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FIRE AT SEA.

Terrible Experience on the Trans-
port Monterey From Capetown.

NEW ORLEANS, June 27.—The
British mule transport Monterey, from
Cape Town, has arrived in port after
a terrible experience with fire at sea.
Twelve days out from St. Vincent
flames were discovered in the after
hold and gained such headway that
the heat prevented the usual means
of extinguishing fire on shipboard.
Flames and clouds of smoke poured
out from the hold, and the officers and
crew were about to abandon the ship
when First Officer Reid and Fourth
Officer Harrison volunteered a daring
plan. They proposed to tie cables
around their bodies and have their
companions lower them down the side
of the ship until they were abreast
the port opening into the burning section.
It was a desperate expedient, but after
a short consultation was adopted.
As the fire was near the water line,
Reid and Harrison were lowered down
until they were submerged in the sea,
nearly up to their waists. Hanging
thus half buried in the waves, with
the ship under headway, the men bat-
tered in the port, a hose was then low-
ered to them and for several hours
they hung, swinging outward and in-
ward, pouring stream into the blas-
ting hold. In this way they finally suc-
ceeded in checking the flames. The
vessel was badly damaged.

THE END OF ERIC.

LONDON, June 27.—Hon. Eric Las-
celles, half-brother of the Earl of Har-
court and brother of the Countess of
Desart and Hon. Francis J. Lascelles,
now in custody in British Columbia,
charged with killing an employe on his
ranch, has been found dead in a show
wagon at Cheltenham. This penniless
aristocrat has for years been exhibit-
ing automatic pictures at country
fairs, under the name of Eric Leith.
When he heard of his brother's trou-
ble, Eric began drinking and died from
the effects. Letters from the Countess
of Desart and a London lawyer were
found in his pocket, enclosing a remitt-
ance and referring to Francis' trou-
ble.

AN OIL FIRE.

DECATUR, Ind., June 27.—A fire
which was started at 10 p.m. Tuesday
night by lightning striking a tank of
the Standard Oil Co., containing 50,
000 barrels of oil, is still burning.
Three hundred men from this city,
Huron, Montpelier, and Lima, Ohio,
are fighting the flames, and making
efforts to save five other tanks that
contain over 300,000 barrels of oil. Joe
Kintze and V. D. Newton, of Lima,
Ohio, were loading a cannon to shoot
the burning tank when it exploded,
and they were fatally burned. The
loss to the Standard Oil Co. alone will
reach \$60,000. Many persons have been
badly burned.

BRIEFS BY WIRE.

The ten Massillon, Ohio, glass fac-
tories will shut down next Saturday
for the summer. During the last ten
months 27,000,000 glass bottles have
been made by the Massillon factories.
Herbert E. Burt, director of the Leipziger
bank, Leipzig, which suspended
payment Tuesday, June 26, has been
arrested. The public prosecutor is in-
vestigating the affairs of the bank.
Count Gilbert von Hohenhausen, Ger-
man minister to Mexico, has been ap-
pointed Austrian minister to Mexico. Dip-
lomatic relations between Austria
and Hungary and Mexico, interrupted since
1867, the year Emperor Maximilian was
shot, are thus formally re-established.
The correspondence, Madrid, says
twelve cases of bubonic plague and
four deaths from that disease have oc-
curred at Oporto, Portugal.
C. P. R. steamer Athens left Yoko-
hama for Vancouver yesterday after-
noon.
The Central Hotel in Kern, about a
mile east of Bakersfield, Calif., caught
fire early today. In a moment all
means of escape were cut off by the
flames. George Clark, a blacksmith,
was burned to death. John C. Thorne-
ton was badly burned. C. C. Burner
just returned from the Philippines, it
is feared also perished. The loss is es-
timated at \$10,000.

IN HONOR OF KRUGER.

ROTTERDAM, June 26.—There was
a grand serenade and torchlight pro-
cession in honor of Mr. Kruger tonight,
who witnessed the proceedings from
the balcony of his hotel. There was
immense enthusiasm among the people.
After the demonstrations many per-
sons bearing illuminated transpara-
nces inscribed, "Silence, the president
sleeps," paraded the streets to disperse
the crowd.

A HORRIBLE DEATH.

CHICAGO, June 26.—Caught in
streams of molten metal which poured
into the cupola room of the foundry de-
partment of the American Car and
Foundry Co. today, seven workmen
were frightfully burned, three fatally.
The explosion of a dynamite shell
which had been placed in the cupola
with scrap iron, caused the accident.

BOERS REPULSED.

RICHMOND, Cape Colony, June 27.—
A large force of Boers, commanded by
Mabon and Smith, attacked Richmond
at daybreak June 25. The fighting
lasted till dusk, when the Boers retired
on the approach of British reinforcements.

A BANK SUSPENDS.

NEW YORK, June 27.—William
Norton Cromwell, attorney for the Sey-
enth National bank, has advised the
bank to suspend.

PARIS TO BERLIN.

Foxhall Keene in the Automobile
Race Between the Two Cities.

PARIS, June 27.—From midnight on
during the early morning hours a
stream of bicyclists and automobiles
marked the road from Paris to Fort
Chamigny, a dozen miles east of the
city, the start of the automobile race
between Paris and Berlin, at half past
three this morning attracting un-
usually large numbers of spectators.
Eighty in front of the starting place
by 3.30 a. m. at least two thousand
enthusiasts gathered to watch the
start, many being scattered along the
Berlin road. The first few racers left
in the twilight before the break of
day, and were almost immediately lost
to view. Later when the bright sun-
shine put in an appearance the auto-
mobiles left with such speed that they
were enveloped in a cloud of dust after
covering 200 yards, the dust resembling
nothing so much as the smoke of an
express engine.
The arrangements were carried out
like clock-work. There were about 30
persons who had entered who did not
start. Heavy cheers were given as
the automobiles made their departure.
There was only one lady competitor,
a handsome French woman named
Gast, who was attired in a smartly
made waterproof costume. Foxhall
Keene got away at 7 o'clock. He wore
a blue serge suit, covered with a rub-
ber jacket and a gray checked cloth
cap. "I don't expect to win," said Mr.
Keene to the correspondent of the A.
P., as he went to the starting line, "but
I am going for the sport of the thing.
I never participated in a race of this
kind before. My auto-car is quite new.
I drove it for the first time Tuesday
and I find the tension is terrible. My
car ought to go 55 kilometers an hour,
so apparently I stand a fair chance in
the race, but I shall not get the best
speed out of it as I have not had suf-
ficient experience with it. These
crack chauffeurs will probably
beat me two hours during the first
day's racing. Nevertheless, I'm in to
do my best and win if possible."

