

THE EXHIBITION.
Despite the unfavorable weather of the first days of the exhibition, the show was well arranged and everything was carefully carried out. Each department was well represented with the exception of that for cattle, in which the showing was weak. The attendance was good, all parts of the province, especially the cities, sending a full quota, while Nova Scotia, P. E. Island and Maine added but little to the crowd of visitors.

The judges had a difficult duty to perform, but carried it out in an impartial manner, complaints being few indeed. Too much credit cannot be given the indefatigable president, J. A. Campbell, or secretary Murray, on whom the burden of the affair rested. Praise is justly due the excellent committees which arranged everything under their care in a systematic and orderly manner. It is evident that agricultural society, district No. 34, is well qualified to carry on such undertakings, and it may be said that the citizens, one and all, gave substantial support. It is hoped that the society may see their way clear to erect a large and suitable building, so that the show of 1894 and future years may have a large space available for manufactured goods of all kinds. With a building of this kind, a steam engine or a dynamo could be utilized for propelling machinery, adding much to the interest and allowing manufacturers an opportunity which would be readily accepted, of showing their exhibits in motion.

The horse races were an important feature of the late show. The field of horses was the best seen here in recent years—fast time was made, and a general good showing the result. The track officials conducted their work in a way that left nothing to be desired. The general management of the track and show was excellent. There was no gambling nor fair business allowed, and the entire absence of rowdiness was a pleasure to all. The effects of the show must be far reaching. Farmers from all parts were present, exchanged views, formed acquaintances or renewed friendship, saw what their brother farmers had done in agriculture or stock raising, and are better men for it.

The president, J. A. Campbell and secretary Murray, upon whose shoulders the burden of the exhibition fell, must feel somewhat elated at the result which has attended their labors. Credit is due to the very efficient committees who looked after the minor details of the show, and with ready tact and skill performed their work with a just regard to all.

PRINCE WILLIAM RAILWAY.
The proposed scheme for a railway between this city and Woodstock, on the western side of the river, known as the Prince William railway, is to all appearances dead as a clam. Now that election rumours are rife, it is probable that the scheme will be again brought to the surface, but it will not be pleasant for the man who talks railway to the people of the upper parishes. They have been humbugged so often that they will accept nothing now but the actual road and roar of the train. Although Southampton, Dumfries, Queensbury and Prince William are largely farming communities, yet there were very few exhibits from them. On asking the reason, the reply was that exhibits could not be got here except by boat and they did not care to allow anything valuable to go by that means of transit. It would be a benefit to this city and to Woodstock as well. There is no good reason why the railway should be built. The statement is advanced that a road would not pay, but this is true of every road in the province.

SILVER QUESTION.
The silver question which is at present the scapegoat for all the ills of humanity, is slowly dragging through the United States senate, but it is believed that repeal is certain. President Cleveland has declared that he will accept nothing but unconditional repeal. No date has as yet been fixed for a final vote, although the senate has been asked to name a day. Both parties are busy at work securing votes, and longer sessions are called for by the repealers so that the question may be settled at an early day, and a vote is looked for about the first of October. Whether the change will bring a feeling of security to the many mercantile firms who are at present laboring under much fear and difficulty it is hard to determine, but a change cannot be worse than the present order of things. Since the discussion on repeal began with a prospect for its consummation, the feeling has become general throughout the world that the lowest depth has been reached, and a revival in all lines of commerce and trade has begun. Many of the closed down factories have started again, most of them with a reduced number of employees or a cut down in wages, but even this is better than having the multitude of wage earners idle and living on charity, as was the case for some weeks in Chicago and other large cities. It is believed that so far as Canada is concerned the worst is over, and that no dire after effects will be felt.

AFTER years of suspense the mantle of lieutenant governor Tilley has fallen upon the shoulders of the hon. Senator Boyd of St. John, and yesterday morning Mr. Boyd was sworn in as lieutenant governor of New Brunswick. Mr. Boyd was asked if he would prefer to wait and be sworn in by Lord Aberdeen, but he preferred the ministrations of the clerk of the privy council. Governor Boyd should fill the office with credit to himself and honor to the province. He is now in his sixty-seventh year, and has been a senator for the past thirteen years. He is a man widely known, having been before the public, more or less, for forty years. No appointment could be better than this, and the matter fairly. It is plain from this that the next election is to be run on the same old basis, the conservatives for protection and the liberals for the best interests of the people.

THE PROVINCIAL EXHIBITION
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The Attendance.
The attendance at the exhibition was large. All the hotels were full on Tuesday, with constant additions during the day. On Wednesday the train from Chatham brought of about five hundred excursionists who came from Woodstock by the Gibson branch brought as many more. At the race track when the runners were sent off it was the general opinion that fully one thousand people were present, most of them of the sterner sex, as the weather was cold at the time and the ladies had taken shelter. So far as attendance was concerned the society have no complaints to make.

The Firemen.
Wednesday evening the combined forces of the Fredericton and St. Marys firemen held a monster torch light procession. Starting from the central fire station on King street, they marched through the principal streets and out to the fair grounds where they disbanded. They were led by a band and made a good display. The crowd attendant blocked up both sidewalks and the small boys filled the streets. Conspicuous in this parade was the Fredericton bicycle club, numbering about twenty-five, led by their gallant captain and gay with all description of colored lanterns.

Wilkes' Stock Ahead.
The owners of horses by Harry Wilkes must have been pleased at the showing on Wednesday. Harry Wilkes was shown in the standard class and carried the blue card without a murmur. Hatessa Wilkes, York Wilkes and Katrina took first honors as well. Hatessa Wilkes beat all competitors in the foal race and Katrina made a grand showing in the 235 class. It was a big day for Wilkes stock and this class of horses are becoming of much value. The chestnut team owned by Thomas Wheeler of Maryville, carried the blue card for best matched team. Mr. Wheeler received many tempting offers for the team. A very fine team was shown by W. S. Tompkins of Southampton and had many admirers.

Flowers.
Assortment of flowers by amateurs—W. Rowe, city, 1; J. D. Perkins, city, 2. Cut flowers—Miss Ada M. Schleyer, 1. Table bouquet—Miss Ada M. Schleyer, city, 1. Floral ornaments—Ada M. Schleyer, city, 1. Assorted flowers—Miss Ada M. Schleyer, city, 1.

