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#### TRURO, N. S. SATURDAY, OCTOBER 5th. 1889.

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### THE RIVER

Truro, Saturday, Oct. 5, 1889. THE BOYS THAT ARE AWAY.

Dr. W. S. Mair of this town, who visited the Canadian North west this sammer, in company with the motical association, in-forms us be asy tote of the boys who were once employed on the 1. C. R. who are Canadian Pacific Railwy. A mong others he mentioned the names of John Cameron, Jim McLeod, Will Cameron, George Sutherland, Jr... Herb Creelman, Jim Faher and the Darnett brothers, John Rain are drivers of engines pulling regular will, infring ; McLeod, Fisher and Cree-Dr. W.S. Muir of this town, who visited Will, infring ; McLeod, Finher and Creel-man are driver of ongine pulling regular trains. George Sutherland, Jr., is con-ductor of a reight train running west from Medicine Hat. He was conductor of the appendia that took the Medical Américation or series section of the C. P. R. We are and are as the Doctor proußly awysheld in high estimation by their superior officers.

#### Save the Widow's Mite.

OW THE BROTHERHOOD OF BAILROAD BRAKEMEN LOOK AFTER THE INTERESTS OF THE WIDOWS OF DEPARTED MEMBERS.

The WHOWN OF CREATED MEMBERS. Some months ago, a railroad brakeman maned Wire was killed while in the per-formance of his duty in this city. He was member of the Brocherhood of Railway 11,000 from that organization. She put the money in bank. The fact that sho was the possessor of such a surg sum be-came known to a max who conducts an unprofilable grocery business on the East Side. He asy a chance to dispose of his business and get hold of some act, of ing upon Mrx. Wire he talked of his pros-perons business, intimating incidentally that he dasired to sell out, as he found it necessary to leave the city. If the widow wished to invit her money, here was here apportunity. Mrs. Wire does not know believed overy word the almost hankrapp grocer told her. She would draw here money from the bank and buy the grocer-stock the very next day. By some manas the members of the Brothendool of Brak-men got wind of what was about to take by hoses, the widow with we informate brothens, they begon an investigation, and found that Wr. Wire with the money. brothers, they began an investigation, and found that Mrs. Wier was about to make a disastrous investment as the found that Mrs. Wier was about to make a disastrons investment, as the grocer in question was not doing business enough to enable him to pay his rent, to say nothing of setting for the stock on hand. A com-mittee from the Brocherhod ov was imme-diately appointed with instructions to wait upon Mrs. When sate grids most ensity of the grateful thanks of the widow, eavied the grateful thanks of the widow, the designing grocer, however, when he learned what had taken place, grew very largery, and threatens the railroaders with all manner of things.—Pittaburg Leader.

---Unprotected formales are warned regard-ing the crossing of the tracks at or near the V. Q. R. depot, after drawk, as they may not only come to grief from the running of trains, but also at the hands of traings, blacklegs and blackguards. We heard the other day of what looks very much like an attempt as indecent assault.

Some dipped dere wings in de silv'ry tide Some were alone, and some side by side, Nary a one dat I knew could 1 see In dat ribber ob life, De ribber ob life Dat flows to de Jaspah Sea.

De ribber was wide, dat ribber ob life,

De ribber was wide, dat ribber ob life, De bottom I plainly could see; De stones layin' dar was whiter dan snow, De sande looked like gold to me. But angels kep' walin' to an' fro; Whar did dey come from i whar did dey go? None ob 'em simahe like me, I know, In da ribber ob life, De ribber ob life, Dat flows to de Japah Ses.

De watah was clear as de "well by de gate"

De watah was elear as de "well by de, Whar Jesus de light first see: De sofest ob music from angel bands Come ober dat ribber ob golden sand Come ober dat ribber to me.

Come ober dat ribber to me. An 'den 1 saw de clouds break way, Revealin' de pearly gates ob day,  $\Rightarrow$ De baatiful day dat neber shall cease, What all is joy, an' lub an' peace; An ovah dem gates was written so clear, ''Peace to all who enter here.' De angels was gedderin' round de frone, De gates done closed, I was left alone, Alone on de banks ob a darkenin' stream, But when I woke'l foun' 'twas a dream.

I'se gwine to ford dat ribber ob life An' see eternal day; I'se gwine to hear dem heabenly bands, An' feel de tech ob ole-time hands, An' feel de tech ob ole-time hands, Dat long hab passod avay. Dar crowns ob glory fo' all l'se told, An' luby harps wid strings ob gold; An' know ef dars peace beyond dat sea Wid res 'o' de waary, dars res 'fo' me Beyond dat ribber, Dat flows to de Jaspah Sea.