ALEXANDRA SCHOOL CONCERT.

The concert to be held in Alexandra
school, Indian town, this evening,
promises to be quite a grand affair.
No pains have been spared to insure
its success, and the programme is of
a most interesting character. Two
operettas will be given, "Edith's
Dream" and "Queen Flora's Day
Dream," each having twenty-two
characters in the cast. Besides these
there will be two choruses, "Come to
my beautiful home," and "A wish."
Singsongs by Doris Murray, Miss Sa-
bra Mahoney and Walter Campbell;
a duet by Miss Fay Scribner and Cora
Colwell and "A Boating Party" and
"Six Grandmas."

BLOOD CURDLERS.

(Fredericton Gleaner.)
The residents of the lower end of the
city and in the parish of Lincoln are
being troubled by a gang of five or
six toughs, who spend the daytime in
the woods and at night visit the farm-
houses and steal any and everything
they can lay hands upon. A day or
two ago they were at Doak Settlement
and on Monday night tried to force an
entrance into Belmont by cutting out
the lock of the door with a small saw.
They are said to be well armed with
revolvers and guns.

INNOCENT PERSON WRONGED.

A young man now serving a four
months' sentence in the York county
jail for stealing a bicycle, gave his
name to Mr. Burt as Elwood Hawk-
ins, and under that name he was ar-
rested and convicted. It transpires,
says the Gleaner, that the prisoner's
name is William Edward Hawkins,
while Elwood Hawkins is a highly re-
spected young man, who is in no way
connected with the theft, and whose
name has thus been brought into un-
enviable notoriety.

THE LIBERAL CONSERVATIVES.

Mr. Blount, of Ottawa, who was
private secretary to Sir Charles Tupper
from 1896 to 1900, and served the
present leader of the opposition in the
same capacity last session, passed
through St. John today on his way to
Halifax. He is joining Mr. Borden
there and will remain with him during
the recess. Mr. Borden proposes to
carry on an aggressive campaign and
to address a number of public meet-
ings.

WEDDING BELLS.

Miss Mabel Atkinson, daughter of
John Atkinson of Richmond, N. B.,
was married recently to Arthur Flin-
ton of Houlton. Miss Alice Howard
of Houlton, N. S., was bridesmaid,
while L. F. Atkinson, brother of the
bride, supported the groom.
At Black River, on Wednesday, June
26th, says the Chatham World, Mrs.
Tena S. Dick was united in marriage
with William J. McBeath, of Moncton,
by Rev. John Robertson.

Mrs. Susan Elizabeth Rutledge, wife
of W. J. Rutledge, a well known citi-
zen, died very suddenly of heart fail-
ure last night at her residence on the
corner of Pitt and Brittain streets.
Mrs. Rutledge was in her sixty-first
year and leaves a husband and one
daughter.

Mrs. C. W. Hall left for St. John this
morning to join a party which purposes
spending some weeks camping in the
vicinity of that city.—Fredericton Far-
mer.

WELL EXPLAINED.

Mrs. O'Toole—What puzzles me in-
tensely is that the owl house should
take to such an extent when it's covered
with insurance.
Mr. O'Toole—Yes, the owl, but it's
fire insurance, not water; do you
mind?—Harlem Life.

UNCLE SAM'S TROUBLES.

Merchants Want Return of Duties
Wrongfully Collected.

NEW YORK, June 27.—The com-
ptroller of the treasury, a Washington
despatch to the Tribune says, has been
called upon by Asst. Secty. Spaulding
to render an opinion as to the power
of the secretary of treasury to settle
the claims of merchants who paid duties
under protest on Porto Rican goods
imported into the United States be-
tween the date of the ratification of
the Foraker act and the passage of
the act. Under the supreme
court's recent decision in the singular
test case Dooley & Co. have made
a claim for the refund of duties paid
between the dates named. The con-
troller is now examining the evidence
in this particular case, to determine if
possible what principle the treasury
would follow in paying all similar
claims.
When the supreme court's decision
was made public it was popularly sup-
posed that there was available in the
treasury money for the payment of
this class of claims, but when the sub-
ject was considered by the treasury
authorities it was found that it may
be necessary for congress to pass a
special appropriation bill for this pur-
pose. Congress a year ago by special
act returned to Porto Rico, to be ap-
plied for the general betterment of the
island, all the money collected as cus-
tom duties on Porto Rican merchan-
dise from the date of the ratification
of the Foraker act. The amount thus
refunded was \$2,000,000. Assistant
Secretary Spaulding says that there
is enough money in the treasury ap-
propriated for the administration of
customs service and still unexpended
with which these claims could be set-
tled so without special authority from
congress. If it is finally decided that
the secretary of the treasury has am-
ple authority to settle this class of
claims, the payment of the Dooley
claim will be the signal for the filing
of other similar claims. What amount
will thus be refunded cannot now be
even approximately estimated.

LUSITANIA ASHORE.

Hard and Fast on the Rocks on the
Newfoundland Coast.

ST. JOHN'S, Nfld., June 27.—The str.
Glencoe arrived here at midnight
bringing six first, fifteen second and
488 steerage passengers and 33 of the
crew of the Lusitania. Captain Mc-
Nay and the chief officers of the ship
remain with the wreck.
The passengers are almost entirely
Irish and Russian Jews. The Lusit-
ania struck the reef at half-past one
yesterday morning during a dense fog.
Captain McNay had to force the Lusit-
ania upon the reef, for if he reversed
the engines the whole ship's bottom
would have been torn out and she
would have sunk instantly.
The panic among the passengers
after the vessel struck was intense.
The details of what occurred on board
have been previously cabled. The
drawing of knives by the passengers
was not general; it occurred in isolated
instances only.
Three hours elapsed between the
time when the Lusitania struck and
the time the passengers started to dis-
embark. The delay was occasioned by
the difficulty in controlling the mob
and handling the boats. All the pas-
sengers and crew agree that if the
Lusitania had struck the rocks in
rough weather not a soul on board
would have been saved.
The last message to the agents here
of the Lusitania says that the vessel
is hard and firm aground on the reef
and is a hopeless wreck. Her engine
room is full of holes and flooded, the
forehold is also flooded. The ship
is listed heavily to port and the waves
are washing in and out of her forward
and aft holds. The after decks are
under water. A strong northeast
breeze is rising and tumbling up a
heavy sea, which will soon disman-
tle the ship.

KING EDWARD SPEAKS.