Fancy Work.
Cochet work in linen and wool—Mrs Judson Estabrooks, 1; J. C. Murray, 2. Fancy knitting and wool—C. H. Perley, 1. Ladies cape—Mrs Edward Stewart, 1. Bed spread—Mrs Jacob M. Barker, 1. Knitting piece cotton—J. C. Murray, 2. Netting—John Blair, 2. Outline embroidery—Mrs Geo Y. Dibble, 1. Sideboard cloth and fruit pieces—Miss S. J. Perley, 2. Muslin embroidery—Mrs John Cameron, 1. Mexican bed spread—Miss M. F. Thomas, 2. Sofa cushion—Mrs John Cameron, 1. Arsenic embroidery—Nellie Hume, 1. Knitted quilt—Miss Smith, 1; Edward Dunphy, 2. Crochet quilt—Lillian J. Hogg, 1. Sofa pillow—Miss S. J. Perley, 1; Miss Corcor, 2. Toilet set—Nellie Hume, 1. Hand-painted toilet set—Adelia Tool, 2. Knitting piece cotton—J. C. Murray, 1; Richard Goldsworthy, 2. Embroidered tea cover—Ethel Hatt, 1. Hand painted table cover—Adelia Tool, 2. Centre piece—C. H. Perley, 1. Toyiles—C. H. Perley, 1; Gertrude T. Gregory, 1. Crochet tidy—Edgar Slipp, 1. Felt table cover—C. H. Perley, 1. Kensington embroidery—Mrs Geo Y. Dibble, 2. Berlin work—Mrs John Cameron, 1. Chair cover—S. J. Perley, 2.

Cheese.
Butter, in rolls or print—J. H. Reid, 1st; Mrs. F. P. Thompson, 2; H. C. Burpee, 3; J. Thornburn, 4; George B. Smith, 5. Butter in crocks—George C. Miles, 1; J. Thornburn, 2; Geo B. Smith, 3; Judson Dunphy, 4; Wm. Charters, 5. Best butter in crocks—Luther Goodspeed, 2. Cheese, C. L. Tilley & Son, 1. Factory cheese—D. & B. Cheese Co., 2; Charles H. Cheney, 3d. Factory butter—St. Louis butter Mfg. Co., 1; W. W. Hubbard, 2.

Roots.
Early horn carrots—A. D. Thomas, 1; Walter Craig, 2d. Long blood beets—A. McKay, 1; Luther Goodspeed, 2. Turnip rooted beets—David C. Parent, 1; A. D. Thomas, 2. Parsnips—C. B. Harrison, 1st; Archibald Harrison, 2d. Swede turnips—George B. Smith, 1; Ranney Murray, 2. Globe Mangold Wurtzel—W. Craig, 1. White carrots—Edgar Slipp, 1; A. D. Thomas, 2. Carrots, intermediate—Jas. McKay, 1; Robert Aitken, 2. Potatoes, Snowflakes—J. W. Smith, 1; Ranney Murray, 2. Early Rose—J. W. Smith, 1; Luther Goodspeed, 2. Beauty Hebron—Wesley Kitchen, 1; Ranney Murray, 2. Christy—Ranney Murray, 1. Kidney—H. C. Burpee, 1; Walter M. Smith, 2.

Cattle.
Durham bull—B. Wilmont, 1. Short horn bull—Joseph Hawkins, 2. Thoroughbred bull—Edgar Slipp, 3. Bull, one year—F. P. Close, 1. Bull calf—John D. Campbell, 1; Judson Dunphy, 2. Cow—H. F. Close, 1. Heifer, 2 years—John B. Campbell, 1. Cow, 2 years—John B. Campbell, 2. Ayrshire bull—R. A. Estey, 1. Bull, 3 years old and under—John C. Murray, 1. Bull calf—R. Golding, 1. Ayrshire cow—R. Golding, 1; J. L. Inches, 2; I. R. Golding, 3. Heifer, one year—R. Golding, 1; Luther Goodspeed, 2. Thoroughbred Holstein calf—D. C. Parent, 1. Milch cow—J. C. Gilman, 1; J. R. Golding, 2; A. N. Block, 3.

Heifer, 2 years—John C. Gilman, 1; A. H. Jewett, 2. Heifer, 1 year—M. Shannon, 1; J. R. Golding, 2; Judson Dunphy, 3. Heifer calf—Judson Dunphy, 1; Oliver Borden, 2; A. N. Block, 3. Yoke oxen—Stanley Chase, 1. Jersey bull—H. Graham, 1. Jersey cow—W. B. Whitehead, 1; E. M. Fraser, 2; John H. Reid, 3. Jersey, 2 years and under—John H. Reid, 1. Jersey heifer—John H. Reid, 1 and 2. Jersey heifer calf—John H. Reid, 1 and 2.

Sheep.
Ram and ewe, 2 years, C. B. Harrison, 1; A. E. Kilburn, 2; Edward S. Jarvis, 3. Ram lamb—C. B. Harrison, 1; A. Harrison, 2nd and 3rd. Pen of 2 ewes over two years—Archibald Harrison, 1; C. B. Harrison, 2. Pen of 2 ewes, shearing—C. B. Harrison, 1; A. Harrison, 2. Pen of 2 ewe lambs—C. B. Harrison, 1 and 2; Edward S. Jarvis, 3rd. Ram over 2 years—Ranney Murray, 1. Shropshire ram—R. D. W. Hubbard, 1st. Shropshire ram lamb—R. D. W. Hubbard, 1. Shropshire ewe—R. D. W. Hubbard, 1; H. F. Close, 2nd. Ram over 2 years—Ranney Murray, 1. Shropshire under shearing ewe—H. F. Close, 1st. Pen of 2 lambs—Wm. Aitken, 1; P. C. Powys, 2.

Fowl.
Light Brahma fowl—C. F. Roberts, city, 1. Dark Brahma—A. D. Macpherson, city, 1. White Cochins—Stewart Neil, city, 1. Partridge Cochins—A. D. Macpherson, city, 1; C. F. Roberts, city, 2. White Leghorns—Harold Hatt, city, 1; Thos. Harvey, city, 2. Leghorn—R. B. Snowball, Chatham, 1. Houdans—G. W. Foster, Maryville, 1. Blue Andalusians—A. D. Macpherson, city, 1 and 2. Wyandottes—J. H. Reid, city, 1; C. F. Roberts, city, 2. Golden Wyandottes—C. F. Roberts, city, 1. Plymouth Rocks—J. H. Reid, city, 1; Plymouth Rocks—C. F. Roberts, city, 1. Black Poland—C. F. Roberts, city, 1. Hamburgs—A. D. Thomas, city, 1; W. H. Barker, city, 2. Minorcas—A. D. Macpherson, city, 1. Japanese Game—A. D. Macpherson, city, 1. Red Pyle Game—Austin Sweeney, city, 1.

