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For the next 15 days we will offer

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Spectacles and Eyeglasses for sale

H. WILLISTON & CO.

BIG BLAZE IN SCHOOL SHED

Mysterious Fire Started in Woodshed of Mission Hall on Mitchell Street

WAS PROBABLY SET

Only the Early Alarm and Absence of Wind Averted Serious Damage

About twelve o'clock Monday night, fire was seen by John Sargeant, issuing from the roof of the woodshed of the Mitchell Street School house. Mr. Sargeant at once gave the alarm. At the time the fire was on hand, the fifteen lost no time in getting to work. The shed was nearly filled with dry wood, and was open so the public. The shed was destroyed, but as there was no wind blowing the main school was saved, and no damage was done to Wm. Taylor's residence or any other of the houses near. Had the fire started a little later when less people were about the streets, and had the wind been blowing, the whole block would likely have been destroyed. The fire must have been of incendiary origin, and no doubt an investigation will be held. The citizens cannot afford to have such things happen too often.

PRESIDENT NEIL COMING

Will Address the Railway Men and Organize New Divisions.

Robt. P. Neil, president of the International Brotherhood of Railway Employees, enters this week upon an itinerary, visiting all local divisions on the I. C. R. and P. E. L. Railway. His trip will be as follows: St. John, Moncton, Halifax, Truro, Sydney, Mulgrave and P. Tupper, New Glasgow and Pictou, Pictou, Charlottetown, Summerside, New Brunswick, Campbell, River du Loup, Lewis and Quebec, and Montreal. He will then return to Moncton where he will remain for several days with the joint board of adjustment. He will be in the Maritime Provinces for about six weeks, and expects to install several new divisions. President Neil will speak at all important points along the line.

OBITUARY

THOMAS MAHER.

The death of Thomas Maher, son of John Maher, and grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Denis Maher, of Chatham, occurred in Chatham on the 20th instant. Deceased died of consumption, after a brief illness, in which he was confined to his bed only two months. He was only twenty-one years old. He was a bright and promising youth, universally loved and respected. Mesdames John Robinson, Sr., and William Rust, of Newcastle are aunts of the departed.

HARCOURT.

HARCOURT, July 20.—Miss R. Dunn who recently resigned the position of organist and choir leader of St. John's Church, Chatham, is visiting Miss Edna Smith of Chatham, Albert Co. Miss Augusta Campbell, of Boston, is visiting her aunts, Miss Annie Campbell and Mrs. English. Mrs. Meekton of Massachusetts is visiting her sister, Miss George Morton. Ernest Buckfield visited Moncton on Friday and St. John on Saturday. Mrs. John Beattie returned from Moncton Friday.

For Non-Partizan Commission.

OTTAWA, Thursday.—In the Senate today, Mr. Loughheed, the conservative leader, gave notice of an amendment to the civil service bill provided that the two civil service commissioners should not be chosen from the one political party.

Staple Goods

As we have just replenished our stock of Stationery we can give you tablets, paperies, envelopes, etc., in all the newest makes. We buy these goods direct from the manufacturers, therefore we are prepared to offer them at the lowest prices. A line of Tercentenary Cards; ask to see them.

Follansbee & Co.,

TERCENTENARY PROGRAM.

Gorgeous Pageants Illustrating Canadian History from 1608 Till 1760.

PRINCE ARRIVES.

British, French and American Fleets Assemble Off Point Levis.

The Tercentenary celebration at Quebec formerly opened on the 19th, and will continue daily until July 31st. The British fleet has arrived. The United States and French fleets were scheduled to arrive yesterday, when the first pageant was performed on the Plains of Abraham. The Prince of Wales arrives today. Pageants will be performed on the 24th, 27th, 29th and 31st, illustrating the principal events of early Canadian history in gorgeous style. The scenes will be as follows:

FIRST PAGEANT.

1534—Scene I. The Village of Tadoussac. Indian Festivities; Jacques Cartier plans a cross on the bank of the river. Scene II. The Gardens of Fontainebleau. Jacques Cartier at the Court of Francis I.

SECOND PAGEANT.

1608. Scene I. The Louvre. Champlain receives his commission from Henry IV. 1629—Scene II. Madame de Champlain comes to Quebec.

THIRD PAGEANT.

1629—Arrival of the Hospitaliers and Ursuline Nuns; they are welcomed by the Governor. Hualde Montagny Knight of Malta, Mother Mary of the Immaculation and the Indian children.

FOURTH PAGEANT.

1699—Dollard des Ormeaux and his companions in arms at the Long Sault. Battle with the Iroquois.

FIFTH PAGEANT.

1695—Mgr. de Laval ceremonially receives M. de Tracey, Lieut.-General of Louis XIV.

SIXTH PAGEANT.

1670—Daumont de Saint-Lasson takes possession of the western country in the name of the King of France.

SEVENTH PAGEANT.

1690—Frontenac receiving the news of the death of Sir William Phipps at the Chateau St. Louis.

EIGHTH PAGEANT.

1759 and 1760—Montcalm and Lewis Wolfe and Murray, with their respective regiments in a parade of honor, marching and counter-marching on the Plains. General salute by the troops answered by the guns of the war-ships. Grouping of all historical characters of the procession and the pageants.

Grand Finale.

11,000 Canadian troops are attending the celebration. On the first day of the program there were 25,000 visitors.

Election Bill Through at Last

Third Reading is Given After Several Opposition Amendments are Voted Down.

OTTAWA, July 18.—The Aylesworth election bill was given its third reading to-day, after several amendments proposed by the opposition were voted down.

Mr. Boye moved to strike out the sections dealing with New Ontario lists.

Dr. Sproule made the statement that in one of the provincial elections in Algoma squaws had voted for the Reform candidate. It was by such devices that James Connors had won his seat. This brought Mr. Connors to his feet. He demanded that Dr. Sproule should withdraw his statements, which that gentleman was compelled by the speaker to do.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier denied that there was any discrimination against Ontario. The present condition of the law in Ontario places the federal parliament at the mercy of the Ontario Government, which could prevent the lists being revised from year to year, so that the Dominion election would have to be held on old lists or a special list made in a hurry. He knew the people of Ontario as well as if he had been brought up there; he could rely on the good sense of the people of Ontario; they would defend their rights when their rights were attacked; but they could not be gulled by any such pretence.

Massachusetts has set an example in dealing with bribes a salutary as it is severe. A man in Boston has been convicted of taking a bribe to obtain for another person a place as inspector in the water department and sentenced to six months' imprisonment and a fine of \$5000.

FRIDAY'S RACING IN MONCTON.

American Horses do Well, but Most Honors go to Provincial Steeds.

2.15 RACE CLOSE.

Five Heats Necessary to Decide Contest, Laura Merrill Winning.

MONCTON, Friday.—Fine five heat contests in the 2.15 trot and 2.18 pace event, the other two races going in straight heats, was the feature of the opening of Moncton's two days horse race meeting this afternoon. The 2.17 and 2.20 events were carried off quite handsly by Representative Pinetree Stable, of Maine El Galo, while Spring Hill horse Wherle had equally easy win in 2.30 race. For trotters it remained for the 2.15 event to furnish the feature of the day, providing some fine racing and trotting contests. Fred Duncanson's Bay mare Laura Merrill came under the wire the winner in the first two heats. This race but breaking badly on the first turn in the second heat, lost the pole and after a stubborn fight with Peter Carroll's Peacharina, big Estille Boy, the smooth gaited trotter of Spring Hill stables, contingent, landed victory. The fourth heat was a neck and neck race, then Brownelle broke and left the fight between Peacharina and Estille Boy and right to wire they fought. By inches only Carroll pushed his horse under ahead. In the fifth heat Peacharina took the pole and lead to the quarter mark, then Estille Boy pulled up and was leading at half and opened a big gap on the back stretch. From the bunch in to hear Laura Merrill pulled out and at three quarter post her nose was at the leaders sulky. Around the turn Brownelle came up strong and with whip plying the three tore down the stretch, Brownelle winning a fine race, beating Laura Merrill by inches while Estille Boy was only a head behind. So far as first places in other two races were concerned events were processions for El Galo and Wherle, but heats were marked by some good contests for places. There was a beautiful race for the second place in the second heat of the 2.15 class. Laura Merrill won the heat holding the pole after getting a bad start and was never headed. Peacharina was right at her sulky from start with Estille Boy third until the quarter pole was reached when the Spring Hill horse broke and Brownelle took third. At the half mark the horses were in that position, and up the back stretch it was a rousing race. Inch by inch Brownelle pulled up but at the three quarter mark Peacharina pulled out a notch and in the stretch led by a head. Estille Boy was fighting along on the outside. Under the whip Maine horse came strong in the stretch, but Peacharina was just a little better and with her nose at Laura Merrill's sulky, took second place with a head. It was a fine race and the crowd cheered lustily. Bennett W. and Blomdon had a couple of lively brushes in the 2.30 in the first heat. In the 2.17 event Prince Alfordley fell at the half mile mark, and was distanced. The horse was not injured.

The weather conditions were good, except that a lively breeze blew down the back stretch. There were about six hundred people present and a much larger crowd is expected tomorrow.

Summary of today's races:
2.17 trot, 2.20 pace, purse \$300—El Galo, 2.21 1-4; B. G. by Chaucery Wells.

Pine Tree stable Lewiston, Maine. Hayden, 1 1 4.

Grace Maud, Br. M. F. Fox, West Newton, Mass. Fox 2 7 2.

Buchanan, 2.21 1-4, Gray G. by Taunton, F. Boutillier Halifax, Boutillier, 3 2 5.

Miss Kadmos 2.19 1-4, B. M. by Grace Doane, Spring Hill, N. S. stables. Warren, 4 2 4.

Meadowdale 2.20 1-4 B G by Torbrook, H A Gibson, Marysville, N. B. Stewart 5 4 3.

Daisy Wilkes, 2.20 1-2, C. M. by Ozon, Hugh O'Neill Fredericton, Holmes, 6 5 6.

Cecil Mack, 2.22 1-3, Gr. M. by Dispute, L. B. C. Phair, Fredericton, Raymond 7 6 7.

Prince Alfordley 2.22 1-4, B. S. M. L. Brison, West Newton, Mass. Ire and distanced.

Time: 2.18 1-2; 2.19 1-2; 2.17. 2.30 trot purse \$300—Wherle, 2.22 1-2 by Fred Hal Spring Hill stables, Warren 1 1 1.

Bett W., B. G. Geo. B. Purch-P. Joggins N. S. Whlen, 2 2 2.

Blomdon, 2.23 1-4, Br. S. by Bray-

SOLDIER KILLED ON WAY TO QUEBEC.

Sergeant Urquhart Fatally Injured in Fall From Express Train.

SATURDAY NIGHT.

Sergeant Murray Fell Off at Same Time But Escaped With His Life.

In MacDonald's cut, 2 1/2 miles east of Harcourt, about 24.35 Sunday morning while the military special in charge of Conductor Wm. Marshall and Driver J. J. Witzell, was going northward at over fifty miles an hour, two soldiers fell off the train, while passing from one car to another.

Sergeant Urquhart, of St. John, struck on his head, fractured his skull, had his leg and arm broken, and never regained consciousness.

Sergeant Edward Murray, also of St. John, managed to grasp the railing and so break his fall. He was badly cut and shaken up but not fatally hurt.

The men were brought to Newcastle and sent to Moncton on Boyle's special, arriving there between six and seven Sunday morning.

Sergeant Urquhart died at Moncton hospital early Sunday evening.

The inquest began at Moncton Monday morning. Corporal Thompson, one of the five soldiers who accompanied the injured men back to Moncton, had not seen the fall, did not know whether the men were drinking, and had had no conversation with Sergeant Murray. The evidence of Sergeant Murray has not yet been taken.

Baden now has a system for sending telegrams from trains that is novel and convenient. A passenger wishing to send a message while traveling writes it on a post card, sticks a stamp on it, and drops it into a little mail box. At the next station the telegraph company collects it and probably sends it, if they feel like it.

THREE MONTHS TO CLOSE UP.

Chinese Merchants of Vancouver Given Time to Clear out Their Opium.

OTTAWA, Friday.—In the Senate today on the bill for the suppression of the opium traffic, Hon. Mr. Scott said a communication had been received from Hon. Fred. Peters of British Columbia, stating that Chinese opium merchants complained they would be done an injury if not allowed to dispose of their stocks, which were valued at \$50,000. They had also much more opium on the way to Canada. It was claimed that it would be a hardship on those who had the habit to deprive them of the drug at once and deaths would follow.

