by "Ex-Attache," one of the best informed newspaper men whose weekly articles on European and Asiatic affairs are a feature of a number of United States journals. This writer declares that Italy is not an aggressor against Turkey, but that she is merely resenting a long series of affronts that no other first class power would have suffered. He says that the sympathy of Christian people must be with Italy, since her success in Tripoli will finally banish the slave trade that still flourishes there as a result of the barem system in Turkey. It is by way of Tripoli that the black slaves find their way from the African interior to the Turkish market, and once this outlet is in Christian hands there will be an end to the traffic that Turkey, alone among civilized or semi-civilized powers, has encouraged. At present the chief source of the slaves allowed by the Mohammedan religion is from the interior provinces of Wallia and Borne, and the caravans of black women pass through Tripoli on their way to the market of Constantinople. On this account, if for no other, "Ex-Attache" thinks the moral support of Christian countries should be with the Italian in the present struggle.

He combats the idea set forth in The Mail and Empire that Italy is seizing Tripoli as a sort of compensation for being frozen out of Morocco and excluded from the aggressions of Austria in Bosnia and Herzegovina, and points out that her action against Turkey has received the tacit support of every European power save Germany. The Kaiser, though

bound to Italy in the Triple All, has yet been aiming at a position of pre-eminence in the Turkish Empire, and might reasonably object to any action that would change the status quo, so favorable to himself. It is understood that Germany recommended Turkey to accept the Italian demands in Tripoli, and assured the Porte that if they were rejected Germany could take no steps to prevent Italy from carrying out her plans. This writer is of opinion that Turkey will not make strenuous resistance, and points out that in the past the Sultan has brought his country to the verge of war, only to accept the terms of his opponent at the eleventh hour. Finding no European support, Turkey will yield says "Ex-Attache."

He goes over the list of grievances Italy has against Turkey, but does not mention the grievances Turkey has against Italy. He declares that favors and advantages freely granted to other powers have been withheld from Italy, although in the last European war in which three or more powers were engaged Italy was found fighting on the side of Turkey. Italy helped defend the Ottoman Empire against Russia in the Crimea, but received no recognition whatever for her services, though Britain and France both profited by their friendship. Moreover, in Turkey the Italians have played much the same part that they have played in our own country, being among the most energetic and enterprising of merchants and from an economic point of view contributing in no small degree to whatever industry and trade Turkey now possesses.

In view of these services Turkey's ingratitude is inexplicable, were it not for the fact, which "Ex-Attache" does not mention, that for many years Italy has set up claims for political recognition in one part of the Turkish Empire, to wit, Tripoli.

He admits, however, that Italian statesmen and newspaper writers have been very indiscreet in their discussion of Turkish affairs. Whenever the luck-novel subject of the partition of Turkey has come up they have not hesitated to assert that the snail of Italy would be Tripoli, being more specific than any other European in pointing out what they wanted. It is not to be wondered at, therefore, that Turkish susceptibility to illustrate Italian plans. These attempts according to "Ex-Attache," ties were aroused and attempts made went to unjustifiable lengths. Not favors, but they were denied that only were Italians refused any special bare rights which their numbers and influence in Tripoli ought to have entitled them to. That they were more numerous in Tripoli than any other foreigners is not to be denied, but notwithstanding this fact, all Italian tenders for concessions were rejected, even though from an ordinary business point of view they were the most favorable that the Government received.

Only a few months ago the Archaeological Institute of America was granted permission to explore the buried cities of Cyrenica, for which Italian scientific bodies and individuals and vainly implored the Turkish authorities for 20 years. Other instances might be quoted and even the defender, of Turkey cannot deny that scant courtesy has been shown Italy in the past 20 years, ever since, in fact, Bismark suggested that she should recoup herself in Tripoli for any advantages other European powers had secured in other portions of the Turkish Empire. This she has now attempted to do, and apart from "Ex-Attache's" defence, there is no strong sentiment against her conduct, high-handed though it be.

—King's Co. Recd.

#### Life Sketch of Connaught.

Field-Marshal His Royal Highness the Duke of Connaught and Strathearn, K. G., K. T., K. P., the new Governor-General and Commander-in-Chief of the Dominion of Canada in succession to the Right Hon. Earl Grey, G. C. M. G., G. C. V. O., will assume his new duties in October, and will hold the appointment for the period of two years, which may be

subject to further extension.

The third son and seventh child of Queen Victoria, the Duke of Connaught was born at Buckingham Palace in 1856. On leaving Woolwich Academy in 1868 he entered the Royal Engineers, and subsequently transferred to the Royal Regiment of Artillery, and later to the Rifle Brigade, of which he is Colonel-in-Chief. As a subaltern he served in Canada during the Fenian raid of 1870. He was created Duke of Connaught and Strathearn in 1874. Five years later he married Princess Louise Marguerite of Prussia. In the Egyptian War of 1882 he commanded the Brigade of Guards at Kel-el-Kebir. From 1886 to 1890 he commanded the troops in Bombay, and he has since held the Portsmouth and Aldershot commands and that of the Forces in Ireland. In 1904 he became the first Inspector-General of the Forces, and in 1905 he was appointed to the Mediterranean command, which, it will be remembered, he resigned. It was a great disappointment to him that he was not permitted to share the risks of the Boer war. His patriotism was strikingly shown by his refusal of the Grand Duchy of Saxe-Coburg, in order to retain his British Nationality.

He was created a Peer of the United Kingdom on May 24, 1874. The last of the many important posts held by the Duke was Commander-in-Chief of the Mediterranean Forces, which he resigned shortly after his appointment. Last year he represented the King at the opening of the South African Parliament, enduring wonderfully well for a man of sixty the fatigue and hurry of his 18,000 miles trip.

The Duke's connection with Canada is a long and pleasant one. Forty years ago, when a young man of twenty, the Duke came to Canada and served as a soldier through the Fenian raid. Since then the Duke has several times returned to Canada each time enhancing not only his own, but his family's popularity. It will also be remembered that his son Prince Arthur, toured Canada some four years ago.—Ex.

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#### Dead Sea Water

Its buoyancy Not So Great As To Make Swimming Impossible.

In Jerusalem ridiculous stories are told of the impossibility of bathing in the Dead sea, and it is even said by the superstitious that no animals or vegetation can exist near it. The truth is that if Palestine belonged to any other power but Turkey the northern shore of the Dead sea would probably become a popular bathing station and health resort, as the chloride of magnesium which enters so largely into the composition of the water would be found to have medicinal and curative properties, says the Zion Herald.

So far as swimming is concerned, the

#### ANOTHER LIFE SAVED.

Weak Lungs Restored by Morrissy's "No. 10."

ST. JOHN, N. B., Nov. 17, 1910. "I had Pneumo-Pneumonia, and was taken to the City Hospital to have my lungs tapped. After this was done I seemed to get worse, and never expected to walk again. In fact, I was given up and wanted to be taken home from the hospital. I was in a terribly rundown condition and felt that I was going right into consumption, and for six months was just a shadow. I tried every means to get well but there was no cure for me until I began taking your No. 10 Lung Tonic, of which I used 22 bottles in all. It was not long after returning home that I surprised my neighbors by gaining in strength and health, and now I am in good health and feel it my duty to publish it everywhere, as I am living to-day—saved from the grave by your wonderful prescription. You may publish this letter if you wish, for I am willing to let the world know what this medicine did for me, and I cannot praise it too highly."

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excessive buoyancy of the water of the Dead sea simply renders it difficult for the swimmer to make much headway, but if care be taken not to allow the salt water to get into the eyes a swim is both feasible and enjoyable.

The Dead sea contains 25 per cent of solid matter and is balk for bulk, heavier than the human body. In a ton of water from the Caspian sea there are 11 pounds of salt, in the Baltic 18 pounds, in the Black sea 26 pounds, in the Atlantic 31 pounds, in the Mediterranean 35 pounds, in the Red sea 93 pounds and in the Dead sea 187 pounds.

#### First Moving Stairway in Great Britain

It Is In Operation in London Underground Railway.

(Canadian Press Despatch.)

London, Oct. 4.—The first escalator, or moving stairway, introduced in England is in operation to-day at the Farringdon Station on the underground railway. It will carry ten thousand passengers hourly and do more work than six ordinary lifts. The traffic by the deep level tube is so heavy at the busiest hours of the day that the lifts are overstrained, and passengers are delayed.

If the experiment succeeds similar double stairways, moving up and down simultaneously, will be constructed at other stations of the underground system. One was tried in Berlin, ten years ago, and another was in operation at the Paris Exposition, but the system is still a novelty in Europe, although it has been satisfactorily tested in Canada and the United States.

#### Calgary Gets the C. P. R.

Car Works.

The decision of the C. P. R. executive to build their western car works plant at Calgary terminates a long spell of anxiety and speculation in both the thriving Alberta towns. For months tremendous sales of real estate have been negotiated by agents in both places solely upon the prospect of securing the works and the local press kept hammering away at one another and never ceased putting forth the claims of their respective towns. In St. John and the Maritime Provinces much interest attaches to the securing of the works for Calgary, as former residents are not only engaged in the "industry" of real estate but many citizens hereabouts have land holding in that city. One resident who made the trip early in the summer, owns 160 acres a quarter section, within halting distance of the supposed site of the proposed car works. It is stated he paid \$1,600 for it. Other citizens holding British Columbia real estate, particularly farm land and town plots in the centre of the province are anticipating big jumps in value as soon as the C. P. R. crosses that interior before 1913 is spent.

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### NEW RIVER

Mrs. Wm. Murray went to the Hospital in St. John on Thursday and went under an operation for gall stones on Saturday at 10 o'clock. Her niece Miss Edith McAllister of Lorneville arrived Thursday morning to keep house for her.

Mrs. Gileon Fickey of Bonny River spent one night last week here.

Wm. McGowan and mother of Maces Bay called on Mrs. M. Giles Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Lizzie Boyle and son Howard and daughter Mary spent Friday afternoon with Mrs. Giles.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ellis of Maces Bay called on Mrs. Giles Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ring of West St. John spent a few days the guests of her sister Mrs. Chas. Giles.

Frank Daley and Ernest Shaws of the Mills spent Sunday here.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Stinson of Lepreau and two nieces Alice and Gladys Stinson of Fairville called on Mrs. M. Giles recently.

John McCasky, Dan Corr and Mr. Mackin of St. John have been on a hunting trip here and returned to their homes on Monday with some nice partridge.

Mrs. Anderson and son Arnold spent a couple of days in St. John last week.

Chas. Boyle of Pennfield called here Wednesday.

Lister Murray, Edith McAllister, Margaret Richardson and Florence Giles called on Mrs. Chas. Murray on Sunday afternoon.

Miss Nellie Lodge returned to Boston where she is employed, after spending a month vacation the guests of her parents Mr. and Mrs. Benj. Lodge.

Mrs. Giles is improving under the treatment of Dr. Taylor of St. George.

Miss Ruth Knight returned to her home in St. John after spending her vacation with Mrs. Jas. Brown of New River Mills.

Patrick and Roy Daley spent Monday in St. George.

Howard Bailey was a recent guest of Mrs. Giles.

Thos. Mulhern spent Tuesday and Wednesday in St. John.

Joe Ellis and son of Maces Bay spent Sunday here.

