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### RAILWAY CONTRACTS.

CAPE TOWN, Nov. 12.—Dr. J. W. Stuart, commissioner of public works of Cape Colony, in the course of his recent letter to the papers here, dealing with the mission of Mr. Elliott, general manager of the Cape government railways, portions of which have already been published, asserted that of the 124 engines for the construction of which government sanction has been given during the last two years, sixty two have been ordered from British firms and 62 from American. The contracts for the remaining 62 have not yet been placed. It is hoped that the time of delivery and the prices will enable these twenty-four to be ordered in Great Britain. Mr. Elliott also declared that the Cape government had offered as much as \$110 per month per locomotive for delivery within the contract time. As an instance of quick American delivery he mentioned the fact that four engines bought in April, 1900, which were built for the Netherlands Company, were awaiting shipment and actually delivered at Cape Town during the following month.

Orders for about half the rolling stock of the Hopetown-Kaibab-Kraal two-foot line and for the whole of the Avontuur-Fort Elizabeth line of the same gauge, 34 miles in length, including locomotives, are still unplaced, according to Dr. Stuart's statement. The British tender of \$25,000 per ton for rails for the latter line, was the lowest and was accepted.

Canada was invited to supply rolling stock as a recognition of the sacrifices made by her in behalf of the empire

during the war. Dr. Stuart asked whether any of the colonies would be willing to penalize themselves as Cape Colony has done for the benefit of the British trade and whether British manufacturers had shown any reciprocal feeling by giving better terms to the Cape or to other colonies than to foreign customers.

Since the statement was issued the commissioner of public works has further announced that the Cape government has now issued orders for 500 trucks and is awaiting tenders.

### CORNER IN EGGS.

CHICAGO, Nov. 12.—Local packers are believed to be cornering the egg market and now have 500,000 cases in cold storage.

The combination expects, it is said, to have the market completely under their control before the middle of January. Conditions are such that prices are advancing rapidly, having gone up to 32 cents from 22 within the past week.

### THE WEATHER.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 12.—Forecast—Eastern states and northern New York—Partly cloudy tonight, probably rain or snow, except in extreme south portions; Thursday, generally fair; diminishing westerly winds.

TORONTO, November 12.—Gales gradually shifting to west and north-west, rain today. Thursday strong winds and gales west to northwest, mostly fair and cooler again.

### CANADIAN BRIEFS.

Rev. Hugh McLean Dead.—Rich Find of Molybdenite.—Burned to Death.

TORONTO, Nov. 12.—The richest find of molybdenite yet reported to the bureau of mines has been made in Victoria county. The deposit is said to be a very large one. Molybdenite is used chiefly as an alloy in the manufacture of steel, and also for making molybdenic acid.

Rev. Hugh McLean, formerly one of the best known ministers in Ontario, is dead at his home here, aged 72 years.

WINDSOR, Ont., Nov. 12.—An inquest has been held on the body of a man who died at the Ontario government order directing him forcibly to remove the pipes which carry natural gas from Essex to Detroit, the company which own the pipe having continued to export gas after being ordered by the government to stop. The government announces its intention to fight the matter to the end.

CARLETON PLACE, Ont., Nov. 12.—The dwelling house of Alex McLean, farmer, a mile and a half from town, was burned early this morning with all its contents. Two persons perished in the flames, Mrs. James McLean, aged 82, mother of Mr. McLean, and a hired man named McGregor, 18 years old. The other inmates escaped in their night apparel.

NORWOOD, Ont., Nov. 12.—The boiler in the cheese and butter factory here exploded yesterday. T. Moffatt, who was working near it at the time, was fatally injured, and Oakley, the owner of the factory, injured. The building is in ruins.

DELLA, Ont., Nov. 12.—B. Smith, a Brookville brakeman on the Brookville and Westport railway, fell while coupling cars here yesterday and was instantly killed. He was fifty years old.

ST. THOMAS, Nov. 12.—Thos. E. Bailey, aged 66, a carriage maker, fell down stairs and was instantly killed, his neck being broken.

PETERBORO, Nov. 12.—The body of John Hooper, a farm laborer, was found in a well on an unused farm in Ottonville Township. It is supposed to be a case either of accident or suicide.

### TORONTO.

Police Charged With Being in Collision With Gamblers.

TORONTO, Ont., Nov. 12.—The board of police commissioners yesterday commenced an investigation into the charges of collusion between police officials and proprietors of gambling houses in the city, which were made some months ago. It was decided to hold a series of public hearings, and the commissioners announced the investigation will be most searching. Police Magistrate Denison announcing that the board has power to force any citizen to give evidence. He added that several of whose names have been mentioned in newspaper articles on the subject will be called: H. C. Hocken, editor of the Evening News, and Bernard Mullen, supposed to be the writer of some articles assailing the police in the matter, which were published in News a few months ago, were called. Hocken claimed he should not be required to testify, and the hearing was adjourned to allow him to consult counsel. Col. Grassette, chief of police, deposed he had no reason to believe the charges true.

### RESTIGOUCHE COUNTY COURT.

DALHOUSIE, N. B., Nov. 12.—Restigouche county court opened here today. Judge Wilkinson presiding. The docket was as follows:

The King v. Lullian, an appeal by the defendant from a conviction under the liquor license act. Mott for appellant, McLachy for respondents. This matter was argued and judgment reserved.

McLachy v. Martin, a remnant from last term, was settled in court, the defendant confessing judgment for part of plaintiff's claim. McAllister for plaintiff, Barberie for defendant.

Evans Bros. Co. v. Crowell, McAllister and Mott for plaintiff, Murray and McLachy for defendant.

Chailoux et al v. Wallis is now being tried with a jury. Montgomery for plaintiff, Barberie and Mott for defendant.

