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AN IRISHMAN'S SUICIDE. (Louisville Courier-Journal) "Do you know of the only Irishman who ever committed suicide?" asked W. P. Pollard, of Jersey City, who was at the Fifth Avenue Hotel last night.

OVER-CONFIDENCE. (Chicago Tribune) The two strangers who were standing at a downtown corner crossed the street and accosted a young man on the opposite corner.

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PORT ARTHUR TO FALL NOV. 3.

Russians and Liberals Go Down Together.

Japs Want to Capture the Fortress on the Birthday of the Mikado.

ST. PETERSBURG, Nov. 2, 12.45 p. m.—The official reports from Tokio describing the desperate assaults on Port Arthur, beginning Oct. 25, have created visible depression at the war office.

NEW YORK, Nov. 2.—A correspondent of the Herald, telegraphing from Mukden, says: "I have traveled forty miles along the Russian front. It is a stupendous martial spectacle."

TOKIO, Nov. 2.—The official reports of the Port Arthur operations since August 1, form a record of almost continuous fighting of a desperate nature. The Russians first struggled desperately to block every Japanese advance and then met the concentrated artillery fire of the Japanese with their kind.

TEN MINERS KILLED. Cage Full of Men Dropped Several Hundred Feet by a Broken Cable. WILKESBARRE, Pa., Nov. 2.—During the lowering of the miners at the Aushincho shaft of the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western Co. at Nanticoke, eight miles south of here today the steel cable broke and the carriage load of men were dropped to the bottom of the shaft, a distance of several hundred feet.

LAURIER'S CONFIDENTIAL ADVISER PREDICTS DEFEAT

Sir Wilfrid's Best Friend and Organizer Says Liberals Are Doomed--Promise of Victory From All Over The Dominion --Workingmen Aroused.

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MONTRÉAL, Nov. 2.—The workingmen are thoroughly aroused over the election. A tidal wave has set in in support of the Conservative candidates. In Saturday's La Presse and La Patrie there appeared a declaration showing that the workingmen of Canada should vote for their own protection by supporting the candidates belonging to the party that is in danger of being overthrown.

MONTRÉAL, Nov. 2.—Never in the history of the party has so much solid, earnest work been done and reports that come in from all quarters are inspiring. The Conservatives are daily gaining ground, while the Liberals are losing it.

HALIFAX, Nov. 2.—Nova Scotia may be safely counted upon to return ten Conservatives. The Liberals concede South Cape Breton to the Conservatives, and from Cape Breton generally comes news that the island will be sold for Borden with four supporters.

PROSPECTS IN ST. JOHN. When the polling booths open tomorrow morning at nine o'clock the Conservative forces will be found well marshalled for the battle. Realizing that it is a contest to be won by hard work the organization of the opposition has been directed along lines which are bound to turn out results.

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BRITAIN IN NO DANGER OF WAR

North Sea Incident is Amicably Settled.

Yesterday's Scare Was Unfounded--Great Britain Never Made Any Impossible Demands.

ST. PETERSBURG, Nov. 2, 2 p. m.—The Associated Press can authoritatively announce that the basis for the British-Russian agreement to submit the North Sea incident to a commission insures an amicable settlement without a sequel.

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NEWFOUNDLAND ELECTIONS. Anti-Confederate Government Sustained by Large Majority.

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TOO LATE FOR CLASSIFICATION. WANTED—Boy to learn the dry goods business. F. W. DANIEL & CO., Charlotte street.

THE WEATHER.

Forecasts — Northwesterly winds, fair and cool, Thursday, east and southeast winds, fair until night. Synopsis — A storm of very decided energy has appeared over the Gulf of Mexico and will probably move quickly northward.

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days and Thursdays for St. John.  
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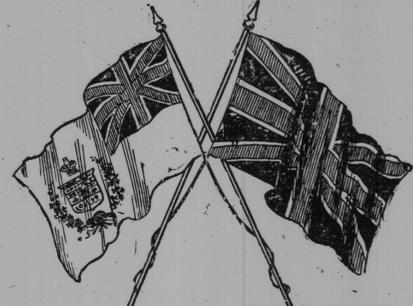
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**PROMISE OF VICTORY**  
The government profess to be con-  
fident. So were the members of the  
ill-fated McKenzie administration in  
1874. Then the premier and every one  
of his colleagues were absolutely cer-  
tain of victory, yet they suffered a de-  
feat from which it took their party  
eighteen years to recover and the very  
province upon which they confidently  
counted to give them their biggest  
majority gave them their most deadly  
blow.  
Conditions today are analogous to a  
remarkable extent. As in 1874, there  
is one great issue which, to the practical  
obliteration of all others, demands  
the verdict of the people. Then it was  
protection vs. free trade; today it is  
public ownership vs. company owner-  
ship of a great transcontinental rail-  
way.  
Now, as then, the days preceding the  
election are filled with mutterings of  
discontent and the unusual speeches  
is seen of hundreds of prominent Lib-  
erals in the country leaving the ranks  
of their party to range themselves un-  
der a banner which more nearly ac-  
cords with their principles.  
The year preceding the elections of  
1874 and 1896 were marked by govern-  
ment losses in by-elections, but those  
losses were not a bit more emphatic  
nor more significant than those suffer-  
ed by the present government last Feb-  
ruary, when they saw an over-turn of  
13,000 votes in St. John, increased Con-  
servative majorities in Ontario and  
enormously reduced majorities in those  
constituencies which still managed to  
hold. If the percentage of loss sus-  
tained in these by-elections were re-  
peated in all tomorrow's contests, the  
Liberals would not carry more than  
fifty seats in all Canada.  
Such conditions never preceded an  
election in which a government was  
victorious. The omens are unmistak-  
able. A change of government after  
Nov. 3rd is as certain as anything con-  
nected with politics can be. It is gen-  
erally admitted that every province  
save Quebec, will give a Conservative  
majority, and unless the acumen of the  
most acute and far-seeing politicians  
in Canada has fallen then, the Lib-  
eral majority in the French province will  
be so reduced that Ontario alone will  
more than over-balance it, leaving to  
the West and the Maritime Provinces  
the honor of rolling up Mr. Borden's  
majority. And that they will do it is  
knowning that it elected two of the men  
who for the next five years will sit at  
the right of the Speaker, behind Pre-  
mier Borden.