Red Bantams—A. D. Macpherson, city, 1; A. D. Thomas, city, 2. Cochins—C. F. Roberts, city, 1; Donald Neil, city, 2. White Cochins—Stewart Neil, 2; A. Dayton, St. Marys, 1. Leghorn chicks—A. D. Thomas, city, 1 and 2. Brown Leghorn chicks—Stewart Neil, city, 1; A. D. Thomas, city, 2. Blue Andalusian chicks—A. D. Macpherson, city, 1. Wyandotte chicks—H. C. Rutter, city, 1 and 2. White Wyandotte chicks—J. H. Reid, city, 1; H. C. Rutter, city, 2. Plymouth chicks—C. A. Harrison, Mauderville, 1; J. H. Reid, city, 2. Plymouth Rock chicks—C. F. Roberts, city, 1. Heathwood game—Jack Bebbington, 1. English brown red bantam chicks—A. D. Thomas, 1 and 2. Common turkeys—Richard Goldsworthy, 1. Bronze Turkeys—Luther Goodspeed, 1. Common geese—Luther Goodspeed, 1. Bremen geese—J. Hamilton Reid, 1. African geese—J. Hamilton Reid, 1. Toulouse geese—John H. Reid, 1; Robert A. Anderson, 2. Common ducks—Jack Neil, 1; C. Robinson, 2. Pekin Ducks—Harry Fleming, 1. Young ducks—Harry Fleming, 2. White fantail pigeons—A. D. Thomas, 1; H. C. Rutter, 2. Colored fantail pigeons—A. D. Thomas, 1 and 2. White Jacobin pigeons—H. C. Rutter, 1. Antwerp pigeons—William Leek, 1; L. O. Mansell, 2. Booted tumbler pigeons—A. D. Thomas, 1 and 2. Plain tumbler pigeons—A. D. Thomas, 1. Common blue pigeons—J. Tibbits, 1 and 2. Pair doves—A. H. McKee, 1; Arthur Limerick, 2. Pair common rabbits—Bennie E. Tabor, 1; Howard Woodbridge, 2. Himalaya rabbits—J. Hamilton Reid, 1 and 2. Family lop-eared rabbits—J. Hamilton Reid, 1.

Swine.
New Brunswick Apples—Peabody, St. Marys, 1; C. C. Camber, Springhill, 2. Apples, table varieties—Randall Bros, Sheffield, 1; J. C. Gilman, city, 2. Apples, larger variety—J. C. Gilman, city, 1; Alf McKay, Kingsclear, 2. Plums—Mrs. F. J. Hilyard, City, 1; L. Goodspeed, Penniac, 2. Grapes—Miss C. E. Grosvenor, 1; Henry Lowell, 2.

Honey and Wax.
Bees—Jas. McManus city, 1; Frank White, city, 2. Honey in box—L. Goodspeed, Penniac, 1; Jas. McManus, city, 2. Strained Honey—L. Goodspeed, Penniac, 1; Frank White, city, 2. Bees wax—J. H. Reid, city, 1; W. B. Dayton, St. Marys, 2.

Corn.
Wheat—A. W. Ross, city, 1; Slat Broe, Keswick Ridge, 2. Two row barley—R. Murray, Springhill, 1; G. A. Treadwell, Mangerville, 2. Four row barley—R. Murray, Springhill, 1; H. C. Burpee, Mangerville, 2. Rye, 1 bushel—R. Murray, Springhill, 1; J. E. Smith, St. Marys, 2. Oats, white—E. S. Jarvis, Stanley, 1; R. Murray, Springhill, 2. Oats, black—E. S. Jarvis, Stanley, 1; Newton Burpee, Marysville, 2. Buckwheat, rough—E. S. Jarvis, Stanley, 1; F. J. Purdy, Jemseg, 2. Buckwheat, smooth—Abram Alward, Battersford, 1; J. W. Camber, city, 2. Buckwheat, Japanese—J. W. Camber, city, 1. Corn, yellow—A. E. Kilburn, Macquaque, 1; Almon Weldon, Jemseg, 2. Beans, white—Jas. McKay, Kingsclear, 1; E. S. Jarvis, Stanley, 2. Beans, colored—Alf McKay, Kingsclear, 1; R. Murray, Springhill, 2. Sheaf of wheat—Robt. Aitken, city, 1; J. H. Miller, city, 2. Sheaf of oats—John A. Campbell, Springhill, 1; L. Goodspeed, Penniac, 2. Peas, large white—J. C. Murray, Kingsclear, 1; E. S. Jarvis, Stanley, 2. Peas, small—H. C. Burpee, Macquaque, 1; Newton Burpee, do, 2. Peas best variety—Bedford Nason, Woodside, 1; S. L. Peters, Queenstown, 2.

Horticulture.
Boston Marrow Squash—J. A. Campbell, Springhill, 1; David Jamieson, Canterbury, 2. Hubbard Squash—L. Goodspeed, Nashwaak, 1; J. A. Palmer, Macquaque, 2. Marble head squash—J. W. Smith, Nashwaak, 1; W. Rowe, Fredericton, 2. Mammoth squash—J. A. Palmer, Macquaque, 1, 120 lbs; John Staples, St. Marys, 2.

Vegetable marrow—L. Goodspeed, Nashwaak, 1; A. D. Thomas, city, 2. Red celery—A. H. Jewett, city, 1; Miss A. M. Schleyer, city, 2. Trophy tomato—Thos. Harvey, city, 1; R. Murray, Springhill, 2. Asortment tomatoes—R. Murray, Springhill, 1; A. D. Thomas, city, 2. Red plant tomatoes—A. H. Jewett, city, 1; W. H. Smith, Mangerville, 2. Silver skin onions—W. Rowe, city, 1; D. Sharp, city, 2. Red Weatherfield onions—J. Walker, Marysville, 1; D. C. Parent, Up Queensbury, 2. White plum celery—J. D. Perkins, city, 1; Miss A. M. Schleyer, 2. Standard white celery—Miss A. M. Schleyer, city, 1; W. Smith, Nashwaak village, 2. Citron Melon—R. Murray, Springhill, 1; J. W. Smith, Macquaque, 2. Water melon—Alward Weldon, Jemseg, 1; F. Purdy, Jemseg, 2. Peppers—Henry Lowell, city, 1; W. F. McManus, city, 2. Any variety tomatoes—W. F. McManus, city, 1; W. Lester, city, 2. Pumpkins—Joseph Walker, 1; Henry C. Burpee, 2. Cabbage (late)—John R. McConnell, 1; Wm. Charters, 2.