### LOD STRATHCONA INTERESTED.

NEW YORK, Nov. 12.—According to the Times a series of quiet conferences have been going on during the past twenty-four hours among the various representatives of the different interests which are trying to effect a settlement of the Northwestern railroad situation. The chief figure at these meetings was Lord Strathcona, who is closely identified with Canadian railways.

Lord Strathcona could not be seen, but every detail of the plan of settlement was submitted to him and when he sailed for England today he will carry with him a complete copy of the agreement which is to be used for the information of European stockholders. It is Lord Strathcona who is to take charge of the settlement of European interests.

NEW YORK, Nov. 12.—Among the passengers who sailed for Liverpool today on the steamer Oceanic were Lord and Lady Strathcona of Montreal.

### HOLLAND'S QUEEN.

BERLIN, Nov. 12.—The Koelnische Zeitung today says that the Queen of Holland is suffering from premature confinement, adding that there is no cause for alarm.

### TERRIFIC STORM.

And Many Disasters on the British Coast—Many Lives Lost.

LONDON, Nov. 12.—The gale which has been sweeping over Great Britain and Ireland for the past two days continues unabated at many coast points. Over the Welsh lowlands the torrential rains are increasing, causing disastrous floods. Reports of wrecks and casualties continue to flow in. The death list, made up of three and four, has an aggregate approaching one hundred.

The mail boat Nord has succeeded in returning to Dover. The mails and passengers are safe. The crew of the lightship was also landed this morning, after passing a terrible night at sea in a small boat.

The British steamer Stevio has been beached at Dover. She is high and dry across the parade. Early today a French bark struck Hendon. Nineteen of the crew were drowned.

Numerous other wrecks have been reported, but the weather in most cases prevents the identification of the craft. Two vessels in the district were sighted yesterday evening off Dunneen, but weather was so severe that the life boat was unable to put out to their assistance. This morning one of them sank. The other, a steamer, reached West Bay where a tug is now standing by her.

The revenue cutter Active has been wrecked in the Fifth of Forth. Twenty-three of her crew were drowned and three were saved.

### DISASTERS AT SEA.

BUENOS AYRES, Nov. 12.—The transport Chaco, which has arrived at this port, reports having picked up at Stettin Island, Terra Del Fuego, the captain, the first and second officers and twenty-one of the crew of the French ship Astree, Capt. Juan. The ship had been abandoned Oct. 8, off Cape St. John. Six members of the crew, who had left the ship in small boats, are missing. The Chaco also picked up the first officer and two of the crew of the British bark Glencairn, Capt. English. The Glencairn was lost off Port Marguerite, Staten Island. The captain, the second officer, the third officer and the rest of the crew were drowned.

### UNDER MARTIAL LAW.

BARCELONA, Nov. 12.—Martial law is expected to be enforced here today, as the result of student riots during the past forty-eight hours. A detachment of cavalry occupied the university and ejected the students and professors. The troops subsequently charged the students in the streets. Numbers of persons were injured. The stores were barricaded and all tradespeople are panic stricken.

### FATAL THEATRE FIRE.

GRAND RAPIDS, Mich., Nov. 12.—Powers theatre was destroyed by fire early this morning. The property loss amounts to about \$100,000. One man perished and several were overcome by smoke. The blaze started in the basement and quickly spread. W. Warrington, an employee in the building, was suffocated to death. Mrs. Washburn, son and daughter, were overcome by the smoke. They were rescued by firemen and will recover. There were a number of narrow escapes. The theatre was burned twice before.

### BOER BLUSTER.

BERLIN, Nov. 12.—The Frankfurter Zeitung today publishes an interview with A. D. W. Wolmarans, the Boer envoy from Amsterdam, in which the latter is quoted as declaring that the alleged impending peace negotiations between the Boers and British are unfounded.

"So long," says Wolmarans, "as the British ministry maintains the attitude outlined by Mr. Chamberlain and Lord Salisbury's last speeches, the question of peace cannot be entertained. The idea of the cessation of the goldfields is absurd."

### A BEAUTY BECOMES INSANE.

LONDON, Nov. 12.—Miss Vanderbilt W. Ackerman, who came into prominence last winter through Prof. Hubert Herkimer suddenly refusing further sittings for a picture for the academy, developed insanity at the Hotel Cecil last night and today was sent to an infirmary pending examination tomorrow.

### GOLD SHIPMENTS.

NEW YORK, Nov. 12.—The following announcements have been made of engagements of gold for export tomorrow:—Heldelbach, Lydenheimer & Co., \$1,000,000; Goldman Sachs & Co., \$750,000; United States Mortgage and Trust Co., \$500,000; Lazard Freres, \$2,000,000. This makes a total of \$4,250,000.

The National City bank will ship \$1,000,000 gold tomorrow. Total thus far for tomorrow, \$5,250,000.

### AN INSURANCE DEAL.

NEW YORK, Nov. 12.—A despatch to the Commercial from London says: The formal announcement of the provisional agreement for the amalgamation of the Alliance Assurance Company, Ltd., and Imperial Life Insurance Co. is expected within a few days. It may be stated on absolute authority that the matter is practically settled.

### LAKE ERIE STORM SWIFT.

CLEVELAND, Ohio, Nov. 12.—A wind with a velocity of fifty miles an hour has been blowing on Lake Erie for the past fifteen hours, resulting in a complete embargo on lake commerce, and aside from the passenger boats no lake craft has come in to Cleveland during that time. The same conditions prevail along the south shore of Lake Erie.

### MISS STONE.

She is Alive, in the Town of Ceres, Macedonia.