M. Kennedy of St. George called here on his way to Maces Bay.

### LORD'S COVE

Mrs. Retigiew of Red Beach, Me. is visiting relatives here.

James B. Chie has purchased a fine piano from E. McNeil, agent.

Edwin Bridges spent last week with his sister Mrs. Sydney Lord.

Mrs. Alonzo and Mrs. George Stuart left on Monday to attend the annual convention at St. John.

Miss Hattie Morang called on Miss Ruby Stewart recently.

Miss Nellie Pendleton called on Mrs. M. C. Stewart recently.

Bugbee Morang is doing mason work on Kenneth Stuart's new house.

Mrs. Sydney Lord was called to Woodland, Me. on Saturday last to attend her

daughter Miss Watie Lambert who is ill with Typhoid fever.

Mrs. K. Pendleton Mrs. Horace Worring were passengers to Eastport on Saturday's boat.

Four candidates were baptized by Rev. Clifton Lambert, they were Mrs. Amerson, Mr. and Mrs. James Haden and son Herbert.

Mrs. Haden who is very ill is improving.

All are glad to know that Miss Georgie Pendleton who is receiving treatment at the Chipman hospital is recovering.

Mrs. Mesty Stuart who has been visiting friends at Perry and Robinson returned home Saturday.

Miss Flora Barker returned home on Saturday after a pleasant visit with her aunt at Head Harbor.

Mrs. Fowler and son Clarence of Portland have been guests of her mother Mrs. Wm. Mitchell at Stuart Town.

Ed Mitchell spent Sunday at his home here.

### PENNFIELD.

Miss Margaret Beach returned to her home in Honevendale on Saturday after a pleasant visit with friends here.

Miss Jennie Bucknam of St. John is the guest of Mrs. Lydia Trimble.

Miss Brittain of St. John West who has been spending the summer with Mrs. James Trimble returned to her home on Friday.

Wm. Murray shot a fine moose on Saturday.

Mrs. Walter McDowell and Miss Bessie Daley called on Mrs. Murray Tuesday.

Harry Akerley of the Schr. Rescue spent Sunday here.

Capt. Trynor, Maurice Trynor and Byron Bradford of the Schr. Helen spent a few days last week at their homes here.

Norman McDowell and Fred Murray drove to Beaver Harbor Sunday evening.

Mr. Shaw of Lepreau was here on Saturday and purchased a fine horse from H. C. Justason.

Orlo Akerley and Norman Gillmor of Second Falls spent Sunday with friends here.

Miss Ida Maxwell of St. George is the guest of her sister Mrs. David Boyd.

A number of young people spent a pleasant evening on Saturday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. Boyd.

### PENNFIELD RIDGE.

Sadie M. Johnson teacher at Trout Brook spent a few days recently with her aunt Mrs. Wm. Johnson.

Thomas Armstrong returned to his home at St. George, Saturday, after spending a few days with friends here.

George W. Scott shot a fine moose at Pookogan last week.

Miss Mary McDowell is visiting at Woodlands.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Hanson spent Sunday at Second Falls.

Mrs. W. Millen McDowell is visiting her aunt Mrs. D. Tufts at St. John.

Miss Bessie A. Daley was calling on friends at Seelye's Cove on Saturday.

Miss Lizzie O. Munroe spent Sunday with Mrs. I. J. Justason.

On Monday night about nine o'clock the saw mill of E. G. Herwood's at Pennfield caught fire and destroyed the main part of the mill. The fire was discovered by W. M. McDowell who hastily gave the alarm.

How the fire started is unknown but it is supposed that a spark from the smoke stack fell on the roof which soon developed into flames.

### PENNFIELD CENTRE

Mrs. Lewis Connors and Mrs. Edmond Wallace of Blacks Harbor called on Mrs. Malcolm Mesley Wednesday.

Miss Bertha Dakin of Beaver Harbor spent Sunday with Mrs. Gilbert Johnson.

Mrs. Louisa Bothwick is on the sick list.

Mrs. Annie Scott is spending a few days in Eastport.

Capt. Leighton, Schr. Gold Finner is loading with boxwood at Trynor's Cove for Eastport.

Mr. Elliott who has been visiting Mrs. Frank Leighton has returned to his home in Nova Scotia.

Miss Annie Thompson of Eastport is spending a few days at her home here.

W. Waite had the luck in shooting a fine moose last week.

### The Metal Cobalt

An American Scientist Tells of Northern Ontario Deposits

Canada is about the only country that produces the metal cobalt. Here is what Robert Kennedy Duncan, an eminent professor of the United States, says about it in an article in the August Harper's: "To begin. Away up in the silver mining region of northern Ontario there exist vast deposits, tons upon tons—small hills, in fact—of waste silver-extracted residues from the mines. These residues are rich in cobalt. Cobalt is a silver-white metal with a faint suggestion of pink; it is tenacious, it can be readily polished, and it exhibits a high lustre. It may be considered as a sister to nickel and a cousin to iron. Like iron, for example, it is magnetic. In the metallic state cobalt has found no application whatever in the arts. Now, it should be remembered, that it is not iron and that it is not nickel, but that as an elemental substance it possesses properties that differentiate it from every other substance on earth. Having unique properties it ought to possess unique utilities, and common experience tells us that these unique utilities have only to be sought to be found. As a mere hint of its possibilities, the writer was shown the other day a knife the blade of which consisted not of iron, but of pure cobalt with a trace of chromium. Of course the future of this metal lies not in imitating iron or steel, but in transcending these for special purposes and in the utilization of its extraordinary wealth of compounds. Altogether, wealth, reputation and service await the trained chemist who has the intelligence and persistence to dig them out of those refuse deposits of northern Ontario."

The professor says a great reward awaits the investigator who will find a commercial use for cobalt.

### Shipping Grain by Way of Vancouver.

Winnipeg, Oct. 9.—While all lines to the head of the head of the Canadian lakes are crowded with grain, trains rushing the new crops through while the lake navigation is open, there is much complaint among the farmers in Manitoba and Saskatchewan over the rain interfering with threshing. The percentage of grain threshed is enormously less than normal this season and the elevator men all over the west say that their bins are empty. Money for the movement of crop is very plentiful throughout the west. On account of the equalization of grain rates between east and west effective only last week much grain is going to Europe via Vancouver gateway around the Horn railway officials say this movement via the Pacific will grow annually.

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### Rush for Government Jobs At The Capital

Nearly 1000 of the faithful so far Heard From (Ottawa Press.)

At a political meeting at Ottawa last week, Messrs. Fripp and Chabot, Conservative M. P.'s elect, told of the trials and tribulations they had experienced in their brief career.

"You have given us a difficult task," said Mr. Fripp, and there was an infection of weariness in the statement. "Already nearly a thousand people have called on us. While we are willing to do our utmost, we cannot find positions for every one so quickly as they desire. You must have patience. We cannot take the Government buildings and turn them inside out to make room for our friends but anyone who has been found a partisan, who has taken an active part against Dr. Chabot and myself, their cases will be dealt with. The rest of Canada as well as Ottawa is entitled to consideration. Ottawadoes not own the Parliament buildings. As vacancies occur we will see that those who have been faithful to

us, other things being equal, get the positions. In order to get into the civil service it is necessary to pass an examination, and Hon. R. L. Borden himself could not put a man there unless he passed the examination.

"The fact of the matter is," Mr. Fripp continued rather plaintively, "they filled up nearly every job before they went out and purchased small supplies sufficient to last three or four years, contracts which we should have had for our friends."

"Applicants for jobs come to stand at our office in the Castle building as at a football game. They think the first man in gets the job. We have taken their names, and will make selections."

### Trial Cost Money

The Montreal Star, referring to the Russell conspiracy case, says: "The cost of the trial and events leading up to it will certainly foot up well over \$100,000. There was a well-defined rumor that Mr. Donald McMaster had a retainer of \$25,000 before he left England. Some very well-informed people were heard to give this out as 'gospel truth.' Mr. Casgrain's

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**To Harness Tides for Pow. r.**  
(New York Commercial.)

But before embarking on the Amerika  
at Hamburg for the home voyage, after  
a three months' outing abroad, Thomas  
A. Edison had a shore session with the  
newspaper representatives, in the course  
of which he told his inspection of some  
of the great factories in Germany and  
dwelt at some length on a conference be-  
tween himself and Prof. Pein who for  
many years has been "wrestling" it is  
said, with the problem of utilizing for  
power purposes the ebb and the flow of  
tides. "Mr. Edison was greatly inter-  
ested," the Berlin cablegrams say, "in  
all that was unfolded to him along this  
line, and he proclaimed Prof. Pein the  
first man who has really understood how  
to turn the tides of the sea to purposes  
of general utility."

It will probably surprise both the Am-  
erican "wizards" and the German pro-  
fessor to learn that at Bath, Me., for  
nearly three months there has been in  
successful operation a small model plant  
for the automatic impounding and re-  
lease of the tides that has attracted the  
attention of hundreds of scientists and  
practical manufacturers and the interest  
of not a few capitalists. Its location is  
on the west bank of the Kennebec River  
at a point about 13 miles from the Atlan-  
tic ocean, where the normal flow and ebb  
of the river tides may be set approxi-  
mately at around six feet; this mechanism  
has worked without interruption day and  
night, through all these weeks and wholy  
without human aid or direction or ad-  
justment, except perhaps, in the neces-  
sary oiling of the bearings and so forth.  
The motive power of the model has time  
and again been carefully computed by  
engineers and others competent to mea-  
sure it by scientific processes, and ac-  
cording to local reports no one of them  
has expressed an adverse opinion as to  
the perfect practicability of the device  
when its principles come to be applied on  
a larger scale.

So far as the latest information here  
abounds in concern there has as yet been  
no business organization formed for  
handling the patent and developing the  
thing in a large way; but the ownership  
is said to be within very close control  
with no particular effort at an exploita-  
tion that might turn out to be prema-  
ture. Beyond the local and the Maine  
press, comparatively little publicity has  
been given to the fact that a powerful  
producer from the tides has been in suc-  
cessful operation on the Kennebec river  
for three months. Had the reverse been  
the case, some scientists might have ap-  
peared on the scene there before this and  
perhaps have explored the theory that  
the thing is practicable. Until somebody  
does succeed in doing that, the little  
plant is open to the inspection of the  
whole world and it would seem to be part  
of good business judgment for its own-  
ers and promoters to let the world know  
a little more about it. Even Prof. Pein  
might learn something by "looking  
over" this mechanism at Bath, or Edison  
might inspect it and give the professor  
and other power scientists something to  
think about.

Advertise in Greetings.

### Athletic Girl Teacher Whales Nine Big Boys.

Pittsburg, Pa., Oct. 11 Just because  
she "enforced discipline" and thrashed  
nine husky boy scholars in a grand mel-  
ee, Miss Roberta Atkinson may lose her  
place in the Sandy Creek school, near  
here. Several angry farmers have asked  
the Penn township school board to dis-  
miss the pretty and athletic teacher for  
whipping their sons.

She has been offered already several  
positions at a higher salary in localities  
where the schoolboys need physical train-  
ing."