LONDON, June 26.—David B. Hen-
derson, ex-speaker of the United States
house of representatives, said to a re-
presentative of the Associated Press
tonight:
"I have never enjoyed a more agree-
able half-hour interview than the one
I had with King Edward yesterday.
He was perfectly frank and agreeable
and in accord with American progress.
He looks forward to even more cordial
relations than now exist between the
English speaking nations. America
may depend upon the fact that she has
no more cordial friend in the world
than King Edward. While the details
of our conversation may not be re-
peated, I can assure my American
friends that England may be depended
on in any ordinary controversy which
may arise between the United States
and the remainder of the world."

THE WEATHER.

TORONTO, June 27.—Maritime, west
and east—Fresh southwesterly winds,
fair and decidedly warm today and Fri-
day, with thunder storms in a few lo-
calities.
WASHINGTON, June 26.—Eastern
states—Showers, with lower tempera-
ture this afternoon and probably to-
night in north and central portions;
fair in south; Friday, fair; right south-
westerly winds. Western New York—
Generally fair tonight and Friday,
light southwest winds.

Rev. Frank S. Hartley's demonia-
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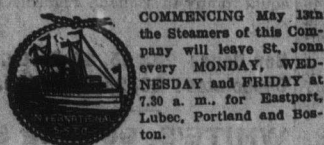
STILL AN ENTHUSIAST.
(Vancouver World.)

H. H. Allingham, of the C. P. R. tele-
graph service, who returned recently
from Kamloops, says Lacrosse is boom-
ing in the inland capital and on the
24th of May the Ashcroft team de-
feated the Kamloops 12 in a very ex-
citing match. Ashcroft imported La-
tham of Westminster and several oth-
ers of the Royal City team, but even
they were given a close run for first
honors. Harry organized two teams
of juniors while in Kamloops and says
the small boys have arranged a sched-
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ST. JOHN STAR.

ST. JOHN, N. B., JUNE 27, 1901.

TIME TO BESTIR OURSELVES.

It is high time the business men of St. John and the province at large be- stirred themselves to some purpose in the matter of the Jamaica steamship service. Tenders for a new and greatly enlarged service have been asked for, and St. John is not mentioned as a port of call. The people of New Brunswick have butter and cheese and other products that should find a market in Jamaica. Flour and grain and furniture and goods from the west are wanted there. These can best be shipped via this port. Some time ago Mr. Sutherland of the C. P. R. directed the attention of the board of trade to this service and there was some discussion, followed by a trip to Ottawa by Col. Tucker, M. P. The colonel has been asked what measure of success attended his efforts, but as yet it is not known that he had any success at all.

This is not a question of politics, but of business. It is to the interest of our trade that this heavily subsidized service to the island of Jamaica, which is a good market, should include St. John as well as Halifax. If the aim of the service is to develop trade between the island and western as well as eastern Canada, St. John is the port for the business. Not only St. John, but other parts of the province have a direct interest in this matter, and there is no excuse for apathy. In times past the rights of St. John have been proclaimed at public meetings and delegations have been hurried to Ottawa. The time is opportune for united and vigorous action with regard to the rights of St. John in this important matter.

The president of Harvard announced yesterday that J. Pierpont Morgan had given over a million dollars for the erection of buildings of the Harvard medical school, which are to cost two millions in all. At New Haven, the president of Yale announced that the subscriptions and bequests to the bi-centennial fund of that university now amounted to \$1,185,000 in cash and real estate to the value of \$800,000. At Kenyon College, Ohio, yesterday, Senator Hanna announced that he would give \$50,000 to that institution for the erection of a dormitory. On the whole yesterday was not a bad day for American colleges.

The British government has spent over two million dollars in Canada for army supplies since the outbreak of the South African war. The hay trade alone has been very large, and it came at a time that was very opportune for steamship owners, as deal freights are rather low, and would be lower if the tonnage available were larger.

There were several cases of prostration from extreme heat in Ottawa yesterday. How would it do to have the daily temperature at St. John published in Montreal, Ottawa and Toronto, as well as in New York? There are a lot of people up there who will be longing for a cooler climate during the next two months.

Paul Kruger is having a good time in Rotterdam. Some of the money wasted on fireworks and other Jim-cracks to puff up the vanity of this venerable slinger would be appreciated by the families of the Boers whom their own foolish obstinacy and the fortunes of war have penned up in camps in South Africa.

Lord Salisbury has again spoken, and in no uncertain tone, about South Africa. It is imperative, he said, that the unionist party remain true and inflexible in the mission it had undertaken. The British premier typifies the true spirit of the empire.

The ex-speaker of the American house of representatives is pleased with King Edward, and with his cordial expression of friendship for the United States. It is nice of Mr. Henderson to say so. But, perhaps, he is not in politics any more.

An effort was made in Montreal city council yesterday to pass a resolution accepting the lowest tender for the civic lighting contract, but it was headed off by a motion to adjourn, carried by the casting vote of the mayor.

The agitation for a band stand in the city should not be permitted to languish. The hardware and other clerks have set a good example. If we are to have a band stand this summer there is no time to lose.

Now Scotia and British Columbia are to have agents-general in London. Our Mr. Duff-Miller must look to his laurels—also Mr. Hickman.

Will the wreck of the Lusitania, on Newfoundland, be charged to the account of the Bay of Fundy or the St. Lawrence?

OUTING DAYS.

(The Star will be glad to receive communications for this column, relating to fishing resorts, fishing parties, fisherman's luck, and that sort of thing.)

I.
Under the spreading chestnut tree
The well-nit baskets stand,
Containing chicken, pie and things—
The work of Bridget's hand.
And way off in the distance there's
A blaring country band.

II.
Dick battles with a bumble bee,
And Bob, with youthful zeal,
Falls from the lofty chestnut tree,
And papa and the rest
Proceed to eat the lunch upon
A yellow-jacket's nest!

III.
The gentle rainstorm rolls around,
And when the day is late,
They homeward bend their weary ways
And turn to see the water spout
And lie in bed and wonder just
How many ants they saw.

—Indianapolis Sun.

THE MISPEC STREAM.

A few years ago a prominent gentleman of the city, realizing the possibility of making the Mispec river a salmon stream, leased for a term of years several miles of the stream and then went to work to have some artificial obstructions removed. He communicated with the dominion government, who sent Capt. Pratt to investigate. The result was that the government, by the consent of the owners of the property, Messrs. Powers and Lantaulum, had holes cut in the old dams to allow the fish free access to the bay and river. In the year 1892 this same gentleman received from the government a grant of the river that had the year 1894, 30,000 more near the Mackenzie Bridge. In the year 1896 12 salmon from the Carleton salmon pond were put in. In the year 1898 the St. John Sulphite Co. purchased the Powers and Lantaulum property, and promised that they would protect the fishing rights by erecting a fish way. This has not been done. It is claimed by the mill owners and the government protected the stream a very valuable asset would be in the hands of the province. For spawning purposes and as a feeder for the bay the Mispec river has no superior. There has been good trout fishing in the Mispec this spring, and young salmon may also be seen swimming around, but they have no egress to the bay.