NEW YORK, Nov. 12.—Ivan Milich, a Bulgarian clergyman from Uscub, in Macedonia, has just arrived from visiting Miss Stone, and is now in consultation with Mr. Dickinson, says a Sofia, Bulgaria despatch to the Journal and Advertiser.

"Miss Stone," he said, "is in the house of Bekir Bey in the town of Ceres, Macedonia. I left her two days ago, coming direct to Mr. Dickinson to try to arrange for her release. Miss Stone and Mme. Telika are well, but the strain is terrific, and there is danger that Miss Stone may lose her mind. The brigand chief informs me that they will insist on the ransom for Miss Stone, Bey, in whose house Miss Stone is confined, is hand in glove with the brigand chief. Bekir Bey assisted the brigands by keeping Miss Stone for thirty days in the mountains before taking her to his house.

"There are about 150 Macedonians imprisoned in connection with the Stone affair by the Turkish officials. I want the Macedonians released. If the American, the English and the French consuls at Salonica insist upon Bekir Bey releasing Miss Stone it will not be necessary to deal with the brigands, and we can get her release without paying ransom."

### KING EDWARD'S VIEWS.

LONDON, Nov. 12.—In view of the recent attitude of Count Gotchowski, the Austrian-Hungarian foreign minister, in regard to the difference in the standing of the republics and monarchies, the dictum of King Edward, holding that honors to be paid to presidents and crowned heads at the time of his majesty's coronation shall be identical, has special interest. The question arose during a discussion of the details of the decorations to be bestowed, and the mode of entertainment of the heads of states attending the coronation. The king refused point blank to distinguish between the titles of president, king and emperor, arguing that his object was to honor the state and not the man. No distinction will be made except possibly in the case of near relations of the royal family.

### NEW SHORT RIFLE.

LONDON, Nov. 12.—The Daily News makes the following announcement: "Owing to Lord Roberts' conviction that the sabre and lance have been their best days and must be replaced by rifle and cavalry by rifles, while the bulk of the infantry must henceforth be mounted, the small arms committee was instructed some months ago to find a modified form of the Lee-Enfield suitable for all arms. As a result the committee has decided in favor of shortening the barrel five inches and increasing the twist of the rifling in order to compensate for the loss of range and accuracy, adding a ten cartridge clip action. An experimental issue of a thousand will be made soon."

### SOUTH AFRICA.

HALIFAX, N. S., Nov. 12.—J. Eustace, troop sergeant major, 21 troop, South African constabulary, writing to a friend in Halifax, says he is glad to report that there is only one Halifax man in hospital to date, and that by an accident, his horse falling while crossing a drift across the Modder River. There are three more in hospital at the present date: Trooper Ryan, New Brunswick, fractured leg, leg, progressing; Trooper McLaughlin, Ontario, formerly 3rd R. C. R., Halifax, broken leg, fall from horse; Trooper McLean, Cape Breton, sick with fever, progressing. Troop Sergeant Major Eustace has under him 57 Halifax men, 25 New Brunswick men, 15 from various places, making in all 97 men.

### AFGHAN AFFAIRS.

LONDON, Nov. 12.—"It is reported here," says the St. Petersburg correspondent of the Daily Telegraph, "that Jehanad Khan, who fled from Afghanistan on the death of the Amir, has been making trouble on the Indian frontier. He gathered several hundred followers and attacked an Afghan post of 300 troops, commanded by Ali Akbar, near the frontier. Ali Akbar drove the rebels over the frontier, losing one officer and nine soldiers killed.

"The British authorities, then, according to report, arrested Ali Akbar, while Jehanad Khan fled to Kurram Valley. Habib Ullah has ordered the troops to pursue Jehanad Khan."

### STORMS IN ALASKA.

POINT TOWNSEND, Wn., Nov. 12.—The coast of Southeastern Alaska is being swept by storms, according to reports brought by the steamer Alki, which has just arrived from Skagway. Strong winds and snow storms have prevailed almost continuously during the past two weeks, and there is much floating ice in the channels.

### THE DEATH ROLL.

SARATOGA, N. Y., Nov. 12.—Zelpha B. Bradford Shaw, widow of Henry W. Shaw, "John Billings," died here yesterday, aged 81 years.

BOSTON, Mass., Nov. 12.—Sister Julia, provincial superior of the Notre Dame sisters of America, who was making a tour of the schools, is dead at Fenbody. She was taken ill Sunday morning and never rallied. She was more than 70 years of age.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 12.—Rollin M. Daggett, a pioneer journalist of the Pacific coast, ex-member of congress from Nevada and U. S. minister to Havana under the Garfield administration, is dead in this city, aged 70 years.

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WINNIPEG, Nov. 12.—Wm. Garland, member for Fortage LaPrairie, in the Manitoba legislature, died last night at Phoenix, Arizona, where he had gone last month, suffering with throat trouble.



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## THE Y. M. C. A.

The project to secure the erection of a separate and properly equipped Y. M. C. A. building will commend itself to the citizens. Aside from the question of religious influences, the intellectual and physical training which are a part of the work of the association are of great benefit to young men. This is now so universally recognised that in all large cities the Y. M. C. A. building is regarded as a necessity. Montreal has a splendid building. Bangor and Portland, Me., are other familiar examples. Other things being equal, a business house would prefer to engage the services of young men connected with the Y. M. C. A. The influence of the association is for the good of the boys and young men of the community. In this city the directors have always been hampered because of a lack of funds and of a suitable building. We are to have a new library building, and a new home for the Y. M. C. A. would be a fitting complement to it, and an ornament to the city.

In connection with the railway work of the Y. M. C. A. it is worth noting that the directors of the Pennsylvania railroad have appropriated \$35,000 for a home for the association organized among its employees.