They should be allowed to stop gradually. They were given three months to dispose of the stocks.

TRIED TO WRECK TRAIN.

SHOAL LAKE Wednesday.—Some unknown persons made a crude attempt to wreck the Orangemen's excursion train returning from Portage la Prairie at 2 o'clock Saturday morning. Pieces of two-inch planks were laid on the tracks in the yards here, but the wood being soft the engine splintered it. An investigation is proceeding.

dia, Spring Hill Warren 3 3 3.
Anita, B. M. by Bonny F. Boutillier Halifax, Boutillier, 4 4 4.
Time: 2.26 1-2; 2.29 3-4; 2.25 1-2.
2.15 trot, 2.18 pace purse \$300—Laura Merrill, 2.17 1-2, B. M. F. Duncan-on Fairville, Collins, 1 1 4 5 2.
Peacharina 2.18 1-2, B. L. M. P. Carroll, Halifax, Carroll 2 2 1 4.
Estille Boy 2.16 1-2, B. G. by Potentia, Spring Hill, Warren, 3 4 1 2 3.
Brownelle 2.18 1-4 B. M. by Brown Hal Pine Tree stable, Lewiston Me. Hayden, 4 5 3 1.
Guy F. 2.19 1-4 Bl. G. M. L. Brison, West Newton, Mass. Ireland, 5 5 5 4 4.
Major Wilkes 2.1 1-4 Bg. by Nelson F. Boutillier, Halifax, Boutillier 6 6 3 6 6.
Time: 2.18 3-4; 2.18; 2.19 1-4; 2.18 3-4.

Officials were Frank J. Power, Halifax, started; Judges, Dr. W. A. Ferguson, Wm. Wilson, F. J. Powers. Timers, Geo. B. Willett, J. R. Lumy Amherst; Dodd Dwyer Pictou. A number of horses were drawn today, including several American stables representatives. Miss Capy is out of the free-for-all tomorrow on account of an injury and it is also said that Gloria and Brownelle will not be started on this event.

CHEAP SUPPLY

WOOD PULP.

Japanese Have Discovered how to Make Paper From Buckwheat Straw

(Toronto Globe.)

It is of great practical interest that simultaneous with these researches the Japanese have discovered a method of making an excellent pulp from the fibre of buckwheat straw. This pulp is said to be an improvement on that made from spruce. Experiments have shown that a mixture of buckwheat straw fibre improves the quality of spruce paper, and also, that in Japan the buckwheat pulp can be produced for little more than half the cost of wood pulp. This discovery may effect as great a revolution in paper-making as that which followed the adoption of spruce wood fibre. The supply of buckwheat straw is inexhaustible, and may be varied from year to year in accordance with the demand. It may not be profitable to substitute the new material for spruce wood in Canada, the country of vast spruce forests, but it will be satisfactory to reflect that as the exhaustion of the spruce approaches within measurable distance another fibre can be cultivated and an immediate crop secured to meet the demand. The Japanese experiment has not yet been put to a practical test under western industrial conditions, but its success would relieve immediate anxiety as to the exhaustion of paper making material.

A ROOFING THAT NEEDS NO PAINTING

Labor saving devices are constantly being discovered, and one of the most important for farmers has been the development of a new type of roofing which does not require continual painting to keep it tight.

The leader in this new development is Amattite Roofing, which has a surface of real mineral matter. The pitch in which this mineral is imbedded is so adhesive that the mineral surface will not wash off.

After an Amattite Roof is laid there is nothing more to do to it. It is not necessary to look after it each year for painting or patching, and all the labor and cost of coating the roof is done away with.

The manufacturers of Amattite are glad to show samples of their materials, and these may be obtained by a postal card request addressed to the nearest office of the Carrite-Paterson Mfg. Co., Ltd., St. John, N. B., Halifax, N. S.

NO PROTECTION FOR WOMEN.

(St. John Times.)
A sympathetic woman was petting a child of four years—a little girl intelligent beyond her years. Under the kindly influence the child became confiding, and said to her new friend: "My mamma's heart is broke."

Asked what she meant by so strange a remark, the little one replied:—
"Oh, my papa gets drunk, and it breaks mamma's heart. And, with a burst of tears,—he's breaking mine too."

This child knew nothing of heart-break, but she had seen her mother's misery.

Only a day or two later the mother came to the same sympathetic woman and in the course of conversation said:—

"Sometimes I feel that life is not worth living. Here I have toiled and struggled to get a sewing machine, and just when I got it paid for, my husband took it out and sold it for a few dollars to get liquor."

This happened in St. John not many days ago. There is no society in St. John for the protection of women and children.

Stop That Cold

To check early colds or Grippe with "Preventics" means sure relief for Fluoritis. To stop a cold with Preventics is safer than to let it run and be obliged to cure it afterwards. To be sure, Preventics will cure even a deeply seated cold, but taken early—at the onset stage—they break, or head off those early colds. That's surely better. That's why they are called Preventics.

Preventics are little Candy Cold Cures. No Quinine, no physic, nothing sickening. Nice for the children—and thoroughly safe too. If you feel chilly, if you sneeze, if you ache all over, think of Preventics. Promptness may also save half your usual sickness. And don't forget your child. If there is feverishness, shivering, or day, Heron probably has Preventics' greatest efficiency. Sold in 25 boxes for the pocket, also in 25 boxes of 48 Preventics. Insist on your druggists giving you

Preventics
Lax-ets 5 C Sweet to Eat
A Candy Cold Cure
"ALL DEALERS"

REGULAR MEETING
TOWN COUNCIL

Prospects of Electric Light System Being Extended to Douglas-town in Near Future.

BILLS PASSED.

Deputation Wait on Council in Connection With Question of Special Licenses.

Newcastle Town Council met Thursday evening. Mayor Miller in the chair. Aldermen Belyea, Doyle, Falconer, Ferguson, Morrissey, Shaw and Russell were present.

Communication from Union of Canadian Municipalities asking payment of the annual affiliation fee of \$15.00, was ordered placed on file.

Request of James McKinnon that his poll tax for years since 1903 be refunded, because he was over sixty years old, was referred to Petitions Committee.

On recommendation of Finance Committee, George Stables' bill of \$30.86 was ordered paid.

On recommendation of Police and Appointment to Office Committee, following bills were ordered paid:

Stothart Mercantile Co.,	\$18.30
George Stables,	1.30
Advocate Pub. Co.,	6.00
	\$25.60

The recommendation that new uniforms be supplied the policeman was rejected.

The semi-annual report of the Police Magistrate showed a balance of \$60.00 coming to the Town. It was referred back to Police Committee.

The Park and Fire Committee reported in favor of:—

(1) Addition of four men to Fire Company.
(2) That more ladders be secured.
(3) That the old hose reels be replaced by hose waggons.

(4) That the old fire bell be conveniently placed down town.
(5) That electric bells be placed connecting Power House with fire station and the chief's house.

Sec. 1 was adopted.

Sec. 2 was adopted, the number of ladders to be subject to approval of Park and Fire Committee.

Sec. 3 was rejected.

Sec. 4 was referred back to Committee for them to determine where the bell should be placed.

Sec. 5 was adopted.

On recommendation of Light and Water Committee, the following bills were ordered paid:

Stothart Mercantile Co.,	\$125.00
Canada Foundry Co.,	40.70
Canada General Electric Co.,	44.70
Intercolonial Coal Mining Co.,	54.08
Canadian Fairbanks Co.,	21.84
T. McAvity & Son	108.25
	\$402.37

The Bye laws and Petitions Committee reported that:

(1) Taxes of Henry McKay for 1903-1906 be remitted, as he was not then a resident of Newcastle.

(2) That the petitions of Mrs. Mary Ellen Beynon and No Surrender L. O. L. be returned to the petitioners and the latter referred to the assessors for consideration.

Report was adopted.

The account of Stothart Mercantile Co. of \$21.30 for goods supplied to Public Works Committee was ordered paid.

In answer to Ald. Doyle, it was explained that employees of the Power House were not directed to repair lighting apparatus in private houses or stores.

Ald. Falconer gave notice that at next meeting he would introduce an amendment to section 3 of the By-law relating to running at large of cattle and fowls, such amendment to cover fees or sums paid to hogreaves or other persons taking up or delivering to the pound keeper, and to read that such fees shall be paid to the pound keeper for use of the town.

The Light and Water Committee were authorized to extend the light to Douglastown providing that bonds for \$2,000 can be sold at figure recently offered the Mayor.

A deputation consisting of W. J. Dunn, W. M. Copp and Thos. Murphy complained to the Council about the severity of the \$5.00 fee exacted from them for privilege of doing business in booths on Circus Day. The matter was left with the Petitions Committee.

Adjourned.

CLARK'S LUNCH TONGUE.
Open the tin—serve and enjoy it—makes a perfect sandwich.

HOW WU FIGHTS OFF AGE.

Boston Man Who Wants to Be 200 Gets the Diplomat's Receipt.

Wu Ting Fang, Chinese minister to the United States, recently made the statement that he had discovered the secret of longevity, mentioning a period of 200 years to which he might live through a system of diet.

He volunteered to give his system to anyone who wished to know it, and a Boston man who sent him an enquiry has received from the Chinese legation at Washington the following plan of daily procedure:

"In answer to your letter requesting my plan of diet, I have to say as follows, (1) I have given up my breakfast, taking two meals a day, lunch and dinner; (2) abstain from all flesh food; my diet is rice, or, when I go out to dinner, whole wheat bread, fresh vegetables, nuts and fruit; (3) I avoid all coffee, cocoa, tea, liquors, condiments and all rich foods; (4) I have given up salt also, because it is found that salt makes one's bones stiff; (5) I masticate every mouthful of food thoroughly before it is swallowed; (6) I don't drink at meals, but between meals or one hour after meals; (7) I practice deep breathing. (8) I take moderate exercise.

"Wu Ting Fang."

Get my "Book No. 4 For Women." It will give weak women many valuable suggestions of relief—and with strictly confidential medical advice is entirely free. Simply write Dr. Shoop, Racine, Wis. The book No. 4 tells all about Dr. Shoop's Night Cure and how these soothing, healing antiseptic suppositories can be successfully applied to correct these weaknesses. Write for the book. The Night Cure is sold by All Dealers.

PREPARING A BOMB

I sat next to the nervous little man in the car, and after he had grinned and chuckled and taken out a pad and written on it several times I made bold to ask him the cause of his agitation.

"Preparing a bomb!" he hoarsely whispered in my left ear.

"But you don't look like an anarchist."

"I'm not."

"But this bomb?"

"It's a political—a national bomb."

"Oh, I see. You are going to blow the United States up theoretically?"

"Blow everything sky high, and higher, too," he whispered, with a wink.

"Will you let me in on the ground floor?"

"I will. Taft, Foraker, Bryan, Hughes and others want to be president."

"I understand."

"Harriman and Fish are squabbling."

"Yes."

"The Thomases are under indictment."

"True."

"The Heinzes are out of it, and Rockefeller and Rogers on the run?"

"I see."

"The country has its attention on these things and has forgotten the greater. In about a week I shall suddenly come out and ask—"

"Yes, yes."

"What has—"

"Become of—"

"The Panama—"

"Ca-na-l!"

WOMAN SUFFRAGE.

(St. John Evening Times.)

Friends of woman suffrage will derive much satisfaction from a recent statement made by the Hon. J. H. Carruthers, ex-premier of New South Wales. A summary of his remarks says:—

"In his view, judging from the result of the elections, in which they have participated, women are more conservative than men. But he does not use the term 'conservative' in its political meaning, but relatively to the situation in New South Wales, where, he says, the opposing parties are Liberals and Labor Socialists. Many of the women voters closely in touch with the Labor-Socialists supported the Liberal party on account of the liquor law and other social reforms.

While he notes that as a general rule the Women voted very largely as the men did, he says there is a tendency for the women to view questions from rather a wider outlook. She has the problem of the home and its economy to face and consequently she is more inclined to vote for principles which are embodied in measures of social reform than the men, who are often carried away by mere faction cries. Taken all over, Mr. Carruthers thinks there is less opposition to women suffrage now in Australia than ever before, and that the reality has not been so dreadful as the anticipation.

CHEAPER SCHOOL BOOKS COMING.