Miss Koberta has not been long at  
Sandy Creek. The oldest of her schol-  
ars, stronger and taller than she is, de-  
termined to do as they dangled pleased,  
b'gosh. She was kind and patient until  
Saturday. Then the bully of the school  
was extremely impertinent. He wears  
cowhide boots and homespun clothes  
and is big enough to work at piano mov-  
ing.

Smiling Miss Roberta moved swiftly  
toward him "Swish!" "Swish!" A  
brand new rattan whistled down on his  
legs; he was too surprised before he had  
received half a dozen strokes of the rat-  
tan. He tried to seize it, to grapple  
Miss Roberta; wielding her rattan dex-  
terously she kept him at its length rap-  
ping him on his calves, his knuckles  
anywhere.

Also first his eight classmates grinned  
to see the bully "getting his." Then,  
in answer to his howls for help they  
rushed Miss Roberta. Intrenches be-  
hind a desk she met them. She smote  
them even as Samson smote the Philis-  
tines. There was hitting in the clinches  
and catch-as-catch can wrestling, but af-  
ter three minutes of furious combat the  
brave Miss Roberta remained mistress of  
the field.

"Boys, do I win?" she asked, smiling  
forgivingly as she did up her hair.

"Ye-es, teacher," the nine chorused  
stammeringly.

"Then be good and there will be no  
reason for me to be cross with you again"  
she said.

"Cross" Great Scott! 'I'd hate to see  
her real mad," whimpered the bully,  
rubbing his knuckles.

### Male Teacher Disappears From Quebec.

Only One Left in Protestant Primary  
Schools of Montreal  
(Montreal Witness)

At last the secret would seem to be out  
as to why the rising generation is not to  
be compared, in point of excellence, to  
those who have gone before.

It has just been discovered that, in the  
Province of Quebec at least, the male  
teacher is rapidly becoming extinct and  
fears are being expressed that in but a  
short time a mere man, whenever found  
on the teaching staff of a public school  
will be the subject of much comment and  
considerable wonder. The Protestant  
primary schools of this province, would  
really seem to be, however, in a bad way  
for male teachers. In this city, only one  
school, Mount Royal, has a male teacher  
on its staff.

That this serious condition of things  
will not be remedied in the near future is  
easily seen from the fact that out of a to-  
tal attendance of almost 150 in the Mac-  
donald College model class for teachers  
only three men are enrolled. This  
means, of course, that no relief will be  
found from this source, for a long while  
to come, and that the boys of the Protes-  
tant schools of this city and Province  
must continue to be taught by ladies.

This is a matter which has been the  
cause of much comment in certain quar-  
ters where the question of juvenile edu-  
cation is best understood, and there  
would seem to be a growing impression  
that when boys have reached a certain  
age in their school days they should  
come under the direct and personal in-  
fluence of male teachers. "The effect,"  
said a local teacher "of petticoat rule,  
even from competent lady teachers, on  
the minds of growing and wilful boys,  
has been a source of anxiety to those who  
advocate masculine jurisdiction from the  
years of ten onwards."

It is not generally appreciated, perhaps,  
the dearth of public school teachers, both  
male and female, in the Province of Que-  
bec, but in many recent instances, teach-  
ers have had to be brought from Onta-  
rio to accept positions in this part of  
the country because it was impossible to

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who are capable of holding positions of  
this kind seems to be that they can turn  
their talents to better advantage from a  
financial point of view, in other channels  
than that of teaching.

### Changes of the Laurier Ministry

The Laurier Government took office  
on July 31, 1896, the Premier having  
been sworn in on July 11. Since then  
eleven of its original members have with-  
drawn, either through resignation or ac-  
ceptance of office, namely: Hon. (now  
Sir) Richard W. Scott, Sir Oliver Mowat  
Hon. (now Sir) Louis Davies, Hon. (now  
Sir) William Mullock, John J. Israel  
Tarte, Hon. Andrew G. Blair, Hon. Clif-  
ford Sifton, Sir Henri Joly de Lothier  
Hon. R. R. Doherty and Hon. C. A. Ge-  
offrin (who died in office) and Hon. (now  
Sir) Charles Fitzpatrick.

The surviving members of the original  
Laurier Cabinet are the Premier him-  
self, Sir Richard Cartwright, Sir Fred-  
erick W. Borlen, Hon. Sydney Fisher,  
Hon. W. S. Fielding and Hon. William  
Paterson.

There have been two secretaries of  
State, Sir Richard Scott and Hon. Charles  
Murphy; four Ministers of Justice, Sir  
Oliver Mowat, Hon. David Mills, Sir  
Charles Fitzpatrick and Sir Allan Ayles-  
worth; five Ministers of Marine and  
Fisheries, Sir Louis Davies, Hon. James  
Sutherland, Hon. Raymond Preston,

participate in a great naval parade which  
will insure not only representation of every  
navy in large numbers, but each country  
will send its largest and best ships. The  
spectacle will be the sight of life-time.

The fleets will assemble in Hampton  
Roads and proceed up the Chesapeake  
bay and Potomac river to Washington,  
where a formal call will be made upon  
the president of the United States. On  
their return the president will review the  
fleets from his yacht, which will be sta-  
tioned at the Virginia capes. Then this  
vast armada will sail southward and pass  
through the Panama canal as part of the  
official opening program. By no means  
the least interesting part of the announce-  
ment is the continued cruise of the com-  
bined fleets to San Francisco during the  
Panama canal opening exposition. This  
will furnish an attraction which no in-  
ternational exposition has ever had and  
will enable thousands of people who can-  
not get to the Atlantic Coast to enjoy the  
inspiring sight of the greatest assemblage  
of fighting ships ever brought together  
in the history of the world.—H. H. Wind-  
er in Popular Mechanics.

### C. N. R. Looks Strong in New Cabinet.

Also Bank of Commerce Has a Consider-  
able Foothold.  
(Montreal Herald.)

Ottawa, Oct. 10.—The government that  
preceded Sir Wilfrid Laurier's was open-  
ly on the best of terms with one of the  
great railway companies, the Canadian  
Pacific. It was a Conservative govern-  
ment which presided over the birth of  
that company, and nourished it with  
public funds and Dominion lands, so  
that the close relationship of the two was  
not surprising.

The Laurier administration, in like  
manner, if not in like measure, promot-  
ed the creation and growth of the Grand  
Trunk Railway Company, with the re-  
sult that there was in the mind of the  
country an impression that the govern-  
ment and the company were on terms of  
more intimate friendship than existed  
between the former and either of the two  
other transcontinental systems.

THE NEW RAILWAY FACTOR.  
It has been assumed, as a matter of  
course, that the Borlen administration  
and the Canadian Pacific would resume  
those relations which characterized the  
company and the last Conservative gov-  
ernment. But a new factor has entered  
into the situation, the Canadian Northern  
Railway Company. To day it is being  
broadly charged, not by Liberals but by  
dissatisfied Conservatives that Mr. Bor-  
len was surrendered to the Mackenzie  
and Mann influence, and that his Cab-  
inet is a Mackenzie and Mann Cabinet.

What proof is advanced in support of  
this assertion? A leading Conservative  
who took an active part in the recent  
campaign, is the authority for the state-  
ment that at least three members of the  
new Cabinet are Mackenzie and Mann as  
the saying goes. Those three members  
are Hon. Robert Rogers, Hon. Frank  
Cochrane and Hon. W. T. White. These  
three are strong men, and it is true that  
they are close friends of the Canadi-  
an Northern that Company can congratu-  
late itself on having very influential  
friends at court. It was pointed out in  
this connection that some years ago,  
when Mr. Borlen talked of state owner-  
ship of railways, it was understood that  
Sir Thomas Shaughnessy had made it  
clear that he did not consider this a wise  
policy for either country or railways.  
Perhaps a trace of this difference of op-  
inion may be found in the composition of  
the Cabinet.

ALSO THE BANK OF COMMERCE.

In this connection, another interesting  
rumor is flying around hotel corridors  
to-day. The revolt of the President of  
the Bank of Commerce against recipi-  
city, and the work done against the gov-  
ernment by the group of Toronto Liber-  
als whom he headed, had much to do  
with Mr. Borlen's victory. Of the group  
Hon. W. T. White was a prominent mem-  
ber. He has been rewarded with a port-  
folio. What else will Mr. Borlen do for  
the others of the group? The rumor is  
that the new government will not be as  
close to the Bank of Montreal as all pre-  
ceding governments have been, and will  
be closer to the Bank of Commerce. The  
report is given for what it may be worth.  
There is this in support of it, that the  
influential men who are commonly  
known as the Bank of Montreal group,  
and who are so closely allied with the C.



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less made on the forms supplied, and  
signed with the actual signatures of  
tenders.

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of tender can be obtained at this De-  
partment and at the offices of Geoff-  
rey Stead, Esq., District Engineer,  
Chatham, N. B.; E. T. P. Shewen  
District Engineer, St. John, N. B. and  
on application to the Postmaster at  
Escuminac, N. B.

Persons tendering are notified that  
tenders will not be considered unless  
made on the printed forms supplied,  
and signed with their actual signa-  
tures, stating their occupation and  
places of residence. In the case of  
firms, the actual signatures, the nature  
of the occupation and place of resi-  
dence of each member of the firm  
must be given.

Each tender must be accompanied  
by an accepted cheque on a char-  
tered bank, made payable to the order  
of the Honourable the Minister of  
Public Works, for five per cent of the  
contract price which will be forfeited  
if the person tendering decline to en-  
ter into a contract when called upon  
to do so, or fail to complete the work  
contracted for. If the tender be not  
accepted the cheque will be returned.

The Department does not bind it-  
self to accept the lowest or any ten-  
der.

By order,  
R. C. DESROCHERS,  
Secretary,  
Department of Public Works,  
Ottawa, October 3, 1911.

Newspapers will not be paid for  
this advertisement if they insert it  
without authority from the Depart-  
ment.

P. R. interests, are said to be anything  
but pleased with the composition of the  
Cabinet.

**The Inevitable**  
Toronto Tories were acclaiming Mr. W.  
T. White a few weeks ago as a pure  
patriot. Then it was "anything but  
beat Laurier." But now that Mr. White  
has been pushed into the place of hon-  
our by the Big Interests, these same Tories  
are denouncing him as a "life-long Lib-  
eral" and a representative of the trusts.  
Certainly Mr. White is a Trust man, but  
why should the old line Tories who have  
seen a Liberal given the place of hon-  
our and the old warriors left out in the  
cold, be squealing over it now. Didn't they  
know that the Big Interests would de-  
mand their price, and that Mr. Borlen  
would pay it. Let them take their  
medicine like men. There will be more  
to follow when the corporation crew get  
down to business.—Hfx. Cr.

### Oil Burning Steamer For C. P. R. Service.

Princess Alice Now Coming Across the  
Atlantic.

The latest addition to the fleet of the  
Canadian Pacific Railway Company is the  
"Princess Alice" built by Messrs. Swan,  
Hunter and Wigham, Richardson, Ltd.,  
on the Tyne, for the coasting service of  
the company from Victoria to Seattle  
and the northern parts of British Colum-  
bia. She is the first C. P. R. ship that  
has been specially built to use oil fuel,  
though oil burning apparatus has been  
fitted into several of their other steamers.  
The furnaces are so constructed that ei-  
ther coal or liquid fuel can be used.