-The viciousness of some young men when they get a little whiskey equals that of a savage. One night recently one of our citizens was awakened from his alum-tizen was awakened from his alum-the street in front of his readience. Getting out of bed and going to the window he saw by the aid of the electric light a couple of young men trying to tar his fence down. Before he could dress and get down they were gone. This is not the and as the parties names are now known hrst time the same trick has been tried, and as the parties names are now known they stand a good chance of paying his honor the recorder a compulsory visit, should they still persist in their dastardly

-Owing to the heavy frost of Sunday night, the ground in some places was quite stiff Monday morning and there was lots of ice. It snowed enough at Greenville station and visitify, Saturday, to whiten the ground and Conductor W\_L Bickson, says the boys were snow heating whon the freight passed there that afternoon.

-J. W. Johnson, Esq., is erecting a new office. He having let his large store to a gentleman who intends running a first-class general store.

-Mr. 1. S. Johnson is having a new plat-form laid down at both entrances to the Exhibition House.

Honoring the Dead.

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Honoring the Dead. The brakemen on the Eastern division of the 1. C. R. have just created a moni-ment in the Stewische constery to the man, Hiran H. Rose, son of Mr. Gorge Ross section foreman, Millord. It will be remembered that Hiran Ross was injured while shunting at Londonderry station on the 24th of last April, his injuries were of the 24th of last April, his injuries were of the 24th of last April, his injuries were of the 24th of last April, his injuries were of the 24th of last April, his injuries were of the 24th of last April, his injuries were of the 24th of last April, his injuries were of the 24th of last April, his injuries were of the 24th of last April, his injuries were of the 24th of last April, his injuries were of his his of the state of the state of the state the state of the state of the state of the state the state of the state of the state of the state the state of the state of the state of the state the state of the state of the state of the state the state of the stat

#### Card of Thanks.

Or April 24th my son, Hiram, was killed, while shunting on the L. C. K., at Londonderry station. The backmenn on the Eastern division have erected a beautiful monument as a token opportunity. While and Mrs. Kosa take this opportunity with a statistic statistic statistic for their kind remembrance and other favors in their hour of allicion and feel they never can repay their deep debt of gratitude to the L. C. R. brakemen.

GEORGE Ross, Milford, N. S., October 2, 1889.

-Some person effected an entrance into Mr. I. S. Johnson's store last night by re-moving a pane of glass from the office window. The desk was broken open and a number of postage stamps taken, that being all of any value that was in it.

-A young son of policeman Green is sick with typhoid fever at his home on Doyle street.

-The putting on of the new top at the I. C. R. coal shed is about completed.

Emile Michelet says : "The whole Riffel Tower could be fifted by four men of average a steength. This case has been proved. When thiss shout half its present heights a few men did actually lift it. This is not humbag; the thing is perfectly simple. The construction of the tower is built of the construction of the tower is built of the construction of the tower is built of the construction of the tower is than that of a man in an armchair on the floor."

James Casey, mamber of the city com-cil of Milltown, N. B., fell into an ápen reservoir at the Union mills on his way home from Calais on Saturday night, struck on his head, was sturned and drowned. His body was found on Sunday at noon. He leaves a widow and fire children. at noon. children,

children, The next Lord Mayor of London will be a Hobrew, Sir Honry-Lasco, and yr Lord Mayor's Day (Nor. 9) falls on Satur-day, the Jowish Sabbath, the festivities will be estimated to the following Monday They will be unusually elaborato, and "seven conturies of mayoralty" will be displayed.

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## That Franchise Business.

Our contemporary the Guardian has at last spoken on the extension of the local franchise to railway men. We asked the Guardian upon the strength of its own spontanious declaration that it was willing to "do as much for railway men as any others" to call upon its own party the local government to extend that franchise to railway men. The annexed is its answers :

"We must decline to do so. So long as "We must decline to do so. So long as the Dominion government continues to treat its employes as mere voting ma-chines, without liberty of conscience or any of the rights of free citizens, so long will it be the duty of the local legislature will it be the duty of the local legislature will it be the duky of the local legislature in protection of our provincial rights, and for the sake of the railway men themselves to deny them the right to vote in Provin-cial elections."