Swine.
Berkshire boar, over one year—J. Dunphy, Lower French Village, 1. Berkshire breeding sow—Geo. Beatty, city, 2. Berkshire sow over one year—Wm. Rowe, city, 1. Berkshire spring pig—Geo. Beatty, city, 1 and 2. Boar under one year—Wm. Graham, Macquaque, 1. White Imp. Ohio Chester—J. H. Reid, city, 1. Boar pig under one year—Wm. Aitken, city, 1. White Imp. Chester sow—J. H. Reid, city, 1. Sow White Chester, 1 year 4 mos.—Robert Aitken, city, 1; Geo. Beatty, city, 2. White Chester sow—Geo. L. Pugh, Nashwaak, 1. Breeding grade sow—John C. Gilman, city, 1. Grade sow over one year—A. E. Kilburn, Macquaque, 2. Brood sow—John A. Campbell, Springhill, 1. Grade Chester sow pig—Henry C. Burpee, Marysville, 1; Newton Burpee, Marysville, 2; C. C. Crawley, Springhill, 2. Fat pig over one year—J. A. Campbell, Springhill, 1; A. E. Kilburn, Macquaque, 2; John Brown, city, 3. Best fat pig, 5 mos.—Geo. L. Pugh, Nashwaak, 1; J. H. Smith, city, 2.

Horses.
Standard bred trotting horse—Harry R. McLellan, St. John, 1; John McCoy, St. John, 2; A. L. Slipp, Truro, 3. Stallion foal of 1890—Herb Jamieson, Canterbury, 1. Foals of 1891—Issac Peabody, St. Marys, 2. Foals of 1892—Issac Peabody, 1 and 2. Mare, 4 years—J. T. Steeves, St. John, 1; A. Gilman, Maryville, 2; Issac Peabody, St. Marys, 3. Foals of 1890—John R. McConnell, Maryville, 1; Samuel Boyle, city, 2; W. A. Estabrooks, city, 3. Mare foals of 1891—Wm. Dunbar, city, 1; Jas. S. Neil, city, 2. Mare foals of 1892—Geo. C. Miles, Mangerville, 1; D. J. Stockford, city, 2. Stallion, 4 years—W. R. Dunbar, city, 1; J. H. Reid, 2; Robt. J. Melorn, St. John, 3. Stallion foals of 1890—Harry R. McLellan, St. John, 1; W. R. Dunbar, city, 2; Geo. B. Smith, Mangerville, 3. Stallion foals of 1891—W. M. Golden, St. John, 1. Stallion foals of 1892—J. R. McConnell, Maryville, 1; Jas. Gibson, Maryville, 2 and 3.

Mares or geldings, 4 years—Geo. C. Miles, Mangerville, 1; D. Jamieson, Canterbury, 2; McGarr Bros, Ormoco, 3. Mares or geldings, 4 years—John Lippsett, city, 1st; McGarr Bros, Ormoco, 2d; J. C. Murray, Kingsclear, 3rd. Mares or geldings, foals of 1890—Chas. Moore, Scotch Lake, 1st; Alex. Neilson, city, 2d; L. B. Wilmont, Belmont, 3rd. Mare foals of 1891—Geo. C. Miles, Mangerville, 1st; Thos. Edgar, Kingsclear, 2d; W. W. Hubbard, city, 3rd. Mare foals of 1892—E. W. Rainford, city, 1st; H. F. Close, Springhill, 2d; L. W. Barker, city, 3rd. Mare foals of 1890—J. D. Burd, city, 1; W. P. Flewelling, city, 2; Alex. Neilson, city, 3. Mare foals of 1891—S. Dayton, St. Marys, 1. Mare foals of 1892—C. B. Harrison, Mangerville, 1; H. G. Ketchum, city, 2. Mare with foal at foot—Geo. C. Miles, Mangerville, 1; Geo. B. Smith, Mangerville, 2; Robt. Aitken, city, 3. General purpose stallion, 4 years—Harry R. McLellan, St. John, 1; J. H. Reid, city, 2; W. A. Henderson, St. John, 3. Stallion foal of 1890—Harry McLellan, St. John, 1; G. B. Smith, Mangerville, 2; Wm. Graham, Macquaque, 3. Stallion foal of 1891—C. H. Pendleton, St. John, 1; W. G. Clark, Macquaque, 2; Jas. Wade, Wasias, 3. Stallion foals of 1892—Cook Kitchen, city, 1; Richard P. Donald, Penniac, 2; W. A. Lindsay, city, 3. Mare with foal at foot—Geo. R. Smith, Mangerville, 1; Harding Curtis, Macquaque, 2; R. W. Hubbard, Barton, 3.

Dalhousie college held its opening convocation Wednesday. President Forrest stated that three-fourths of the \$20,000 required in aid of the running expenses of the college for the next five years had been subscribed during the summer. He said the college prospects for the coming session were bright. A man named Thomas Mullins, of Newcastle, had a narrow escape from being crushed to death at Fish's quarry, French Fort Cove, on Thursday morning, while raising a large stone with a derrick. He was knocked forward by the rock, and although no bones were broken, his back was dreadfully bruised. Before his honor, Mr. Justice Palmer, yesterday, upon application of Wm. Pugsley, G. C. an order was made for the sale of the machinery and stock in trade of the St. John Nut and Bolt Works Co., in liquidation. The property will be sold subject to existing encumbrances amounting to about \$12,000. An Austrian named Humm and his wife, residents of Goettingen, have been arrested there for having poisoned their four children and Mrs. Humm's father. All the victims died suddenly. Their stomachs were analyzed, and the remains of heavy doses of poison were found in them. A special from Washington, Ind., says news has just been received there that Benson Wrattan and family, six in all living near that place, were murdered Sunday night. They lived in Harrison township, twelve miles from Washington. The victims are horribly mutilated. Mrs. White who was arrested for the theft of \$15 from a girl in the Riverside house, Bangor, is insane. The day of her arrest, her son who had not been for six years, arrived in Bangor.

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The negro Smith, early Sept. 21st was found where the authorities had tried to locate him, and lynched at Roanoke, Va. His body was afterwards taken to the river bank in the western part of the city and burned in the presence of over a thousand men. A skiff left Collingwood, Ont. Tuesday evening for Nottawasaga river mouth with eight persons on board. A few hours after leaving the boat was struck by a small and overturned drowing all except two, who managed to reach the shore in an exhausted condition. The old Hon. Peter Mitchell house was badly gutted by fire early on Sunday morning. A portion of the building was occupied for school purposes, Miss McLeod being the teacher in charge. Another school room will have to be hunted up. It is said to be insured for \$1000. The barn and stables connected with the Dominion Hotel, Memramcook, were burned on Tuesday afternoon. Mr. Herbert, proprietor of the hotel, who is a great horseman, lost a fine Dearborn colt, for which he had refused \$400 some two weeks ago.