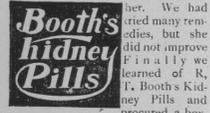
The length of the Princess Alice is about  
300 feet and the breadth 46 feet. The  
ship has been built to fulfil the require-  
ments of the Canadian Government for  
the Pacific Coast and channel service,  
and she carries the highest class of  
Lloyds registry. The Princess Alice is  
now between St. Vincent and the Cana-  
ry Islands on its long trip around Cape  
Horn to Vancouver.

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## THE GRANITE TOWN GREETINGS

### 6 Year Old Girl Cured of Kidney Trouble.

Mrs. Alex. Moore, of James St., Oxford, N. S., says: "Booth's Kidney Pills cured our little daughter, Christina, age 6 years, of many symptoms of kidney weakness. She complained of a sore back, the kidney secretions were frequent and uncontrollable, especially at night. Her stomach was weak and her appetite poor. This caused her to have frequent headaches, and the least exertion would tire her. We had tried many remedies, but she did not improve. Finally we learned of R. T. Booth's Kidney Pills and procured a box. In a short time she was well and does not now complain about her back, the kidney secretions have become normal, and she plays around the house with no apparent fatigue. We always recommend Booth's Kidney Pills."



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### New Finance Minister Will Have Easy Start.

Ottawa, Oct. 6. The new Minister of Finance in the Borden administration, when he enters upon his duties will find a bonanza treasury. The conditions which exist are in marked contrast to those with which Mr. Fielding had to contend when he became minister of finance in 1896. Mr. Fielding leaves an overflowing treasury, and a balance sheet for the six months of the fiscal year which provides his successor with material for a most prosperous budget. There are no outstanding temporary loans or other floating debt. There is no funded debt to mature for some months to come. Prosperous as were the finances of the last fiscal year, those of the current year up to the present time are still better. The expenditure of the six months chargeable to consolidated fund is in excess of the corresponding period last year by about \$800,000. But on the other side of the account the revenue shows an increase of nearly \$8,000,000 over that of the corresponding period a year ago. There is a corresponding reduction too in the expenditure on capital account. The net result of the six months operation is that the Dominion Treasury is better off than at the same date last year to the extent of about a half million dollars. On the whole operation of last year the increase of net debt was only three quarters million of dollars. For the current year, even if there is no improvement during the next six months, the Minister of Finance will be able to provide for every expenditure of every kind whether chargeable to capital or income, and have a substantial balance to go to reduction of the public debt. With this prosperous condition of finance and with the Dominion credit at its highest standing Mr. Fielding hands over the Department of Finance to his successor under conditions which should make things exceptionally easy so far as money matters go, for the new minister.—Montreal Witness.

### N. S. Construction Has Large Contracts

Sydney, N. S., Oct. 6.—The Nova Scotia Construction Company of this city have new contracts for construction work in different parts of the province, amounting to upwards of five millions. The most important of these is the Halifax and Eastern Railway which has just been secured. This railway, which is 43 miles long, will take about one year to build, and will cost one million dollars. The other contracts are the Brookland Piers, Shelburne county, one hundred and twenty thousand dollars, fifteen miles of railway in Quebec, and the International sheds and piers at Halifax. In addition the company has a large amount of work for the Steel Company here.—Ex.

### THE STANDING ALIBI OF H. STANLEIGH STORME

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(By Wm. Hamilton Osborne.)

"What's that?"

He had felt a bit too secure—had been a bit too reckless. Now he regretted it.

For outside on the corner he could hear plainly the steady, repeated clang of a night stick upon the sidewalk—the rap, not of a roundsman, but of an officer calling for help.

It was meant for him, no doubt of that!

He hastily donned his hat and coat, picked up his tools, thrust the packages of bills into the deep pockets of his coat, and then noiselessly stepped through the shadow to the front of the bank.

Then he looked out. The raps had ceased. The coast was clear—temporarily, at least.

"The front door," he muttered, "I'll try the front door and make a dash for it. It's the best chance. I'll have four ways to run. I'll try that first."

He stepped to the inner door. It took him some time to get it open, and the process was somewhat noisy—although the chances were that no one outside could hear him.

The bolt slid clumsily. His skeleton keys effected the rest. He drew back the door, fastened it open, and stepped into the vestibule.

He hastened for a moment. There was no sound from without. This door worked better.

Noislessly he drew back the iron bolts and unlocked the locks. Then suddenly, but cautiously, he pulled back one of the ponderous sheet iron portals and stepped out upon the platform of the outside steps.

And then—he stood stockstill and held his breath. For he saw that which gave him a pause.

"The devil!" he muttered under his breath.

For there, below upon the pavement, motionless as marble, but silent and alert, stood two policemen looking at him as he stepped out into view.

Each of them had a cocked revolver in his hand.

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The Gouverneur was a fashionable bachelor apartment house at the other end of town—is yet, for the matter of that.

At half-past 3 that morning a tall young man, with a long black coat and an opera hat upon his head, stepped across its threshold and noiselessly ascended to his rooms, a suite on the second floor.

His hand touched the paper, but he withdrew it and turned his back upon the sheet and his face towards the fire.

"It's better not," he said again, half shivering as he spoke. "Why not? Because warmth and food and rags and hunger. I've made my bed. It's a soft one—too comfortable, perhaps, from one point of view; and I prefer to lie upon it—except," he added, and a cloud rested upon his face, "except when I think of Helen."

He rested one shoulder against the fireplace and nervously stroked a short Van Dyke beard.

"When I think of Helen," he repeated. Then he laughed gently, but with a trace of bitterness—it was a laugh that did not ring altogether true. "When do I not think of her?"

He frowned and tugged at his moustache.

"This—this cannot go on as it is. I must tell her—something. I've got to tell her—enough to make her understand somehow, before I—before it goes too far. I must tell her—something."

He stood reflectively before the fire, with his head bent and his hands thrust deep into his pockets.

He was trying to find some way out of his difficulty, whatever it might have been. He was disappointed.

"By Jove," he exclaimed, "it looks like No Thoroughfare, after all."

He did not hear the girl descend the stairs and step lightly into the room. She stood at the threshold for a moment and glanced at him with a smile upon her face.

"Stanleigh," she finally exclaimed. The man turned like a shot.

"Helen," he returned, "it is you."

She was looking at his face.

"Stanleigh!" she exclaimed once more.

He slightly shook his head.

"Would you mind calling me by my—my—first name?"

stroke through the rain and mist, and ran lightly up the steps of a gray stone dwelling in the West end of town.

He pressed the bottom and the door opened. He entered with the air of a man who was expected and who felt somewhat at home. He dropped his card in the salver. The maid ascended with it to the floor above.

On the floor above a girl sat reading—a girl who was good to look at: a tall slender girl, with square eyebrows and frank womanly eyes, with an abundance of brown hair arranged in just the most effective manner in the world.

The maid entered. The girl read on.

"Miss Dumont," said the maid. "The girl looked up. The maid handed her the card. She took it and read it with a little dry of delight.

Then she looked at her watch. "Dear me," she exclaimed, "I have been dreaming here for an hour."

Then, as any other woman would have done she rose and surveyed herself in the glass.

And I look like a perfect fright," she continued, albeit with a considerable perversion of the truth.

She turned to the maid, which blazed up at this juncture, as though in an effort to meet him half way, "a bad night to be outdoors—a good night to be in."

He glanced carelessly about him. On a table, upon an evening newspaper. It had not been read apparently. It lay unfolded, face uppermost, its black headlines blinking at him in the uncertain light. And this was what he read—what he could not help reading:

RICHARDS & RIPLE ROBBED. Their Jewelry Store Cleaned Out. Fourth Burglary of the Series. The Gang Still Unapprehended.

And as he read he smiled. "Those fellows seem to keep it up," he said to himself.

He took a step towards the paper and stretched forth his hand. And then he shook his head.

"I had better not, after all," he mused. "I shall stick to the enforced rule. And yet," he continued, "why not? Why not? That's the strangest part of all. Why not?"

His hand touched the paper, but he withdrew it and turned his back upon the sheet and his face towards the fire.

"It's better not," he said again, half shivering as he spoke. "Why not? Because warmth and food and rags and hunger. I've made my bed. It's a soft one—too comfortable, perhaps, from one point of view; and I prefer to lie upon it—except," he added, and a cloud rested upon his face, "except when I think of Helen."

He rested one shoulder against the fireplace and nervously stroked a short Van Dyke beard.

"When I think of Helen," he repeated. Then he laughed gently, but with a trace of bitterness—it was a laugh that did not ring altogether true. "When do I not think of her?"

He frowned and tugged at his moustache.

"This—this cannot go on as it is. I must tell her—something. I've got to tell her—enough to make her understand somehow, before I—before it goes too far. I must tell her—something."

He stood reflectively before the fire, with his head bent and his hands thrust deep into his pockets.

He was trying to find some way out of his difficulty, whatever it might have been. He was disappointed.

"By Jove," he exclaimed, "it looks like No Thoroughfare, after all."

He did not hear the girl descend the stairs and step lightly into the room. She stood at the threshold for a moment and glanced at him with a smile upon her face.

"Stanleigh," she finally exclaimed. The man turned like a shot.

"Helen," he returned, "it is you."

She was looking at his face.

"Stanleigh!" she exclaimed once more.

He slightly shook his head.

"Would you mind calling me by my—my—first name?"

she asked. "Your first name," she returned, "your first name, Mr. Storme? And do I not?"

He handed her a card. "Read it," he requested.

She did so, aloud. "H. Stanleigh Storme" was what it said.

She looked up at him inquiringly. "My first name" he went on, "is—Henry, I—like it better."

She glanced at him in a puzzled way.

"But—but Stanleigh is so much prettier," she insisted with a protesting blush, "I like it so much better."

He smiled indulgently. "I know," he returned, "but there's a reason in my suggestion. Does it signify, after all?"

She made a slight grimace. "No—Henry, it does not," she said with a laugh.

He bowed gravely. "Thanks," he replied, "some time I will explain."

"Dear me," she exclaimed, "these robberies—they still go on. I read all this stuff through this morning. But isn't it awful? And they say that there is a lot that never got into the papers at all—the police are afraid of popular opinion and are trying to suppress the news."

The man looked at her. He seemed either deaf to her remarks or bored by them.

He had unconsciously returned to the line of thought that she had interrupted. She glanced at his face and started.

"What—what's the matter?" she inquired, gently laying her hand upon his arm.

He started in his turn. "Helen," he replied, looking her full in the face, "there—there is something that I've got to tell you. I—I must tell you."

She looked up into his eyes. What she read there to her was well worth reading.

"You—you love me!" she murmured, lowering her glance.

He stretched forth his arms and then withdrew them. "Yes," he replied in a tense, strained voice, "I love you. You know it, then?"

She nodded, still with downcast eyes. "I have known it all along," she said, "and I—"

"Helen!" exclaimed the man, in a voice full of agonized entreaty, "wait until you have heard—the rest."

She glanced at him in a startled sort of way. "The—the rest?" she inquired. "Can there—can there be more to say?"

"Everything," he responded, in a low voice.

She searched his face again. "What else can signify?" she asked.

"Now that—"

Again he stretched forth his arms—and again withdrew them. "To me," he replied, "nothing, unless—it can to you."

She shook her head and laughed gaily.

"I cannot be more of that I am sure."

She seated herself. He took a chair at her side.