Geographies, Readers and Scribblers Reduced Over One Third in Price.

The first shipment of school books for use in the schools of New Brunswick, and which will be sold under the vending arrangement made by the Provincial Government so as to save the people about 40 per cent. on the actual cost of the books, will arrive shortly.

The shipment consists of a carload of scribblers and 33 cases of text books. Provincial Sec'y. Flemming spent considerable time arranging matters in connection with the distribution of the books.

When vendors are appointed the Provincial Secretary sends to each a requisition form which is filled in and returned to his office. If the order is upwards of \$75 it is shipped direct from the publishers to the vendor, otherwise the order is shipped to the Provincial Secretary and distributed to the vendor from there.

The first orders for direct shipment to the vendors have been mailed to Gage & Company at Toronto, who have the contract, by Hon. Mr. Flemming. There were twelve of these orders. All the scribblers will be distributed from Fredericton.

It is said that Hon. Mr. Flemming and the members of the government are now arranging for the vending of other books than those now on the list. Some others will be placed on the list at the end of the next school term and others at the end of the next school year.

The vendors under the present arrangements will receive 10 p. c. profit on all books handled.

THE ACTUAL SAVINGS SHOWN.

The following list shows the books to be handled by the vendors, with the old and new prices:

Book	New price	Old Price
Scribblers,	3	5
1st Primer,	3	5
2nd Primer,	7	10
1st Reader,	12	20
2nd Reader,	18	30
3rd Reader,	25	40
4th Reader,	30	50
5th Reader,	40	60
Geography,	55	80

WIRE WOUNDS.

My mare, a very valuable one, was badly bruised and cut by being caught in a wire fence. Some of the wounds would not heal, although I tried many different medicines. Dr. Bell advised me to use MINARD'S LINIMENT, diluted at first, then stronger as the sores began to look better, until after three weeks, the sores have healed and best of all the hair is growing well, and is NOT WHITE as is most always the case in horse wounds.

F. M. DOUCET.

Weymouth.

SOOTHING SYRUPS TO BE CUT OUT.

Children to be Saved from Deleterious Effects of Medicines Containing Opium.

In the Senate Wednesday morning on motion for the second reading of the patent medicine bill, Senator Roy gave notice of an amendment declaring that no patent medicine containing opium or any of its derivatives should be sold. From his medical experience he would say that more children were killed by patent medicines loaded with opium or morphine than were killed by any disease. It was a terrible thing to see a mother giving a child a mixture which caused the death or physical ruin of the child.

The taste for drugs was often begun in childhood. Importation, manufacture and sale of opium in Canada was being prohibited, but the prohibition would amount to nothing if the patent medicines he referred to were not also prohibited. Parliament was forbidding cigarettes to 16 year old boys and he thought it only reasonable that it should prohibit opium and morphine to infants. The bill was given its second reading.

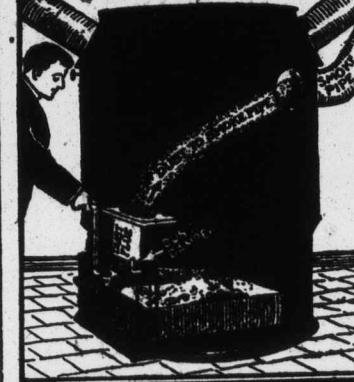
ABSINTHE MUST GO

The national referendum on the question of banning the manufacture and sale of absinthe in Switzerland has resulted in a majority of more than 80,000 in favor of the prohibition.

The most famous brands of absinthe are made in this country, whence the liquor is largely exported. The increasing home consumption has been the subject of crusades similar to those carried on in France. Prohibition will involve a big loss of revenue to the government.

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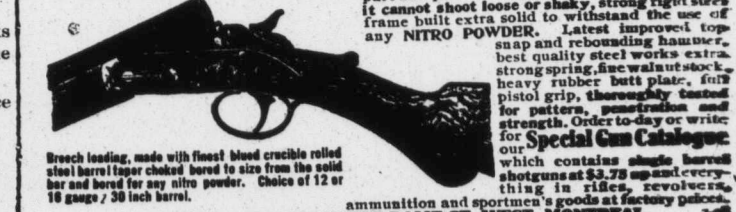
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NOTABLE EVENT IN SHIPPING.

First Steel Vessel Built in Maritime Provinces Launched Last Week.

On Monday, last week, the schooner James William, the first steel vessel built in the Maritime Provinces, was launched at New Glasgow, N. S. The new vessel's tonnage will be about 500. Her measurements are:

Length of keel, 138 feet.
 Length overall, 146 feet.
 Breadth, 34 feet.
 Depth of hold, 14.6 feet.

The hull is constructed of steel. Some of the plates were made in New Glasgow but those beyond the capacity of the steel works were imported from Great Britain. All were bent, cut, drilled and punched in the local shops. The angles used to form the frame are of Cape Breton steel, rolled in New Glasgow mills and fashioned by New Glasgow workmen. The rivetting, drilling, chipping and caulking was done by pneumatic tools and the sharp burr of the pneumatic riveter in the ship yard has now become a familiar sound.

The houses and deck are of wood, and the work in connection with this was in charge of John P. Fraser, who learned his trade in the yard in the old days of wooden ships.

The lower spars are of Oregon pine while the top masts and small spars are of native spruce. The heights are: Foremast, 124 feet; Mainmast, 125 feet; Mizzenmast, 120 feet. Fore boom, 39 feet; Main boom, 49 feet; Spanker boom, 58 feet. The bow sprit is of steel, is in one piece, and measures 42 feet on the outside from the knighthead. This work was also done in the shops of I. Matherson & Co.

As such as possible of the schooner and her equipment was produced in Nova Scotia. The rivets were all made in Dartmouth and the rope for the rigging all came from the same town. The sails were made in Yarmouth, and all the workmen about her were Nova Scotians.

Husband and Son Cured.

A Mother's Praise of Zam-Buk.

Oakwood, Victoria.

Dear Sirs,—I have great pleasure in stating that Zam-Buk cured my husband of barber's rash with twice rubbing. It also cured my little boy of a dreadfully bad arm-ache vaccination. I know of several other cures it has effected and I cannot speak too highly of it. I am sure if people once try it they will always use it.

Yours truly, B. Saville.
 Zam-Buk is healing, soothing and antiseptic. It quickly heals wounds and skin troubles. Certain cure for piles. Sold by all druggists and stores 50c. a box, 3 for \$1.25.

GOVERNMENT WILL REBUILD

The rebuilding of Quebec bridge will be undertaken by the Dominion Government, as embodied in a resolution and act of parliament, by which this work is to be brought under the supervision of the transcontinental railway commission and to be carried through to completion with as little delay as possible as a link in the transcontinental lines.

For sixteen years the name "Salada" has stood for the maximum of quality, purity and flavor in blended Ceylon Teas, so that the only thing you need to look out for is the "Salada" label on every package of tea you buy.

KENT WELL LOOKED AFTER.

(Richibucto Review.)

Hon. O. J. LeBlanc has been looking well to the interests of the County of Kent. The supplementary estimates contain grants for the following named public works in this County:

Barrington Channel, \$1800
 Chockpink Breakwater, 1500
 Kouchibougué Harbor improvements, 2500
 Richibucto Harbor, 4500
 Richibucto Cape Breakwater, 5000
 Richibucto Warf, additional, 7000

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Allows Everyone to Try Out These Wonderful Fruit Juice Tablets at a Cost of Only Twenty-five Cents.

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During this time hundreds of people have been asking for a 25c. box to try. They have heard of "Fruit-a-tives" and of the benefit it is giving to thousands, but some people hesitate to pay 50c. just to try a remedy that is new to them.

It has been found, too, that many would like to carry a box of "Fruit-a-tives" in their pocket, so as to have them handy for regular use, and the 50c. box is too large for that.

To meet these needs we have put out a new 25c. trial size—a neat, compact little box that can easily be carried in the vest-pocket, and which contains tablets enough to last two or three weeks—long enough to find out that "Fruit-a-tives" is the best remedy of the kind in the world.

There is now no reason why every person in Canada who suffers from Constipation, Biliousness, Kidney or Liver Trouble, Rheumatism, Sciatica, Neuralgia, Skin Diseases, Indigestion, Dyspepsia or Headache should not try "Fruit-a-tives" and get quick relief and eventually a complete cure. "Fruit-a-tives" are concentrated Fruit Juice Tablets. 25c. is all it costs to test the value of the most successful medicine ever produced in Canada.

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THE BALANCE SHEET.

Not as an answer to its critics, or with the hope of satisfying the constant persistent demand for lower rates, but just as a matter of news, the interesting fact has been given out that the Grand Trunk has, within the past few years, expended \$15,000,000, in double tracking the main line from Montreal to Chicago, that they have now over a thousand miles of double line—the longest continuous double track under one management in the world.

At the same time they have been laying down 80 pound steel where in former days there was 65 and 72 pound rails. And now, having set a new and heavier standard, they are replacing the 80 pound steel with new rails weighing 100 pounds to the yard. In other ways they are bringing the system up to a standard which will make it, in all respects, a first-class railway. Every new bridge put in is made to carry the heaviest load.

Much of this money finds its way back to the pockets of the people, for the work is done largely in Canada, and the materials entering into the work, are largely the products of Canadian mills and Canadian hands.

And all over the vast system, from Niagara on the south, North Bay at the north—from Portland to Chicago, they are building new shops, round houses, stations and other buildings. In the double track alone the company have provided additional safety that no mere block system could secure. No doubt as business justifies, other lines will be double tracked, especially the lines leading down from the Great Lakes, the outlet for the wheat of the Northwest.

Heat prostrates the nerves. In the summer one needs a tonic to offset the customary hot weather Nerve and Strength depression. You will feel better within 48 hours after beginning to take such a remedy as Dr. Shoop's Restorative. Its prompt action in restoring the weakened nerves is surprising. Of course, you won't get entirely strong in a few days, but each day you actually feel the improvement. That tired, listless, spiritless feeling will quickly depart when using the Restorative. Dr. Shoop's Restorative will sharpen a failing appetite; it aids digestion; it strengthens the weakened kidneys and heart by simply rebuilding the worn-out nerves that these organs depend upon. Test it a few days and be convinced. Sold by all Dealers.

MORE GOLD.

Reports have reached Vancouver of a rich gold strike on the upper reaches of the Chilliwack river. The original discoverer, a Seattle man, is reported to have taken out \$12,000 in a few days. Several days ago the prospector came down the river, bringing a handful of nuggets. A rush followed. The place of the strike has long figured in stories of rich placer grounds. Early pioneers found it inaccessible as hostile Indians looked upon the ground as sacred to the spirits. The d. parted.



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OBITUARY

THOMAS FLANAGAN.

The death occurred at Chatham, July 15th of Thomas Flanagan, for over twenty years proprietor of the Adams House, and one of the most widely known hotel men on the North Shore. Mr. Flanagan was the son of the late Martin Flanagan, and was born 58 years ago at the half way house, midway between Chatham and Richibucto. In 1885 he bought the Adams House. In 1889 he married Miss Alice Henry, daughter of the late John Henry. One child, Lillian, survives this marriage. Mr. Flanagan is also survived by four brothers: Martin at Richibucto, James in Moncton, John in St. Margarets, and Roger of Chatham, and two sisters, Mrs. John Sutton of Moncton and Mrs. Thomas Keating of Chatham. The funeral was held Friday morning at 9:30 from the Cathedral, and interment in St. Michael's cemetery.

MRS. MARY A. VYE.

Mrs. Mary A. Vye passed away at her home, Nelson, on Monday, July 13th. About one and a half years ago Mrs. Vye had a stroke of paralysis, but was improving considerably until recently when she had the second stroke, which caused her death. Deceased leaves five daughters and one son, five of whom are living in the United States, only one daughter remaining at home. Mrs. Vye was sixty-three years of age, and was beloved by all who knew her.

The funeral took place Wednesday afternoon at St. Paul's cemetery, and was largely attended. Services were conducted at St. Mary's Church and at the grave by the Rev. T. H. Cuthbert. The pall bearers were Messrs. Geo. Hubbard, G. A. Flett, A. Bateman, Allan Flett, Ed. Vye and W. Shamahan.

Hon. John Morrissey returned to Fredericton last week from a trip through Queens county, where he was inspecting roads, which he says he found in very bad shape.