Railway men will learn with surprise that in the opinion of the editor of the Guardian, and no doubt he voices the sentiments of his party, that they are mere voting machines or in other words have no minds of their own. In fact. idiots. We fail to see wherein the Dominion Goveinment have denied railway men the rights of free citizens. On the contrary they have given railway men rights that the local govern-ment utterly refuse to give them.

Admitting for the sake of argument that the present Dominion Government might influence its officials to vote Conservative in Provincial politics, does that justify the local government in denying railway men the right to vote in their own town election ? and thus prevent their approval or disa val of the manner in which their money, taken from them as taxes, is used. The Guardian says :

"The local government is not responsi-ble for reducing the railway men to the level of paupers and Indians as suggested by our contemporary."

So far as voting in town affairs is concerned, are not railway men on a level with paupers and Indians only worse, they pay for a British right, but do not get it. Who reduced railway men to this humiliating positions? Was it not the present local government ?

Again it says :

Again it says : "It would simply be adding to their de-eradation to give them the right to voës when it is a vell known that they dare not storcise is well known that they dare no storcise the right as free men, but must do the bidding of their master. There are abundant evidences of the truth of our statements, and we are prepared to cite the case."

Railway men vote in Dominion politics as free citizens, and the facts of the case bears us out in what we sav. It is a well known fact that voting in Canada to-day is carried rert ballot. Each elector calling at Mr. H. Cameron's Saloon on the 5 the booth and unobserved Explanade, proving property and paying me, marks his ballot as he for this notice, We have never yet heard nor have we seen any on by secret ballot. Each elector goes into the booth and upobserved by any one, marks his ballot as he sees fit. tell of, nor have we seen any she

Dominion official take a railway man by the ear into the booth and dictate to him how he shall mark his ballot. A man may vote, and if he holds his tongue no one-need ever know for whom he voted, and well the Guardian knows it.

As to citing cases we challenge our contemporary to do so. W know of railway men who are held in high esteem by the general management, who never voted any thing else but Liberal. True there may be cases of intimidation on the part of politicians, but we fancy our contemporary does not want to compare notes on that point. If he does he can be accommodated. Talk about intimidation, has not the Guardian on every opportunity seized upon every straw in order to prejudice railway men against the management and thus make a point against the government

If railway men dare not independently, why does the Guar. aian go to all this trouble? Because it well knows they can do as they like by the aid of the secret ballot. The logic of circumstances is against the Guardian's argument. He is no friend to the railway man. Its talk about doing well for railway men is empty sound. He has either got to put up or shut up, on this matter

- The Spring Hill News is a fearless independent journal and a warm supporter of the cause of the working men. It is not an extremist on that point as its arguments are all based on an equal rights platform, and are not calculated to engender strife and strikes between labor and capital. In this it is right, live and yet live.

live and yet live. - The Moneton Transcript's kind world shout our little paper was highly appresi-ated by us. They are in striking contrast which the strengthile mean manner in which the strengthile mean manner in the strengthile mean strength of the main strength of the strength of the might journals charged two of those might journals charged two of those might journals charged two of those mone other than the Halfast Heody at Recorder. The two receipts we obtained on that occasion, we are going to have on the value of foot of our couch, so that when we open foot of our couch, so that when we option as the seed morning they will remin as the seed morning at papers in America are published in est papers in America are published in Halifax.

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FOUND .- On Brunswick Street a gentle man's Ring. The owner can have it by salling at Mr. H. Cameron's Saloon on the

At Home and Abroad

Sheriff Archibald, of Halifax, was in

— Sheriff Architalti, of Halifax, was in town on Weinneday.
— Post Master Cox of Acadia Iron Mines, was in town on Wedneday.
— James McQuinn of the Halifax (Cramicle staff, was in town on Tuesday.
— Harmon Weinneday.
— Harmon Mines and State Mines and State of Truro, left for Fastion Truggie McKnith of Truro, left for Fastion Truggie McKnith of Truro, left for Fastion Truggie McKnith of Truro, left for Fastion Mines Mines and State of Truro, left for Fastion Mines Mines and State of Truro, wins. Johann Mechanical, Superin-tendent at Richmond, was in town on Tuesday.