**DIVIDED, THEY FALL**  
In the Globe's editorial columns last  
night there was one editorial, less than  
a quarter of a column long, indignantly  
denying that there was any trace  
of disunion in the Liberal ranks. There  
was another, nearly a column long,  
frantically appealing to Liberals to  
forget their differences and vote the  
whole ticket. "Division will," it says,  
"mean defeat. It is as important to  
elect one gentleman as another. It is  
of prime importance to elect both."  
If there is no division, what is the  
reason for this and similar appeals  
which have filled the columns of the  
Globe recently. That journal knows  
as well as do all who are in touch with  
local political conditions that the split  
which has developed in the Liberal  
party here since Blair's resignation has  
never been healed, that the two most  
divergent factions and that Mr. O'-  
Brien and Mr. McKewen, who are  
personally unfriendly, are not work-  
ing together any more than their respec-  
tive actions are.  
Ask any member of one faction and  
he will tell you that O'Brien will prob-  
ably be elected, but McKewen's  
chances are dubious. Ask one of the  
other side and he will tell you the  
same, with the names reversed. The  
significance is plain. The supporters  
of such are ready and willing to knife  
the other for the benefit of their own  
candidate, and the result, as the Globe  
predicts, will, beyond a doubt, be the  
overwhelming defeat of both.

**A VOTER'S SIGNIFICANCE**  
When you cast your ballot tomorrow  
remember that a vote for Daniel and  
Stockton is a vote for:  
A transcontinental railway from  
maritime provinces ports to the Pacific,  
every foot of which will be owned and  
operated by the Canadian people in  
the interest of the Canadian people  
and of Canadian ports.  
A railway which has no interests  
outside of Canada, which exists for no  
other purpose than to carry Canadian  
traffic over Canadian routes to Cana-  
dian ports and to provide for the  
Canadian people the cheapest and the  
best possible transportation.  
A national port system which guar-  
antees the development of St. John har-  
bor at the government's expense to ac-  
commodate the great traffic which the  
people's railway will bring; which will  
take from citizens of St. John the bur-  
den of maintaining the winter port  
facilities, and which by returning to  
them the \$89,000 they have already  
spent, will lighten the tax bill of every



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For Saint John City and County.

citizen by about four dollars a year—  
A tariff which while affording ade-  
quate protection to Canadian industries  
and Canadian labor, will provide for a  
mutual preference between Britain and  
her other colonies whereby the bonds  
that knit the empire together will be  
strengthened.  
A public service system in which a  
man's personal character and capacity  
will count for more than party pull and  
which will ensure the conduct of the  
public business in the interests of the  
people and not of any party.  
A vote for McKewen and O'Brien is  
a vote for:  
A transcontinental railway which is  
to be mainly owned by the Grand  
Trunk Company and wholly operated  
in that company's interests, which are  
not Canadian interests.  
A railway run under a contract which  
its framers—Mr. Fielding, minister of  
finance, and Mr. Fitzpatrick, minister  
of justice—admit contains no guaran-  
tee that the traffic will come to Cana-  
dian ports.  
A railway run by men who have  
promised to use it as a feeder for the  
main line of the Grand Trunk and to  
"tie up" the traffic of the Canadian  
west to Portland, Me.  
A tariff policy which leaves the  
Canadian market open to the assaults  
of foreigners, a policy which has in-  
creased our imports from the States  
out of all proportion to our exports or  
to our imports from Great Britain.  
An immigration policy which has  
flooded the Canadian labor market with  
the outcasts of Europe who by their  
willingness to work for wages on which  
a Canadian workman would starve, are  
tending to lower wages everywhere.  
A system of extravagant expenditure  
which has doubled the expense of the  
country in eight years and has in-  
creased the federal taxes of every  
family from \$27 annually, in 1896, to  
over \$50 in 1904.  
A vicious management of the public  
service from the militia down, a man-  
agement dominated by the spoils sys-  
tem under which every interest is sub-  
ordinated to partisan gain and under  
which there is no room for any man  
like Lord Dundonald, for instance, who  
is willing to subordinate the good of  
the country to party profit.  
Those are the alternatives every  
elector must choose between when he  
marks his ballot tomorrow.

**LABOR MEN'S BELIEF**  
Mr. O'Brien in his speech in Carleton  
the other night declared that A. W.  
Puttee, the labor candidate in Win-  
nipeg was opposed to the policy of gov-  
ernment ownership.  
Mr. Puttee not long ago moved in the  
house of commons the following resolu-  
tion:  
"That the time is opportune for the  
adoption of a definite policy of gov-  
ernment construction and operation of  
railways under a properly safe-guarded  
civil service system, put entirely be-  
yond the influence of partisan politics."  
A more recent endorsement of the  
Conservative policy by the labor leader  
is found in a recent letter of his in the  
Winnipeg Review of October 13. In  
the course of this letter, which  
throughout is an argument in favor of  
government ownership, Mr. Puttee  
says: "The whole conception of the  
principle of government ownership of  
railways is a means of catering to the  
needs, business and social of man-  
kind, rather than making of them a  
means of taxation of the people, as is  
done under private ownership."  
This opinion of Mr. Puttee's is echoed  
by every prominent labor man in  
Canada; it has been endorsed by the  
Trades Congress of Canada and it is  
incorporated in the constitutions of  
many unions.  
The loyal labor man need not be in  
doubt how to cast his vote tomorrow.

**POOR SHOTS.**  
The Liberals of St. John, dissatisfied  
with Sir Wilfrid's letter published in  
the News the other day, wired that gen-  
tleman for something stronger, some-  
thing more convincing that the G. T. P.  
traffic, in spite of the contract and  
in spite of the promises of Hays  
Walworth and other officials to the  
Portland people, would come to St.  
John.  
In reply Sir Wilfrid sends a telegram  
which is published in the G. T. P. News  
this morning. It contains nothing more  
than a mild assertion that the carriage  
of trade to Maritime ports is the "aim  
of absolute" of the government. Perhaps  
it is, but St. John people will generally  
agree that if such is their aim, the hon-  
orable gentlemen are very poor shots.  
Eighteen million dollars worth of  
Canadian produce shipped last season  
by way of Portland.  
Ten million dollars worth of Cana-  
dian produce shipped by way of St.  
John.  
St. John had subsidised ships.  
Portland had none.  
And yet apologists for the G. T. P.  
say that Portland cannot do export  
business in competition with St. John.

Do you want St. John to be a national  
port? Do you want to see the har-  
bor developed at the expense of the  
government? Do you want to get back  
your share of the \$89,000 the city has  
already spent? Then vote for Daniel  
and Stockton and the Conservative  
National Port Policy.  
Do you honestly think that Mr. Hays,  
Mr. Walworth and the other Grand  
Trunk officials who form the G. T. P.  
Company will be more careful of the  
interests of St. John than you would  
be if you owned the new transconti-  
nental road? And you will be a part  
owner if you put the Conservative party  
in power.  
When a laboring man pays two  
cents extra for his loaf of bread, and  
gets five pounds less sugar for a dollar  
than he did eight years ago, he does  
not hurrah when government  
speakers talk about good times.