It is stated that a dam erected last fall near Loch Lomond also prevents the movement of fish up to the lakes. The provincial government has been advised of it, and has ordered that a fishway be put in or the dam removed.

THE QUANANICHE FISHING.

(Quebec Chronicle, Friday.)
The rush of English and American anglers to the Lake St. John country for the June quananche fishing in the Grande Deschamps has now fairly commenced. J. R. Stewart and W. R. Stewart, of London, accompanied by Mrs. Stewart, are at the Chateau Frontenac, and less than a week ago they were at the Island house. Yesterday Mowbray Kane, G. Pollock and H. E. McVicar, of New York, left for the same fishing grounds.

C. P. R. STRIKE.

TORONTO, June 26.—N. Clarke Wallace, M. P., is trying to bring the striking trackmen and the C. P. R. together here. He interviewed Gen. Supt. Timmerman, and asked if anything he could do would bring the parties together. Mr. Timmerman complained that the strikers' committee had not notified the men of advances made by the company before the strike began, and of the offer of increased wages. The men, as represented by Donald Wilkinson, when seen afterwards by Mr. Wallace did not object to having the way paved for reconciliation. One point they insisted on very strongly was that if any settlement was made it should be provided that no one should suffer for his share in the strike.

MONTEBELL, June 26.—President Wilson of the Truckmen's union returned from Portland this morning. One hundred and forty-five men were sworn in at city hall today as special constables. They are to go to Calgary, where there has been trouble through intimidation.

WATER AND SEWERAGE.

The water and sewerage board yesterday gave G. Hevenor fifteen days to enter the sewer on Spring street. The engineer was also instructed to inquire as to the best methods of doing away with the old water course there. The director and engineer were asked to report as to the cost of extending the water supply to the I. C. R. pier with a fire plug. It was decided to find out the legal rights of the city in Lake Latimer, and at what price a strip of land one hundred feet wide could be obtained from the Caples family. Mrs. Walsh's petition to use the lot sold by her to the city, for cultivation, was filed. No further action was taken in the Beaconsfield sewer matter.

NELSON NOT GUILTY.

After the testimony was all in yesterday afternoon in the Nelson case, J. D. Hazen, K. C., made a splendid address to the jury, claiming that the alibi had been proved without a doubt. Dr. Pugsley followed, laid considerable stress upon the positiveness of Capt. Braman's statement. Judge McLeod charged the jury briefly. They were out of the room about eight minutes, when they returned and reported that they had unanimously found the prisoner "not guilty." Dr. Pugsley stated that he would consult with Mr. Hazen as to the other count in the indictment.

Bert Davidson, who left Moncton fifteen days ago, and this wife, whom he married in Boston, passed through Moncton on Tuesday en route to Nova Scotia on a holiday trip.

O. W. Campbell, son of John Campbell, I. C. R., and for many years paying teller at the St. John branch of the Bank of Montreal, has assumed his duties here as accountant.—Moncton Transcript.

OUR BIG GAME

Becomes a Nuisance to Farmers of the North Shore.

A Complaint of Their Ravages—A Remedy Suggested—A Novel Race.

(Newcastle Union Advocate.)
Since some of our exchanges appear to be somewhat skeptical as to the genuineness of a letter purporting to come from a farmer in Maine and addressed to the Game Commissioner of that state complaining of the depredations of large game on his crops, etc. One of our staff waited upon John Robinson, game overseer of this county, a man whose name is the synonyme of veracity and who according to the Advocate, is the best overseer New Brunswick ever had, and that gentleman when shown the letter and some of its contents thereon said that he envied the Maine officer because of his easy time. The bans of my existence is the complaints of our rural yeomanry which come to me in a ceaseless stream from all parts of the country. Here is a sample letter and as it was accompanied with a claim for damages may be regarded as public property.

Barnaby River, Miramichi, N. B., June 1st, 1901.

Mr. J. Robinson, Game Overseer.

Dear Sir:—
I write to inform you that deer and caribou are devouring my vegetables and also that some of the deer are eating my potatoes and destroying my raspberries. My farm is located on what was once "hant" or resort these animals before I cleared it. I infer this from the fact that when doing chopping we found antlers in great varieties and numbers. Let me say here that these wares of yours served me in the same way last season. A herd of them was seen gambling and fighting like domestic cattle by Messrs. J. Maloney, D. Buckley, J. Conly and myself, they actually scared us with the noise and bellowing they made. We often find them with our cattle in the early morning and at sunset.

It is my opinion that the reason they are raiding our crops this year is because of the ravages of the army worms which is detaching the forests of their verdure upon which they exist. The poplar groves around here look as if the hand of the destroying angel had passed over them. It is said by many that the great numbers are to be attributed to the extraordinary vigilance of the office of General Superintendent of Free Delivery. Much looks more like an incipient clothing store than a place for the transaction of official business. There are shirt waists of every style and texture from the plain, serviceable affair of coarse material to the plaited, braided, highly-finished garment of soft flannel, and they are piled on desks, chairs, tables and in fact everywhere there is a foot of room. A number of the competing firms sent dummies, such as are seen in front of clothing stores, fitted with the complete letter carrier's summer outfit. A story was told in the department of a near-sighted visitor who asked a question of one of these dummies standing in a dark corner of the room, and on receiving no answer, flew into a passion and threatened to report the supposed subordinate for his discourtesy.

BEST COVER FOR PANTRY SHELVES.

(Good Housekeeping.)
Upon moving into a new house the writer made up her mind to do away with paper on the pantry shelves. It conceals crumbs and all sorts of insects, harbors roaches, gets tangled and torn and is a nuisance. The new pantry had a large window, it was stained and varnished in light wood and had a painted floor. Before the workmen carried away their paint pots I had all the shelves, high and low, the insides of the drawers and doors and the plastered walls treated to two coats of dazzling white paint. When that hardened I went over it with two coats of white enamel. It is wonderfully easy to keep clean and it costs very little.

A SIXTEEN-YEAR-OLD EDITRESS.

(Philadelphia Press.)
Lillie Miller, sixteen years old, is successfully managing a weekly paper in Camden, and by her industry is supporting herself, her widowed mother and a brother and sister.