## BRANCHING OUT.

The imperialistic policy upon which the United States entered at the close of the war with Spain has presented many new problems for solution by the government of that country. A question now engaging the attention of the naval authorities is that of coaling stations. With a steadily growing navy, and with an extension of United States commercial interests, bringing the country into closer touch with the other great powers and the affairs of the world at large, it is felt that more coaling stations are absolutely necessary. At present attention is chiefly confined to parts already in possession of the United States, although a depot has been established at Yokohama, Japan, and one on the coast of Mexico. Work is progressing on naval stations at Honolulu. Several coaling depots have been established in the Philippines, and others are being selected. The question of stations in Porto Rico and Cuba is under consideration. On the Atlantic coast of the United States, arrangements have been made, and in some cases work has begun, for the establishment of coal depots at Frenchman's Bay, Me., considered an excellent strategic site; Portsmouth, N. H.; Boston, Narragansett Bay, R. I.; another place selected on account of its strategic advantages; New London, Conn.; the New York Navy Yard, League Island, Pa.; Washington, D. C.; Norfolk, Va.; Port Royal, S. C.; Key West and Dry Tortugas, Fla.; both regarded as important strategically; Pensacola, Fla.; Algiers, La. On the Pacific coast stations are or will be established at Dutch Harbor, Alaska, Sitka, Alaska; Bremerton, Wash.; Mare Island, Cal.; Mission Rock, San Francisco Bay, and San Diego, Cal. Efforts are also being made to secure coaling stations in foreign countries, but on this point the naval authorities are very reticent.

## A PHILOSOPHIC HISTORIAN.

MacLay, whose history of the United States navy contained the attack upon Admiral Schley, and who was chiefly responsible for the long and expensive enquiry that has been held, takes matters very philosophically. He says: "I am awaiting the decision of the court before putting out the revised edition of the history. If the court exonerates Admiral Schley and clears him of all discredit I will at once cut out that portion of the third volume which is detrimental to him."

His history of the navy has certainly been widely advertised, but the manner of the advertisement will probably not increase the popularity of the book. If he has been grossly inaccurate in dealing with Admiral Schley there will, perhaps, be some doubt concerning its accuracy in general. Curiously enough, Mr. MacLay is a clerk in the Brooklyn navy yard, thus holding a government position.

Andrew Carnegie attended a meeting of the trustees of the Carnegie Institute in Pittsburgh yesterday and announced that he would double his original offer of \$1,000,000 to endow a polytechnic school, if the city would provide a site; and also double his gift of \$1,000,000 to the Carnegie Institute. Thus Mr. Carnegie gave away \$3,000,000 yesterday. He is certainly losing no time in carrying out his plan to distribute a large share of his wealth for the benefit of the cause of education.

An anarchist meeting to "commemorate the legal murder of the Chicago anarchists," which had been called for last night in London, was prohibited by the police.

## A FORWARD MOVEMENT.

St. John to Have a New Building for the Young Men's Christian Association.

It has been apparent for several years to the men closely identified with the work of the Young Men's Christian Association of St. John that the real work of this organization could not be properly carried on until there was a suitable building provided. The present quarters, which were up to date at the beginning, have long been outgrown and it seems remarkable to some that the association could carry on the splendid work it is doing with the present equipment. The building is not as well lighted as it ought to be and is without a hall large enough to accommodate the association meetings, and the available rooms are so few as to cause serious embarrassment and conflict between the various educational classes, socials, bible meetings, etc. The bathing facilities are altogether inadequate to the demands, and as a consequence, not at all attractive. Young men have in several cases ceased attendance after a few days trial, even though they joined for the benefit of the physical work.

Some time ago it was proposed to raise \$40,000 for repairs, but upon investigation it was the unanimous opinion that it would be false business economy to spend any money on the old building. The gentlemen having the matter in charge have carefully considered the matter and decided to launch a movement for a new building on a site to be determined later. The movement plans for the raising of \$80,000 for the site and complete equipment, and it is definitely stated in the subscription pledges that no operations are to be begun or ground purchased until \$60,000 is secured. This will ensure the erection of such a building as will be a credit to the city of St. John, and one which will enable the association to be an aggressive agency for good in the community.

One gentleman has already pledged a subscription of \$5,000 on condition that several other public spirited men contribute substantial amounts. While no general canvass has been started, something over \$15,000 is already subscribed, and considerable more is assured. It is now proposed to make a general canvass of the city in the interest of this movement. As a public enterprise it ought to commend itself to every citizen. As a safeguard to boys and young men, the work of the association demands attention. Few cities on this continent are now without this organization, and in large numbers of them the equipment is far better than we possess in St. John. Many of our men will remember the beautiful building in Portland, costing \$130,000. In Bangor also, with a population of 20,000, the association owns a property worth over \$60,000.

The movement is not a small one, but St. John is neither small in size nor ideas, and with the present encouraging start, success should be sure and soon.

## OTTAWA.

OTTAWA, Nov. 12.—A deputation of shipping men from Montreal saw the government today on the subject of improving navigation. Messrs. Reford, Harlin, Allan and Torrance addressed the ministers. They presented a memorial covering their requests, suggesting the advisability of the government requesting from the house authorities the services of an experienced hydrographic engineer to report on the St. Lawrence route and so remove the prejudice of insurance companies and others on the other side against the route, this engineer also to make a report of the improvements necessary. It also asked a statement from the dominion government of the improvement work to be done during the next two seasons, and urged that St. John, Halifax and Sydney be made winter ports of Canada instead of American ports, to which end it was suggested that the intercolonial railway be shortened between River du Loup and Moncton.

Incidentally the memorial urged the government to grant low rates over the I. C. R. on steel and iron from Sydney to St. John, N. B., to help the latter trade.