Men from Portland, Me., are on the  
stamp with Mr. Costigan in Victoria-  
Madawaska. Portland dare not send  
men here, but it is sending money to  
help the election of the Liberals.  
Portland is not ungrateful nor unmind-  
ful of its own wrongs.  
How hopeless the Liberal prospects  
in Kent is indicated by the fact  
that the Mason Transcript, which  
claims every other county in the  
province, including St. John, practically  
concedes Mr. McInerney's election.

Remember! There is no guarantee  
in the contract. Fielding admits it,  
Fitzpatrick admits it and Hays and  
Walworth proved it when they pro-  
mised to take the traffic to Portland.  
Wonder if any of those who helped  
in that Lady'smith celebration will re-  
member Lord Dundonald when they cast  
their votes tomorrow?  
It may work out for the good of the  
Liberals after all. The two factions,  
sympathizing with each other tomor-  
row may be drawn together in friend-  
ship again.

The local Liberal papers predict vic-  
tory for the government and in the  
same paragraph declare that O'Brien  
and McKewen — we mean McKewen  
and O'Brien—will be elected in St.  
John.  
Adequate protection will boom Cana-  
dian industries. This will increase the  
demand for labor. This will inevita-  
bly cause increased wages. Do you  
want more pay? Then vote for pro-  
tection.  
Remember, that a vote for O'Brien  
and McKewen is a vote to mortgage  
Canadian traffic for a hundred years  
to the Grand Trunk.  
If we have to pay for the road, why  
shouldn't we keep it and get some good  
out of it?  
Remember, this is a secret ballot.  
None may know how you vote unless  
you yourself give it away.  
Perhaps in these bye-elections last  
winter the Liberals were only luring us  
on.  
It will be worse for O'Brien than for  
McKewen. The latter knows what de-  
feat feels like.  
What has the Grand Trunk ever done  
for St. John?  
The people vs. the corporations.  
St. John vs. Portland, Me.

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A small lot of LADIES' BLACK SATEN UNDERSKIRTS at 69c., 85c., \$1.25, \$1.50 each. Only Twenty to sell.  
MEN'S BLACK CASHMERE SOCKS at 25c. per pair. British made. Worth 35c. pair.  
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**LOCAL NEWS.**  
A concert will be given in the Union Hall, North End, on Thursday next, under the auspices of the St. John Orchestra. The programme will consist of vocal, violin, and banjo solos, bones and whistling solos by Messrs. Bid and Nison, and other interesting selections.  
A pair of spectacles found on Rockland Road await an owner at the North End police station.  
Dr. Geo. F. Mathew has sold his collection of specimens to William Macdonald, the railroad magistrate, who will present it to Toronto University.  
The Loyalist Society has received permission to erect a Chaplain tablet in the Public Library, but no action will be taken until the next regular meeting of the society, which will be held in February.  
C. P. A. Phair, of Presque Isle, Me., son of "Tom" Phair, the well known horseman, accompanied by his friend, Harry A. Chapman, of Bangor, Me., was at the Victoria yesterday. They left last night by the I. C. R. for Chatham. From there they will go to the islands in the Gulf of St. Lawrence, for a few days' goose hunting. They will go after the birds "for fair."  
NATURAL HISTORY SOCIETY.  
At the regular meeting of the Natural History Society last evening a number of matters were disposed of. Professor L. W. Bayley, Ph. D., of the U. N. B., read a paper treating of the brain and nervous system. These papers were read by Dr. G. U. Hays. The subjects of the papers were respectively: A Measure of the Rate of Recession of the New Brunswick Coast Line; New Ancestral Measurement in New Brunswick in 1901. The Physiographic Characteristics of the Isonous River.  
In the paper on the recession of the coast line Prof. Bayley makes the remarkable statement that the whole coast line of the province of New Brunswick is gradually sinking below the level of the sea.  
Two new members, James Beveridge and Mrs. Wm. Kerr, were elected.

**DEATHS.**  
HALLIGAN—In this city on 1st November, Mary Alice, aged 21 years, daughter of Edward Halligan, leaving her father, one brother and three sisters to mourn their loss.  
BIRMINGHAM—In this city, Tuesday Nov. 1st, Michael Birmingham, aged 61 years, leaving a wife and five children to mourn their sad loss.  
Funeral from her late residence, 104 Erin street on Thursday morning.  
BURIAL at Bloomfield, Kings Co.  
Nov. 1st, Michael Birmingham, aged 61 years, leaving a wife and five children to mourn their sad loss.  
Funeral from his late residence, 149 Bussels street, Thursday, Nov. 3rd, at 2:30 o'clock. (Boston papers please copy.)

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Sporting News.

ST. JOSEPH'S WON.  
ST. JOSEPHS, N. B., Nov. 1.—In the presence of an enthusiastic crowd of spectators St. Joseph won its first game over the U. N. B. today in defeating the latter eight to three.  
The line up was as follows: U. N. B. Forwards, Kover, Barker, Selva, Jones, Nexon, Dyaart, Clark Gregory; quarters Thorne McBeth; halves, Eysmith, Dunoby, Squares, Wood, Nalder; full back, Hayward.  
St. Josephs: Forwards, Bourque, Walbank, McNeil, Slack, Murphy, McGuire, LeBlanc, Plattery; quarters, McCuskey and McCourt; halves, Rive, Captain, Manning, Boyle, Dever; full back, W. Landry.  
During the first fifteen minutes the game was very evenly contested. Then Captain Rive securing the oval kicked it to the ten-yard line, Boyle following up well carried it over for a try. The first half ended without further scoring. The second section of the play was even more exciting than the first. The U. N. B. boys tumbled repeatedly, while St. Josephs played exceptionally well, punting opportunely in touch for substantial gains. A pretty run by McGuire, Manning and Rive, released the monotony of the scrimmaging. McCuskey received the ball from a throw in on U. N. B.'s 25-yard line and after a run to his opponents' goal line passed the ball to McCourt, who planted it behind the goal post. Manning then converted a try, making the score eight to nothing in favor of St. Josephs. Soon after by continual dribbling U. N. B. scrummed which was now played with the play in St. Josephs' territory.  
Harry Howes refereed the game very satisfactorily. This is U. N. B.'s first defeat this season.

TEMPLE OF HONOR.