Mursday. Mr. Peter Stevens, an employee in the ound house at Truro, is away to Boston, n

Round house at Trufo, is away to Boston, visiting his daughter. --Con. R. F. Rutherford has roturned from Halifax, unch improved in health. He resumed work again on Wednesday. --District Superintendent J. J. Wallace,

- District Superintendent J. J. Wallace, returned from Ottawa, Thurday evening. He was attending the Exchequer Court

He was attending the Exchequer Court as witness in a raflway sail. —Conductor W. H. Donkin and daughter, Miss Annie, have returned from their recent vacation trip to New York, they came back sin Halifax striving in Truro

came back sin Halfax arriving in Trur Monday morning. --Train Despatcher F. J. Largie, Isaac Dover, Oarber, Truro, and A. E. Brown, Conductor of Moneton, did the P. E. I. Exhibition Tuesday and Wednesday last. Isaac Brown, E. I. Exhibition Tuesday and Wednesday last, Conductor Brown who runs alternately with Fred Davison on the Moneton night freight was relieved by Conductor James McDonald.

Miss M. A. Mackenzie isvisiting friends at New Glasgow.

at New Giagow.: Casepoor Gotto. - The Truco Gold Mining Company have aircady been re-be of dy a handscene brick. A sample be of dy a handscene brick. A sample be of the same from the same from the one ounce of gold to the to a future of one ounce of gold to the to a future of the same from which the quarte is taken The lead from which the quarte is taken thickness into inclusion is streen feet in the same same to be all the same from the new company has a gold thing. They evidently thus the same should be all new company the transformed of machinery have within a daybree loads of machinery is the the intention to fit-opt and for the promes of taking out the precises at the X. M. C. A. Hall -Stirring times at the X. M. C. A. Hall

out the precious metal. -Stirring times at the Y. M. C. A. Hall last night : Clark Harder M. Scellarists and the Town Council and H. Scellarists and the Town Council and Harts. Ornal down static considering the Harts. Ornal discretized the Mayor D. H. Muir, M. D. and their the Mayor D. H. Muir, delegates to Otawa to lookand, East, es-tabel to the set of the table of the town reads of the town on these too vitable.

questions. — Miss Florence G. McCully was genited in marriage Thursday avaning last at 6.30, to Mr. Robert H. Carlos K. The cere-meny was performed in St. The cere-meny was performed in St. The cere-meny was performed in St. The cere-based by the Rev. A. L. Gegzie, in the parated by the Rev. A. L. Gegzie, in the parated by the Rev. A. L. Gegzie, in the parated by the Rev. A. L. Gegzie, in the parated by the Rev. A. L. Gegzie, in the parated by the Rev. A. L. Gegzie, in the parated by the Rev. A. L. Gegzie, in the parated by the Rev. A. L. Gegzie, in the parated by the Rev. A. L. Gegzie, in the parated by the Rev. A. L. Gegzie, in the from the mergan star for the form of the J. R. express for their home in Dayton, Ohio, rei Halfax,

Unio, we Hantax. -The Columeration Sink keeps it patrons well posted on the time of holding Ex-hibitions in the difficult parts of this province. From its early make the set of the column state of the set of the set of the other day. The Cate Breton will be the opens at Mohao on Tuesday the 8th and continues three cays.

- At a meeting of the Town Council on Monday night, Policoman Green who was charged by Councillor Chambers for re-fasal to do duty in connuccion with the fire alarm service was exonorated.

#### Churches To-morrow

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Dr. Burns will occupy the pulpit of St. ndrew's Church to-morrow. As a set of the set of Andre

be administered. St. John's Episcopal, service as usual, by the venerable Ardheacon J. A. Kaul-back, who has just returned from a vaca-tion trip in the Upper Provinces. — Railway Mens' Religious Meeting, in Y. M. C. A. Hall, to-morrow afternoon

A. Hall, to-morrow afternoon,

at 4.30 o'clock

#### Along the Rail.

Along the Bail. —The engine of the night freight to Hall. Its struck a cow near McRay's soling thronessky evening Last. The cow was thrance and they feet, our informant did not learn if abey feet, our informant did not learn if they feet, our informant did not learn if they feet, our informant did not learn if they feet and the reader of the corner of frumewick and the reader of inding any he came homa, to Tiuro and when the information is the second inding any he came homa, to Tiuro and years, the construction of the second inding any he came homa, to Tiuro and years, the second stories now, hey wilk out for Ninrod stories now, hey wilk out for Ninrod stories now, hey wilk out for Ninrod stories and (Napoleon). —Mr. J. F. Paulkner has reasoned duty as time keeper at the round homes.

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#### Railway Accident.