The following officers for Bay du vin Division S. of T. No. 443, have been installed: James G. Williston, W. P.; Jennie Noble, W. A.; Mrs. Barber Williston, R. S.; Annetta Smith, A. R. S.; Barbara Williston, Treas. Mrs. B. Smith, Chap.; Carrie Williston, F. S.; Gertie Williston, Con.; Addie Williston, A. C.; Wm. Dutcher, I. S.; Elmer McLeod, O. S.; Mrs. F. B. Williston, S. Y. P. W.

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IN MEMORY OF ALFRED HOVEY.

Gone! And the world to go on as before; Gone with a smile from the old homestead door. Dear faithful heart to come back never more.

Oh sad nevermore! Gone! And the seasons will still come and go, Wreathing his grave in blossoms and snow.

Snow on the bosom that sheltered us so— Cruel and pitiless snow. Home is not home for father's not there; Dark is his room and empty his chair: Now will he rest from his labor and care.

Until that morning so fair. Of the dear eyes grew dim from sad tears, Guiding our untried feet throughout the years, Planning our future with hopes and with fears.

Drying our swift-falling tears. Sleep, father, sleep, with your hands on your breast; Poor weary hands they needed their rest: Well have we loved you, but God loved you best: 'Tis thy God giveth thee rest.

His numbered years were sixty-four. And on earth he'll toil no more. His blessed Savior called him home. To that bright eternal shore.

Ludlow, July 6th, 1908.

SPEAKING WITHOUT WIRES.

"One of the longest strides towards placing experimental wireless telephony on a commercial basis was made the other day when short messages were transmitted from Newark and received at the Singer building in New York, a distance of twelve miles. A. Frederick Collins, the inventor of the new wireless system, declared himself delighted with the experiments, which will be continued and widened in scope. For the tests only one receiver and one transmitter were used. The transmitter was at Newark and the receiver at the Singer building. At intervals of a quarter of an hour short messages were sent over the wire, but under the circumstances answers could not be given. Attempts will be made shortly to develop the system by the use of kites flown at Congers, N. Y., where inventor Collins lives. The kites will support a wire, just as the Singer building tower supports one, and an effort will be made to send messages in both directions. The Newark-New York messages were sent between three phosphor-bronze wires strung horizontally from the Collins' laboratory at 54 Clinton St., Newark, and a thin aluminum wire running vertically from the top of the flagstaff on the Singer building to an office on the twenty-fifth floor. There the receiving instrument was easily grounded through the copper sheathing of the building. At the New York end many electrical shocks were received that were believed to have come from wireless telegraphy instruments. In spite of these interferences the messages from Newark were easily distinguished. The transmitter and receiver are practically the same as those used on the commercial instruments, but instead of the low current required in ordinary use, an initial voltage of 500 is 'stepped up' to 5,000 in order to protect the sound waves through space.

THANKSGIVING DAY.

Thanksgiving Day will be observed on a Monday this year instead of Thursday as formerly. Sir Wilfrid Laurier made the announcement in the House Wednesday, in reply to a question by Mr. Kemp. The latter said the commercial travellers' association particularly had urged that the change should be made. The Prime Minister said the association named had made strong representations to him and had been officially informed that the change would be made.

Ole Larsen, the popular photographer is building a new residence on Prince William Street. The house will be 22x26, with an ell 20x14, one and a half story.

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Lost

WOMEN'S HAND PURSE, some where between McEachern's Millinery Store Nelson, and St. Paul's church Chatham Head. It contained 4 ten-dollar bills, 3 fives and a two—\$57. In all also a white handkerchief. Finder will be liberally rewarded on leaving it at JAMES HARRIGAN'S, Chatham, N. B. Or at ADVOCATE OFFICE, No. 40 11.

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 " 88. Mixed for Moncton, 14.25
 " 60. Mixed for Derby Jet, 16.35

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NEWCASTLE, JULY 22nd, 1908.

SCHOOL BOOKS.

The cheapening of some of the
school books and their sale by the
government through agents who
receive only ten per cent. on their
sales, is a vast improvement upon the
old system, although not yet up to the
standard of free texts promised by
the late government. It would be a
great saving if, instead of having to
purchase the books from Gage & Co.,
in the first place, the province, or
several provinces in union, or the
Dominion government, would do the
printing, taking the business entirely
out of the hands of private parties.

THE CANADA TEMPERANCE

ACT AMENDED.
The House of Commons, on the
18th instant, passed the Senate's
Amendment to the Canada Temperance
Act. When the Act is enforced
no liquor except for individual use
can be legally shipped from any part
of Canada into a County in which the
Canada Temperance Act is in force.
It appears however, that any individ-
ual or group of individuals may
import into a Scott Act County any
amount of liquor for his or their own
use provided the liquor is paid for in
advance. The officers of the law
must still keep busy seeing that this
liquor for private use is not sold to
others.

THE STUMPAGE.

The Local Government has increased
stumpage rates as follows: Hem-
lock, from 40 cents to \$1.25 a
thousand feet; Fir, 80 cents to \$1.25;
and Hardwood, 80 cents to \$1.25;
also on railway ties, from 2 1/2 to 5
cents apiece.

This increase is just enough. Our
lumber lands are the most valuable
asset of the province, and they should
be made yield a higher revenue than
they have hitherto done.

The main thing about stumpage,
however, is not so much the rate
charged as the fidelity with which the
officers of the crown scale the lumber
cut and collect the dues. Several
members of the present government
party intimated, while in opposition,
that the whole of the stumpage was
not being paid into the provincial
treasury. Next year's report will
show whether the new administration
will be able to do any better. The
public should hold them strictly to
their pledges.

GROWING DEMAND

FOR PROHIBITION.

The Local Government did not act
on the suggestion of Kent-Northum-
berland District Division, Sons of
Temperance, passed by that body on
May 7th last and forwarded to the
Provincial Secretary, that a referen-
dum on Provincial Prohibition be
taken before next session of the leg-
islature. On the 8th instant, the
action of the Kent and Northumber-
land Sons of Temperance was
unanimously endorsed and reiterated
by the I. O. G. T. Grand Lodge of
New Brunswick, a body representing
six times as many members as that
which petitioned for the referendum
two months previously. If the Gov-
ernment needs any more to awaken
it, the New Brunswick Temperance
Federation in September and the
Sons of Temperance Grand Division
in November may be counted upon
to each do its share in producing the
desired effect. The provincial rulers
may find that temperance sentiment
in this province cannot safely be
ignored much longer.

LANDLORDISM.

A few days ago, a Montreal land-
lord seized the furniture of a family
who were twenty-five days behind
with their rent. He took everything,
leaving neither chair nor bed. The
fact that the lady of the house had
three children under five years of age

and a husband in the last stages of
consumption had no softening effect
upon the owner, who exacted his
pound of flesh.

It will be seen that Ireland is not
the only place where tenants have a
hard time. In fact, landlordism is
the same the world over; and it is
time its power was checked. What
the Montreal Skylock did was ac-
complished legally, and therefore not
only he, but those who framed the
law governing landlord and tenant
and those who acquiesce in such laws
must bear the responsibility. It is
the duty of the public, represented by
the government, to see that each per-
son has equal opportunity in the
struggle for existence. Tenants and
small proprietors are in the majority
and it is up to them to see that the
laws are so changed that such dis-
graceful incidents as that mentioned
above are no longer possible.

ANOTHER CHANGE
OF THE MAP.

Quebec, Ontario and Manitoba
have fallen heirs to a great extent of
territory lying north of their former
frontiers. The larger, but (unless
unsuspected mineral wealth is dis-
covered) the least valuable section,
goes to Quebec, that province getting
all of Ungava, which stretches north-
ward to Hudson Strait and eastward
to the disputed western boundary of
the Labrador territory of Newfoundland.
In Keewatin, a line is drawn
from the north-eastern corner of
Manitoba to where the 89th meridian
west of Greenwich intersects Hudson
Bay. All north-west of that line and
northwards to the 60th parallel is
added to Manitoba, giving that pro-
vince the valleys of the Nelson and
Churchill and control of Fort
Churchill the only good harbor on the
western shore of Hudson Bay. The
southern, and hence the more val-
uable portion of Keewatin, goes to
Ontario.

There can be no fault found with
the annexation of Ungava to Quebec,
nor with the enlargement of Mani-
toba. But Ontario was not entitled
to any increase. Although smaller
than Quebec, Ontario's area was
capable of supporting a larger popu-
lation than that of Quebec either
before or since the extension of that
province to Hudson Strait. And had
all of Keewatin been added to Mani-
toba, the latter would still have been,
while a little larger in size, quite a
bit poorer than Ontario in all that
goes to make up a habitable country.
Ontario was doubled in area some
years ago; and all of what she has
now received should, in justice, have
gone to Manitoba.

REPRESENTATION
AT OTTAWA.

The old and foolish cry that the
Maritime Provinces are unfairly dealt
with in the matter of representation
at Ottawa was raised again last week,
when additional territory was voted
to the provinces of Quebec, Ontario
and Manitoba. No matter how big
or how populous Quebec may become,
no other province will thereby lose
any political influence that rightly
belongs to it. Quebec's representation
in the House of Commons is fixed at
65, and all other provinces are repre-
sented in the proportion in which
their population stands to that of
Quebec. If a section of Canada
increases in population more rapidly
than does Quebec, then its repre-
sentation at Ottawa gains on that of
Quebec. If, as the Maritime Pro-
vinces have unfortunately done the
last two decades, another section
increases less rapidly than Quebec,
then that section loses in influence at
Ottawa, and very properly so. The
unit of representation since 1901 has
been about 25,000 people. Anyone
who claims that 25,000 people in the
Maritime Provinces should have
greater weight in the government of
Canada than any 25,000 in any
province further west, merely makes
himself ridiculous. If representation
by population is not a fair basis for
confederation, it would be hard to
find a better.

The Maritime Provinces might in-
crease their influence somewhat by
combining into one province. They
could, in all probability, by working
together secure a tunnel under North-
umberland Strait. In any case there
would be much saved by doing away
with two of the three legislatures and
the extra officials necessitated by
these bodies.

THE MINERS VINDICATED.

Steve Adams, the last of the West-
ern Federation of Miners held on
charges of murder arising out of the
Rocky Mountain labor troubles, was
acquitted by Judge Schackelford at
Grand Junction, Colorado, on the
15th instant. Adams proved an
alibi. Thus ends, for the present,
the attempt of the Colorado, Idaho
and United States governments to
rid themselves of labor agitators and
disrupt the famous federation. Though
all the governmental machinery of
the country was against them, every
one of the Union officials was proved
innocent.

Alfred Horsley, alias Harry Or-
chard, who confessed that he, him-
self, had murdered Ex-Governor
Steuernberg and many others, but
also swore that he had done so at
the instigation of the Western Fed-
eration of Miners, utterly failed to
gain the reputation of anyone but
himself. When his own time came
for trial he was, of course, found
guilty and condemned to death, but,
as was expected all along, the death
sentence has not been carried out.
Though proved to be one of the most
atrocious criminals of modern times,
the United States authorities repay
his services by commuting his sen-
tence to life imprisonment, which in
Horsley's case means nothing worse
than not being allowed to leave the
prison premises. Ever since his in-
carceration over two years ago he has
been treated like the most honored
guest of the government rather than
as a criminal, and his good fortune
will, doubtless, continue. Had the
"Undesirable Citizens," who because
of the justice of their case had to be
liberated, been convicted they would
certainly have received the full pen-
alty of the law. Great is Justice in
the United States.

THE PEOPLE SUPREME

IN OREGON.

By popular vote, last month, the
State of Oregon adopted legislation
more radical than had ever before
been enacted in the United States of
America. One of the amendments to
the State Constitution provides that a
petition signed by one-quarter of the
State's voters shall cause a special
election to be called for the removal
or retention of any official with which
the petitioners are dissatisfied. No
elected official, from the lowest rank
up to Governor, is exempt. If the
official receives a majority of the
votes on the referendum, he stays
in office. Otherwise, his political
career is finished for at least the
current term. He may resign, if he
chooses, within five days; but if he
does not, a special election must take
place within twenty days to decide
his fate. On the ballot the accused
and his opponents are each given a
maximum of two hundred words in
which to state their case.