Last evening a very successful meeting of Victoria Temple, Temple of Honor, was held in Market building. Initiation of one candidate took place. The Grand Templar, Dr. W. F. Roberts, assisted by Deputy Grand Templar, Fred E. Jones, presided over the evening. The officers are:  
W. C. T., Jas. Sutherland.  
W. V. T., D. C. Fisher.  
W. R. G., Geo. R. H. Jones.  
W. A. R., Fred Belyea.  
W. F. R., Geo. R. H. Jones.  
W. C. W., Wm. Lewis.  
W. U., Master Parsons.  
F. W. C., Simpson.  
The executive meeting of the grand temple, which was to have been held tonight at the residence of J. V. Kierstead, Victoria street, has been postponed. Notice of this meeting will be given later.  
Aberdeen Temple of Mildred has organized its charter owing to the fact that the position of the place of meeting is away from the centre of population, and it was thought wise to re-band. In its place a new temple will be organized during the coming week at Fairville, which will be made up to a great extent at least, of Aberdeen Temple.  
The temples to be organized which have been spoken of a number of times, one in the city and one in the West End, will have their charters completed during the next two or three weeks.

BRUSSELS STREET CHURCH.

Miss Adelaide Barret Jump, a talented local talent, gave an entertainment in Brussels street church, last evening which was greatly enjoyed. A large audience was present and the programme carried out as follows:  
Address by the pastor, Rev. A. B. Coloe.  
Instrumental trio—Messrs. Hoyt, Smith and Hoyt.  
Reading—Miss Jump.  
Vocal solo—Prof. Thos. Banjo solo—H. Hoyt.  
Vocal Solo—W. Plumber.  
Reading—Miss Jump.  
Trio—Messrs. Hoyt, Smith and Hoyt.  
Vocal solo—Prof. Thos.  
Reading—Miss Jump.  
Miss Jump's ability as a vocalist is well known and she has delighted all who have had the pleasure of hearing her in St. John. Her last performance will be given in Germain street Baptist church Thursday evening.

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Spartan brevity has not perished from the earth. Sometimes it is found in primitive perfection in the byways of western Massachusetts. This story illustrates it:  
Two farmers were in the habit of meeting twice a week on a Hampshire County turnpike. One morning the following conversation took place:  
"Mornin'."  
"The boss of yours that was 'wooly, what did ye give him?"  
"Dumpester."  
"Mornin'."  
"A week later the same two met on the same road. The dialogue was as follows:  
"Mornin'."  
"Mornin'."  
"Give my boss tumbled same as you give yours. Killed him."  
"Killed mine, too?"  
"Mornin'."  
"Mornin'."—Sunday Magazine.

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2 RICHARD O'BRIEN,  
of the City of Saint John,  
Journalist.

MR. PUGSLEY ASSERTS.

The following was received from Mr. Pugsley yesterday afternoon too late for publication in yesterday's Star:  
SUSSEX, N. B., Nov. 1.—Editor Star. On my arrival from St. Martins this morning I had the opportunity of reading your article in last evening's issue regarding bonds of the New Brunswick Coal & Railway Company—as read the article you intend to charge that a member of the provincial government hypothecated one hundred thousand dollars of the company's bonds with a bank and to divert the proceeds from the legitimate purposes of the company. This statement is absolutely untrue. As an ex officio member of the board of directors representing the provincial government under the provision of the statute I am in a position to inform you that the company instead of disposing of its bonds outright hypothecated them, paying a higher rate of interest than the bank, in order to retain control of their securities, and so as to be in a position to give a clear title to the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway Company, which, it is now certain, will acquire the road. The report of the auditor shows that every dollar borrowed has been applied to the legitimate purposes of the company and is authorized by the legislature. Please publish this.

WILLIAM PUGSLEY.

PORTLAND METHODIST Y. M. A.  
The annual election of the officers of the Y. M. A. of the Portland Methodist Church was held last evening, and resulted as follows:  
Hon. Pres., Rev. S. Howard.  
President, T. A. Armon.  
First Vice President, A. W. Langley.  
Second Vice Pres., Harry Pratt, Jr.  
Third Vice Pres., Thomas Tyle.  
Rec. Secretary, Dr. Charles McClain.  
Fin. Secretary, F. M. C. Smiler.  
Treasurer, R. C. Thomas.  
Rev. Secy., Dr. Charles Pratt.  
Executive committee, J. A. Harvey and M. E. Grass.

RECITAL IN ST. DAVID'S.

The recital given in St. David's Church last evening by Miss Mary Baillie, elocutionist, and her sister, Miss Carrie Baillie, banjoist, was very largely attended. Miss Mary Baillie is a brilliant elocutionist, who has made a name for herself in the United States and in Canada. The programme was given in a most varied order, ranging from grave to gay, and in the recital which Miss Baillie was equally good. Nearly all of the readings were recited. Particularly good was "For France" and "Darkness." Miss Carrie Baillie is a clever performer on the banjo, and the audience manifested great appreciation of her talents. The recital was one of the best that has been given here for some time.

R. K. Y. C. MEETING.

The first quarterly meeting of the Royal Kennebec Yacht Club, since moving into their new and luxuriously furnished rooms in the Masonic building last night. The programme was a large attendance. The following gentlemen were elected to membership: H. H. MacDonald, Fred H. Second, Walter J. Brown, George C. Lingley, Fred J. McDonald, J. F. Bardeley, A. Doige, LeB. Wilson and John P. Purdy.  
The reports of the various committees were received and acted upon. The club funds were reported to be in a healthy condition. William White made a full report on behalf of the committee which had charge of the club's part in the tercentenary celebration.  
It was decided to have a "smoker" on the evening of Nov. 11th.  
A new combination billiard and pool table was placed in the billiard room on Friday. It is one of May's finest tables.

ANOTHER NEW COMPANY.

St. Andrew's church organized a Boys' Brigade last night. Rev. Dr. Petheringham delivered an address on objects and purposes of the brigade, and Stanley Smith instructed the boys in the drill. About twenty-five boys joined and it is expected that this number will be increased. The officers will be elected.

BOXING POSTPONED.  
The boxing exhibition which was advertised to take place on Nov. 7th, between Daniel Littlejohn and Billie Jordan, has been postponed till the 16th inst. They are to meet on the 16th inst. as they would not be ready at the time appointed. Littlejohn's trainer says he is under no doubt and he expects him to do good work on the 16th. They will leave here for the Joggins on the 14th.

ARTHUR DUNN'S KISSING STUNT.