A month ago Charles Miller, her father, who conducted the Stockton Times, was killed by a locomotive on the Pennsylvania railroad while on his way home from his office. The income from the newspaper was all the support the family had.

Mrs. Miller was in a quandary as to how she could support her family, when Lillie came to the rescue. She informed her mother that she assisted her father in setting type and managing the affairs of the office, and she would try to run the paper as her father did. She prepared editorials, selected news matter and items of social interest and then went to the case and put her thoughts in type. After the paper was printed she spent her spare time in securing advertisements.

The young editress is meeting with financial success in her enterprise.

THE NAIL MANUFACTURERS.

The Canadian manufacturers of cut nails, tacks and screws met at the Royal Yacht Club yesterday morning and considered various matters in connection with the business. It was decided to make a slight advance in the price of cut nails.

The five candidates mentioned in yesterday's Star successfully passed the dental examination.

A cable from London announces that E. H. Turnbull of this city and Miss Elliot Page, a clever actress and a native of New York, will be married on July 17.

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SHIPPING NEWS.

PORT OF ST. JOHN.

Arrived.

Sch R. P. S. 74 Hatfield, from Calais, P. Tuis, bel.

Sch William Jones, 264, McLean, from New York, R. C. Elkin, coal.

Sch A. P. Emerson, 221, Maxwell, from New York, R. C. Elkin, coal.

Sch S. C. Gates, 108, Lunn, from Boston, bel.

Sch Donald, 51, Wilson, from Rockport, J. W. McAlroy Co., bel.

Sch Ella May, 67, Branscombe, from Portland, D. J. Purdy, bel.

Coastwise—Sch Tetlys, Johnson, from fishing; J. A. Bayley, Russell, from Grand Manan; Fred Norman, Trask, from Bay St. Lawrence; Centennial, More, from Grand Manan; Harbor, Maude, Barclay, from Port Lorne; Levika, Graham, from Parramore; Eliza Bell, Wadlin, from Campobello; letta, Longman, from fishing; Greiguelan, Peters, from Sydney; Goldfinch, Graham, from Rockport.

Cleared.

Sch Carrie Belle, 200, Gayton, for City Island, I. O.

Sch H. B. Homan, 229, Wadsworth, for Vineyard Haven.

Sch William Marshall, 230, Campbell, for Washington.

Coastwise—Sch Tetlys, Johnson, from Campobello; Susie Pearl, McCrea, for Quaco; Maude, Barclay, for Port Lorne; Symthe, for Parramore; Seattle, Merriam, for Windsor; Eliza Bell, Wadlin, from Campobello; Gussie, Harris, for Joggins.

To cure Headache in ten minutes use KUMPORT Headache Powders.

SLIGHTLY MIXED.

The following pathetic obituary notice appeared in the Charlotte Harbor Guardian:

At Savage Harbour on June 21st 1901. Mr. John Pigott, aged 87 years.

The Orange tree is the best you know. To which everybody is sure to go; if you don't be there you'll miss a treat, and fail your many friends to meet.

KING'S DAUGHTERS' CONVENTION.

The date of the dominion convention of the King's Daughters and Sons is drawing very near. The members in this city are looking forward to a good time, especially to welcoming the general secretary of the order, Mrs. Mary Lowe Dickinson. Mrs. Dickinson is well known in the literary world, both as a writer of books and a contributor to many magazines. She was principal at one time of a college in Denver, Colorado, and has recently held the position of president of the National Council of Women. Mrs. Dickinson shares with Mrs. Bottom the talent of conducting soul-inspiring helpful Bible readings. Such Bible readings will be held at the King's Daughters' guild each afternoon during the convention.

The convention opens Thursday morning, July 4th, at the guild of the Methodist church. Mrs. Savage of Toronto, Ontario, provincial secretary, will give an address, and will be followed by Mrs. Isabelle Charles Davis of New York, so well known in our city.

Another public meeting will be held at St. David's church Monday evening, July 8th, and Mrs. Dickinson will be the principal speaker.

DISCOURAGED.

(Washington Star.)
"You used to be something of an altruist," said the friend.

"Yes," answered Willie Washington. "I was a Theosophist for a while, too. But I had to give up. I've tried being a whole lot of things, but I never got far enough along to find out what the names by which they are called actually mean."

NATURAL QUESTION.

Ostend—Paw, are witches married? Paw—I guess not, my son.

Ostend—Then what are they always doing with broomsicks?—Chicago News.

H. M. Whitney and family will spend the summer months at their residence in Sydney.

OTTAWA NEWS.

OTTAWA, June 26.—City Clerk Henderson today registered at the department of agriculture the insignia of the city and the city colors. The latter consists of three narrow strips of ribbon of blue, red and royal purple. Ottawa is the first city in the dominion to adopt distinctive colors to be used in the form of a badge for decorative purposes.

The year book of Canada for 1900 was issued today. It contains several new features. Distribution will be made first to the newspapers of Canada.

A recent additional order from the home authorities for hay for South Africa means that, including August shipments, 15,000 tons will have been sent from the dominion. Up to the present, since the outbreak of the war, the home government has expended over \$3,000,000 for hay, jams, meats, preserved vegetables, etc., in Canada.

A shipment of Canadian tobacco is being made to Belgium with a view to open up a market there for this product of the dominion. Professor Robertson, now in England, will proceed to Antwerp for the purpose of finding a competent agent to handle the shipment.

Dr. Borden will go to Buffalo on Dominion Day to represent the government on the occasion of the opening of the Canadian building at the Pan-American exposition.

It is stated today that returns of the population of the dominion will not be available for two months yet. The population of the leading cities and towns may be known in about a fortnight.

Bicyclists and athletes depend on BENTLEY'S Liniment to keep their joints limber and muscles in trim.

ST. JOHN'S CHURCH.

The subject of the second lecture in the literature course delivered by Mr. de Soyres upon English writers of the 18th century was Gibbon, the historian of Rome's decline and fall. The lecturer briefly reviewed the incidents of Gibbon's life, dwelling upon the unfortunate condition of the English universities when he entered Magdalen college. The immense reading which more than counterbalanced this disadvantage was illustrated and the influence of Gibbon's stay at Louisa upon his prose style noticed. The first efforts in literature hardly showed promise of the future distinction. It was a slowly ripening gem which was to create the immortal work. The immediate success of the first volume of the Decline and Fall was unprecedented, and the greater merits of the later volumes were not unrecognized by competent judges. Mr. de Soyres examined the merits and defects of Gibbon's historical method, pointing out the initial fallacies which underlay the famous chapters upon Christianity. Yet Gibbon could do justice to the church. Newman had rightly declared that in no history does Adamantine receive more generous admiration. This appreciation of true greatness must be held to atone for many shortcomings. Mr. de Soyres' next lecture will be upon the Literary Importers of the 18th Century. Macpherson and Chatterton.