Mr. Tarte told what he had done to improve the channel. Five new dredges had been built, and next year six would be at work deepening the remaining thirty miles of the channel to 30 feet. It would all cost, he said, in two seasons. He favored an examination of the route by an English engineer and also the lighting of the whole channel by electricity. "What," exclaimed the minister of public works, "do you mean by five or fifty thousand dollars, or even half a million, amount to if we can make the channel safe?"

Hon. Mr. Sutherland promised to make a report to the council on the whole subject so it could be dealt with by the government at once.

## ARMOUR-FARRIS.

At the residence of Capt. John E. Farris, 134 Douglas avenue, last evening, the wedding took place of his daughter, Miss Maud L. Farris, to Thomas Armour, who is employed with F. S. Thomas on Main street. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Geo. Steel. The bride and groom, who were unattended, are the recipients of many valuable gifts, among which was a handsome table from the officers and teachers of Portland Methodist Sunday school, of which both are members. After the ceremony, the guests, of whom there were about forty, sat down to a bountiful repast. Mr. and Mrs. Armour will reside at 134 Douglas avenue.

## RECENT DEATHS.

Mrs. Win. Hammond, 70 years of age, who has been living for some years in St. John, died at the residence of her nephew, J. C. Hartley of Woodstock, yesterday.

Mrs. Samuel McGill died in Boston on Monday. Mrs. McGill was well known here, having resided in the city for a number of years before removing to the states.

## It Will Rust, Sure!

Your bicycle will, if you put it away without a thorough cleaning. We'll call for your wheel, clean and repair it, put it in safe keeping for the winter and have it ready for you in the spring.

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## LONG LIVE THE KING!

Do you want a handsome picture of the King, or King and Queen Alexandra together, or any of the South African war generals? They can be had by paying a year's subscription (\$3.00) to the St. John STAR, or half year (\$1.50) in advance. For 40 cents you can secure any of these pictures and the STAR for one month.

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## LI HUNG CHANG.

Sir Henry Joly Recalls Incidents of the Canadian Tour of Earl Li.

VICTORIA, B. C., Nov. 7.—No one on this continent outside of his own countrymen knew Li Hung Chang better than Lieutenant-Governor Sir Henry Joly de Lotbiniere. In 1896, when Earl Li visited this country on his way home to China, after a trip to the European states and to Great Britain, Sir Henry who was then comptroller of inland revenue, was selected to represent the government and to accompany the distinguished Oriental statesman on his trip through this country. Sir Henry today recalled many incidents of the trip, and dwelt upon the deep impression that the great Chinaman made upon him.

"He was a most interesting man," he said, and then he described his meeting with the deceased statesman, at Niagara Falls in August, 1896. "I was staying at the Clifton House, on the Canadian side, Li having been accompanied to Niagara Falls by a representative of the United States government. He crossed over to the Canadian side and we brought him upstairs in a sort of litter. He would not walk, I believe at that time he was suffering from some infirmity. However, I was told I must provide carriers for his litter, although he had a personal staff. Well, we had a reception of a certain number of people at Niagara, and I remember one of the first things he said to me was that he was glad to be under the British flag."

"According to the etiquette of his country, he began to put me through my paces by asking me how old I was. When I told him he replied: 'May your honors be as great as your years.' He then asked me why I was not the speaker of the house of commons. I replied that I never had any ambition to be speaker, the more so as the speaker was a man who was unable to speak. Then he asked me of the members of the commons were wealthy, and I replied they were wealthy in devotion to their country, at which he smiled very knowingly.

"His suite were about thirty people, about half of whom were princes of high rank, and the remainder personal attendants. One of the first named was Leo Fung, who afterwards became Chinese ambassador to Great Britain, and was knighted. Leo was interpreter, and with such an interpreter it was not difficult to carry on an uninterrupted conversation. Li did not know a word of English. I could scarcely believe this at first. I caught the change of expression on his face the moment he caught the meaning, through the interpreter, of what I had been saying to him."

To cure a headache in ten minutes use KUMFORT Headache Powders.

## HALIFAX AND CARNEGIE.

(Halifax Recorder.)

The return of Alderman Geldert from England naturally suggests the subject of the public library and Mr. Carnegie's offer to give ten times as much as the city could raise towards the object. It has been already resolved that the city will provide \$5000 per annum, and there are hopes that the provincial government will supplement that with another \$100, so that Mr. Carnegie, under this provision, would present the city with \$60,000 towards the erection of the building. This is a handsome offer, and one which our citizens should grasp with avidity. Not only so, but many are of the opinion that the sum which Halifax could and should raise ought to reach at least \$5,500, and thus ensure a sum from Mr. Carnegie of \$65,500. This amount would allow the city to realize the construction of such a building as would be not only a credit and ornament to the place, but add one more jewel in Mr. Carnegie's crown of public spirited generosity.

## Do You See It?

Look carefully at this little picture. There's a great deal to it. There's a lamp, that makes the heat. Right over it is the vaporizer that holds the Vapo-Cresolene. This Cresolene is a wonderful medicine. It kills most kinds of disease germs, and is a most remarkable healing agent. You simply breathe in the vapor of it, that's all; it goes all through your bronchial tubes, curing asthma, croup, coughs, catarrh, whooping-cough.

Vapo-Cresolene is sold by druggists everywhere. The Vaporizer and Lamp, which should be a little box, and a bottle of Cresolene 25 cents and 50 cents. Illustration showing Cresolene Vaporizer and Lamp. Write for free literature. Vapo-Cresolene Co., 100 Fulton St., New York, U.S.A.

## HELP WANTED, FEMALE.

Advertisements under this head: Two words for one cent each time, or five cents a word for ten times. Payable in advance.

WANTED.—Dining Room Girl and Chambermaid at Park Hotel, King Square.

WANTED.—A Capable Girl in a small family. Apply at 30 Dorchester street.