"What is this—something that you have to tell me, then?" she asked. "Is there—another girl? Somebody else, perhaps?"

Even as she said it she smiled again.

"No," returned he, nothing of the kind.

She picked up the paper. "You—you haven't been going wrong, have you?" she asked again. Robbed jewelry stores or anything of that kind?"

She waved the sheet carelessly before him. He took it, rose to his feet and, without a word of explanation, dropped it gently in the fire.

It blazed up and made the room suddenly light. He watched the flame turn up and die away, and then he turned to her.

AN AMBIGUOUS EXPLANATION. "Little girl," the caller resumed, and his face grew pale, "did you ever think—can you realize—just what it means to starve and freeze, to wander about the streets of a great city with no place to lay your head? To go without food for days, to shiver with the cold for weeks together? To seek for honest work day after day, without cleanliness and conscience, a tramp and a vagabond upon the face of the earth? Do you know what that means?"

She shook her head.

"Why do you ask?" she demanded. "Because," he replied, with a ring of bitterness in his voice, "I know; I have realized it—I—I have been through it. It's a part, a gruesome part of my life's history."

She started up and looked at him in doubt.

"You!" she exclaimed. "You—H. Stanleigh Storme?"

He nodded.

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### Will Mr. Borden be in Control or Who Will Control Mr. Borden?

Professor W. L. Grant of Queen's University, contributes to the Queen's Quarterly, an interesting article upon the problems which Mr. R. L. Borden has to face in the work which lies before him. He lays stress upon the tariff issue, and admitting that the Conservatives owe their success to "the big financial interests," he asks whether Mr. Borden will be able to control them or whether they will control him. The most interesting features of the article are as follows:—

Mr. Borden's chief difficulty will eventually come in connection with the tariff. He stands pledged to a tariff commission of experts and the idea is at first sight inviting. If the experts are to be merely members of the Civil Service who will collect information, it is all to the good; we badly need such a departmental branch as that in the United States which in the recent negotiation furnished the American commissioners with information altogether superior in detail and in accuracy to that at the service of Mr. Fielding and Mr. Paterson.

But if the experts are to advise, as well as to collect information, the difficulties will begin. Imagine the deliberations of a commission consisting of Prof. Skelton, Prof. Leacock and Mr. Coates! Probably, however, Mr. Borden's experts will be tame experts and the tariff will continue to be controlled by politicians.

THE BIG INTERESTS

This is indeed a real danger of Mr. Borden's position, for he owes his election in large part to the big financial interests, and the greatest danger to Canada today is not annexation, nor clericalism, nor militarism, nor militarism, but the big financial interests. Millionaires, though not necessarily to be suspected are still less to be defied. We cannot do without great financiers and manufacturers, and go back to an agricultural Arcady, but the struggle at present being waged in the United States shows us the danger. We have learned much from the example of the Americans, but so also have the interests.

WHO WILL CONTROL

Will Mr. Borden be able to control them? Will he be their master or their puppet? High-minded he undoubtedly is, but of his strength there is a doubt. If he will but show the same broad backed honesty as Sir James Whitney, all will be well. He will soon have an opportunity to show his quality in connection with the tariff, for the West will undoubtedly press for an increase in the British Preference as the readiest method of obtaining cheaper manufactured articles. The only such increase to which the Canadian manufacturer will willingly consent will be to leave the duties on British goods where they are, and to put them up against the rest of the world. The patriotism which is made an excuse for extorting higher profits is not far from being the last refuge of a scoundrel.

LOOKS AHEAD 30 YEARS.

Mr. Borden's great opportunity and great danger lies in the thirty (?) years of prosperity which both parties

concur in prophesying. During that time our policy will doubtless be a reasonable protection, modified to the preference to Great Britain, and by comparatively unimportant reciprocal arrangements with other countries and colonies. Now a reasonable protection, though well fitted to build up the wealth of a young country, is the worst possible way of distributing it; it produces great fortunes, great cities, and unless controlled, great misery. If at the end of our thirty years we wake up to the existence of great cities in which vast slums are producing an underbred, underfed, underbrained race, if we find labor and capital in murderous antagonism, if our national ideals are porine, it will avail us little to count our millionaires in thousands and our exports and imports in billions. We must have strict control of the great corporations, before they become great enough to set control at defiance, an open eye to the urban problems now growing pressing, a far wider conception of and regard for education. Part of this programme is outside Mr. Borden's powers, but part is not; the next few years will show where he stands.

### Strongly Oppose No Temere Decree

Ten Thousand Documents Church Interference.

Toronto, Oct. 7.—With the Church court of every denomination body committed to a policy of opposition towards the No Temere Decree, a new and powerful movement has been started by the Evangelical Alliance of Canada at a meeting held in Toronto. Every leading Church of Canadian Protestantism was represented. Ten thousand documents will be issued at once, setting forth a case against the Decree.

A public educational campaign by means of a large mass meeting will be at once inaugurated. Finally a monster petition will be taken by a deputation to the Borden government and a demand will be made that the marriage laws of Canada will be placed beyond church interference.

POSITIONS OF GOVERNMENT

Premier Borden and his Cabinet will, in effect, be asked to set aside the No Temere Decree as an invasion of the rights of the Canadian Parliament and those of certain of the provinces. Petitions will also be laid before every Provincial Government in the Dominion. As British Columbia and Prince Edward Island control their own marriage laws and retain the privilege of granting divorces, separate requests will be made of them. The Government of Ontario will be asked to take steps at the earliest possible moment to have the Court of Appeal determine the extent and jurisdiction of the Province, and of the Parliament of Canada on the subject of marriage laws.

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On Monday evening October 9th about twenty-five guests assembled at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Fisher of Bethel. The occasion being the twentieth anniversary of their marriage.

The evening was passed most delightfully in music, organ and violin being the principle entertainment. As the evening was very fine the younger members of the company amused themselves by tripping the light fantastic on the green in front of the house. About midnight the guests were invited to the dining room where a delicious clam chowder was partaken of, after which they were treated to buns, cake, coffee and wine. Mr. and Mrs. Fisher were the recipients of many beautiful pieces of china, and a sum of money.

In the wee sma hours after wishing the bride and groom of twenty years ago, many years of prosperity and happiness, the visitors took their departure, feeling that the evening had been thoroughly enjoyed by all.

## LEONARDVILLE

(Late for Last Week)

Miss Daisy Richardson has returned home from Portland where she has been receiving medical treatment.

Miss Florence Thomas of North Head has been visiting her sister Helen who is teaching school here. A handsome monument was received from St. George on Wednesday last. It is to be erected by James Conley in memory of his wife.

Mrs. Austin Munroe is visiting her old home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Richardson of Richardsonville spent Thursday afternoon here.

Miss Addie Hurley of Indian Isl and is visiting her relatives here. She will leave for Boston soon where she will spend the winter months.

Edward Conley and family attended the fair at Pennfield this week.

Ottawa, October 13. A bulletin of the Census and Statistics Office issued today deals with the field crops of the present year compared with the figures of the year 1900.

The Census areas of field crops enumerated in the month of June have been compiled for all the provinces excepting Quebec and British Columbia, and the statistics of principal crops are given in this report together with estimates of production computed from the reports of a large staff of correspondents at the end of September. The area figures for Sas-

katchewan are lacking for two districts and those of Nova Scotia for one district but the totals of the Dominion will be ready for the November Monthlv, and a comparison of areas for the Census years 1901 and 1911 will then be made.

For the years 1909, 1910 and 1911 the comparative quality of crops at the end of September was fairly uniform for wheat, oats, barley and rye; out peas, beans, buckwheat, mixed grains and flax were lower this year by eight to twelve per cent. Fodder crops, including roots and corn, are unchanged for the three years. The condition of potatoes, which is 76.78, is the same as last year, but 13.80 less than two years ago.

The comparative condition of fodder and root crops for the Dominion at the end of September ranges from 82 to 87 per cent, of alfalfa 79.55 per cent, and of potatoes 76.78 per cent, and is generally lower in Ontario than elsewhere. The Maritime provinces and the Northwest provinces give 90 per cent, and over for potatoes and nearly as good for other field roots.

The Census enumeration of field crops taken in June shows for the Northwest provinces together with Ontario and the Maritime provinces an area of 9,990,021 acres wheat, 7,661,862 acres oats, 1,291,287 acres barley, 153,053 acres rye, and 1,092,615 acres flax, -to which will be added the areas for two districts in Saskatchewan. For the harvest year of 1900 the corresponding figures of the census of 1901 were 4,068,328 acres wheat, 3,981,370 acres oats, 765,273 acres barley, 156,352 acres rye, and 21,502 acres flax.

The increase in the production of the principal grains in the decade, computed for the present year on the estimates of correspondents, is shown to be in round numbers, 158,036,000 bushels wheat, 18,749,000 bushels oats, 21,711,000 bushels barley, 664,000 bushels rye, and 12,360,000 bushels flax. These figures are exclusive of returns for two districts in Saskatchewan.

Archibald Blue, Chief Officer.

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Besides the Duke of Abruzzi, the war with Turkey has another hero - at least one who is considered to be such by the Italian people. Although he has not fought, William Marconi, on all occasions where Italy is concerned, shows the warmest patriotism. Since hostilities began he has deprived the Turkish fleet of his wireless apparatus, not wishing it to be used by the enemy of his country. Mr. Marconi, having gone to Italy to supervise the working of a high-power wireless station at Caltano, which communicates with Africa, has been the object of frantic demonstrations whenever he appears. The King asked Mr. and Mrs. Marconi to be his guests at San Rossore, a few miles from Colana, while the wireless experiments were going on.

The Agricultural Society of St. George, Pennfield and Lepreau held their annual fair at Pennfield corner on Tuesday, Oct. 10th. The weather was pleasant and a large crowd was the result. Everything passed off pleasantly and no disorder of any kind marred the occasion. Dinner and tea were served by the ladies of the Baptist church, the proceeds to go to the repair fund of that church. The writer can attest to the bounty and excellence of the table service. The display of live stock was large

and while the cattle were poor, due largely to absence of up-to-date cattle laws, the horses, sheep, swine and poultry were of a high class. Young horses shown by Samuel McKay, A. B. Hawkins, C. P. Hanson, R. J. Jackson, Chas. Woodbury and David Spear being especially note worthy. There were also interesting races, which, however, did not fully decide the relative merits of the different animals. A pair of young draft oxen the property of Benjamin Justason called up the memories of the long ago. These cattle are driven with reins and will do any kind of work from hauling wood to running a mowing machine at as lively a gait as the best horses.

The vegetable display was excellent and said to be fully equal to that at the recent St. Stephen exhibition.

There was a large exhibit of butter, fruit, and fancy work. Rev. Mr. Brown, one of the judges on butter, claimed to be an authority on that article, but found it next to impossible to award a first and second prize where all the samples seem to reach the same high degree of excellence. The many varieties and high quality of the apples was a surprise showing that Charlotte Co. can raise fruit. Two samples of plums by John McKenzie of St. George were also very fine.

In the fancy department words simply fail to meet the case. The writer does not claim to be a high authority on doilies, pincushions, booties, etc., but if skill and perseverance count for anything, if the esthetic is of any value at all, then the whole society should have been turned over to the ladies.