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Mortgage Sale—Geo. F. A. J. Gregory

LOCAL NEWS.

FIRE INSPECTION—The final inspection of the Tobique valley railway was made this week by government inspector Beckwith.

PROF. DUFF'S SUCCESSOR—It is expected that a successor to Prof. Duff will be appointed at Tuesday's meeting of the university senate.

SOCIAL—Mouth of Kewick Baptist sewing circle will hold a social at the agricultural hall there on the evening of Tuesday next, 29th inst.

SAWA.—The old pacer, Sawaw, owned here last year by James Farrell, blacksmith, won the free-for-all at Hamilton, Me., on Thursday, last time 2:30.

GETTING READY FOR GIBSON.—If the river rises any higher, John Gibson will make an attempt to get his new schooner afloat. About a foot more water would float her.

RETURNED.—Dr. McLaughlin has returned from Camp Aldershot where he had charge of the military hospital. The doctor is having a large practice and is in much demand.

NACKAWICK BRIDGE.—Whitman Brewer has finished the repairs of Nockawick wharf, and will begin work at once on the Nockawick bridge. J. K. Fincher is getting out the necessary lumber.

SENT UP.—Mrs. Hoyt, divorced wife of Bill Hoyt, colored, was before the p.m. on Wednesday charged with the stealing of linen from the Commercial hotel. She was sent to jail, awaiting trial.

WEDNES.—At Marysville on Saturday last the Rev. Mr. Lodge, pastor of the Methodist church, solemnized the marriage of George Eno, of that town, and Miss Mary McIntire, of Lowell, Mass.

GAME WARDENS.—Among the game wardens recently appointed by the lieutenant governor are: Howard D. Branscombe for Queens, Chas. I. Burpee for Sunbury, and Frank Bird for the county of York.

CARLETON'S SHERIFF.—David Irvine and W. D. Balloch are the applicants for the vacant office of sheriff of Carleton county. Both have hosts of friends and either will make an acceptable officer.

AT OROMONTO.—Allison Cook and company of variety artists held one of their evening shows at Oromonto on Thursday evening. There were several slugging matches with gloves. The house was well filled.

PERLEY AHEAD.—The latest in the Sunbury fishery commissioner report is that all wardens are authorized to report to H. S. Styles. It is evident from this that hon. W. E. has got the pole in the race with Mr. Wilnot.

NEW JUDGE.—Hon Justice King of the supreme court of New Brunswick has been appointed one of the justices of the supreme court of Canada, in place of the late Judge Patterson. It is expected that Judge Landry of Westmorland, will fill the vacant seat in this province.

KEELY CURE.—It is one of the facts of the near future that a branch of the gold cure for inebriates is to be located here. The matter has been under consideration for some time and is now arranged. Patients in these institutions receive treatment for inebriety, opium, morphine habit and aeurasthemia.

ACCIDENT.—Mrs. Gilbert Wiggins, of Waterborough, Queens, is confined to the home, the result of a bad accident on Wednesday last. While driving down the Titus mill hill, the kingbolt came out of its place, setting the horse free. Mrs. Wiggins was thrown out and seriously hurt about the head and shoulders. At last accounts she was doing well.

ENTERPRISE.—Ephraim McClutcheon, of the Narrows, Queens county, has in his possession a sow of which he is justly proud. The sow early in the spring gave birth to seventeen pigs, and a few days ago she had another litter, numbering the same, making in all thirty-four pigs. This is not a bad record for the old sow to make within a few months.

DANGEROUSLY HURT.—Hiram Wade, a young married man, son of Leonard Wade, of Pennic, was dangerously hurt in the machine shop of the cotton mill at Marysville on Tuesday. He was working at a saw when a board came back and struck him in the abdomen. The doctor was called at once but he is in a serious state and it is feared the result will be fatal.

BAPTIST QUARTERLY MEETING.—The Baptist quarterly meeting held with the church at Springfield, York county, on Friday, Saturday and Sunday of last week was largely attended. The weather was all that could be desired, and such numbers took advantage of the opportunity that standing room was scarcely available in the church at the Sabbath services. The ministers present were Rev. Mr. Young, general missionary, Rev. F. O. Ross and Rev. E. Jenkins. Meeting adjourned to meet at Marysville in December.

SCOTT ACT SPY BRAGDON.—Bragdon, the Scott act spy, has been confined to bed for a fortnight past, the result of a severe pounding received at the hands of two toughs. He went to St. Stephen and Calais on a still hunt and from there went to Eastport where he was followed by two men. They spent some days in doing the town and one morning Bragdon was found pretty well cut up by the others and disappeared. This is the story so far as the Mazon, the late spy, has twenty-four complaints laid, a hearing of which will place in a few days.

PHILIP SINGER.—Phillip Phillips, the singing pilgrim, will appear in the city hall, Oct. 2nd and 3rd. Mr. Phillips has entertained audiences in all the larger cities of the United States. The following clipped from the examiner, San Francisco, gives an idea of his entertainments: Phillip Phillips gave one of his series of entertainments at the Simpson memorial M. E. church last evening. It consisted of a lecture illustrated by photo-optim views. Some capital views of Yellowstone park, Yosemite valley, Niagara falls, were shown. The lecture was interspersed with music, one selection being "Your Mission," the one that president Lincoln asked Mr. Phillips to repeat when he was singing in the hall of representatives at Washington.

The Poor Always With You. And again Southampton is in the throes of a sensation far surpassing in detail the now famous Purvis case. It appears that some time since several pauper children wandered from Carleton county and for some time were charge upon the poor list of Southampton. Acting upon the advice of the councillors, it is presumed, the poor masters decided to send the waifs back to their native place before the time limit had expired, when according to law they would be, as it were, naturalized, and become a permanent charge upon Southampton.

When the poor masters made up their minds to act they did so at once and hired a man and team to take the strays back to Woodstock. He did so and then sent in his bill. The bill was ruled out of court; it was not paid and suit was entered. The judge before whom the case was tried gave judgment for the driver and yet the poor masters refused to pay.

On Tuesday the driver got out a capias and the poor masters have been arrested. Further developments are looked for.

H. T. Stevens Wants to Retire.

The Moncton Transcript says: H. T. Stevens, editor of the Times and husband of Jane Stevens, who was recently tried for manslaughter, has been distinguishing himself again. This time it is the members of the First Baptist church, Moncton, who have fallen under the ban of displeasure.