W. H. Brown

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MEDICAL EXAMINATIONS.

At the annual examination of the Council of Physicians and Surgeons of New Brunswick, which began yesterday and will continue for three days, seven candidates presented themselves for the preliminary and eleven for the final examination. The examiners are Doctors P. R. Inches, J. W. Daniel, James Christie, W. W. White, R. Drenon Walker, G. A. B. Addy. The candidates are: Primary examinations—Charles H. Montgomery, Carleton; Scott Murray, St. John; George H. Turner, Baie Verte; N. B. E. O. Stevens, Sackville; P. B. Puddington, St. John; George Bailey, Fredericton; and W. W. Lamb of St. Andrews. Final professional examination—Dr. R. L. Ellis, Youghall; Dr. R. T. Ryan, Fredericton; Dr. L. E. Robideaux, Shediac; Dr. C. A. McDonald, Dr. W. B. Rowley, Marysville; Dr. Robert Robertson, St. John; Dr. P. E. Butler, Milltown; Dr. H. W. Coates, Moncton.

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ton; Dr. Thomas H. Lunney, St. John; Dr. L. B. Wilkins, Oromocto; Dr. B. N. Wiley, Fredericton.

SPORTING NEWS.

BASE BALL.

For the game Saturday the Alerts have requested the Bangor team that hope be placed behind the bat this day on St. John's baseball cranks will be able to see their old favorite at his clever work again. Smith, the star pitcher of the Bangors, is an old St. John boy.

Webster Will Stay Here. Regarding the attempt of the Halifax Resolutes to steal the Alerts' battery, Webster states that he has not decided to accept their offer and feels that he is in honor bound to remain with his present team. He contradicts the statements in the Halifax papers that he wrote to Trainer Mack expressing a desire to come to this city, and also denies that Mack advised him not to sign any agreement with the Alerts.

National League. St. Louis, 3; Boston, 2. Brooklyn, 16; Pittsburgh, 3. New York, 5; Cincinnati, 2.

American League.

Milwaukee, 8; Cleveland, 8. Washington, 5; Philadelphia, 4.

Hockey's Strong Team.

The Old Town, Maine, baseball team will play the newly organized Houlton team on Thursday and Friday at Houlton. The latter aggregation is under the management of John A. McLean and is expected to be a particularly formidable team. It is likely to run up against this season. Five of the players are local men, while the rest are imported. One of the pitching, has done some great work this year on the Georgetown university team and great things are expected of him. Bobby Yell at third base and Carrigan, who is to play right field, are both exceedingly strong in this position. Carrigan, who has been engaged to play short, is considered to be one of the best men in the state playing that position today. Allen, who is to cover second base, was captain of the Bates college team this season, and can be relied upon to play this position in a most satisfactory manner. The complete lineup of the team is as follows: Catcher, Stone, c.; 1st, 2d, 3d, Allen, 2d; 3d, 4th, 5th, 6th, 7th, 8th, 9th, 10th, 11th, 12th, 13th, 14th, 15th, 16th, 17th, 18th, 19th, 20th, 21st, 22nd, 23rd, 24th, 25th, 26th, 27th, 28th, 29th, 30th, 31st, 32nd, 33rd, 34th, 35th, 36th, 37th, 38th, 39th, 40th, 41st, 42nd, 43rd, 44th, 45th, 46th, 47th, 48th, 49th, 50th, 51st, 52nd, 53rd, 54th, 55th, 56th, 57th, 58th, 59th, 60th, 61st, 62nd, 63rd, 64th, 65th, 66th, 67th, 68th, 69th, 70th, 71st, 72nd, 73rd, 74th, 75th, 76th, 77th, 78th, 79th, 80th, 81st, 82nd, 83rd, 84th, 85th, 86th, 87th, 88th, 89th, 90th, 91st, 92nd, 93rd, 94th, 95th, 96th, 97th, 98th, 99th, 100th, 101st, 102nd, 103rd, 104th, 105th, 106th, 107th, 108th, 109th, 110th, 111th, 112th, 113th, 114th, 115th, 116th, 117th, 118th, 119th, 120th, 121st, 122nd, 123rd, 124th, 125th, 126th, 127th, 128th, 129th, 130th, 131st, 132nd, 133rd, 134th, 135th, 136th, 137th, 138th, 139th, 140th, 141st, 142nd, 143rd, 144th, 145th, 146th, 147th, 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LOCAL NEWS.

Geo. A. Dyer, farmer, of Kent, Carleton Co., has resigned.

At noon today the thermometer at the Star office registered 64 degrees.

The police report a hole in the sewer on Johnston street.

Alex. Johnson has been appointed a revisor for the parish of Simonds.

There were ninety-seven cases on the civil docket today—the largest number for a very long time.

One of the series of concerts given at the chalet during the season will be held there this evening.

Nathan Boone of Burton is dead, aged 64 years. He left a widow, one daughter and two sons.

Rev. Warren McLeod will preach in the Carleton Baptist church on Sunday both morning and evening.

A good jack-knife, found this morning on Reed's Point wharf, is at the Star office.

Tenders are asked for rebuilding the Coy Creek bridge, Sheffield, Sunbury Co.

The creditors of Andrew Lottimer, Fredericton, met in that city, July 6th; those of R. H. O'Brien on June 29th.

"The Star is always the first paper asked for at our house," said a citizen today. "It is the newest paper in the town."

The Hartland bridge will be formally opened on July 4th. Members of the provincial government, local legislature, dominion parliament and others will be present.

The first annual meeting of the Maritime Graduates' society of McGill University will be held in Halifax July 3rd.

Two courses of timber are yet to be placed on Reed's Point wharf and the southern portion is to be floored. The repairs will probably be finished this week.

On account of a depraved taste for Scotch, a sample of which was found in his pocket, Fred Gough was this morning fined eight dollars in the police court.

Between two and three o'clock this morning two heifers, found wandering about on Main street, were put into John McCarthy's stable on Simonds street.

The New York stock market, which opened weak this morning, has shown a further decline since noon. The Seventh National bank suspended today.

The number of dog licenses has climbed slowly up to five hundred and eighty and there it seems to hang. It may be that a general hanging of the surplus canines is the reason.

The Star is asked to enquire why the whitewashing of the market building is not being done with whitening and glue, as called for by the specifications.