The young people had arranged for a dance in the evening, but as the hour drew near it was found that the necessary violinist was not forthcoming. Precious time was lost while the telephone wires were kept hot trying to locate a quarry. This was finally accomplished and with one consent it was determined to make up in the morning what was lost in waiting the evening before. Sleep and other minor matters were postponed to a more convenient season, and everybody was happy.

The amazing weather so late in the season is held to be the result of the clearing of the political skies since the election, and the happy rescue of the country from the impending fate of annexation.

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### Personals.

Mr. Freeman of Amherst who was guest at Martin Magowan's last week left for his home on Saturday.

Mrs. Mark Morrison who has been at Rock Bay for the past few months was seriously ill this week.

Miss Margaret Hawley of P. E. I. is the guest of her aunt Mrs. A. C. Gilmer. Miss Palkin now has charge of the Millinery department at D. Bassen's store.

Michl. Polley of Nicer Harbor Woodlough is in town for a day or two this week.

After an absence of thirty years in the West, Mrs. Wm. Wilson of Pine Grove, Nevada, is visiting her old home. She spent last week at Letang with her nephew Wm. Stewart.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. V. Spinney are visiting in Calais with their daughter Mrs. Merrill Beckett.

Mrs. Wm. Stewart and son Charles of Pleasant Ridge spent a few days here last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Stewart.

Mrs. Hugh Murray announces the engagement of her daughter Josephine to Mr. Dan. Lalley. Wedding Oct. 26th. Reception High Noon at the residence of his brother James Lally, Dysart, Iowa.

Jas. McKillop sr. of St. John has returned home after a successful hunting trip. While here he was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Matheson.

Mrs. Jas. Matheson and little daughter Elvira returned home Saturday after accompanying her mother home to Prince Edward Island.

Edward Murphy who was called here by the death of his father, returned to his home in Barry Vt., on Tuesday.

Mrs. T. J. Robinson who came here to attend the funeral of her uncle Lawrence Murphy is making a short visit with her uncle John Hart. Mr. Robinson is expected the last of the month to accompany her on her return home to Lewiston.

Mrs. Newman and Mrs. John Mooney returned from Eastport on Friday.

Arthur Curran returned to Millinocket on Monday after spending a few days at his home here.

Mrs. Fred Brown and little son of Eastport are visiting relatives here.

Mrs. Barker who has been visiting at Fredericton during the past fortnight is expected home today.

Ralph Baldwin who has been here for the summer expects to leave for his home at Norwalk Conn.

Mrs. (Rev.) Spencer was confined to the house Sunday through illness.

Jr. Wilson and wife who have been at Boston for a short time returned home this week, they were passengers on the Calvia Austin where it ran down the tug at Eastport.

Miss Jessie Cotharine, Letete was in town on Wednesday for a few hours.

Mrs. H. R. Lawrence was at St. John Wednesday to attend the production of the Rosary at that place.

Miss Annie O'Neil is visiting with friends at St. John this week, while there she was unfortunately to have a severe cold somewhat impairing the pleasure of her visit.

Mrs. Thos. Coit, St. Stephen is the guest of her brother S. Conley this week.

N. J. Seelye of St. George was in town on Saturday.—Beacon.

Miss Edna O'Brien who has been visiting at Letete for the past two weeks returned home on Wednesday.

H. R. Lawrence left on Tuesday for a short trip to Boston.

D. Bassen is here for a few days arriving on Thursday.

Jas. Watt went to St. John on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. McPhee are spending a few days at St. John this week.

Mrs. George Franley is visiting in St. John and Calais.

Alan Messeneit who has been attending Normal School at Fredericton is at home for a few days.

"I won't pay another penny of your debts for you, you disgrace. You must either go bankrupt or get married. I had to do the same."

### Injustice to the Maritime Provinces.

Mr. Borden's cabinet is not only a distinct disappointment to the Maritime Provinces, but it is a disappointment which will rankle in the minds of our people, because it is based upon manifest injustice.

According to the last Dominion census, the total population of the Maritime Provinces was 892,953 people, and that of Ontario 2,182,947.

To the 892,953 people of the Maritime Provinces, there is only given one portfolio, that of Marine and Fisheries, Mr. Borden sitting in the cabinet without a virtual portfolio.

Ontario gets no less than six portfolios and one cabinet minister without a portfolio.

Taking the six portfolios, Ontario has one cabinet minister for every 365,491 people, as against one portfolio for 892,953 in the Maritime Provinces.

In other words, in Mr. Borden's estimation each man in Ontario counts more than double each man in the Maritime Provinces.

Even if we look to the Province of Quebec, we find that according to the last census, there were 1,648,878 people, and that Quebec with four portfolios, has one portfolio for each 412,224 people, as against one portfolio for 892,953 in the Maritime Provinces.

This is manifestly unjust. It is a condition of affairs to which the people of the Maritime Provinces, irrespective of party leanings, should not submit. There should be a united protest.

Out of only fourteen portfolios in the cabinet, exclusive of the Premier, Ontario gets no less than six portfolios, or within one of exactly one-half. It is to be an Ontario dominated cabinet in which the Maritime Provinces of the Dominion are at the outset denied fair play and proportionate consideration.

Under Sir Wilfrid Laurier, the Maritime Provinces had the Portfolios of Finance, Militia and Public Works, which are very important portfolios, in one case from the standpoint of influence and prestige, and in the two others from the standpoint of spending ability.

Both the portfolios of Railways and Canals and Public Works which were held in the Maritime Provinces, at one time or the other, during the entire fifteen years of Liberal rule, have passed from them to Quebec or Ontario. The only portfolio these provinces get is that of Marine and Fisheries.

It is unnecessary to accentuate this criticism, because no criticism of the newly formed cabinet is offered in the Maritime Provinces today, which equals in strength of disappointment and adverse comment that proffered by Conservatives themselves.

Men, who a few weeks ago were enthusiastic for Mr. Borden and his party, today, feel discouraged and disappointed.

The beginning of the end has set in earlier than was anticipated.—Man. Tran.

### Kitchener Causes Eurore In Cairo

London, Oct. 9.—Lord Kitchener left England quietly as an ordinary tourist, but showed his knowledge of Egyptian temperament in his manner of arrival in Egypt. He went from Malta on a cruiser, and was welcomed by a salute of guns at the entrance to the harbor of Alexandria. No British agent ever arrived on anything but an ordinary steamer, and never received a salute. The Egyptian Nationalists squirmed at the appointment to succeed Sir Eldon Gorst, but never such a crowd of natives came forth to welcome a British agent. They were all eager to catch a glimpse of Abu Shehab, which being interpreted means Father of the Moustaches. The reception accorded to him at Cairo also eclipsed anything before.

### 800 Per Cent Per Annum

A case in which interest at the rate of 800 per cent, was charged came before the Smeethwick, G. B., magistrates Monday, when Benjamin Williams was fined £10 and costs for acting as a pawnbroker without a license. It was said defendant had charged interest at the rate of 24 per week in the shilling, which worked out at about 800 per cent, per annum, the

things pledged including marriage certificates, rent books, and pawn tickets. Witnesses were called who said they had pledged tickets with Williams, who charged 2 1/2 interest for 1s. 3d., which was advanced on a half a dozen tickets. A woman received 2s. 6d. on a marriage certificate, and had to pay 2s. 11d. three days afterwards to get it back again.

### Beauty Fast Kills Woman in Chicago

Chicago, Oct. 14.—Miss Dorothy Martyn died of malnutrition in St. Luke's Hospital today. Her physicians ascribe her death to the "beauty fasts" which she in common with many young women of the North Shore, took up as a fad two years ago. Miss Martyn's sister Mrs. Hazel Martyn Lavery, wife of an English painter, is hurrying across the Atlantic. Death was outstripped her in the race.

Many fashionable girls got the idea that fasting would improve their complexion and figure, so at intervals they abstained from food and drink until nature rebelled at being starved. After one of these fasts Miss Martyn found that she could not assimilate food; she grew thin, her health failed, in an attempt to recover it she went abroad. She was in a Paris hospital for several months, but she did not improve; she returned here recently, a guest of Mrs. J. S. Hautelung. Her condition became so serious a week ago that she went to St. Luke's Hospital and called for her sister.

### The Census

The latest census returns gives Canada a population of 7,081,869. New Brunswick has 357,815 a gain of 20,695 in ten years. St. John city made a gain in the ten years of only 1,632 now having 42,363. Nova Scotia practically stood still gaining only 2,273 while P. E. I. made a very bad showing having lost 9,537, all the other provinces made large increases particularly the West.

Alberta has 372,918, increase 299,917; B. C. has 362,768, increase 184,111; Man. has 454,691, increase 199,480; N. S. has 461,847, increase 2,273; Ont. has 2,182,947, increase 396,955; P. E. I. has 83,722 loss 9,537; Quebec has 2,000,687, increase 351,799; Sask. has 453,508, increase 362,229.

Population of some of the principal cities are Montreal 466,197, increase 193,467; Toronto 376,240, increase 160,200; Winnipeg 135,440, increase 95,099; Vancouver 100,333, increase 73,323; Ottawa 86,340, increase 26,412; Quebec 78,067, increase 9,227; Hamilton 31,879, increase 29,245; London 46,177, increase 8,201; Halifax 46,081, increase 5,249; Calgary 43,736 increase 39,639; Victoria 31,620 increase 10,804; Edmonton 24,882 increase 22,256; Charlottetown, P. E. I. 11,198 decrease 882.

### Today's Joke in Black and White



He had been calling on her twice a week for a year or so, but had not proposed. "Bessie," he said, as they were taking a moonlight stroll "I'm—am going to ask you an important question." "Oh, Fred!" she exclaimed, "this is so sudden! Why, I—"

"What I want to ask," he interrupted, "is, what date have you and your mother decided upon for our wedding?"



Prof. Burton N. Gatos of Amherst college is trying to develop the stingless bee. While he's at it, why not develop the meeowless cat?

You don't see so many athletes since the tailors stopped padding shoulders.



### What "Semi-ready" Assures

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### SEELYE'S COVE

The Misses A. F. Ellsworth and F. G. Carter left on Monday for Boston where they will spend a few weeks with relatives.

Mrs. John Dixon and Master King Winn called on relatives here on Sunday last.

Mrs. Joseph Holland left quite recently for Providence where she will spend a few weeks with relatives.

A pie social was held here for school purposes, all report a good time. Messrs. J. Carter and J. Holland made a flying trip to Eastport one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ketchum of Nauviggauk Kings Co., have been the guests for the past week of their daughter Mrs. Thos. Ellsworth.

Mrs. D. War I returned from New River where she was spending a few weeks with relatives.

Messrs. I. Carter and H. Holland spent Sunday last with friends in Pennfield.

Messrs. G. Winn and G. Mealey made a flying trip to Seelye's Cove one day last week.

### Strike of Parliamentary Reporters

Wellington, New Zealand, Sept. 27.—An extraordinary strike, which is almost entirely without precedent in the history of any country, has occurred here. The Parliamentary reporters "came out" and refused to return to their duties until they received assurance that the Chairman of the Committee would maintain order in the House so as to enable them to do their work properly.

### One Marriage Law For All Canada

Protestant Move Against the Ne Temere Decree.