World You Like to Kiss the Six Widows—Here's a Man Who Will Change Places With You.  
"It's all very well to talk about me having a cinch in that kissing song," quipped Arthur Dunn, the diminutive comedian of "The Runways," who causes a thrill of envy to percolate through the masculine portion of the audience, when he executes his "A Kiss for Each Day in the Week" specialty, assisted by the six beautiful widows, the star show girls of the opera.  
"Kissing is all right and I don't say a word against those widows, but I think the public ought to understand that while it may look like a snap from the front I am earning my salary by hard work.  
"In the first place it takes all the enjoyment out of a kiss to have a girl fuming about her given all the time. If I am to do that kissing song I think those widows ought to discard those \$3,000 bunches of chiffon and lace and wear something that will stand for a little gentle embracing.  
"The kiss may look good from down front, but here's the line of talk I get handed out to me every time I try to kiss one of those widows:  
"Don't you dare tear this gown or I'll have you settle the bill out of your own salary.  
"While another is purring up her lips in a way to inspire every man in the audience to the job of undressing I am informed to keep my distance and not dare rub the makeup off her face.  
"When I kiss another she gives a sigh and murmurs, "Thank goodness, that's over, and in spite of those cruel things I have to respond to an encore.  
"People who applaud may envy me and may think they know something about occupations, but they don't know the pangs of anguish in stage kissing. My song is supposed to be "A Kiss for Each Day in the Week," but I certainly have to work overtime. There are eight days in two weeks.  
"Figure it out for yourself—six kisses to each chorus and five encores. There's thirty-six kisses to be made in a week make 252 kisses. At the end of forty weeks 10,080 kisses will be placed to my credit.  
"I suppose the inconvenience of kissing a pretty girl on a ladder or on stilts. Instead of setting sympathy about the widows, though when I try to balance myself on stilts and look pleadingly for a kiss, a girl murmurs sotto voce: "Look out you're going over, don't tear my dress."  
"I get six kisses while standing on my dear little golden ladder, but that isn't all that comes to me. While I'm singing "Here's a kiss for Monday," and am trying to imprint a kiss on the girl's lips, she is trying to push the ladder away from that \$500 bunch of feminine wearing apparel.  
"Can you imagine where much pleasure comes in "Here's a kiss for Wednesday" when I think most of you "whom you are breathing yourself so that your voice won't be choked" when I try to kiss the children on her gown is caught on the ladder and she will have you fined if you're not careful.  
"I suppose those widows' gowns are about the most expensive bunches of loveliness a press agent ever wrote about, but it's a shame to put them in a kissing song, especially when the girls who are kissed are so tall you have to use stilts and ladders.  
"Bring on the fellows who say I have a snap. Kisses are all right, but for blessing get cut out of the glare of the footlights and a bunch of widows who think more of those swell gowns than they do of the opportunity of being kissed by me."

WEDDING CAKES.

Alderman McGoldrick intends erecting a large brick and stone warehouse on the property recently purchased by him adjoining the Old Sailors' Home building, on Prince William street. The building will be two stories on Prince William street and four on Water street. The excavation of the lot has been completed and the foundation walls will be begun shortly.

FOUND.

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THREE GRAND MEETINGS HELD LAST NIGHT.

Daniel and Stockton Greeted With Great Enthusiasm, Make Strong Speeches—Wm. Thomson & Co's. Letter Dissected.

The meeting held in Tabernacle Hall, Haymarket square, last evening was splendidly attended, the hall being quite full and the audience very enthusiastic.

Dr. Daniel was received with hearty cheers, and spoke first of the need of a revision of the tariff. Under the present system adequate protection was not given. The speaker himself had spoken to several of the manufacturers of this city. The industries were in the condition that the claims of the tariff would lead one to believe. They were not in a condition to exist, and a change of government was needed.

Dr. Daniel rose amid vociferous cheers and cried of his all right. He had been all over the country and every crisis the result had been most satisfactory. He had met his long liberal who had told him they had never cast a conservative vote before, but they were working for the election of a present of the Liberal party and they were going to put country before party as a matter of pure patriotism.

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Mr. Thomson's letter was dissected by Dr. Daniel. He pointed out the various errors and omissions in the letter, and showed how it was a mere attempt to mislead the public. He pointed out that the letter was full of contradictions and that it was a mere attempt to mislead the public.

The contention of the writer that clause 42 permitted shippers to route their freight as they pleased and that this would be the manner in which the speaker quoted a telegram sent to Mr. Blair in 1903 and signed among others by Mr. Thomson.

A CHALLENGE. "I now ask," said Dr. Stockton, "William Thomson & Co. to explain tomorrow, before the election, what they meant by their telegram of 1903, and when they became converted to this faith. I ask them to explain the difference of opinion between 1903 and 1904."

Mr. Borden's policy was to build the road with government money, to own the road, to control it and to operate it. He further offered to nationalize the railway if the government would return to the ratepayers of the \$800,000 spent by the city in harbor facilities and meant that the government would be responsible for the future development of the port. Dr. Stockton applauded his speech amidst terrific applause.

W. F. Hatheway dealt with the issue of the day. He showed that the Liberal government had done practically nothing to uphold the port of St. John. The meeting closed with cheers for the King and candidates.

TEMPLE OF HONOR HALL. The meeting in the Temple of Honor Hall, north end, was one of the most successful in a campaign noted for the success of the conservative gathering. The hall was packed to its full extent, and men were standing in the aisles and at the back of the hall, even to the stairs leading out of the hall.

A. W. MACRAE. Mr. Macrae was the first speaker. He discussed at length the questions that confronted the electorate. He pointed out the advantages of government ownership to a tax-paying people over corporation ownership.

J. D. HAZEN. The chairman then introduced J. D. Hazen, M. P., who spoke for an hour and a half, touching upon many points in the campaign. He first reviewed the political situation and expressed his confidence in the return of the conservative party to power at Ottawa. Many causes combined to render the government weaker than in any previous campaign.

J. B. M. BAXTER. J. B. M. Baxter made a brief address to the meeting. He pointed out the various errors and omissions in the letter, and showed how it was a mere attempt to mislead the public.

MR. KILLEN. Mr. Killen was next called on. He took up the political question, and showed that the common working man was the one who would be most affected by the proposed changes. He pointed out that the common working man was the one who would be most affected by the proposed changes.

MR. HATHWAY. Mr. Hatheway made a strong argument against a corporation owned railway. He pointed out that a corporation owned railway would be a mere attempt to mislead the public.

DR. DANIEL. When Dr. Daniel entered, about 8, the audience rose to their feet and cheered heartily. Dr. Stockton, who arrived later in the evening, was greeted in the same manner. Dr. Daniel dealt chiefly with the G. T. P. railway project. He said the labor unions in the large cities were endorsing government ownership of railways.

DR. STOCKTON. Dr. Stockton said he had not the privilege of speaking in this ward before, and that he was more than glad to cover over his ground now and had cultivated it well. Dr. Stockton dealt with the important questions of the campaign in a very able manner. The meeting broke up about 10.30 with cheers for the conservative candidates and for Borden.