It appears that many years ago—over seven—H. T. Stevens was a regular attendant at the First Baptist church, and on the roll of church members. Since his second marriage he has ceased to attend that church. It was so long ago, that the members had forgotten that H. T. Stevens' name was still on the church roll, until that eccentric gentleman took the pains in a most insulting manner to remind them formally of the fact. Then the members looked into the matter and found that Mr. Stevens for once was right. He was indeed still a member, not having been removed from the list by withdrawal card or discipline, and belonged to a class whom the rev. mission one described as Quaker guns.

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AT THE PARK.

Sensational Work Done by Katrina and Helena Wilkes.

On Wednesday afternoon the races began bringing out a better field of horses than at any of the previous shows. The first contest was as follows:

Goals of 1891, mile heats, 2 in 3. Hatassa Wilkes, W. R. Danbar, Fredericton, 4 1
Sana Peer, W. M. Gordon, St. John, 2 2
Westwind, C. P. Penfold, St. John, 3 3
Judge Allen, I. Peabody, St. Mary's, 1 4
Biddy Wilkes, Sandy Stewart, Fredericton, 2 5
Time—3:04, 3:02, 2:57.

This was a picnic for the Wilkes mare who outsped the others so far that in the last heat she had to hold her own to save the others from being distanced. Hatassa was bred by Isaac Peabody and is a good one. Judge Allen, who took one heat of the race, is a recent importation of Mr. Peabody's.

The three minute class had some fast ones, as the time made shows. It was trotted as follows:

Three minute class, mile heats, best 3 in 5. M. A. L. Slipp, Truro, 1 1
Maud D. H. E. Lyford, Yarmouth, 2 2
J. O. C. W. A. Henderson, St. John, 3 3
Minnie B. D. Stock, Fredericton, 4 4
Johnny Dick, Wm. McVey, St. John, 5 5
Nellie G. Sandy Stewart, Fredericton, 6 6
Time—2:32, 2:30, 2:28.

Two heats of this race were trotted on Wednesday afternoon, the third and deciding heat being run on Thursday. The summary is as follows:

Two thirty class, mile heats, best 3 in 5. Katrina, C. W. Bell, St. John, 1 1
Heck, A. L. Slipp, Truro, N. S., 2 2
C. P. R. A. Henderson, St. John, 3 3
Thorncliffe Echo, F. Watson, St. John, 4 4
Rampart, C. B. Hill, Kenville, 5 5
Helena B. D. Stock, Fredericton, 6 6
Time—2:32, 2:30, 2:28.

The running race was extremely interesting, perhaps because it was a struggle more between man and boy than the horse and horse. The youth who rode Donna Perfecta was fourteen years of age, and was pitted against Barry Woods, who it will be remembered, rode the Church horse on the old track in racing days. The race in fact, as follows, and was neck and neck both heats:

Donna Perfecta, Peter Clinch, St. John, 1 1
May Day, W. McVey, Fredericton, 2 2
Ida Grey, 3 3
Bygone Days, W. Blair, Fredericton, 4 4
Time—2:32, 2:30, 2:28.

The race for foals of 1890 brought out four starters, two of them Mack F fillies, but they were outclassed. The following was the showing:

Jan F. Sandy Stewart, Fredericton, 4 3 3
Annie Sprague, John McVey, Fredericton, 4 4
Bambie, Wm. Blair, Fredericton, 4 4
Sir Richard, A. L. Slipp, Truro, 1 1
Time—2:37, 2:41, 2:40.

The 24th class showed extra good racing and it was difficult to tell which would be the winner till the wire was reached, a few inches in several cases taking the heat. The summary is:

Rampart, J. O. C. W. A. Henderson, 4 1 1
Teddy Golden, C. P. Penfold, St. John, 5 5
Maud D. H. E. Lyford, Yarmouth, 3 3
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J. O. C. W. A. Henderson, St. John, 3 3 4
Time—2:31, 2:29, 2:28.

The 228 class was a struggle between Favorite and Stranger. The summary was:

Don Pulling, brs, Sandy Stewart, Fredericton, 1 1
A. J. L. Slipp, Truro, 1 1
Bell, St. John, 1 1
Morgan, F. Watson, St. John, 2 2
Favorite, bk m, by Bashaw Prince, 2 2
Wm. Blair, Fredericton, 2 2
Resolution, by S. J. Deane, St. John, 4 4
Lydiard, Yarmouth, 4 4
Deceit, D. T. Deane, St. John, 4 4
Time—2:27, 2:24.

The judges were sheriff Sterling and W. D. Gillies; C. Ward, starter; Walter Jewett and H. McKee, timers.

The track was quite heavy when the first race were called on Tuesday, but as the wind became stronger the track dried out so that by three o'clock the footing was not bad. It was evident in the colt race that Hatassa Wilkes was far superior to her competitors, the time being no mark of her speed. In the last heat she could have broken the best colt record for this track.

Sandy Stewart was very unfortunate in his races. He appeared to have speed but his horses did not answer to his efforts and several bad breaks threw him out in all his entries. In the evening, he concluded the race which he was fighting off all competitors. It was a surprise to all citizens and many visitors that the veteran Dave Stockford, who had been in the moon in the Purvis case, had one of the races and it is evident that by dropping Dave some of the horse men are not making any great gain. As a rule, the horses in this class are not of the best.

The horses were especially noticeable, the Sir Charles stock was not represented, although perhaps the best in the province. It was Wilkes all through. There were no Keavages in this either. All expressed desire to use a common and very expressive term, that they are not in it.

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POETRY.

FREEDOM.

My work is done; the eventide is here; My wages now I ask of thee.

Ye Master, not my will, but thine be done, On thee I wait; forgive my prayer.

SELECT STORY.

GOLDEN CHAINS.

CHAPTER I.

Somewhat shaded from the dusty high road stood a small, white, bird-windowed villa, which bore the name of Hyperion Lodge.

One June evening, two strangers, strolling along the road, their backs toward the sea, their faces toward the garden, glanced aside at the little villa, read the name on the garden-gate, then suddenly, turning towards each other, smiled humbly.

"Hyperion Lodge," said the younger of the two men, in a tone of respectful banter. "So that is the 'little place' of which Mabin used to talk so grandly. He used to speak of it as though it were an estate of lordly dimensions—a 'little place' of which he might but would boast."

The speaker, Dick Woburn, was an honest-looking young fellow of twenty, or thereabouts—a typical young Briton, blue-eyed, fresh-complexioned, squarely-built, sturdy. His companion, Hugh Linden, was his senior by some ten years—a tall, thin man, somewhat faded, but carrying himself erectly and with ease; he had dark hair and short, dark, curly curls, his countenance was grave, except at rare intervals, when a humorous twinkle dwelt for a moment in his grey eyes.