Toronto, Oct. 17.—Petitions will be presented to Hon. R. L. Borden from Protestant associations in all the Provinces of Canada, for a unification of the marriage law, so as to have one marriage law from coast to coast. Those seeking the new marriage law desire to have it declared that the Dominion Government alone and not any provincial or any church has the right to deal with the question of the validity of marriages. From every pulpit and every Protestant church in Canada, circulars will be distributed dealing with the conflict of the Ne Temere Decree with existing laws, and petitions will be circulated for signatures of persons desiring one marriage law. The Evangelical Alliance, London, England, which at the end of this month is following the Canadian example, in asking for one marriage law for England, Ireland, Wales and Scotland, which shall vest with the Imperial Government the sole authority to pass upon the question of validity or divorce.

### Bricks That Float

At the present time there is no particular demand for a brick that will float, but such a thing will be regarded as a curiosity the world around. In the development of a special brick, designed to be used as an insulation in the construction of cold storage plants, breweries and refrigeration plants and is meant to take the place of cork, flax, charcoal, fiber and sawdust, all of which are imperfect insulating materials, the use of which is attended by toughness and rot, or are otherwise offensive. The brick, in waterproofing, is so burned that 45 per cent of its volume is confined air, with the result that one of these bricks being cast upon the waters, will float along like a block of wood.

At Jersey City Harry E. Allen shot his wife and her sister, Miss Daisy Bothwell and with a third bullet then committed suicide. The Allen's had been married only a short time and frequently quarrelled.

The parish of Richibucto went dry on the 17th by a majority for the temperance party of 85.

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## THE GRANITE TOWN GREETINGS

### PLEASE TAKE NOTICE

That after Nov. 1st, 1910, our business will be conducted on a strictly CASH basis.

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Do not forget the place. Come and bring your money, and if you cannot come yourself send your money.

**ANDREW McGEE - Back Bay**

### BACK BAY

Mrs. Hugh Harris and Mrs. James Henley called on Mrs. Frank Leavitt Saturday.

Miss Estella Mitchell spent a few days of last week with her sister at Beaver Harbor.

Miss Margaret Milliken is visiting her sister Mrs. Leavitt McGee.

Capt. Neil Oliver made a business trip to Eastport Saturday.

Mrs. Emma Barrett was in Eastport Saturday.

The dance held at Letete on Tuesday evening was well patronized by the young folks of this place.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Leslie have moved to St. Andrews where they will spend the winter with their daughter Mrs. Bismark Dick.

The herring having left St. John the men are home at present.

Herman Hooper is building a new house.

The new bridge when completed will be a great benefit to the village.

Quite a few of the men are busy digging potato crops are reported good.

Mrs. L. McGee and Mrs. Valentine Hooper enjoyed a drive up country a few days ago.

Wm. Henley called on S. Craig Sunday evening.

Moose hunting is greatly enjoyed by a number of the young men here, we wish them success.

Mrs. E. Phinney, Mrs. Neil Oliver and George Phinney spent Monday afternoon in town.

Mrs. Everett and daughter of Nova Scotia who have been spending the last few months here left Sunday for Beaver Harbor where they will visit friends for two weeks, thence they will go to St. John where they will spend the winter.

Mrs. Chas. Hooper called on Mrs. Thos. Mitchell Sunday evening.

Miss Mamie Hooper was the guest of friends on the point recently.

Miss Ellie Leavitt spent a few hours with Mrs. Chas. Hooper Monday.

Miss Jennie Barrett who has been unable to work for the past month on account of a sore hand, spent a few days of last week with her mother.

Capt. S. French spent Sunday at his home here.

### BEAVER HARBOR

Mrs. Horace Cross and Mrs. Edgar Cross enjoyed a drive to St. George one day last week.

Capt. Wm. Johnson, formerly of this place but now residing in Lubec, was calling on friends here this week.

Mrs. Maurice Holmes left on Thursday for her home in Eastport.

Medley Wright arrived home from St. John on Thursday being unable to attend to his work because of ill health.

Dan Thompson spent Monday at Dead man's Harbor the guest of his friend John Johnson.

Rev. Mr. Spencer was calling on members of his church here on Friday.

Robert Mawhinney, Macos Bay spent Sunday with friends here.

Harry Akerley of the Schr. "Rescue" is spending a few days with his mother, while the schooner is being loaded in St. John.

Mrs. Bernard Eldridge and son Harold have returned home after a pleasant visit with friends in Fredericton and Welsford.

Miss Carrie Wright arrived from St. John on Saturday and is spending her vacation with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Wright.

Capt. Nelson of Schr. "R Bowers" is spending a few days with his family here.

Misses Annie Bennett and Ada Eldridge

spent a few hours of Saturday in St. George.

Mr. Brown arrived on Saturday to spend a few days with his parents Rev. and Mrs. A. F. Brown.

Mrs. G. W. McKay came here on Saturday from a visit with friends in St. John.

Mrs. Arthur Stewart (nee Bessie Perry) of St. George is the guest of her sister Mrs. J. F. Eldridge.

Miss Estella Mitchell of Back Bay is visiting her sister Mrs. Chas. Wright.

D. G. S. Lamslowne was in the harbor on Monday.

Mrs. Annie Scott and Miss Annie Thompson drove from Pennfield on Friday, Miss Thompson went to Eastport by schr. Helen.

Mrs. Apt. of Granville N. S. is the guest of her sister Mrs. Albert Paul.

Ida Maxwell of Granville and Miss Boyd teacher at Pennfield Ridge attended Church here on Sunday.

Frank Dickson went to St. Stephen on Monday with his brother Clayton who has gone to Chipman Memorial Hospital for treatment.

Mrs. John Conley and Miss Bertha Dakin were in St. George on Saturday.

Schrs. "Pearl and Lillian" arrived on Saturday from St. John where they have been sailing.

Basil Paul made a business trip to Eastport on Tuesday.

Mrs. Hannah Nash who has spent the past months with friends here returned to her home, Campbellton, on Tuesday.

Dr. Miner, St. Stephen drove here on Thursday in his auto to examine Andrew Holmes who is critically ill, little hope is given for his recovery.

Mrs. Everett of Granville N. S., is visiting relatives here.

John E. Calder, Fishery Inspector, was in the village on Monday taking claims for fishing bounty.

Mrs. J. Melvin returned from Monday from a visit in Portland.

Charles Conley has been seriously ill. Robert Barry spent Monday in Eastport.

Miss Gilmor, teacher at Blacks Harbor spent Sunday here.

Mrs. Crane returned to her home at Bath, Car. Co., Saturday.

Arch Harris has moved into the house lately vacated by Almon Hawkins. Mr. Hawkins will live at the Wolves during the winter.

### Bank of Montreal Allots New Stock Issue.

At the weekly meeting of the directors of the Bank of Montreal, yesterday the new stock authorized by a special meeting of shareholders on September 5 and consisting of 16,000 shares of \$100 each, was allotted according to the laws and rules of the bank. The allotment of the 16,000 shares except fractions, which cannot be allotted under the Banking Act, was made to shareholders of record at the closing of the transfer books yesterday afternoon, pro rata in proportion to their respective holdings, one share of new stock for every nine held then held at a premium of seventy five dollars on each share, being at the rate of one hundred and seventy five dollars per share.

Any stock allotted which is not taken up within six months will be offered for subscription to the public, and the excess of price, received (if any) over and above the rate of allotment shall be distributed to the fraction of shares were the allotment of fractions of shares permitted.—Rk.

10,000 yards of mill ends shaker flannel at 10c. a yd. worth 12 and 14c. at Bassen's.

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### The Mistake of Going West.

A writer of western tales, and comments in the Freshwater Witness states that all over the western land you meet with men and women, young and old, who feel that they have made a mistake by going from the place they still call home to get rich in the newer land. They tell you frankly that they would even now go back, but for the entanglements of the circumstances of their lives. The gains that have resulted from removal to the farther land as compared with the losses which are entailed by that same removal. They confess that if they worked hard as hard at home, they would have had the material possessions they now hold and all the intangible and unappreciable things that belong to the better organized life they left behind them. Before a man tears up his home root and ranch to go from one part to another of this wide world he ought to sit down and think carefully the thought of fitting for when the break is made and the separation has taken place, private and some cases, poverty, will not allow any return. Yes the harp is hung on the willows beside many homes in the lone, lone land beneath the setting sun and heart grievings are to hard for the panacea of big profits to take away. Homes can be moved but hearts and homes never.

"Ah!" murmured the sweetening man, as with vigor he wriggled his fan "Now, why can't I say, Go barefoot today, as long as Pavlowa and Duncan?"

Do You Remember—  
Autograph albums?  
Lightning Rod Agents?  
Mary MacLane?  
Swiss Bell Rings?

Sister's Best Fellow—I am going to marry your sister, Charlie, but I know I am not good enough for her.

Charles—That's what Sis says, but she's been telling her she can't do any better.

No, Gregory, Madero's first name is not Colorado and he's not a cigar-maker.

To Please Your Wife:  
Sit down to dinner and tell her you're not hungry because you had a big lunch.

"A man learns what true happiness is when he gets married," says a pessimist, "and then it's too late."

Burglar—Don't shoot me, sir.

Householder—On one condition—that you tell me how you got in the house without waking my wife.

Very becoming hats for the ladies at Bassen's.

### A School Girl's View of the Western Land.

How does the great prairie land of the west strike the children of the east? That is a phase of the migration from these provinces to the west of which little has been made public, perhaps for good reasons from the standpoint of the boosters of the west.

A Standard reporter was shown a letter the other day which if read to parents considering the idea of going west might make them pause. It was written by a girl of 14, now with her parents on a western farm, her former school friend in this province. It was a touching little letter, full of the intimate revelations of a brave and youthful spirit crushed by the monotony and gradeless of its surroundings, and pining for the dear associations of the east, the sight of the guardian hills, the mystery of the forests, the sky reflecting lakes, the music of the brooks and the birds, the tang of the salt wind from the sea and the companions of her childhood.

The letter was all the more pathetic because of the brave little note running through it. It told of the home on the prairie, a shack, crudely built and unbecoming of any of the conveniences or adornments that the girl had known in her New Brunswick home. It told of the ugly school house on the plains, of walking through the snow in Oct. and doing her suns with numbed fingers. It told of her schoolmates in the west—Germans, Swedes, Slavs, Poles, a motley lot whom she could not understand, with whom she could have no sympathies in common, and who hardly know how to play.

"It's awful, Mabel, sometimes," she added. "I do so long sometimes to be back home. This place will never seem like home to me."—Std.

St. John, N. B.,  
October 19th, 1911

To the Editor—

On November the 20th, 21st, and 22nd, a great Lamen's Missionary Convention is to be held in St. John at which delegates from all over the Province of New Brunswick will attend.

As this is an inter-denominational movement in the interests of missions, we expect that each church in your district will have from 10 to 25 representatives, including the pastor, attending.

Some of the greatest missionary workers and speakers in the world will be at this convention.

You are, of course, as much interested in the success of this movement as any of us and this encourages us to ask you to give all the assistance you can through your paper to create a deep interest among your readers in the coming convention.