The effect of this amendment will
be watched with much interest.
Hitherto politicians have generally
been pretty careless about keeping
their promises. They knew that
when once elected they were safe for
their term—that, whatever they did
so long as they avoided conviction in
a criminal court, the people could not
turn them out until the time came
for a new election. And a dishonest
man could, while in office one term,
so feather his nest that he need not
care whether he was re-elected or
not. Now, in Oregon, a public ser-
vant must walk pretty straight—or
at least sufficiently straight to suit
the majority of the electors—or the
end of his term will come in advance
of the scheduled time.

With Direct Legislation already
established, and this new amend-
ment in force, the will of the majority
in Oregon should henceforth be able
to make itself promptly felt. The
State will, however, still be subject to
decisions of the United States Su-
preme Court,—that engine of tyranny
and oppression that has hitherto
blocked the way of any real reform
adopted by State Legislatures.

LETTING THE WOODS

BURN UP.

(Richibucto Review.)
Complaint is made that in several
parts of the province the fire wardens,
recently appointed by the Hazen
government at large salaries, have
absolutely failed in their duties.
Forest fires have within the past few
days burned up and destroyed a large
area of our lumber lands and other
property. Had these officers acted
promptly when the fires broke out it
is claimed this loss could have been
avoided. The opportunity of pre-
venting the damage was allowed to
pass. In most cases these appoint-
ments were made as a reward for
political services and not on the
ground of competency. The province
pays the bills and bears the loss.

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Any Alterations You Wish Free of Charge.

L. B. McMURDO.

Editors' Mail.

Newcastle, July 21, 1908.
TO THE EDITOR OF THE UNION
ADVOCATE.

Dear Sir:—In a late issue of your
paper, I notice that you recom-
mended that the Town Council vote a sum
of money for the purpose of having
hand concerts. Now, Mr. Editor, if
you had proposed that the Council
demand a better enforcement of the
Scott Act in our town you would
have been doing a kinder act not
only for the town in general but also
for the many families in our midst
who suffer from the illegal sale of
liquor.

It is time that the Town Council
and the Scott Act Inspector awake to
a stronger sense of their duty in this
respect.
Yours truly,
Observer.

SHAUGHNESSY'S

CAR BURNED.

OTTAWA, Friday.—A report has
reached here that Sir Thomas Shaugh-
nessy's private car was burned and
that he had a narrow escape.

An old railroad engineer in Kansas
says that he does not think that he
ever made a night run without killing at
least one skunk. Most railroad en-
gineers say that if they go mile after
mile in the dark without running over
one they think they are going to
have an accident.

YANKEES KICKING

LONDON, Friday.—The Olympic
games were rather better attended to-
day. Larned won the final in the ten
mile walk, United States team protest-
ed the tug-of-war because the Brit-
ishers wore specially made shoes.

EARTHQUAKE IN CHILI

TACNA, Chili, Friday.—A terrific
earthquake occurred yesterday in the
provinces of Tacna and Arica, the
southern part of Peru and Bolivia. Con-
siderable destruction of property but
no loss of life is reported.

During recent years the Methodists
and Presbyterians have had more men
in the White House than any other de-
nominations. Grant, Hayes and Mc-
Kinley were Methodists, and Cleve-
land and Harrison Presbyterians. Gar-
field was of the Campbellite and Ar-
thur an Episcopalian.

MORE SILVER IN COBALT

COBALT, Friday.—A rich silver dis-
covery was made on the Neplasing
yesterday. The vein was found by
men trenching. In 100 feet it has
a width of 14 inches, but average width
is 10 inches. It is a mass of calcite
and silver. For a part of the distance
solid metal appears on the surface.

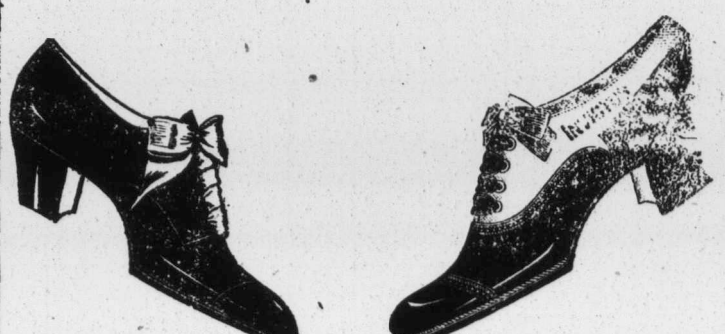
PRINCE WILL

BRING \$50,000.

LONDON, Wednesday.—Viscount
Middleton, Lord Strathcona and the
Lord Mayor of London were a depu-
tation which interviewed the Prince of
Wales in connection with the Quebec
Battlefields fund. The Prince consent-
ed to hand over to Canada the £10,-
000 collected here. Of this sum the
House of Lords contributed £1,700, and
the House of Commons £200. Nine
regiments that served under General
Wolfe, and very boy in Eton, Harvard,
and Winchester schools subscribed.
Sir C. Cust, querry, is ill and will
not go to Quebec.

Harker—"Great Harker, isn't he?"
Barker—"You bet. He can talk in
baseball, college and auto."

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NEW REGULATIONS RE STOCK ENTRIES.

Certificates Now Needed to Insure Free Entry For Pedigreed Stock.

On July 1st there came into effect new regulations regarding the custom entry of animals imported into Canada for the improvement of stock. Heretofore all certificates of registration which were apparently genuine were accepted by custom officers for the purpose of free entry. Under the new regulations either a Canadian certificate of registration or an import certificate as the case may be must be presented.

Canadian certificates of registration must be presented at the Port of Entry for the following classes and breeds: CATTLE: Shorthorn, Ayrshire, Hereford, French Canadian, Galloway, Angus, Jersey, Red Poll, Jersey, Holstein and Guernsey.

HORSES: Clydesdale, Hackney, Percheron, Shire, Thoroughbred, Belgian and French Canadian.

PONIES: Shetland, Welsh, New Forest, Polo and Riding, Exmoor, Connemara and Hackney.

SWINE: Yorkshire, Berkshire, Tanworth, Chester-White, Poland China, Duroc-Jersey, Essex and Victoria.

SHEEP: Shropshire, Lincoln, Oxford Down, Dorset, Southdown, Hampshire and Leicester.

The Canadian records for all above mentioned breeds with the exception of that for Holstein Cattle are conducted under the Canadian National System in the office of the Canadian National Records, Ottawa. The Holstein Record is located at St. George, Ont. In making application for the registration of an imported animal the foreign certificate of registration in addition to the usual application must be forwarded.

There are from time to time animals imported into Canada of breeds for which there are no Canadian Records, but which are recorded in books of records of one of the following recognized foreign associations:

HORSES: Suffolk Horse Society of Great Britain; Cleveland Bay Horse Society of Great Britain and Ireland; Yorkshire Coach Horse Society of Great Britain and Ireland; American Morgan Register Association; American Saddle Horse Breeders' Association; American Trotting Horse Register Association; Commission des Agriculteurs de France French Draft; Commission des Stud Book des Chevaux de Demi-Sang, French Coach; Landwirtschaftlichen Hauptvereins für arbeitsfähige, German Coach; Zuchtverband des Südlichen Zuchtgebietes, German Coach; Verband der Züchter des Oldenburger eleganten Schwestern Kutschperdes, German Coach; Verband der Pferdezüchter in den Holsteinischen Merschem, Oldenburg.

CATTLE: Highland Cattle Society of Scotland; Kerry and Dexter Herd Book Dublin, Ireland; Sussex Herd Book Society, Great Britain; Polled Durham Breeders' Association, United States; National Polled Hereford Breeders' Association, United States.

SWINE: Large Black Pig Society, Great Britain.

SHEEP: Suffolk Sheep Society, Great Britain; Kent and Romney Marsh Sheep Breeders' Association, Great Britain; Cheviot Sheep Society, Great Britain; Wensleydale Long Wool Sheep Breeders' Association, Great Britain; Black Face Sheep Breeders' Association, Great Britain.

GOATS: British Goat Society.

ASSESSES: Societe Centrale d'Agriculture des Deux Seviens, France; Stud Books of Jacks and Jennets of Spain.

To secure free custom entry for an animal so recorded it is necessary to forward to the Canadian National Records, Ottawa, the foreign certificate of registration. The Accountant of the Canadian National Records will return to the importer of the foreign certificate to which will be attached an import certificate which will be authority to the custom officer to admit duty free. A nominal charge will be made by the National Record for this service.

If further information is desired such will be supplied on application to the Accountant National Liv. Stock Records, Ottawa.

EMBARGO ON CANADIAN CATTLE

OTTAWA, Thursday.—It has been practically agreed between the party leaders that the business of the session of parliament shall all be brought to a close this week, but it is still of some extent a matter of doubt whether the prorogation ceremony may or may not have been laid over until Monday. Mr. Borden, the conservative leader, quoted a press dispatch in which premier Asquith was quoted as having stated that if he were convinced that live cattle could be admitted safely, he would be in favor of removing the present cattle embargo. Mr. Borden asked the government to take such steps as would leave the British premier in no doubt on this subject. Sir Wilfrid Laurier replied that nothing could be done more than was already done to demonstrate to the British cabinet that there is nothing to be feared in the Canadian cattle. However if the British premier had made use of the words referred to the Canadian cabinet would be bound to take notice of what had been said and if anything could be done it would be done.

THE PAN-ANGELICAN CONGRESS.

Judge Hanington Gives His Impressions of the Great Gathering.

SOCIALISM

Is Not Anarchy—he says. Nor Will Its Discussions and Influence Result in Anarchy.

Following is the concluding portion of a letter on England and the Pan-Anglican Congress written for the English Edition of the Canadian Gazette, by Judge Hanington of Moncton, ex-premier of New Brunswick, who was the only lay delegate from this province.

"Of the Congress itself and its work it is yet, so far as results go, too early to speak, but it certainly was a grand conception, and is working out both generally and in detail, most satisfactorily to all. In the addresses and discussions which have taken place have been expressed not only the opinions and views of the high dignitaries of the Church at home and in the colonies, as well as of other great countries, but also the views and opinions of the rank and file (so to term them) of the Anglican Communion in all the world. The discussions taking place twice each day in seven sections must be a great educator, and will, with God's blessing we trust, ultimately result in great good. No one who attended the Albert Hall today could fail to be impressed by the fact of that gathering of fully 5,000 representative people assembled to hear discussion of Socialism (so-called) and its relation to Christianity and the Church, and also by the able and impartial manner of the discussion. No doubt much misapprehension was removed on that important subject. My own belief is that Socialism (as the term is often used) does not include anarchy, nor will its discussion and influence result in anarchy, but will, I have no doubt, aid to relieve many miseries now oppressing many of our fellow men. The mass meetings at the Albert Hall of about 10,000 at the discussions each evening are an inspiration not often received.

I will not extend these notes (which are longer than I intended) further than to say that the solemn Service of Intercession in Westminster Abbey Church at the opening of the Congress was almost overwhelming in its impressiveness. Also more memorable was the service in St. Paul's Cathedral on Sunday last, which, as it was held on Sunday, was attended by the Lord Mayor, Sheriffs and Judges of the Courts and Aldermen of the city, with other officials, in their full official robes, and a congregation of worshippers who filled the cathedral to overflowing. One subject of wonder to me is the enormous and crowded congregations which attend the services in all the churches.

D. L. HANINGTON.

Dean's Yard, London, June 22, 1908.

BATHURST.

BATHURST, Friday.—After hearing all the evidence in the Boudreau case the petit jury returned to the jury room and after being out half an hour brought in a verdict of not guilty. On receiving their verdict the prisoner was discharged.

The mail robbery case is before the court today. Inspector Whittier and Contractor Berry were upon the stand this morning.

A pie social held at the Point school house was a decided success. About \$75 was realized.

W. G. Scoville is in town today. Miss Lillian McLean returned from Belledune this morning.

Lone Robber Shot by Conductor

SPOKANE, Wn., Monday.—A lone highwayman attempted to hold up west bound passenger train No. 3 on the Great Northern Railroad near Naples, Idaho. The highwayman got nothing, but fled after exchanging several shots with the crew and passengers of the train.

EARL ROBERTS HAS ARRIVED.

MONTREAL, Friday.—This morning Earl Roberts stepped on Canadian soil for the first time. He was greeted with field marshal's salute and was escorted to the citadel by a detachment of Royal Canadians of which he is honorary colonel. He was received by Earl Grey. Every active officer of importance in the Canadian militia stood at attention at landing stage.

A few words of welcome were exchanged and then "Bobs" stepped into a waiting carriage and the party set off for the citadel.