CONSERVATIVE WARD MEETINGS

The workers of the various wards of the city will meet every evening as follows: Guys, City Hall, Carleton. Brooks, John McAulay's shop, St. John Street. Sidney and Dukes, vacant shop, Cor. Duke and Charlotte Sts. Queens, Kings, Prince and Wellington, Club Rooms, Breez's Corner. Victoria, Victoria Rink. Dufferin, Kowley's Bld'g, 625 Main St. Lansdowne, Lorne and Stanley, Temple of Honor Hall, Main St. Lancaester Parish, Orange Hall, Fairville. 1256

MACKENZIE BOWELL Is Strongly in Favor of Government Ownership.

It was stated by the government press that Sir Mackenzie Bowell is opposed to government owned railways. That was contradicted. Then it was said that he opposed the operation of the railway by the government. The fact is that he believes in government ownership with operation by a commission. This dispatch shows it: BELLEVILLE, Oct. 29.—Sir Mackenzie Bowell denied that anything he said was at variance with the policy of Mr. Borden. Sir Mackenzie was in favor of government-owned railways, but not of government-operated railways. Mr. Borden had promised if placed in power to build the transcontinental railway, and have it operated by a non-partisan board, totally independent of political influence.

WILL WORK ON THURSDAY. Borden Club Will be Out in Force to Assist the Ward Committees.

The last meeting of the R. L. Borden Club before the day of election was held in their rooms last evening. A large number were present and decided to assist the ward committees on election day. The club decided to hold a smoker on Tuesday evening next, and a committee was appointed to make arrangements. The club will continue in existence and will hold monthly meetings, when debates on the political topics of the day will take place.

OVER 200 WEDDING INVITATIONS.

On Tuesday, the 8th, the wedding will take place of Arthur Vanwart, son of Wilfred Vanwart of Hampstead, to Miss Mary Perry, daughter of Rev. S. J. Perry, the pastor of that Free Baptist parish. The ceremony will be performed at the home of the bride's father, Belyea's Cove, and there are over two hundred invitations issued. Both the principals in the approaching event are well and favorably known in Queens county.

SURPRISE PARTY.

A surprise party was held last evening at the home of Miss Emma Lill, St. George street, West End. About fifty of her friends called to say "hello" to Miss Lill, who leaves this morning for Boston to spend the winter. A pleasant time was had with music and various games and the party broke up in the wee sma' hours.

WHAT MR. EMMERSON SAYS.

"Do we want to help the Western people to get this grain to the Canadian seaboard? Do we want to help them get it over the Canadian line? And do we want to make its help effective? Then I say that the only way you can do that is by demanding and insisting upon the carrying out of the idea of the extension of a government owned road across the continent."—Hon. H. R. Emmerson, Minister of Railways May 1903.

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I. C. R. WRECK. Halifax Express Derailed at Oxford.

Driver James Macaulay, of Moncton, is probably fatally injured. OXFORD JUNCTION, N. S., Nov. 1.—The Pacific express from Halifax to Moncton via St. John, crashed into a special freight at this place this morning. Engineer James Macaulay and his fireman, both of whom were both injured, Macaulay's condition being reported very serious. The train was in charge of Conductor Milligan and had orders to pass Conductor Powell's special at Oxford Junction. The freight arrived first and the special train came thundering along at a high rate of speed and crashed through the open switch into the freight. The trains came together with an awful impact and the engines and baggage car were badly broken up. Driver Macaulay on the freight had a miraculous escape. He was in his engine at the time, but beyond being shaken up he was not hurt. Macaulay was pinned among the wreckage for over half an hour before he was rescued. Both legs are crushed between the knees and feet. His condition is so serious that he is not expected to survive. The freight jumped as the express went on the siding and escaped with a broken leg. The train was delayed nearly three hours. Driver Macaulay lives in Moncton, and word was at once sent to his family. His wife and one of his sons left on the afternoon train for Oxford. Mr. Macaulay has been in a number of wrecks, the latest being in 1903 when he suffered severe injuries from a similar occurrence. He was driver when the accident at Palmer's Pond occurred in December of 1902. Again in August last his engine turned completely over near Truro. The engine was also wrecked at a place near Truro, where he was also injured. Macaulay felt lost to go on the road again, and it was some time before he could make up his mind to continue his occupation.

A WARNING TO VOTERS. Be Careful About Marking Ballots—The Substituted Pencil Scheme.

(Charlottetown Examiner.) One of the latest liberal devices is the "substituted pencil" scheme, by means of which hundreds of conservative votes were spoiled in the by-election in St. James' parish on Monday last. A liberal voter goes into the booth, he marks his ballot with the black pencil provided by the returning officer and he puts that pencil in his pocket. In the booth he leaves a similar looking pencil, only one with a blue lead. He then comes out and another liberal voter goes in to vote. He takes the black pencil from the liberal voter's pocket and marks his ballot with it. The returning officer's pencil and marks his ballot with the black pencil in the booth and if by other conservative voters he is a liberal voter. The scheme is a most infamous one, for when the ballots are counted every ballot marked with anything but a black lead pencil is rejected as "spoiled."

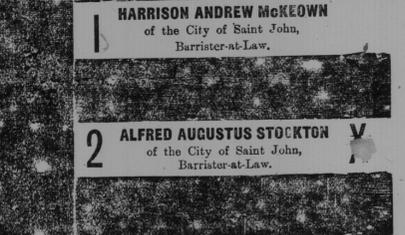
SEAMEN'S MISSION.

The board of management of the Seamen's Mission held their annual meeting last night in the old Chipman house. Mr. Gorbell presided. The secretary's report was most satisfactory. The board discussed the question of securing a new manager for the mission, but as yet no names have been submitted. The annual report was not submitted as it is yet in the hands of the printer. It will be ready on Tuesday next. The partition between two of the rooms upstairs is being removed and these will be used as an assembly room. The Sunday services will be held here. A noticeable feature in regard to the work is the fact that the studding in the wall now being torn down is as sound as it ever was. The treasurer begs to acknowledge the receipt of the following amounts: Miss I. E. Kinnear, \$10; Miss E. L. Kinnear, \$5.00; collected from members of the W. C. T. U. convention at Moncton, \$5.00.

MR. EMMERSON'S OPINION.

"The cheapest transportation system from the West to the East over Canadian Territory to Canadian sea-ports, can only be guaranteed, can only be accomplished by the government of the country, the people of the country 'controlling a line of railway from the sea-ports to the West over the shortest route. That is what the people of the West demand, that is what the national sentiment demands and it guarantees a Canadian sea-port throughout every month of the year.'—Hon. H. R. Emmerson, Minister of Railways.