Thanking you in anticipation of your kindness, I remain,  
Yours respectfully,  
W. E. Anderson  
Chairman, Publicity Committee

### Six and a Half Around Her Waist

Unionville, Conn., Oct. 17.—Mrs. Julia M. Hubbard, who is dead here, in her 35th year, weighed 475 pounds. She was five feet eight inches tall, and 81.2 inches around the waist. Her basket is a yard wide and will be carried by ten bearers.

Customer—It's like dis, mistal. When Ah passes de collection plate in ch'ch Ah wears a Prince Albert coat an' a full dress vest, an' Ah want a pair ob squeaky shoes to go with 'em.

Joseph donned his coat of many colors.

"So I won't be mistaken for a deer," he explained.

Mrs. Knicker—Do you understand I base ball?

Mrs. Docker—No, but I understand William's remarks to the umpire; it's the something he says at breakfast.

Wretche Hunter—I think if your wife should wash her face it would improve her appearance.

Eskimo—Ugh! You never seen her face!

Job Printing at  
The Greetings Office.

### LOCALS

2,000 pieces of travellers' samples in white and black lawn, and cotton at 3c. a yard.

The Ladies of St. Marks Church intend holding a chicken supper in the Church basement on Thanksgiving, Monday 30th, proceeds in aid of the debt on the Church building.

F. M. Cowley has completed his work in front of the Catholic Church and certainly has done a first class piece of work, making a very fine approach to the building. On Wednesday of this week he shipped by scow to Deer Island 12 joints of large Concrete Culvert where he has the contract for a Culvert bridge.

Arthur Stewart, the popular book keeper of Epps, Dolts Co. took his friends by surprise last week, going away ostensibly for a short ordinary trip on his return he was able to introduce his wife formerly Miss Bessie Perry, they are now residing at the home of Nelson Doids, their many friends in town wish them many years of happy life.

What is claimed as the finest and most perfect moose head ever taken in this county was secured this week by W. W. Waite of Penfield, at Peconogon, it had a spread of 56 inches with 11 and 12 well developed points and both were well matched, the carcass dressed 830 lbs. Mr. Waite went to town Wednesday, enroute home from leaving the head with Henry Matheson of Bunn River who will mount it for him.

On Sunday afternoon the harbor presented quite a busy appearance, the sloop Rocky Mountain with a cargo of grey granite came in, and making a straight cut across the bar got a ground ball the tide raising she soon came off, she and just got docked when the Schr. John R. Fell in tow of the Stmr. Lubec also made her appearance and docked on the side of the wharf. The Lubec had three daily passengers, they remained here about an hour leaving about 4 o'clock. On Monday morning the schr. began loading pulp and had completed by Thursday afternoon ready to leave to-day.

### Meet Him at our Store

Mr. W. A. Tebb, the representative of THE HOUSE OF HOBBERLIN LTD., the big tailoring firm of Toronto, is coming here to show the new styles for Fall and Winter. He has a range of nearly 400 different lines of suitings, winter overcoatings, trousers, and fancy vestings.

If you want perfect fitting clothes and latest City styles, come in and leave your measure while Mr. Tebb is at our store. You can see all the lines, and be measured by an expert. Will arrive October 26th.

### H. McGrattan & Sons.

Improvements are planned for the Queen Hotel, St. Stephen, of which Wm. Smith is the proprietor, who will make it one of the best hotels in Charlotte County. A four storey addition will be erected, having a frontage of sixty-four feet on Main street, with a depth of forty feet. This will contain the hotel offices and about 20 rooms, most of them fitted with private baths, and will be fitted up in the most modern manner. The excavations for the foundation were commenced the first of the week, and the work of construction will be hurried to completion. F. Neil Brodie, of St. John is the architect.—Beacon.

The addition of a concrete kitchen wing to the Algonquin hotel will be proceeded with this winter under the supervision of Mr. Robert Clark, C. P. R. building superintendent. Besides giving a very much larger kitchen space it will also provide for fifty-six additional sleeping rooms.—Beacon.

The Federal Parliament meets on November 15th the session will be very short it is expected only routine work, and voting of funds for ordinary expenses will be done. Prorogation will likely take place before Xmas, and a new session called for February.

### MASCARENE

Miss Edith Stewart spent Wednesday evening with Mrs. Frank Leavitt.

Miss Emma Christie left Thursday for St. John.

Messrs. Roscoe Burgess and George Chambers spent Saturday in Eastport.

Hattie Cook of St. George is visiting her parents for a few days.

Jas. Seclve of Letete called on John Chubb one day last week.

Messrs. Rod and Dick English were calling on friends Wednesday evening.

R. A. Cameron called on Flora Stewart Wednesday evening.

Wesley Mitchell has been visiting his brother for the past week.

Mrs. Margaret McLeod who has been spending a few weeks here returned to her home in St. George, Wednesday.

Percy Stewart spent a few hours at his home here on Sunday.

Mrs. P. L. Cameron and son Bart spent Sunday with friends in St. George.

George Chambers called on friends in Cathlamet on Sunday.

Fred McVicar and son Freddie spent a few days last week with Mrs. Colin McVicar.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Mathews and son Stuart called on friends here on Sunday.

Dick English and Roscoe Burgess enjoyed a motor boat sail to St. George on Monday.

A number from here attended meeting in St. George on Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Kinsmen Stuart and son spent Monday afternoon in St. George.

Wm. Leland called on friends in Letete on Sunday.

Mrs. Dennis Leland spent Saturday in Eastport.

John Turner called on Mrs. Silas Vicox on Saturday.

### MACOS BAY

Mr. Marlock of St. John is surveying and cutting out the line dividing St. John and Charlotte counties, from 7 mile lake to Point Lepreau a distance of 10 miles, a few men from here are employed with him.

Mrs. J. Magowan and children were guests of Mrs. Charley Brown last Sunday.

Harris Mawhinney called on Mrs. Julia Snider Sunday.

The Organism of Kings own Lodge No. 140 held their meeting in Conny line hall Saturday evening and initiated three new members.

Those who were sending about Point Lepreau last week done well.

Miss Carrie Hope spent a few days last week with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Snider of Letete spent Sunday afternoon with his parents Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Snider.

The house of Mr. and Mrs. Sammie Brown was totally destroyed by fire Saturday, he lost a new organ and all his furniture with no insurance.

Miss Alice Snider and Fred Mawhinney were passengers to and from St. John by Stmr. Connor Bros. last week.

The dredge is still at work at Dipper Harbor.

Two of our Sunday School teachers Mrs. R. T. Mawhinney and Mrs. Martha Thorpe drove to St. John Tuesday to attend the Convention.

The Stmr. Connor Bros. landed her usual load of freight Saturday.

Neil Thorpe called on Mrs. John Snider Tuesday.

Several auto parties have passed through here this week on hunting trips.



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### FINANCES OF CANADA. How the Accounts Stood When Laurier's Government Quitted Office.

Ottawa, Oct. 9.—The statement of the revenue and expenditure for the first half of the fiscal year, being from April 1 to September 30, comes out at practically the same time as the Laurier Government retired from control of the country's affairs. It records high water mark in the revenue for a half year, and also in the expenditure. The figures follow, those for the same period of 1910 being given for comparison:—

Revenue.	
1910	1911
Customs \$36,185,416	\$41,284,535
Excise 7,898,552	8,799,535
Post Office 3,675,000	4,150,000
Public Works, Railways, and Canals 5,607,145	6,873,637
Miscellaneous 2,784,079	2,061,816
Total \$56,148,193	\$64,069,524
Expenditure.	
1910	1911
Ordinary 35,107,672	35,933,456
Capital ac. 12,430,136	12,318,027
Total \$47,537,808	\$48,251,483

There are heavy liabilities for public works, etc., incurred during the past two months to be charged against the income, which considerably affect the situation as presented above.

The statement of the debt and offsetting assets follows:

Liabilities	
Funded Debt—	

Payable in Canada	\$ 4,865,260
Payable in London	263,121,429
Bank Circulation Redemption Fund	4,654,316
Dominion Notes	99,308,945
Savings Banks	57,433,599
Trust Funds	9,724,724
Province Accounts	11,920,582
Miscellaneous and Banking Accounts	26,227,283
Total Gross Debt	\$477,256,141
Assets.	
Investments—	
Sinking Funds	\$ 11,714,007
Other Investments	28,776,851
Province Accounts	2,296,420
Miscellaneous and Banking Accounts	110,530,085
Total Assets	\$153,317,272
Total Net Debt 30th September	\$323,938,768

### G. T. P. Has 3,300 Miles Of Track Now

Annual Meeting Held at Montreal on Tuesday.

At the adjourned annual meeting of the shareholders of the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway Company on Tuesday at Montreal, with Mr. Charles M. Hays, president, in the chair, he stated regarding the progress of construction that during the year the track-laying on the main line of the western division had been extended from Wolf Creek to Fitzhugh, west of the Athabasca River, in the Rocky Mountains, which is 1,027 miles west of Winnipeg, and will be the divisional point for that section, and that the construction work is under full headway with night

and day forces to Tote Jaune Cache on the Fraser River, beyond Yellowhead Pa.s., on the western slope of the Rocky Mountains, and it is expected that the track laying will reach this point, which is 1,094 miles west of Winnipeg, before the close of the year.

In the construction, therefore, of approximately 5,133 miles of railway undertaken in the first instance, there has been laid at the present time practically 3,300 miles of main line track and on large sections in which the construction of the route is already far advanced, a large addition will be made to the track mileage within the next few months.

Under agreements with the government to provide equipment for the operation of the railway, there have been purchased 13,749 freight cars, 173 passenger cars and 129 locomotives.

### St. James Church Brings \$2,000,000

Montreal, Oct. 10.—St. James Methodist church and grounds have been sold for \$2,000,000. The church has the largest seating accommodation of any Methodist auditorium in Canada. There is about 77,550 square feet, with a frontage on St. Catharine street of 235 feet; on Alexander street of 32 feet; on Mavor street, 235 feet; and on City Councilors street, 330 feet, or at the rate of about \$26 per square foot. Mr. J. C. McGreevy, of Winnipeg, is the purchaser. This gentleman has been very active during the past five months in buying farm lands for the Canadian Northern Railway to the north of Mount Royal. Mr. McGreevy's connection with the Canadian Northern has been very close, and there is little doubt that his purchase yesterday is on their behalf. Many rumors have been current as to the location of Canadian Northern terminals, but the present transaction seems to settle the problem.

While the plans of the railway have not been given out, it is pretty certain from utterances from time to time of Sir William McKenzie and Sir Donald Mann that the entrance to the city will be by tunnel under Mount Royal.

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**Senators**

The government will have in its power-through vacancies now existing-to immediately appoint four, if not five new senators two from Nova Scotia, one from Quebec, and one from Winnipeg. We are not quite sure about the fifth. Late in the recent session Dr. Roy, who sat for Edmonton, was appointed Canadian representative at Paris. Possibly Dr. Roy's seat is yet vacant. Hon. Mr. Chervier's death was announced on Wednesday. This gentleman was called to the Senate January 18, 1909, from Winnipeg. He was a Liberal who replaced Hon. Mr. Bernier, of St. Boniface, on the death of the latter. Mr. Chervier was known to be in somewhat delicate health, but announcement of his death would be a sad surprise to his colleagues. The Toronto Globe intimates that Col. Matheson, of Ontario, will be sent to the Senate at an early date-when there is a vacancy from Ontario, of which province he is now Treasurer.

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