At the citadel he was met by Earl and Countess Grey and taken directly to rooms. The morning was spent making unofficial inspection of the citadel. At one o'clock luncheon was tendered him by Earl Grey.

19 SURVIVORS OF HUNDREDS.

Remnant of Those Kidnapped
Eighteen Years Ago Restored
to Their Homes.

SAN FRANCISCO, Friday.—Nineteen survivors of several hundred sold into slavery among coffee plantations of Guatemala arrived yesterday. They are free and homeward bound and are travelling as tourists with the government paying their expenses. They were supposed to be contract laborers bound for Guatemala and employed for three years. Ignorant of the language it was easy to keep them on the plantations where they stayed until their plight was made known to the British government, which, however, was not until eighteen years had passed.

PRIZE FOR NAME OF NEW STEAMER.

The Northern Navigation Grand Tour routes announce the launching of a new ship this year, and have offered a prize for a name. She will run between Sarnia, Port Arthur, Fort William and Duluth. It is intended that this steamer will be the largest and finest steamer in the Lake Superior trade, and her interior decorations will be most elaborate and complete.

The following are the conditions to be observed in this contest:—

"Name to consist of one word of not more than ten letters."

"It must end in the line's characteristic termination of 'ic.'"

"It is desired that the name selected have some bearing on the history or geography of the territory she will serve."

"Contestants must give their name and address clearly in sending in their suggestions."

"The decision will be made by an impartial committee appointed for the purpose, from whom the names of the contestants will be withheld."

"The decision will be closed on July 31st and the decision announced by August 10th and a prize to the successful competitor will be given of two round trip tickets including meals and berth from Collingwood or Sarnia to Duluth, available any time during this season or for a trip next year on the new steamer itself."

All communications should be addressed to C. H. Nicholson, Traffic Manager, Northern Navigation Co., Sarnia, and envelopes marked "Name Contest."

SOME PATENT

MEDICINES KILL.

OTTAWA, Friday.—The attention of the Senate today was given to the government bill to regulate the sale of patent medicines. Senator Sullivan expressed the opinion that patent medicines were of two kinds, some of which would do the patient neither good nor harm, but the other class contained some of the most deadly poisons, and most powerful chemical agents known. Plainly, therefore, there were patent medicine manufacturers who had very little conscience and one who had very little conscience.

Sensor Ray, another medical man, asserted that there are thousands of children killed every year by patent medicines. There has been talk of vested interests when his amendment was presented against the indiscriminate sale of preparations containing opium. Thieves and murderers suffered when the criminal code was enacted.

Hon. J. K. Kerr moved that the committee rise without reporting on a bill which would have had the effect of killing the measure. This was rejected, however, by 20 votes to 17, and the committee adjourned to allow of the government being consulted in regard to the proposed change in the bill.

ENGLISH PAPER AGAINST EMBARGO

LONDON, Friday.—The daily mail which is carrying on a vigorous campaign has a pungent leading article in favor of the removal of cattle embargo. It also gives despatches from Canada showing how restriction is resented in the Dominion.

LONDON, Friday.—It is believed the government will not decide regarding the inquiry into the cattle question before the autumn sitting.

Wife Deserter Dies Rich

NEW YORK, Friday.—William Jayne, who died in miserable circumstances, leaving \$25,000 secreted in the walls of a hut near Hampstead last spring was a runaway husband, according to claimants of estate who appeared in Hampstead within a few days. James Jayne, brother of the dead miser, had come from Nova Scotia with documentary evidence of relationship and will make a contest for the estate. Jayne deserted his wife and children before the civil war and never was heard of again until the news of his death and the discovery of \$25,000 was read. His deserted wife and children are still in Nova Scotia.

Next Week Will be a Banner One at Creaghan's Mid-Summer Sale.

Those who have seen and bought at this store during the first week of our sale have been satisfied. Fresh, new goods have been slaughtered. All reduced lower than any other store could think of. Buy now selections are still large and prices lower than ever.

A few Examples of Prices.

15c Muslin for	7 1-2c	65c Dress Goods for	39c
25c Mercerized waisting	12 1-2c	85c Men's Crash Hats	59c each
20c Muslins	12 1-2c	Men's Suits at Cost	
Men's 90c shirts	49c each	100 New Felt Hats	89c each
35c to 75c Men's Caps for	16c each	25c Ribbed Vests	10c each
20c cotton Hose	2 for 25c	\$1.10 Umbrellas for	69c each
25c and 35c gloves for	10c pr.	Curtaining worth 22c for	16c yd
Men's Police Suspenders	19c	\$3.00 Men's Pants for	\$2.20 pr.
1.25 to \$1.50 Men's White Vests	89c		

THESE ARE A FEW OF OUR MANY BARGAINS.

J. D. CREAGHAN COMPANY, LIMITED.

DECLINE IN LUMBER SHIPMENTS.

ST. JOHN, Thursday.—A statement issued by Judge Willich, U. S. Consul here today shows a big falling off in exports through St. John to the United States. In the year ended June 30, 1907, the exports totalled \$2,845,327, while for the year ended last month the amount was \$247,492 less. For the year ended June 30, 1908, the exports to the United States were \$633,334, a falling off of \$1,329,990 as compared with the June quarter last year. The chief decrease is in the shipment of Canadian lumber, laths, etc., these having declined some \$245,000 for the fiscal year.

SLAYER SURRENDERS.

MONTREAL, Thursday.—"Crooked Neck" Smith who is alleged to have killed James Enright, both members of a New York gang of pickpockets, surrendered himself to the police last night after his return from New York where he had fled after the shooting.

Two New Warships for Japan.

TOKIO, Thursday.—Arrangements are progressing for the building of two additional battleships. One will be laid during July and the other before the end of the year. Displacement of these ships will be 20,000 tons, speed 20 knots, armor 12 inches and their principal armament 12 twelve inch guns. Old Fus, which is the second battleship upon Japan, naval list in point of antiquity has been condemned to be come target for gun practise.

"Look here," thundered the captain of the hose company, "why don't you turn out? Brown's barn is on fire."

"I can't," responded the deaf fireman.

"And why not?"

"Because I have just discovered that a red shirt does not suit my complexion."

Kind Lady—And you always go bare footed during the month of June, my poor man?

Sandy Sam—I have to mum. People use up all the old shoes throwing at June weddings.

Scientific Girl—She doesn't pay much attention to thought waves, does she?

Her chum—No; she is only interested in marcel waves.

"I dreamed I dwelled in marble halls—"

She hit him at the start;

"Don't sing such mush as that! I mean—"

"Or I'll give you the marble heart."

Marked inactivity in the furnace market.

According to Mr. Haldane's figures the annual cost of the British and German armies respectively is \$245,000,000 and \$270,000,000.

While planting flowers on his father's grave at Dorking G. B. a young man named Charles Norwood dropped down dead.

It requires mighty little practice for the man with the hose to follow with great accuracy the imaginary line that divides the lawn from his neighbor's.

It's hard to figure out too, what all those little green bugs would have done for something to eat if you hadn't been thoughtful enough to plant a row of sweet peas for them.

The Haying Season IS NEAR AT HAND. ARE YOU PREPARED?

Our stock of Scythes, Snaths, Rakes, Forks, Fork Handles, Scythe Stones and Machine Oil is larger than ever this year, and the prices right.

PARIS GREEN.—We carry Berger's Pure Paris Green.

COW EASE.—In Gallons, ½ Gallons and Quarts.
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Lounsbury Block

"Yes, sah," said the old colonel, "the prohibition law sho' did go into effect down in Georgia, sah."

"That so, colonel?" responded the Chicago friend, "Well, I suppose you had a great number of wire corkscrews left over."

"I did that, sah. I had them by the bushel."

"And did you throw them away, colonel?"

"Oh, no; I stretched them out and made a wire fence and a lightning rod, sah."

A man named Bunyan was sentenced to fourteen years in prison the other day. As the person was a horse mutilator, and of a low type, generally, it would be unwise of the world to expect another Pilgrim's Progress as the fruit of his retirement.

Falling between two carriages of a Belfast to Dublin train, as it was about to leave Adavoyle, G. B., a farmer named Mullen had a remarkable escape from death coils in his pockets being bent out of shape by contact with the carriage wheels.

The King has awarded silver medals to Lieutenant John Stivey and several members of the crew of the steamship Cymric in recognition of their rescuing the survivors of the crew of the steamship St. Catharine, which was abandoned on fire off the Nova Scotia coast.

She was white with indignation. "You shall never go down to that ohrrid club again, James Henry."

"But, Martha, I—"

"Never mind. You heard what I said. You must remember when I bring my foot down on anything it bears weight."

"Nonsense!"

"What, you mean to ridicule my assertion, James Henry Butler?"

"Oh, no, my dear. I merely wished to remark that a foot as small as the one you possess could not possibly bear weight."

There was a long pause.

"You really think so, James? Well, now aren't you both clever and truthful. I believe I will let you go down to the club to-night if you'll promise to come home real early."

The skulls of two missionaries, Dr. Hallmers and D. F. Tomkins, of the London Missionary Society, who were killed at Coarabari, New Guinea, several years ago, have been recovered by Judge Murray, who took his life in his hands to get them.

SEALED TENDERS addressed to the undersigned, and endorsed "Tender Supplying Coal for the Dominion Buildings," will be received at this office until 4.30 P. M. on Monday, August 24, 1908, for the supply of Coal for the Public Buildings throughout the Dominion.

Combined specification and form of tender can be obtained on application at this office.

Persons tendering are notified that tenders will not be considered unless made on the printed form supplied, and signed with their actual signatures.

Each tender must be accompanied by an accepted cheque on a chartered bank, made payable to the order of the Honourable the Minister of Public Works, equal to ten per cent (10 p. c.) of the amount of the tender, which will be forfeited if the person tendering declines to enter into a contract when called upon to do so, or if he fails to complete the work contracted for. If the tender be not accepted the cheque will be returned.

The Department does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender.

By order,
R. C. DESROCHERS,
Asst. Secretary,
Department of Public Works,
Ottawa, July 13, 1908.

Newspapers will not be paid for this advertisement if they insert it without authority from the Department. No 42—2w.

A Chinese non-commissioned officer convicted of smoking opium was sentenced to death, but was let off with 2,000 blows and dismissal. This is a prohibition that makes western efforts look mild.

A Frenchman is planning an act of omnibus. It will be only a few years now when the heavens will be crowded with rubber neck waggon, labelled Seeing the Zodiac.

Rendezvous to Caesar the things that Caesar means, says the Rev. A. H. Harney, of Chicago, that every church should pay its full quota of taxes on every bit of property it possesses.

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Homestead Regulations.

Any one numbered section of Dominion Lands in Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta, excepting 8 and 26, not reserved, may be homesteaded by any person who is the sole head of a family, or any male over 18 years of age, to the 160 acres more or less.

Application for entry must be made in person by the applicant at a Dominion Lands Agency or Sub Agency for the district in which the land is situated. Entry by proxy may, however, be made at an Agency on certain conditions by the father, mother, son, daughter, brother or sister of an intending homesteader.

The homesteader is required to perform the homestead duties under one of the following plans:

- (1). At least six months' residence upon and cultivation of the land in each year for three years.
- (2). A homesteader may, if he so desires, perform the required residence duties by living on farming land owned solely by him, not less than eighty (80) acres in extent, in the vicinity of his homestead. Joint ownership in land will not meet this requirement.
- (3). If the father (or mother if the father is deceased) of a homesteader has permanent residence on farming land owned solely by him, not less than eighty (80) acres in extent, in the vicinity of the homestead, or upon a homestead entered for by him in the vicinity, such homesteader may perform his own residence duties by living with the father (or mother).
- (4). The term "vicinity" in the two preceding paragraphs is defined as meaning not more than nine miles in a direct line, exclusive of the width of road allowances crossed in the measurement.
- (5). A homesteader intending to perform his residence duties in accordance with the above while living with parents or on farming land owned by himself must notify the Agent for the district of such intention.

Six months' notice in writing should be given to the Commissioner of Dominion Lands at Ottawa of intention to apply for patent.

W. W. CORY,
Deputy of the Minister of the Interior.

N. B.—Unauthorized publication of this advertisement will not be paid for.—31-26.

Mail Contract

SEALED TENDERS addressed to the Postmaster General, will be received at Ottawa until Noon on Friday the 21st August, 1908, for the conveyance of His Majesty's Mails, on a proposed Contract for four years, three and one times per week each way, between Newcastle and Red Bank; proposed P. O. at "Free Grant" and Robertville from the 1st October 1908, and Postmaster General's pleasure respectively.