Railway Accident. There was an accident on Whisky stilling last Starday night. A young man the starday night. A young man to a starday night. A young man to a starday night. A young man to a starday night was a starday on the starday of the stard was night on the starday of the stard was night on the starday of the stard was night with his feet and doubled himself all with his feet and doubled traightened on the discover got himself traightened on the discover got himself the immediately set it to work at both was the starday and the stard was a leaven yard discover and the stard was a starday and the railway authorities of the the time the two with the Kinder

the does not know which to enter an action against the railway authorities for putting the track there, or the Electric Light Co. for not having their *lanterus* 

burning. It would be a good idea for the town to hang angerns on some of the electric light posts to keep people from running against them on dark nights.

## SPECIAL LOCALS.

nel from 11 cts. per yard and upward. --Go to Caledonia Building for cheap groceries

groceries —Something new in ulster clothes at the Exhibition House. —The New Millinery Parlor at Bell & Co's. Inglis St., is very attractive—all Co's. Ingus 5t., is very new goods. —A new stock of ladies Felt Hats at the Exhibition House. —D Gunn 22 Inglis St. wants 200 Bbls. of

otatoes at once. -New Dress Goods at Bell & Co's. see

our 20c line -See the 15 cent Dress Goods at the

-H. W. Ryan, Inglis Street, will sell Groceries, Boots and Shoes, at the very lowest price, but it must be for cash. Call and see for yourself. -C. F. Cox,Prince Street, will sell Stoves

-C. F. Cox, Prince Street, will sell Stoves at bottom prices to milway men. --All goods marked in plain figures and old at lowest respectively. The self self sectors fortable, read Lawrie & Milne's advertise-ment, and them to put you up a Suit of Clothes--the cheapest place in town. Fit. Guaranteed.

BASE HITS FROM RICHMOND.

Goo. Bowen our North- End Sprinter, arrived sunday afternoon from St. John, whose Sunday afternoon from St. John, whose Hock are in the Maritime race against Tracey in the quarter mile race against Tracey in the polynewid tra-ceived a gold medal. The boys well are him on his arrival with enthusiant. He think mild trip immensely but does not think mild trip immensely but does not a the sunday of the sunday of the mond and 1. C. R. atore well-after at Rich-mond and a to C. R. atore well-after at Rich-have been painted up and look real what have been now to complete the basi-have been working night and day for a month. Geo. Bowen our North End Sprinter

month. Mr. Issae Creighton, our genial grocer has gone on a'trip to Pictou to attend the Presbyterian Synod, we wish him a good

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Doay. —Wednasday night hast Mr. Zobra Lynds, Upper Nenth River, captured a hare sho bear. On Thirdy night a son of Mr. Daniel Uphan of all same place captured another, both had same place captured another, both had same place and the hunters were unable to obtain. —A Correspondent writing us from New —A correspondent writing the horse thief, passed through there one day this week.

-The Trure Iron Foundry and Machine Company have recently erected a fine new Drilling Machine. Its cranes and cylin-ders can be awang or turned in any direc draw and holes can be drilled at any angle. It is certainly a fine machine and cost about twelve hundred dollars.

#### WHISPERED.

Girls, where is the key of the fire alarm

box on Upper Prince Street kept. That Fred violated the Sabbath.

That Fred violated the Sabbath. That he shot a partridge. That the Inglis Street Crockeryware erk and his chum still visit East Queen de

That they are two faking

That the ex-Boston boy wears a frock

That he still does the rounds

That Riley asked her to allow him to cort her home.

cort her home. That she consented. That when it was time to go he did not how her from her sister. That he had to ask another lady which kr

was which That he did not get the right one after

all That he's mad.

That he is cross. That he had better get measured for his That he had better get measured for his hoo strings. That the fireman speli it post-hio-u That the oily man papit it post-hio-u. That it was post-hi-ho-u. That it was post-hi-ho-u. That the dentist perservices it. That she has a kiten. That she had a kiten. That she had all it Tommy. That she had all it formy. That he joily M. D. tried to crawl that he follow and consequently t caught.

That no was soo large and and though got caught. That he had hard work to get out. That he had to go around and through

the gate. That it was worse on him than a trip to

the Rockies. That the I. C. R. lamp lighter reports

That the I. C. R. lamp lighter reports the duty off butter. That the imported vocalist did not get

That he was mad about it.

That he was many the second se

Here, Here, Here, the fining of Mr. James McDermit, the fining of Mr. James McDermit, Driver, that owing to long and severe ill-ness his value wife's reason has given away. One discussion is that she is the mother of an Saviour. Mrs. McDer-mit, previous discussion with the seven working estimable woman. The family have the sympathy of everbody in Moneton.

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