WANTED.—Three Lady Waitresses. Apply at Walker's, 22 Douglas Ave.

WANTED.—A Kitchen Girl at the Royal Hotel.

WANTED.—A young, reliable girl to learn housework. Apply at Union street.

WANTED.—At once a domestic housemaid. Apply to MISS JOHN BURFORD, Mount Pleasant.

WANTED.—Servant girl at Turkish Baths. References required. Cor. Hesse Ave. and Union Street.

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WANTED.—Five clean past makers, at A. S. CAMPBELL'S, 64 Germain street.

WANTED.—A Capable girl for general housework in a small family. Apply between 11 and 12 o'clock, or 6 and 7 p. m. at 150 Wentworth street.

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## COMING TODAY.

Rev. G. Nelson Stevenson, M. A., will recently pastor of the Christian Church at Montague, P. E. I. is at present visiting his brother, Rev. R. Everett Stevenson, B. A., pastor of the North Street Christian Church, of Halifax, says the Recorder. Mr. Stevenson is a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Clifford H. Smith, Clifton street. On Wednesday he proceeds to St. John, N. B., where he has accepted the pastorate of the Coburg Street Christian church.

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## LOCAL NEWS.

The steamer St. Croix arrived last evening with seventy passengers.

Heavy rain fell at Fredericton, Woodstock, and Andover all day today. At St. Leonard's snow fell.

The York and Sunbury Quarterly Board will meet with the Baptist church at Lower Kingsclear next Friday evening, Nov. 15th.

Tug Little arrived today with the schooner Etta A. Stimpson, which went ashore off Cutler, Maine, a short time ago. She lost her rudder.

Officer Corvay was last night called into William Williams house on Paradise Row to effect a drunken woman, who was creating a disturbance there.

A milkmen's association was organized in Bangor on Monday. They will advance the price of milk from five to six cents per quart on Dec. 1st.

Argument of counsel on the application to set aside or vary the order and remove the receiver in the matter of the Maritime Sulphite Co. was heard today. Court decides.

The remains of the late Legh B. Harrison will arrive in this city on the C. P. R. from St. John City, B. C., tomorrow. The funeral will be held at 2.30 p. m. from Trinity church.

The estimated log cut on the Restigouche this winter is 30,000,000 feet, or 5,000,000 feet short of that of last year. The operators find it impossible to get men for the woods.

The position on the Charlotte street school teaching staff of Fredericton, vacated by Miss Mary Nicholson, who takes a position on the Model school staff, will be filled by Miss Annie Taylor, of Fredericton.

At Washington this evening the national reciprocity convention will discuss the question of reciprocity with Canada. They are not waiting now for this country to take the initiative. It was not always thus.

J. N. Rogers, the choir leader of St. Mary's church, who has been confined to his house by severe cold and illness consequent on vaccination, is much better and his physicians, Dr. Addy, says he will be out in a day or two.

Thursday, 14th, an entertainment will be given in the vestry of German street Baptist church, when Mrs. E. N. Black will give a paper on Rattles Through London, illustrated by lime light views by Mr. Farran. Proceeds for missions.

The funeral of the late Bridget Cunningham, widow of Patrick Cunningham, who died on Monday at the Mater Misericordia Home, took place at half past nine o'clock this morning. Services were conducted by the Rev. W. C. Gaynor and interment made in the old Catholic burying ground.

## THE LOG DRIVES.

The Fredericton Herald says there is danger that \$100,000 worth of logs may be caught in the ice up river and be an almost total loss. There is also \$4,000 worth of shear boom still in the water and liable to be caught. The \$100,000 does not include the value of the 6,000,000 feet on the Aroostook, nor Kilburn's drive. The latter, it is thought, may be saved in the spring, if the ice above Grand Falls holds till the booms are swung. Of course rain and mild weather would enable the operators to save the 10,000,000 feet below Bel River.

About eighty joints of lumber have been rafted above the boom limits during the past week, but have not yet reached the bracketing grounds at Springhill. If the weather permits it will be bracketed and towed to St. John.

Some of the log owners claim that the contractors for the corporation drive are responsible for the safety of the lumber now in the river, and talk of calling upon the bondsmen to make good any loss which may be entailed.

## SALVATION ARMY.

In the Salvation Army barracks last evening Capt. and Mrs. McElhinney, who have so long and heavily commanded the No. 1 corps of the army in this city for the past seven months, said goodbye. During the evening the Band of Love children rendered a beautiful programme. Sergt. Major Hargrove, on behalf of the B. of L. workers then presented the officers with an address and a handsome dressing case, after which a number of recruits were introduced as soldiers of the army.

During the last seven months over one hundred people have professed conversion. About thirty-five have become members of the army. Capt. and Mrs. McElhinney leave for Springhill this week to take charge of the army work in that place.

Capt. Laws, of Windsor, will take charge of the Charlotte street corps. Her welcome meeting is announced for Thursday night.

## RECENT DEATHS.

Two deaths occurred recently at the Mater Misericordia Hospital and Home on Sydney street. One was Miss Bridget O'Sullivan, familiarly known as Biddy Wilmet, from having lived for many years with the Wilmet family. She died last evening from paralysis and will be buried tomorrow morning. She was eighty years of age.

The other death was that of Mrs. Ellen Harrington, widow of John Harrington, of the Old Port, Carleton. Mrs. Harrington was seventy-five years of age.

## STAR LINE STEAMERS.

The steamer David Weston left Fredericton for St. John at seven o'clock this morning, as on account of the severe frost up there the captain thought there might be some danger of being frozen in. The Weston came as far as Gasquetown and stopped there. She will arrive at Indiantown this afternoon and sail as usual tomorrow morning.