He was looking before him reflectively, the rare twinkling smile in his eyes. The smile deepened, then he half sighed. "Poor old Mabin," he said. "I haven't patience with a man who brags," Dick exclaimed. He bragged of everything—his house, his 'grounds' (grounds) how many inches of ground do you make it, Linden?" his timber, his wines—everything good was his, either in reality or imagination. His wife was his only possession he never extolled—if she hadn't been on the spot to disprove his assertion, no doubt she would have figured in his conversation as an accomplished lady of peerless beauty. His daughters, who were not visible, were of course marvels of beauty and wit and grace."

"I'm not sure, Dick, that he was altogether drawing on his imagination," said Linden. "I met a man one day—it was Featherstone, you know him, I think—who asked me incidentally if I had seen old Mabin's daughter, Ernestine. According to Featherstone she was a dream of loveliness, and Featherstone is not easily moved to be enthusiastic. And two of the girls came to the Lakes just after you had left, so I had an opportunity of seeing them—"

"Oh, you saw them! Well?" "They were both pretty. Miss Flossy was sprightly; and Miss Minnie had charming dimples."

"Did they brag like their father?" "Not at all. They were almost too clear-sighted with regard to that failing of old Mabin's. They laughed at him, and were candid about their poverty."

"Did they wear a size too big for them, like their mother?" "They were exceedingly trim. And Mrs. Mabin, Dick, is their step-mother, not their mother. She was untidy, I admit, but she must have been a very pretty woman once."

"What a melancholy little creature she was! I've a vivid recollection of her, still. At table d'hôte she was frightened to death. She never voluntarily opened her lips; but when she did speak no child of five could be more inconsequent and silly."

"Poor little woman! I was sorry for her. Old Mabin leads her a life, I suspect, I shall never forget how grateful she was to me for doing a few hours' copying for her husband; he overworks her, I fancy. She mentioned casually one day that she rarely got to bed till one or two o'clock, and was always up again at six."

"Mabin's an old brute! I knew it." "Well, he overworks himself as well as his wife—that ought to excuse him. And it's all in the cause of science, you know. 'Science! Bosh!' ejaculated Dick, with supreme disgust.

The two men walked on slowly for some minutes, then Linden, somewhat suddenly, broke the silence. "Look here," said he; "we've all the evening before us; we've nothing to do. Suppose we go and call upon the Mabins?" "You go, if you like."

"Come too, Dick?" "No, thank you. I fear the awful prospect of old Mabin's cellar." "Be a teetotaler for the occasion. I'll talk to Mabin; Flossy and Minnie are merry girls, easy to get on with."

"Oh! she should stand out against it. She has ruined papa by always yielding to him."

At that moment the room door opened, and their step-mother came in. She was a woman of forty, but her small, slight figure and deprecating manners made her appear much younger. As Linden had said, she must have been pretty once; her features were regular and well cut, her small, thin, oval face was delicately shaped, but her flaxen hair was ill arranged, and she held herself in a limp, spiritless, dejected way.

"Where are the children?" she inquired, pausing in the doorway, and looking about her with a helpless air of worry. "We're not the children's nursemaid," returned Flossy, in a pert tone, walking to the table.

"Here they come," said Minnie. There was a noisy rush of feet through the back kitchen and the passage, and three children, whose ages ranged from twelve to eight, peeped suddenly aside as they reached the parlour door. Their sedate manners as suddenly disappeared when the door was shut behind them.

"Papa not here?" said Polly, questioning Dick ecstatically. "Hush!" cried Tom. "Isn't he coming in to tea at 1?" inquired Gertrude, the youngest of the trio, fearfully yet hopefully.

"Papa will take his tea in the study to-day," replied their mother, trying to ignore the joyful exclamations of the three young voices.

On the centre table, beneath the gilded chandelier, a much crumpled, much stained cloth was laid crookedly. On this was spread a strange looking meal, which sent forth savoury but somewhat conflicting odours. Chairs were drawn noisily towards the board.

"It's awfully late, mother. We're starving," volunteered the light-haired, thin-featured, sharp-voiced Polly, as her mother, seated at the head of the table, poured milk into the row of tea-cups before her.

"It's very late tonight, as Polly says," observed Polly's step-sister, in an irritable tone. "Minnie and I have been wishing that you would try to be more punctual with the meals. We had dinner at one, and now it must be seven. Four out tea, Charlotte, for goodness sake."

Mrs. Mabin raised her elbow from the table, and pushed back her soft hair that had fallen about her ears. "The tea's not quite so hot, I'm afraid," said she, in a timid voice, opening the lid of the pewter tea-pot and doubtfully looking into it. "I wonder if the water boiled."

"Exceedingly unlikely," returned Flossy, with a laugh. "When was water in this house ever known to boil? What is this under the cover, Charlotte?"

At that instant the postman passed down the garden path, and rising in a weary way, Mrs. Mabin left the room. Presently she returned, a letter in her hand.

"For me?" questioned Flossy and Minnie at the same moment. "No—for me," was the quiet, tired-looking reply.

Mrs. Mabin put the letter down patiently beside her tray, and poured tea and distributed the tea-cups before opening it. Then, as she did the sheet of note-paper in her hand, she gave a sudden, sharp little exclamation of surprise. Her step-daughters looked up at her with wondering glances.

"From Ernestine?" questioned Flossy. "Yes," answered Mrs. Mabin, drawing a deep breath. "Miss Featherstone—is dead."

"Dead? Miss Featherstone?" repeated Minnie and Flossy in a breath. "And Ernestine has lost her situation?" added the latter, in an injured tone.

blue. And you kicked her that day when she wouldn't let you try whether the ice on the pond would bear."

"Tina forgets things," said the small Gertrude, gravely, helping herself to jam. "I'm glad Tina's going to be rich, we shall get some of those things. If 'twas Flossy, she'd spend it all on herself."

Flossy ignored this truth; leaning back in her chair, she looked reflectively before her. "I wonder when Ernestine means to get back to England," she said musingly. "She cannot live at Mount Lipson alone, that's clear. I should think she will have us all to live with her."

"I know that I shouldn't if I were she," laughed Minnie, stirring her tea and lazily watching her teaspoon. "I wonder what Miss Featherstone was worth," she remarked, after a moment's meditation.

"Fifteen thousand a year at least," responded Minnie. "What on earth will Tina do with it? Her tastes are so simple."

"They will develop, no doubt," said Flossy, dryly. "Oh, there's the garden gate. Who can that be?"

"Look out, Polly, you can see," commanded Minnie. Polly did as she was desired, her little face full of curiosity.