Electors of the City and County of St. John, Mark Your Ballot Like This.



PORT ARTHUR. Detailed Account of Recent Operations.

The Heaviest Assault of all Began on Oct. 24, and Still Continues. TOKIO, Nov. 1, 9 p. m.—Imperial headquarters tonight published a series of reports covering the operations against Port Arthur during the months of August, September and October. The chief interest centres in the tremendous attack which was begun Oct. 26 and is still continuing. Hundreds of Japanese guns began battering against the northerly and easterly forts on Oct. 26, the infantry moving forward with desperate rushes where the artillery had prepared the way, while the pioneers and sappers were running mines against the Russian forts. The reports which record a series of desperate encounters at close range and tell a dramatic story, begin with the covering of the attack of Oct. 26, and are as follows: "From 8.30 o'clock in the morning the forts on Sungshu and Riblung mountains, the eastern group of forts on Keekwan mountain and a fort lying to the north of the latter, were bombarded with our siege guns and naval ordnance and 250 shells took effect. "The naval guns directed against the Sungshu and Riblung mountains fired many effective shells. The parapet of Riblung mountain fort was demolished and openings were made in the forts. Several portions of the cover were destroyed. "Two of the most important covers on Sungshu mountain fort were destroyed by our shells. One 15-centimetre gun was dismantled and another damaged. One gun on the northern fort of East Keekwan mountain was destroyed. "From two o'clock in the afternoon other siege guns were directed against the trenches on all slopes of Sungshu mountain and Riblung mountain and against the trenches on the south side of Popsian mountain. All these trenches were heavily damaged by five o'clock in the afternoon. "A portion of our right wing charged against the trenches on Riblung mountain and on the southern part of Popsian mountain and took possession of them without heavy loss. "Simultaneously with the occupation of the places from which the Russians had been driven, the enemy posted the forts in their vicinity, in conjunction with the forts on West Sital Rangku, Mantao mountain, Golden Hill, Pui Yau mountain and Laitichu mountain. "On the same night, with the object of preventing the Russians from making repairs, our siege and naval guns shelled the forts of Riblung mountain, East Keekwan mountain and Sungshu mountain. "The enemy's warships and machinery buildings were also shelled. "The enemy holding Sungshu and Riblung mountains, under the protection of a shell fire, undertook several night attacks, but all of them were repulsed. "On Oct. 27 the bombardment with our siege guns was continued and our fire of our naval guns was directed against Sungshu, Itz, Paityu and Riblung mountains, and also against the docks and the warships. "During the same night our engineer corps was sent against the northern part of East Keekwan mountain and succeeded in destroying the outer casemate of a projected point. "During the night the enemy resort-

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LAURIER'S DOWNFALL

BOSTON, Nov. 1.—A number of Boston business houses in the financial district have received information from their agents in Canada advising them that the overthrow of the Laurier government is probable next Thursday.

Notwithstanding the approach of the presidential election, there is intense interest here in the outcome across the border. One of the newspapers is arranging for a full special service on the day after election and will probably send a man to Montreal.

WILMOT CONFIDENT

FREDERICTON, Nov. 1.—One more day and the campaign is over. The Gleason tonight practically admits giving up the fight by saying nothing and the Herald gives the howl of that resembling a dying dog.

What do you think of the prospects in Queens and Sunbury? was asked by your correspondent.

Mr. Wilmot said pleasantly and said, "Well, I don't think I have any cause to complain. Of course elections are to an extent a bit of a lottery."

Speaking from my own personal knowledge I don't think there is anything in that. The story has sprung from the fact that a man was sent down from Ottawa, but from what I can learn of this man I don't think he is a person who could instruct much.

WANKER CAMPAIGNERS

GRAND FALLS, Oct. 31.—It may surprise the people of New Brunswick to know that Hon. John Cottingham is now attempting Madawaska county assisted by two United States politicians.

Mr. Cottingham's connection with the Winding Legion Dam bill is well remembered, and it is not forgotten that the interests which stood to profit most by that transaction were in Maine.

SCATTERING THE WAD.

BATHURST, N. B., Nov. 1.—Reports from all parts of Gloucester give assurance of Blanchard's victory. Turgeon is making another trip to the lower end of the county in a last effort to regain his foothold and advises that he is meeting with little success.

KENT COUNTY.

RICHMOND, N. B., Nov. 1.—From the most reliable sources all over the county comes the assurance that Geo. V. McInerney, the conservative candidate will be elected on Thursday.

CARLETON COUNTY.

BATH, N. B., Nov. 1.—The return of F. H. Hale, M. P., again to parliament is conceded. The liberal candidate, F. B. Carvell, is resorting to all sorts of canvasses against Mr. Hale, showing conclusively the extent a person may go to avoid the truth and real issues which he very well knows is and will be fatal to his purpose.

KINGS-ALBERT.

SUSSEX, N. B., Nov. 1.—Liberals have played a trick on opponents here that will not make voters for Hon. A. S. White. That gentleman's agents have cornered the only hall in town and have decided to shut out their opponents from a reply to the oration of Mr. Emmerson, Mr. White and Mr. Pugsley, which were hurried at the last moment by the speaker.

QUEENS-SUNBURY.

FREDERICTON JCT., Nov. 1.—Reports in reached here from Queen's Co. that ways that are dark are to be practiced on election day to win the county for Hay. The liberals know that they are up against it, and the end in view justifies the means.

MORE WINNERS.

OTTAWA, Nov. 1.—A supplement to the Canada Gazette issued last evening gives regulations and orders for the militia of Canada based upon the new militia act, which goes into force today.

LAURIER IS OUT OF IT.

MONTRÉAL, Nov. 1.—There is nothing new to report in the Quebec station today beyond Le Soleil's statement of liberal prospects published yesterday and which is the talk of the town today.

Liberal prospects published yesterday and which is the talk of the town today. Laurier's Quebec organ did not admit the loss of any seats, but it did admit that the liberals would be elected by reduced majorities, and when Le Soleil admits anything it may be taken for granted that the situation is a great deal worse than it is made out to be.

MOTT IS A FIGHTER.

DALHOUSIE, N. B., Nov. 1.—As the day of the elections approaches there are not so many of the liberal prospects in this county. The liberals acknowledge that they have a formidable opponent in Mr. Mott, and when they admit that the contest is going to be a close one, though people of the county do not think that the G. P. protest means disaster to the interloper, from which so many derive their living.

LIBERAL MEETING A FAILURE.