The Victoria went up this morning and will return tomorrow evening. This will probably be her last trip for the season.

## THE SMALLPOX.

No New Cases Reported Today—Rev. W. O. Raymond and Rev. H. H. Roach, Volunteers.

At the meeting of the Board of Health today considerable time was spent in discussing what arrangements could be made in regard to providing an additional hospital. The old Davenport school was again mentioned. J. R. Armstrong, reported for the taking of the police court work this morning respecting those persons who had refused to undergo vaccination. He was instructed to take proceedings against the Clayton family, who moved from a house in which smallpox developed. Dr. Shaughnessy was appointed a vaccinator, but no district has as yet been allotted to him.

Mrs. Elsie, of 5 Brimley street, the mother of the eight-year-old boy who has developed smallpox, gave birth to a daughter last night. The infant was vaccinated by Dr. Morris.

William Alward, whose condition is serious, has asked for the services of Rev. Mr. Roach.

The Board of Health has decided to restrict the visits of the clergymen appointed by the various religious denominations to about ten minutes duration. No visit to be paid without permission being first obtained from the board, which will furnish the necessary pass to be presented to the guard. It is the earnest desire of the board to restrict as far as possible all intercourse with infected houses and the clergymen accepted as visitors will only be admitted when notified through the board that their services are required.

At the meeting of the clergymen of the Church of England of the city yesterday afternoon the offer of Rev. W. O. Raymond to visit on behalf of the denomination was accepted and arrangements were made for the taking of all services in connection with his church by the other clergymen as soon as his services are required. Until the necessity arises, Mr. Raymond will continue in the discharge of his ordinary duties. If his services are required, it is his expectation to take up his residence in the infected district.

In the epidemic hospital Miss Knapp's case continues serious and the services of Rev. H. H. Roach have been requested. The other patients who were reported as being seriously ill are no worse today.

A meeting of the Evangelical Alliance was held yesterday afternoon to arrange for the appointment of a clergyman to attend the various Protestant smallpox patients in this city. After some discussion the representative assembly endorsed the appointment of Rev. Edward H. Roach, the new pastor of the Tabernacle, who since the closing of his church last Sunday on account of the epidemic had courageously offered himself for the trying and dangerous work. Jas. Reynolds, chairman of the board of health, was present and instructed Mr. Roach and the alliance fully with regard to the precautionary regulations laid down by the board, under whose direction Mr. Roach will act. The details of the visitation will be more fully arranged at the meeting today.

Rev. Mr. Roach is entering upon the work with a full knowledge of the trying situation in which he will be placed. He has engaged rooms at 388 Haymarket square, in the midst of the infected district, where he will isolate himself, and where he may be called up by telephone. Before entering each infected house he will change his clothing, and will thoroughly disinfect himself when leaving. He will have patients both outside and within the epidemic hospital except those afflicted with the Church of England, for whom a separate clergyman has been appointed.

## THE RAINFALL.

For the first twelve days of November the total rainfall was a little over one and a half inches. The rain commenced about seven this morning and in three hours over half an inch had been registered. While the fall was not particularly heavy, it was continuous. In about five minutes this morning as much rain fell as in the other twelve days of the month.

Today has been exceptionally dark and gloomy, making it necessary in offices not well provided with windows to use artificial light. Only those having business to do have ventured out in the storm, and the streets have presented an unusually bare appearance all day.

## TO BUILD A FACTORY.

The T. S. Simms Co. have purchased from C. H. Peters' Sons the site of the old sawmill on Union street and will build a factory to manufacture of brushes. The contract for excavation has been awarded and work will begin immediately.

For quite a number of years Messrs. Simms & Co. have been anxious to obtain a suitable building which might be turned into a factory. They at one time contemplated the purchase of the building now owned and used as a home by the Salvation Army.

## ACROSS THE BAY.

CORNWALLIS, N. S., Nov. 12th.—Two fires recently occurred in Cornwallis. The first at the coopers of Fullerton Bros., at Port Williams, the other at the mill of Elijah Fox in Perseus. Both fires burned the entire buildings.

The Cornwallis creamery at Canning is closed for the winter months. The scarcity of after feed has caused a small amount of milk to be sent in by the farmers, and the owners have decided to stop business for a time. John Sedgewick, manager of the creamery, will attend the agricultural college at Guelph, Ontario, during the winter season.

Charles Eaton of Upper Canada, raised something over four thousand five hundred dollars worth of apples this year.

On Wednesday the marriage took place at the Hotel of Canada, and Thomas Kincinan, of Upper Canada.

Alexander Mennie, of Kentville, recently rented his residence in that place and the town for a summer. The case there are said to be growing fewer.

## COMPULSORY VACCINATION.

A Number of Persons Reported For Not Submitting Appeared Before the Magistrate Today.

The Board of Health are determined that the anti-vaccination movement shall be thoroughly carried out, and in the prosecution of this a number of men who refused to undergo the operation were reported and appeared before the magistrate this morning. J. R. Armstrong acted on behalf of the board and several members of the medical association were present.

Alexander Shea presented a certificate from a doctor in Moncton, showing that he and his wife had been vaccinated successfully. The certificate was not dated, and further enquiries will be made.

Thomas O'Brien stated that his wife was not in good health and if she and the two babes were vaccinated she would be unable to care for them properly. He is quite willing that the operation should be performed if the doctor thinks it advisable.

J. J. Cunningham wanted his own doctor. He was vaccinated last night.

C. W. Goddard said he was trying to dodge the operation, but as the smallpox is coming nearer to him he thought it best to be vaccinated last night.

Joseph White did not think his health was good enough, but would submit if the doctor thought it safe and vaccinated him. White in the clerk's office.