Printed notices containing further information as to conditions of proposed Contract may be seen and blank forms of Tender may be obtained at the Post Office of Newcastle, Red Bank, Robertville and Route Offices, and at the Office of the Post Office Inspector at St. John.

G. C. ANDERSON,
Superintendent,
Post Office Department,
Mail Contract Branch,
Ottawa, 6th July, 1908.

A special meeting of the senate of the University of New Brunswick was held last week when an appointment was made to the chair of Economics Philosophy on the faculty. This is the position that Dr. M. S. MacDonald, Ph. D., recently resigned in the face of much pressure to have him continue and his successor is Rev. Dr. Wilfrid C. Kierstead, Ph. D., at present in charge of the United Baptist Church at Woodstock N. B.

Johnny Helps Cupid.
By Abraham R. Grob.

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This is the simple narrative of the great services rendered by Johnny Gaylord to Den Cupid. Who was Johnny Gaylord? Why, Johnny Gaylord, captain of the Little Giants baseball team, of course.

Furthermore, Johnny was the son of John Gaylord, president of the big Gaylord-Lorraine Iron company. Also, and this is more germane to the present narrative, Johnny was the small brother of George Gaylord.

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"Hello, Mr. Joslin!"

"Why, good morning, Johnny. How are you?" said Joslin.

The question was merely formal, but it started Johnny's willing tongue.

"Oh, I'm all right," he chuckled. "I never had anything the matter with me in my whole life except the mumps and the measles and the whooping cough. But I think sister's sick today."

"What?" cried the young man, blushing so phlegmatic. "Sick, did you say?"

"Oh, I don't think she's very sick," said Johnny. "I guess she isn't very sick. Say, are you coming out to see us play the Little Giants? We've got a game with them Saturday. Say, you don't want to miss it. We're going to put it all over them."

Marshall Joslin's excited gesticulations could not stop Johnny when he was talking baseball until Johnny had finished.

"But your sister, Johnny—your sister! You said she was sick!" he cried when at last he had an opportunity to speak.

"Oh, I don't think she's very sick," said Johnny. "Only she wasn't down to breakfast this morning, and she generally gets up before I do. And last night I heard her in her room, and it sounded as if she was crying. I was awfully sorry, because she's about the best sister a fellow ever had. She gave me the money out of her own pocket to organize the Little Giants. I gave her an annual pass."

The captain of the Little Giants grinned as he raised his eyes to those of Mr. Joslin. The face of that young man had undergone a remarkable change. It fairly beamed with joy.

"Is there anything else you need for your club?" he demanded suddenly.

"Well, I want to get uniforms for all the regular men," Johnny said seriously, "as soon as we get the money."

"How much will that take?" demanded Mr. Marshall Joslin.

"We can get some bully ones for \$12 a dozen, but—"

The next moment Johnny Gaylord, as something thrust into his hand and saw Marshall Joslin striding down the street with rapidity. Johnny looked at what was in his hand. It was a gay back for more than enough to buy the uniforms.

"Well, I wonder what I said to earn that?" he mused as he carefully stored it in a place of safety.

When Johnny came home at noon a voice called him from the big, half-darkened drawing room. It was the voice of Miss George, and he hurried to her.

"Look what Mr. Joslin gave me, sis," he cried as he came toward her. His eyes displayed the greenback.

"Johnny Gaylord, what have you been doing?" Mr. Joslin demanded. "George, serious eyes fixed upon him. 'I didn't tell him anything,' avowed the captain of the Little Giants. 'We were just standing on the street talking, and I happened to mention that I was going to get uniforms for the Little Giants as soon as I got the money. And then he just stuck this in my hands and rushed off before I could even get a chance to thank him. Oh, sis, but won't the team look fine in those blue uniforms with white stripes?'

But George did not join with her usual enthusiasm in the plans for the Little Giants.

"Johnny Gaylord," she said solemnly, "you told Mr. Joslin something else. Now, tell me what it was you said."

"Why, that's all we talked about, honest," protested Johnny, "except that I told him I was well and that you weren't well because you didn't come down to breakfast and I heard you crying last night and—"

"Johnny!"

The serious tone of her voice caused Johnny to look up in wonder.

"So that is why he came," murmured George, biting her lip.

Johnny was beginning to feel very uncomfortable when suddenly he was swept into the warm embrace of two strong arms, and George placed a kiss right on his pouting lips.

"Oh, you're a dear little brother," she declared, hugging him.

Johnny went away mystified over the two strange events of the day, but happy in the possession of means to uniform the Little Giants.

When Marshall Joslin arrived again at the office he was so cheerful of spirit and vigorous of mind that Shackleton remarked upon it.

"Your walk seems to have done you good, my boy," he said.

"I took a new man of me, sir," declared Joslin warmly.



"OH, YOU'RE A DEAR LITTLE BROTHER," SHE DECLARED.

and sobbed, for George Gaylord had behind a thickly curtained corner in the depths of her woman's heart a very, very warm feeling for Marshall Joslin.

Marshall Joslin made his way home in a sort of dazed condition. It is true he shed no tears, but neither did he sleep a wink that night nor eat a bite of breakfast the next morning nor smoke his usual maternal cigar in the office. These things were mere outward signs which he succeeded fairly well in concealing.

But there was an effect upon his brain which he was powerless to conceal. He and Shackleton, the senior partner, were working on a suit which involved thousands of dollars for their client, the big iron company. This morning Shackleton quickly noted the brain tag of the junior partner.

"What on earth is the matter with you, boy?" he demanded in his quick way. "Where are your wits this morning?"

The junior partner smiled a sickly smile, and out of his dry throat came some words about not having slept very well. In his heart he didn't care what came of the lawsuit.

He suddenly wanted to get away somewhere and be alone with this greatest trouble that had ever come upon him. Life without George Gaylord meant life insipid, useless, objectless.

The air of the office seemed to stifle him, and the questioning gaze of the senior member of the firm, looking so fit and strong on the other side of the polished table, tormented him.

"I believe I will take a walk in the fresh air," if you don't mind," he said finally. "It will clear my brain, perhaps, and I will come back better able to do some work."

He left the office abjectly miserable, but relieved to find himself alone with his wretchedness. He remembered now that George had spent considerable time recently in the company of a certain dashing Captain Mosty, who was visiting in Reading. Yes, there must have been something serious behind that affair in spite of her assurances to the contrary. She no longer loved him. He laughed in bitter contempt of himself.

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Persons may join the club at any time during the year, but must, of course, answer the 52 questions hereinafter explained, to qualify for the prizes. It is, moreover, desirable that the questions be answered as the lessons are studied.

The International Newspaper Bible Study Club is for the purpose of promoting, in an unfettered way among the masses, a wider study of the Bible, the basal truths of Christianity, and the problems which enter into every man's life. It is composed of all those who join a Local Club, and take up the simple course herein outlined, bearing only ordained clergymen. We have the sympathetic co-operation of the latter, but it is not considered fair to have them compete for the prizes. Sunday school teachers, Bible class scholars, and church-goers generally, may belong to this Newspaper Club, also non-churchgoers, of all shades of opinion. All such who have not joined are warmly invited to do so and to compete for the prizes.

This paper has secured the right to publish the International Sunday School Lesson questions by Rev. Dr. Linscott, which have aroused so much interest elsewhere, and they will appear weekly. One of these questions each week is to be answered in writing, and upon these answers the prizes are to be awarded.

This paper is authorized to form a Local Newspaper Bible Study Club for its readers, and guarantee to all who join and fulfill the conditions, that everything herein promised shall be faithfully carried out.

CONDITIONS OF THE CONTEST.

1. Each contestant, or his or her family, must be a subscriber to this paper, (paid in advance), during the continuance of the contest, in order to qualify for membership in the International Newspaper Bible Study Club and this Local Club.
2. Each contestant in this Local Club, must answer each of the written questions, for 52 consecutive weeks, commencing for Sunday, July 5, 1908, and the answers must all be in the possession of this paper within two weeks of the close of this period, which allows two weeks grace after the close of the contest.
3. Each question must be answered on one side only. No answer must exceed two hundred words in length and may be less. It will be a convenience if students will write their answers on letter paper, about 8 1/2 by 11 inches.
4. Each answer must have the name and address of the writer at the bottom of the answer; so it can be identified, given a number, registered.
5. The answers from this Local Club must be delivered to this office, and they will be collated at the close of the contest, and forwarded to headquarters for independent examination by competent examiners. The prizes

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will then be awarded according to the highest number of marks, won by members of The International Newspaper Bible Study Club, and prizes which may be awarded to members of this Local Club will be given out from this office.

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Each medal will be suitably engraved, giving the name of the winner, and for what it is awarded, and in like manner each Bible and book will be inscribed.

All who can write, and have ideas, are urged to take up these studies regardless of the degree of their education, as the papers are not valued from an educational or literary standpoint, but from the point of view of the cogency of their reasoned ideas.

PAST QUESTIONS.

For July 5th, the Lesson text was I Samuel xii. 1-22, and the verse to be answered in writing was:

Granted that God is a real Almighty person, so to speak, right at the elbow of every man, to protect him, and to supply all his needs, then what is the great defect in modern preaching, and in average Christian Experience?

For July 12th the text was I Samuel xii. 17-27, the whole ninth and tenth chapters to be read. The special question to be answered in writing was:

When a company of godly men seek to know the mind of God, may that mind be found by a ballot or the casting of the lot, or is there a better method? (See Acts 1:23-30 Klt:2)

and then the name cut off so the examiner may know it by number only.

5. Students should be careful to understand the question before answering. To do this, the lesson text must be read and especially the verse, or verses, upon which the question is based.

The special question to be answered in writing for July 19 was:

Verse 1—When individuals or the people choose a wrong thing, can it ever be made to work out for their good? (This question must be answered in writing by members of the club.)

Suggestive Questions on the Sunday School Lesson by Rev. Dr. Linscott for the International Newspaper Bible Study Club.

July 20th, 1908. —I. Sam. xvi. 1-3.

Saul Rejected by the Lord.—I. Sam. xvi. 1-3.

(Read Chapters 13, 14 and 15.)

Golden Text.—The Lord our God will be served, and his voice will be obeyed. Josh. xxiv. 24.

Verse 13.—What had God commanded Saul in the matter of the war with the Amalekites, and how had Saul disobeyed? (Verses 1-12.)

Now can you justify God for commanding this wholesale slaughter of men, women, children and animals? (This question must be answered in writing by members of the club, but do not attempt an answer without thorough enquiry and investigation.)

Did Saul know that he was lying to Samuel?

Is a lie ever justifiable, or ever necessary, either from a human or Divine standpoint?

May a person be guilty of continuous sin, lie to cover up his tracks, and succeed in deceiving himself that he is very pious?

Verses 14, 15.—May a person, like Saul, be very religious and practice sin, without the "bleating of the sheep" being heard by his neighbors?

Is a professed Christian generally rated at his true moral worth by his fellows?

If a man keeps a part of God's commandments and breaks the rest, does

God give him any credit? Why or why not?

Is a professed Christian who knowingly breaks any of God's commandments, any better than an ordinary sinner?

Verse 16.—Does God to-day ever give one person a revelation of another person's true character?

Verse 17.—Does "worldly advancement" generally make good men better and bad men worse, or what is its moral and spiritual tendency?

Verses 18, 19.—What was Saul's real motive in disobeying God?

Is "gratification" that is a man enriching himself from a public position, ever right?

Verses 20, 21.—Which is the guiltier to do a bad thing, or to put it off on some other person when it is done?

Verses 22, 23.—How does God value prayers, or worship, of one who is living in known sin?

Does secret sin in a man's life, have any effect on the success of his business or profession?

Verses 24-28.—Was Saul sorry because he had sinned, or because he had been found out and was suffering the painful results?

If a man quits sinning and turns to God, because his sin is hurting him, will God accept him?

Lesson for Sunday Aug. 2nd, 1908.—David Anointed in Bethlehem. I. Sam. xvi. 1-13.

LOCAL NEWS.

At Littleton, 5th instant, Rev. H.D. Worden administered the rite of baptism to two candidates.

NEW SCHOOL INSPECTOR.