Dan McDonald, of Nova Scotia, brother of the Klondike King, left last night by the steamer Danube. He first went into the Klondike in 1898 and took a "lay" on one of his brother's claims on the Eldorado. In 15 months this share amounted to \$32,000—Vancouver World, June 13th.

This forenoon Daniel McCallum and George M. Michaud, two sailors off the steamship Eretria, were arrested and brought before the magistrate, charged with leaving their ship without permission. Capt. Mulcahey appeared against them and the prisoners were remanded until tomorrow.

A quiet wedding took place at St. Martin's on June 10th, when James J. McQuade and Lillie H. Gordon were united in the holy bonds of matrimony by the Rev. M. J. Coughlan. Miss Kate Nugent was bridesmaid and M. Lawlor supported the groom. The contracting parties were both of Grovehill, St. John Co.

The Uncle Tom's Cabin company played to large houses yesterday afternoon and evening. In the company there are no particularly powerful players, but their work as a whole is satisfactory and the performances were enjoyed by all present. The singing by the quartette was above the ordinary, the dancing good and the juggling very interesting.

The large retaining wall on the face of the pond on Ludlow street, near the corner of St. John street, Carleton, has, on account of the recent rain storm, slid out about three or four feet from its proper place and is now in a dangerous condition. Fully one hundred feet of the wall has shifted and the separating of it will mean a large expenditure.

Messrs. Stapleton, Jenkins, Harding and Pasmore of England are in town. They come to New Brunswick as a result of A. H. Hickman, the N. B. commissioner's efforts in London. Messrs. Stapleton and Jenkins are going on farms near Fredericton. Mr. Stapleton served in South Africa with the 15th Lancers and was wounded in the arm.

Yesterday afternoon a woman from Carleton appeared at the police court to complain about a man by the name of Hamon, who she asserted, had pointed a pistol at her, and whose arrest she demanded. After some conversation with Mr. Henderson she was prevailed upon to go back home without the desired warrant.

The Rev. Geo. A. Sellar, who was suddenly taken ill while coming down from Fredericton on the Victoria yesterday, is today much better. He will probably be able to attend to his usual duties tomorrow. In the marriage ceremony which he is to perform this evening, Mr. Sellar will be assisted by the Rev. H. Pierce, of Mount Stewart, P. E. I.

A DROP IN STRAWBERRIES.

The bottom was knocked completely out of the strawberry market yesterday. Prices were ruling at about fifteen cents a box wholesale before the drop came and then they were selling at anything between five and eight cents. The sudden fall was caused by the influx at the same time of Ontario, Nova Scotia and New Brunswick berries into the local market. Berry owners picked largely after the rain storm of the first of the week and shipped their crop to the city. About action proved a blessing to those with luxurious tastes and limited means of catering to these tastes. Today everybody can have strawberries at a low rate, and as a result the demand is good. It is hard to tell whether the prices will not take an upward turn after the present supply is exhausted.

LAST NIGHT'S BAND CONCERT.

Several thousand people enjoyed the concert given by the City Cornet band on Hazen street last evening, and many remarks were heard about the need of a proper band stand in a more suitable part of the city. As a spot for an enjoyable promenade, the scene of last evening's concert is by no means perfect. The ground is uneven, full of holes, and has many large stones scattered on the surface, into and over which people who prefer strolling about are continually stumbling. But in spite of the unevenness of the ground the excellent programme rendered by the band was thoroughly appreciated. The next concert will be given at the park on Saturday afternoon.

THE DRUG CLERKS.

All the drug clerks in the city who were able to get away left the head of King street at half past two o'clock for Ben Lomond for the purpose of enjoying a day in the country and holding a business meeting. About noon they all went out and this afternoon a game of baseball is being played between the wholesale and the retail clerks. This evening a meeting will be held in the Ben Lomond house, at which a drug clerk's association will be formed, a constitution adopted and officers elected. After the meeting there will be a supper.

A CLOTHING OPPORTUNITY.

Harvey, the Union street clothier, whose business has steadily grown larger, is offering a special sale of clothing at an interesting announcement. Today's Star. He states that owing to his careful methods of buying he has been able to secure a great bargain from a manufacturer in men's youths' and boys' clothing, which he offers at less than manufacturers' prices. Mr. Harvey invites all interested to call and see for themselves. The goods are marked in plain figures and the prices are very low.

PERSONAL.

Miss Belle Jarvis, who graduated yesterday from the St. John kindergarten, returned to her home in Truro today.

Mrs. C. H. Thomas, who has been visiting in the city, returned to Moncton today.

Miss Wood left today for Sackville. Rev. G. W. Plante to St. John today on his way home to Moncton.

Rev. G. W. Young of Charlottetown was in the city today on his way home from the Methodist conference. E. M. Sipprell returned from Halifax today.

THE FISH MARKET.

The local fish market remains about the same as last week. There is a fair supply of fish in and prices remain firm. Salmon are selling at from fourteen to twenty cents a pound, halibut at ten to twelve cents, mackerel ten to twenty cents each. The last catch of the cod fish has arrived and a fair catch has been made. They are selling at fifteen cents a dozen. Shad are offered at from twelve to twenty-five cents each.

THE MAGGIE MILLER.

For the convenience of many who will want to see the late Mrs. Emma Lee Parris, wife of Capt. John E. Parris, which took place from her late residence, 134 Douglas avenue, this afternoon, was very largely attended. Service was conducted at the house at three o'clock by the Rev. Geo. Steele and the choir of the Portland Methodist church assisted in the singing. There were no pall bearers. Interment was made at Cedar Hill cemetery. The casket was literally covered with flowers and carnations, with the words "At rest" in purple, from Mr. and Mrs. Fred D. Miles; a star, from Mrs. Parris' husband and daughter; a crescent of roses, sweet peas, amaranth and maiden hair fern, from Capt. William McLean of Arlington, Mass.; a crescent, from T. A. Armour, and beautiful bouquets of cala lilies, roses and carnations from Fred E. Flewelling, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Kelly, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Waring, Mr. and Mrs. John McCaffrey and Mrs. Fred Marvin.

FUNERALS TODAY.

The funeral of the late Andrew Myers took place this afternoon at 2 o'clock from his late home 63 City road. There was a very large attendance, including members of Court La Tour, I. O. F., of which the deceased gentleman was a member. The services were conducted by Rev. C. T. Phillips and interment was at Fernhill.

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The funeral of the late John Gillin took place this morning from his late residence on Sheriff street at nine o'clock. The body was taken to St. Peter's church, where Requiem mass was celebrated by the Rev. Father Borgman. Interment was made in the old Catholic burying ground. There were no pall bearers.