Dr. Melvin explained that A. O. Hastings and wife had refused the operation, but had given no reason. Dr. Holden, Mr. Hastings' physician, stated that the latter was seriously ill and both he and his wife had been vaccinated both as infants and as adults, which was sufficient under the law. William Goldsworthy had it done last night.

James Clayton could not be found. He and his family had been living in a house where smallpox developed and had left hurriedly. It is not known where they are, but search is being made.

Mr. Armstrong stated that the board of health hope that the reporting of these men may have a good effect. No women have as yet been summoned, but unless they submit, numbers of them will be reported. The magistrate said that after this no one need remain in ignorance of the consequences of a refusal to undergo the operation. The penalty is a fine of forty dollars and the law will be strictly enforced. Women need not think they are going to escape because none appeared in court today, for after this all will be reported and dealt with alike.

## POLICE COURT.

Yesterday afternoon Thomas Fleming and Joseph Clancy had a free drink. They met a countryman who had come to town for the day, and seeing that he was a stranger they took him in. Verdant Green bought a large jug of liquor and acknowledged the corn. It had the usual effect on the men, and after the countryman left they enjoyed the effects of his liberality. On Brussels street they practically owned the sidewalk, and Clancy's "whoop-in" could be distinctly heard. But Campbell was coming, and the two were raked in. They were each sentenced to ten days.

Last night Frank Martin of Bangor applied for protection at the central station, but was refused. Martin expressed his determination to get in that night, and stole a coat from Samuel Rubin's shop on Mill street. He was arrested by Detective Killen when trying to sell the coat, and this morning pleaded guilty to the charge of theft. He was remanded and the coat returned to the owner.

Joseph Murphy, for being drunk on Sydney street, was fined four dollars or ten days.

## NOT EVEN AN OX-TRAIN.

People along the I. C. R. are almost sorry now that they said anything about the ox-train. They would garland and festoon that conveyance and rejoice greatly if it were restored to them. For now they want to go out from St. John there is no train from 7.30 a. m. till 5.06 p. m., except the C. P. R., which is sometimes quite late, and which only stops at a few of the principal stations. It is a great inconvenience not to have a train leaving St. John at a fixed hour somewhere about noon every day. The local requirements at this end of the line are not considered at all. No sooner do people get a remedy for one grievance than Mr. Blair's managers break out in a new place and another agitation has to be set afoot. The people do not ask for individual palace cars, but would like to have any old thing on the route.

## PERSONAL.

Miss Maude A. Colpitts and Miss Ruth Colpitts arrived in the city from Boston yesterday. They entered the Currie Business University today for courses in shorthand and business.

Frank Williams, son of T. T. Williams, St. John, and a former well known Moncton boy, is spending a day or two in the city, the guest of E. W. Givann—Moncton Transcript.

Harry Boyer and Miss May Turner of Fredericton are to be married this evening at the home of the bride, George street, Fredericton.

Geo. Phillips, the founder of the Carleton creamery, is about selling his farm and going back to England.

## ARITHMETIC CONTEST.

The standing of the leaders in the competition at the Currie Business University today is as follows:—

C. B. Colwell . . . . . 151  
P. J. Crowley . . . . . 83  
Wm. Elliott . . . . . 83  
H. E. Doherty . . . . . 73  
Stephen Downing . . . . . 58

## ADMITTED TO PROBATE.

Letters of administration in the estate of the late C. B. Hamilton of Bedford were granted yesterday by Judge of Probates Gilmore at Oranodoc. The two sons of the deceased, Frank L. and Harry E., and A. H. Miles, son-in-law appointed executors. O. R. Crockett is executor. The estate is entered at \$4,000.

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## THE HOLY GHOST AND US.

Do Not Believe in the Necessity of Vaccination—They Intend Leaving The Province.

The community of the Holy Ghost and Us, who have had their headquarters in this city for some months, during the progress of the New Brunswick campaign, will leave for Shiloh the last of the month. A convention of the denomination will be held there beginning the 24th of the month.

Elder Higgins, who is nominally in charge here, said this morning that the work in New Brunswick had been most successful. Fifty helpers have been in the field, and about four hundred converts have been made, chiefly in the northern portion of the province. The work in the city has not been pushed. After the convention a few of the helpers will return and will form bodies of the believers in different parts of the province. After plans have been formulated at the convention, no more than the ordinary number of Holy Ghost and Us communities have been met in this proselytizing campaign.

The smallpox scare has caused some little trouble. It had been the intention to bring all the workers to the city before leaving for Shiloh, and to go in a body, but that has been given up.

The public vaccinator has called at the headquarters to perform the operation. The members of the body do not believe in its necessity. They are opposed to the use of all drugs and medicines for themselves. Elder Higgins interviewed the board of health in regard to the matter. His claim is that the members of the body who are in the city are simply transient visitors, the same as those at the hotels. The man and woman in charge are immune and Elder Higgins was himself successfully vaccinated within the prescribed time, before he joined the Holy Ghost and Us community. There are, however, several other members of the household at present who are not vaccinated nor immune, so far as is known. Just what action will be taken is not yet settled. The Holy Ghost and Us people are easy about it, as they say they are not afraid of disease and do not see the need of vaccination. They may, however, run into some difficulty when they attempt to leave the province.

## COUNTRY MARKET.

The country market still continues to be poorly attended, although there is no real reason why this state of affairs should exist. The staples are coming in slowly. Pork is selling at eight cents a pound, what there is of it. Feathers has taken another jump on account of the small supply and the large demand. Chickens today are selling at from sixty-five to seventy-five cents a pair and turkeys at four and fifteen cents a pound.

## SHE KNEW.

Eva—What would you do if you were left to take a governor's place for one day while he was away, as happened in New Jersey?  
Ada—"Declare a holiday."—Buffalo Express.