Rev. Father Ryan, of St. Mary's, York Co., has been appointed by the Dominion Government as Inspector and Superintendent of Indian Schools in New Brunswick, at a salary of \$400 per year. There are six schools and about 125 pupils.

NEWCASTLE DIVISION S. of T.

The members of Newcastle Division, Sons of Temperance, are requested to meet in Temperance Hall on Thursday evening, July 30th, for the election of officers, and delegates to District Division, and transaction of other important business.

PROMINENT HARDWARE

MERCHANT DEAD.
Augustus Tweeddale, head of Tweeddale and Co., hardware merchants, Fredericton died on Monday, aged, 57. He leaves a widow, three sons, and one daughter, J. F. Tweeddale, M. P. for Victoria Co., is a brother of the deceased.

The heavy rain storm of Saturday was of untold benefit to crops. The heavy forest fire at the head of Cain's River near the Transcontinental, and many other dangerous fires throughout the province were extinguished.

Applications from persons desirous of becoming members of the Newcastle Fire Company will be received by the Secretary until 12 o'clock noon Thursday, July 30th, 1908.

Rev. A. D. Archibald and Mrs. Archibald of Rexton, returned on Saturday from the Pacific coast, where they went after the close of the Presbyterian General Assembly meeting at Winnipeg. Mr. and Mrs. Archibald had a very enjoyable trip and speak enthusiastically of the future of the West. They met many Maritime Province people, including a number from Kent County, all of whom are doing well.—Richibucto Review.

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IRON NEAR MONTREAL.

MONTREAL, Thursday.—That rich iron deposits have been discovered within 100 miles of Montreal was the statement made by a prominent C. P. R. official this morning. He refused to give the exact location of the discovery but said he was going to look over the ground himself. He declared that the deposits were practicable and workable and said they would mean the opening of an immense iron and steel industry here.

London Indifferent.

LONDON, Thursday.—London's apathy towards the Olympic games is the theme of much newspaper comment. The great stadium holds over 70,000 persons, but never more than 15,000 are present. This is regarded as disappointing as the big football contests often attract 150,000 enthusiasts. It has been suggested that the prices of seats has been fixed too high and that the affair has not been sufficiently advertised.

Woman Killed in Wreck

GREENWICH Conn., Thursday.—The White Mountain Express was wrecked here. One woman Marguerite Armstrong, was killed and ten persons injured. The wreck occurred on a bridge over Greenwich Ave. Five parlor cars were thrown from the track and upset. Underneath the struggling mass of humanity was Miss Armstrong, who was crushed to death.

CAMBRIDGE FAVORS

REV. S. P. MATHESON
Cambridge University has conferred the degree of Doctor of Law on Most Rev. S. P. Matheson, Archbishop of Rupert's Land, Canada.

LISBON, Thursday.—There was a violent scene in the House of Peers today during the consideration of the advances of money to the members of the royal house which finally resulted in a duel. Alfonso Costa, the Republican leader, charged it was impossible to probe these scandals to the bottom so long as certain ministers who had been compromised in the past were sitting as judges. He named the Count Pousa-Garcia as such a minister whose name the challenge followed. During the fourth bout of the duel, which was fought after adjournment, the Count was wounded in the arm, but his injury is not serious. There has been no reconciliation between the two men.

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Dr. McCully, Oculist and Aurist, can be consulted at the Adams House, Chatham, July 23rd, and at the Miramichi Hotel, Newcastle July 24th.

8 Messrs. I. J. Olive and Chas. E. Dalton, government inspectors of steam boats, were busy inspecting the steamers and tugboats here. All the boats came up to requirements. The inspectors left for St. John Friday morning. This week they will visit Gloucester County.

Steamboat inspector Olive has an interesting note-book which shows that in 1905 he was in Chatham and Newcastle from July 4th to July 11th, and that the thermometer ranged from 84 on the 4th to 95 on the 8th, with the 11th at 92, and no day was under 84.

The Steamer Rustler, which was disabled last fall and was beached close to the North West bridge has been floated, and is now on the flats at Ritchie's mill. The machinery is only slightly damaged. The Messrs. Russell intend repairing the steamer; when she will again be put in service.

The Methodist Church at Protectionville has been lately repainted and thoroughly renovated, presenting now a most attractive appearance. A beautiful motto—'Worship the Lord in the Beauty of Holiness'—has been placed above the pulpit, the lettering done by Manfred Sobey. The grounds have been neatly fenced. The work has been done by members of the congregation, to whom much credit is due. The people give evidence of much interest in the work of the church.

Mr. James T. Sullivan, superintendent of Mr. W. A. Hickson's mill, has been granted, through Marion & Marion, Montreal, a patent for belt tighteners. Mr. Sullivan has worked on this new invention for a considerable time; and with this contrivance one man can lace any size belt accurately and with ease. We understand that Mr. Sullivan has had several opportunities to dispose of his patent, but declines to do so for a few months, until he has ample time to put a few on the market.

WAR IN CENTRAL AMERICA

MANAGUA, Nicaragua, Wednesday.—Despatches received here state that the revolutionists have evacuated Choluteca, Honduras.

PANAMA, Wednesday.—Word has reached here of the abandonment of the towns of Gracias and Choluteca by the Honduran revolutionists, which they captured by hard fighting. The opinion prevails here that President Zelaya of Nicaragua, has taken a hand in supporting President Davila and the Honduran government against Salvador and Guatemala, both of which republics have been charged with aiding the revolutionists.

In Memory of Wolfe

LONDON, Thursday.—On the day of the dedication of the Plains of Abraham at Quebec there will be a stately memorial service in St. Alfege church, Greenwich, where Wolfe was buried. The Lord Mayor and Sheriffs will attend and it is hoped that detachments of the present members of regiments which saw service with Wolfe will also be present.

25 Drowned in Typhoon.

MANILA, Thursday.—A pleasure launch bound from Manila to Corregidor Island carrying about seventy-five passengers was caught in a typhoon and foundered. Twenty-five of the passengers, including three Americans, were drowned. Others numbering about fifty were picked up by the British steamer Suveric, which was passing close to the launch. The Suveric lowered boats immediately and those together with boats from the other craft picked up fifty passengers with much difficulty. The details of the disaster have not yet reached Manila.

N.Z. SOCIALISTS PROTEST

Against Spending Money to Welcome Yankee Fleet When Men Are Out of Work.

WELLAND, New Zealand, Thursday.—Socialists in Auckland are threatening to hold a demonstration of unemployed as protests against public expenditures incidental to the reception of the American fleet. In the House of Assembly last night one of the members said there was danger that the visit of the American fleet might cause the colonies to place dependence on the United States rather than on the Motherland. He therefore regretted the invitation had been given.

Social and Personal.

Mrs. Thomas Jeffrey visited friends in Tabusintac last week.

Master Max Phinney of Richibucto is visiting in Chatham.

Mrs. George McCosh returned, last week, from Tabusintac.

Misses Laura and Florence Curry have returned from Chatham.

Mrs. Amos Murray went to Cross Creek, recently, to visit friends.

Miss Ray, of Boston, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. James Robinson, Derby.

Darcy McGee, of Fredericton, is visiting James McCabe.

Mrs. C. E. Fish and family are spending the summer at Burnt Church.

Mr. P. Morrissey is spending his vacation in Belledune.

Miss Jean Kelly of St. John is the guest of her friend, Miss Morrissey.

Miss Gertrude Davidson is spending her vacation at home.

Miss Jean McCullam is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Bovard, Moncton.

Mrs. Alexander Reid, of Douglas-town, spent last week with Mrs. Jas. O. Fish.

Mrs. Ella Jardine of Beverly, Mass., is visiting her uncle, Edward O'Donnell.

Miss Nellie A'Haran is home from Bangor, Me., to spend the summer with her parents.

Dr. and Mrs. McManus, of Blackville, were in town Wednesday en route to Ontario.

Mrs. James A. Rundle and family are spending the summer at Bay du Vin.

Mrs. R. H. Armstrong and children have gone to Burnt Church for several weeks.

Mrs. J. D. Creaghan and family are occupying their cottage at Burnt Church.

Mrs. G. G. Stothart and son George have gone to Bay du Vin for a couple of weeks.

Rev. Sister St. Mary Edith of St. Mary's convent has gone to Montreal for a short visit.

Miss Gillen, primary teacher at St. Mary's Academy, is visiting here on her way home to Moncton from Montreal.

Mrs. Atkinson, of Summerside, P.E. I., is visiting her mother, Mrs. Mary Elliot.

Miss M. B. Ryan has gone to Campbellton office to relieve for the summer months.

Con. E. S. Vye and Miss Vye have returned home, after a pleasant visit to Digby, N.S.

Miss Irene Howard, of Roxbury, Mass., visited her friend, Miss Maggie Sullivan, last week.

Miss Winnie Howard, of Coal Branch, was the guest of the Misses Lawlor last week.

Miss Edna Bettie, of St. John, is the guest of the Misses Ratcliffe for a few weeks.

Miss Laura Wright returned to New York on Monday to resume her duties as hospital nurse there.

Misses Nina and Vera Murray, of Chatham, were the guests of Miss Jean Robinson last week.

Mrs. B. P. Steeves and children returned on Friday from their visit to Baie du Vin.

Mrs. Robert Cassidy and Mrs. Walter McKenzie visited friends and relatives in Bay du Vin last week.

Miss Jennie Uryhart, who has been teaching in Upper Blackville is spending her holidays at home in Nordin.

Miss Loretta Major, accompanied by her cousin, Miss Mabel Scott, went to Bathurst Monday to spend a vacation.

Miss Katie Quigley, Mrs. Keary and Mrs. J. R. Lawlor went down river Wednesday to Burnt Church, the guests of Mrs. J. D. Creaghan.

Mr. and Mrs. James A. Rundle, of drove through Richibucto recently and spent a few days with Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Copp.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Johnston, of New Glasgow, N. S., are visiting the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Johnston.

Miss Laura A. Wright returned to New York Monday, after a pleasant vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Wright.

Miss Nan Quinn left on the Limited Monday to attend the Quebec Tercenary. She was accompanied by her cousin, Master Herbert Morrissey.

Mr. Chas. Crammond, who had his leg broken some weeks ago when on the drive is improving. He was able to be out driving last Wednesday.

Miss Iris A. Fish, B.A., daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Fish, has been engaged to teach grades 5 and 6 in the College School, Woodstock.

Mr. M. Fitzpatrick of Seattle, Wash. is visiting his sister, Mrs. Jas. Dalton of Newcastle, this is Mr. Fitzpatrick first visit east in twenty-four years.

Harry McCormick returned on Saturday from New Hampshire. Next month he will enter a pharmaceutical school in Boston for a three year's course.

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Reg. 10c Prints	Reg. 35c Beaded Elastic Belts
Sale price 7 1-2c yd	Sale price 19c each
Reg. 6c Grey Cotton	Reg. 15c Lace Collars in Black, White or Cream.
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Reg. 50 to 65c Working Shirts	LADIES' OXFORD SHOES AND KID SLIPPERS AT BARGAIN PRICES.
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Dr. and Mrs. Philip Cox and their two children went to Bay du Vin on the 14th instant. They will spend the summer there, boarding at Mr. Wood Williston's.

Mrs. H. C. Rice, who has for several weeks been visiting her parents in Jacksonville, Carleton Co., is expected home on the 23rd inst. She will be accompanied by Miss Anna Tilley of Jacksonville.

Mr. Fred. M. Tweedie, eldest son of Lieutenant-Governor and Mrs. Tweedie, is to be married at Chatham today to Mrs. Ritchie, daughter, of Mr. George Watt, collector of customs, Chatham.

Miss Alice G. Jardine, who has for more than a year been with her brother, Graham Jardine, manager of the east end branch of the Royal Bank of Canada in Vancouver, B. C., has returned to her home in Reston.

Mrs. George DeBlois, of Hinsdale, Illinois, accompanied by her daughter Miss Annie, are the guests of Mrs. Chas. Call. Mrs. DeBlois had previously spent two weeks in Campbellton, and leaves next Saturday for Fredericton, after which she will spend some time with relatives in Windsor, N. S.

Miss Margaret I. Fearon, who has been teaching in Kings County, is spending her vacation with her parents Mr. and Mrs. John Fearon, Bass River. She is accompanied by her friend, Miss Miriam Freeborn of Waterford, Kings County, late of Harcourt.

Mrs. R. W. McLellan and little son Douglas of Fredericton were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Weeks Miller for the past week.

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