The Royals accept the challenge of the Young Glad Tidings team. They would like the first game on the government grounds, Main street.

LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE.**THE OLD BURIAL GROUND.**

To the Editor of the Star:
Sir,—I notice in a city paper a suggestion that a band stand be erected at the southwest corner of the old burying ground.

Now, surely the authorities will have better judgment than to allow anything of the sort to be placed in or near that sacred spot.

To anyone who realises how valuable are the old head-stones and the records they preserve, the sight of the stones' dilapidated condition causes deep feelings of regret at the small amount of interest taken by the descendants of our good old Loyalist forefathers in the resting place of those whose noble deeds will always be admired by British subjects through the world.

Instead of drawing crowds of people (many of whom would no doubt be thoughtless enough to cause still further damage to the stones, etc.) would it not be better for the Loyalist society to take the matter up and have the broken stones mended, the graves become out of plumb straightened and also endeavor to have the whole reserve put in the best possible shape and kept that way?

In the years to come, probably the Loyalist spirit will wake up and those who then possess the right feeling will no doubt look back and denounce the people of our time, who through lack of feeling and good judgment allowed valuable records to be broken and carried away to the dumps on Courtenay Bay. Will not our people, wake up before it is too late?

EQUITY.**INDIANTOWN NOTES.**

Edward Chase, of the Street Railway Co., and a party of friends left this morning for the Log Cabin to enjoy a day's fishing.

The first green peas of the season to come down river arrived on the Hampstead yesterday. There was about a bushel of them and they were grown by William Beasley, of Crawford's Point. A strong spirit of rivalry exists among the up-river farmers as to who will send the first vegetables to the city, and this year in regard to peas, Mr. Beasley leads. Today another consignment of about three bushels came down from W. J. Johnston, of Gray's Landing. The peas sold for three dollars per bushel.

The tug Lily Glaser is tied up at John O. Yankavetz and the Admiralty Oak Point, waiting for a flood tide. Both boats are bringing down large rafts from Springhill and the booms. Mr. Anderson, who has just completed the approach to the new wharf at Wickham, the last winter, came down on the Hampstead today and went to St. Martins to look after another piece of work. On his return he will go to Holderville in the Reach to take charge of the building of a new wharf there.

JAMES MCCrackEN DEAD.

James McCracken, who was so seriously hurt on Tuesday by being thrown from his cart on Chipman Hill, died at his home 44 Sheriff street, this morning at six o'clock. This accident which was caused by the driver's neglecting to put the key in the front of the cart and which has resulted so fatally has rendered his family without any means of support. Mr. McCracken was last winter unable to work, but obtained employment in the spring and has since then been endeavoring to pay off the debts which he had contracted during the winter. This took all his spare money and he was unable to lay any by. As a result his wife is now almost penniless and any assistance from friends would be much appreciated.

Deceased was fifty-one years of age, and is said to have been a good, steady workman. His funeral will take place at half past two o'clock tomorrow.

SCHOOL CONCERT.

The scholars of Alexandra school will give a concert this evening in the school hall. The proceeds are in aid of the piano fund. The programme will be: Chorus, Come to My Beautiful Home; A Boating Party; recitation, Sand, by Doris Murray; chorus, A Wish; reading, The Women of Humble Head; Miss Sabra Mahoney; an operetta, Edith's Dream, 22 characters; chief characters—Edith, Belle Golding; Fairy Grandmother, Mildred Berry; Little Red Riding Hood, Mazy Brown; Mother Goose, Elsie Hayes; Mrs. Spratt, Bina Keith; Six Grandmas; duet, A River, Miss Fay Scribner, Miss Cora Colwell; recitation, The Deserted School House, Walter Campbell; Queen Flora's Day Dream, an operetta of 22 characters; chief characters—Queen Flora, Bina Shaw; Bumble Bee, Ted Nobles; Stella, Cora Colwell. Miss Albe Granville will act as pianist.

HE LAKES ST. JOHN.

G. E. Jennings of the Fishing Gazette of New York was in the city yesterday and registered at the Dufferin. He left by the Prince Rupert this morning for Digby, Yarmouth and Halifax. While here Mr. Jennings gathered considerable information about the fishing trade, and at the suggestion of James Patterson called at the tourists' bureau, where he was furnished with literature relating to St. John and the province. Mr. Jennings stated that he liked St. John better than any Canadian city he had visited, and he hopes to come down this way next year with his wife, who is an Ontario lady.

THIS EVENING.

Gideon L. O. L.
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A Country Merchant, at the Opera house.

Grand concert, Alexandra school. Concert at the Chalet.

CIRCUIT COURT.

In the circuit court this morning the case of the King v. Robert Nixon was commenced. The evidence of Mrs. Nixon and Miss Pike was taken and the case is still on. Dr. Pugsley, K. C., for the crown; D. Mullin, K. C., for the defendant.

A number of the trees on King Square which had low hanging branches were trimmed today.

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The residents of the chalet, in order that the attractions of the place may become more widely known and appreciated, will hold a concert there this evening. Although the entertainment provided will be an excellent one, the greatest pleasure to be gained by all who go out is the privilege of spending a fine evening in a beautiful summer resort. On the programme for the concert are the names of R. C. Holder, solo; Stephen Matthews, reading; Mr. Holder, banjo selections; Roy Crawford, flute solo; selections by the Exmouth street male quartette; and a number of others favorably known in musical circles.

Refreshments will be served at the chalet, and the I. C. R. will issue excursion fares. The evening trains leave the depot at 5:05 and 6:20 local, returning leave the chalet at 10:10.

The chalet is now filled to its utmost capacity and enough applications for admission have been received to fill it three or four times over. It is rapidly becoming one of the most popular resorts, and many improvements

for the comfort of guests are being made. A carriage shed, sufficient for the accommodation of eight or ten teams is now being built for the convenience of those who drive out. In regard to the proposed new roadway nothing has as yet been done. The chalet people have asked the government for permission to move the railway fence a few feet from its present position, but have not received any answer. The present roadway does not afford a convenient way of reaching the new carriage shed, and the idea is for the proposed road to run around the chalet to the shed; the old one to be used as a footpath.

KING'S DAUGHTERS AND SONS.

The dominion convention of the King's Daughters and Sons will open in this city July 4th. Among those who will take part will be Mrs. Mary Lowe Dickinson, the well known authoress, who is general secretary of the order; Mrs. Savage, of Toronto, provincial secretary and Mrs. Isabelle Charles Davis of New York.

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