"Two gentlemen," she announced. "Strange gentlemen. They're coming up the path."

Minnie rose and went to the other side of the table, whence she could obtain a view of the strange pair that had entered the garden gate from the front door. As she looked, her pretty face dimpled with laughter.

"Flossy, our old admirer," she cried. "Who? Which?" responded Flossy, with unconscious naïveté, patting her hair and straightening her collar as she spoke.

"Mr. Linden."

"No! Coming here?" "The door-bell, ringing through the house, answered that last question.

"Sally's out," sighed Mrs. Mabin; "and oh, dear! how untidy, and your papa will be so vexed."

But Minnie and Flossy were already in the passage.

CHAPTER II. It was Minnie who opened the door, but Flossy was close beside her. Two bright, laughing faces and gay voices greeted the visitors who stood upon the threshold.

Men always spoke of the two sisters as "pretty girls"; women were less enthusiastic, and were wont to curl their lips at little and shrug their shoulders, and add the one significant word, "dolls." Their prettiness was, indeed, of the doll-like order. Their eyes were brightly blue; their hair was golden, waving crisply about their shapely little heads; their complexion was pink and white. Flossy was tall and slender, with a trim figure, and a brisk, alert manner; Minnie was smaller, with rosy lips and saucier eyes, and a more bewitching dimple.

"We saw you coming," Minnie confessed, with an air of charming candour, as she led the two visitors indoors. "I peeped through the curtains and saw you in the garden."

"Know it? Everyone knows it!" was Dick's reply. "Old Featherstone held the mortgage of the place for a good many years; it belonged to an old Cornish family with a pedigree as ancient as the hills, and with debts that extended back almost to the time of the Crusades. At an opportune moment and Mount Lipson changed hands. He was enormously rich; he had been grubbing up money all his life, and was cloistered; what he got he kept. He was a rough, boorish, insufferable old fellow—a merchant prince of the worst type he could be with his hands in his pockets, jingling gold as he talked. His wife was a pretty, ladylike old woman, and his daughter turned after her mother. He'd no sons; he left a good slice of his property to his nephew, Roger Featherstone; but most of it came to his daughter—"

"And now she has left it to Tina," concluded Minnie. "Isn't she lucky?" "Lucky! I wonder how Roger likes the will?"

"Roger Featherstone is quite rich enough. He has no need to envy Miss Heather her good fortune," observed Linden, almost tartly.

The tone was so strange a one from Linden that Dick turned and regarded him with wonder. "Is Miss Heather still in Algiers?" Linden gravely inquired.

"Yes," replied Flossy. "And alone there?" "There was anxiety in the quiet question; the thread of anxiety discernible in his tone went to Mrs. Mabin's heart; she raised her voice tremulously, and for the first time joined in the conversation.

"I am so worried!—so worried about her!" she plaintively exclaimed. "Now, Charlotte, do be sensible!" observed Flossy, sharply. "She is not alone; she will be thoroughly well taken care of by the Levertons, and will travel back with them. For goodness sake, don't make mountains out of mole-hills! You may be sure, my dear, that every care and every luxury that money can buy—she is a young lady of importance now, and the Levertons and everyone else are likely to be that in mind."

"Who are the Levertons?" Linden inquired. "Miss Featherstone's solicitor and his wife."

"And are they with Miss Heather?" Linden pursued. "Yes, they went to Algiers to join her."

Mr. Linden is quite interested in Tina. He has been to the house, and again Dick looked closely and observantly with wondering eyes at his friend.

Half-an-hour later, Dick and Linden went down the little garden together, and out into the high road.

"What's the matter, Linden?" asked Dick, as the small iron gate closed behind them.

"Matter? Nothing?" "Why frown like that at the question, then?" said Dick, inquisitively.

Linden frowned smoothly itself out at once; but there was irritable impatience in his step as he strode on in the soft, summer dawn.

"You're vexed that old Hannah Featherstone has left her money like this," declared Dick, with conviction. "But why? What on earth does it matter to you?"

"I'll tell you, Dick, why it matters to me," replied Linden, slowly, after a moment's pause. "I'm sorry that the money has been left like this. I'm sorry, confoundedly sorry, that Nessa Heather is a rich woman—for I'm poor, and I've no chance to turn fortune-hunter."

"You mean that you're in love with her?" "You're shrewd to-night, Dick. Yes, I mean just that—no more, no less."

"Benedicite! I never expected to live long enough to see you in love, Hugh."

JILTED AT THE ALTER.

A Bride-elect Elopes With Her World-Be Husband's Rival.

HAZLETON, Pa., Sept. 16.—Silver Brook, a small town six miles west of here, was turned topsy-turvy last evening by the sensational termination of a wedding, for which elaborate arrangements had been made. The bride-elect was Miss Kalsey. Miss Kalsey's charms have captivated scores of the sterner sex and a few of them were aspirants for her hand.

Yesterday was to be the wedding day. The guests had assembled at the home of the bride and the minister stood in readiness to tie the nuptial knot. Despite all this, however, the rejected lover, did not lose hope. Miss Kalsey had come to Hazelton on the morning of her wedding day to make the final purchases for her bridal outfit. Her old lover, it seems, learned of this when she was ready to return to Silver Brook met her on the train and again he pressed his suit.

He pleaded with her to forsake the man who was then waiting her arrival at the depot. Whether the woman consented to do this is not known, but when the train stopped at Silver Brook she did not alight from it. Winters, who stood at the depot, saw the train pull out. He glanced anxiously at the receding cars and caught sight of his rival.

Subsequent inquiries revealed the fact that the pair had gone to Shenandoah, where they took the western express. There they were met by a friend.

GENUINE LOVE MATCH. A New Jersey Couple Tramp Thirty Miles to Get Married. Justice Joel M. Johnson, who resides three miles from Paterson, N. J., was visited the other evening by a young man and maiden. The girl informed the justice that their mission was to get married.

"Do you live in these parts?" inquired the rural magistrate. "I live in this township, judge, but the girl has just come from Rockland county, N. J., replied the young man.

The prospective groom said he and his companion started from the latter's home at three o'clock in the morning and walked the entire distance of forty miles, tramping the greater part of the way in their bare feet, carrying their shoes on their shoulders. After the ceremony the groom told the justice in whisper that all the funds in his possession was fifty cents. He asked for a certificate as he produced the coin. The blank form of the document having cost that much, Justice Johnson refused to give the newly married man and wife the written evidence of their union until they paid another half dollar. This they promised to do later. The couple then wandered to a farm house half a mile from the road, where they were taken in, the groom as a woodchopper and the bride as a milkmaid. The justice says that the bride is the prettiest woman in the township.

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