FREDERICTON, N. B., Nov. 1.—At Gibson this evening Dr. McLeod addressed a large meeting and received a most attentive hearing. As in other cases, the conservative cause was not so well represented as it is endeavoring to get odds, and it is not improbable that by tomorrow night the conservatives in order to get their voters will have to offer large inducements.

THE NEED FOR A CHANGE.

OTTAWA, Ont., Nov. 1.—E. J. Eddy, the veteran manufacturer and probably the largest individual employer of labor in Canada has issued a circular to his managers, agents and employees throughout the Dominion in which he states that he will be out bright and early on Thursday morning to poll a straight conservative vote.

BORDEN AT SPRINGHILL.

HALIFAX, N. S., Nov. 1.—R. Borden concluded his tour tonight with a great meeting at Springhill in Cumberland. It was the greatest demonstration in honor of a political leader ever seen in the county.

NEWFOUNDLAND ELECTIONS.

ST. JOHN'S, N. F., Nov. 1.—Election returns today strongly favor the Bond government. Ferryland has elected Chalmers; Ellis Harbor, Main has elected Morris and Lewis, all Bondites; Bay De Verde has elected Hutchings, Bondite, and Winsor, opposition. Premier Bond has now six seats and the opposition only two. Counts now in progress indicate the return of six more Bondites for St. John's city.

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Time to get ready for Thanksgiving, which comes on Nov. 17th this year.

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- For 9c yard—A Double Satin Scotch Linen Cloth, open water lily centre and border. This cloth is worth \$1.10 a yard. Thanksgiving sale price, 9c.

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The Filigree Ball

BY ANNA KATHERINE GREEN AUTHOR OF "THE LEAVENWORTH CASE."

But this opinion received something of a check when in a quiet talk with a reporter I learned that it was openly stated by those who had courage to speak that the tie which had certainly existed at one time between Mr. Jeffrey and the handsome Miss Tuttle had been entirely of her own making, and that the person of Veronica Moore, rather than the large income she commanded, had been the attractive power which had led him away from the older sister.

It was at the time when the engagement was first announced, yet before Jeffrey and the young heiress, this and his previous attentions to her had made her name a household word in Washington and elsewhere, and there were not lacking those who had opened their eyes to her seeming inconsistency. This had been over the course of course, and Jeffrey had borne it well enough from his so-called friends and intimates.

John Judson Moore, the father of Veronica, had fewer oddities than the other members of this eccentric family. It was thought, however, that he had shown some strain of the peculiar independence of his race when in selecting a wife, he let his choice fall on a widow who was not only unincumbered with a child, but who was generally regarded as the plainest woman in Virginia—he who might have had the pick of Southern beauty. But when in the course of time this despised woman proved to be the possessor of those virtues and social graces which eminently fitted her to conduct the large establishment of which she had been made mistress, he was forgiven his lack of taste.

Why this proceeding should have been so displeasing to their friends is not clear, but that it was so, is evident from the fact that great rejoicing took place on all sides when Veronica suddenly developed into a healthy child and the probability of David Moore's inheriting the coveted fortune decreased to a minimum. It was not a long rejoicing, however, for John Judson followed his wife to the grave before Veronica had reached her tenth year, leaving her and her half-sister, Cora, to the guardianship of a crabbed old bachelor who had been his father's lawyer. This lawyer was morose and peevish, but he was never positively unkind. For two years the sisters seemed happy enough when, suddenly and somewhat mysteriously, they were separated, Veronica being sent to a western school, where she remained, seemingly without a single visit east, till she was seventeen. During this long absence Miss Tuttle resided in Washington, developing under matters into an accomplished woman.

Veronica's guardian, severe in his treatment of the youthful owners of the large fortune of which he had been made sole executor, was unexpectedly generous to the penniless orphan, perhaps, in his close, peevish old heart, that the charms and acquired graces of this lovely woman would soon win for her a husband in the brilliant set in which she naturally found herself. But Cora Tuttle was not easy to please, and the first man of Washington came and went before her eyes without awakening in her any special interest till she met Francis Jeffrey, who stole her heart with a look.

Those who remember her that winter say that under his influence she developed from a handsome woman into a lovely one. Yet no engagement was announced, and society was wondering what held Francis Jeffrey back from so great a prize, when Veronica Moore came home, and the question was forever answered.

Veronica was now nearly eighteen, and during her absence had bloomed into womanhood. She was not as beautiful as her sister, but she had a bright and pleasing expression with enough spice in her temperament to rob her girlish features of insipidity and make her conversation witty, if not brilliant. Yet when Francis Jeffrey turned his attention from Miss Tuttle and fixed them without reserve, or seeming shame, upon this pretty butterfly, but one term could be found to characterize the proceeding, and that was, fortune-hunting. Of small but settled nature, he had hitherto shown a certain contentment with his condition, but it was not long before he made his attention to Miss Tuttle seem both consistent and appropriate. But no sooner did Veronica's bright eyes appear than he fell at the young heiress' feet and pressed his suit so close and fast that in two months they were engaged, and at the end of the half-year, married—with the disastrous consequences just made known.

So much for the general gossip of the town. New for the special.

CHAPTER VII. The next morning my duty led me directly in the way of that little friend of mine whom I have already mentioned. It is strange how often my duty led me in her way.

She is a demure little creature, with eyes as bright as her eyes, which is saying a great deal; and while, in the course of our long friendship, I have advanced without making use of the special abilities I saw in her, I felt that the time had now come when they might prove of sustainable value to me.

Greeting her with pardonable abruptness, I expressed my wishes in these possibly alarming words: "Jimmy, you can do something for me. Find out—I know you can, and that, too, without arousing suspicion or compromising either of us—where Mr. Moore, of Waverly Avenue, buys his groceries, and when you have done that, whether or not he has lately resupplied himself with candles."

"The surprise which she showed had a touch of naïveté in it which was very encouraging. "Mr. Moore?" she cried, "the uncle of her who—who?" "The very same," I responded, and waited for her questions without adding a single word in any way of explanation.

"She gave me a look-oh, what a look! It was as encouraging to the detective as it was welcome to the lover; and when she nodded, once in doubt, once in question and once in frank and laughing consent, and darted a glance at her eyes, I thanked Providence for such a self-contained little aide-camp and proceeded on my way in a state of great self-satisfaction.

"An hour later I came upon her again. It is a really extraordinary how frequently the paths of some people cross.

"Mr. Moore deals with Simpkins, just two blocks away from his house; and only a week ago he bought some candles there."

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Reports of the Sunday school convention will be given at the union prayer meeting this evening in the Congregational church.

Robert Mahony, formerly of this city, died at Anoka, Minnesota, on Oct. 26, aged 27 years. He leaves three brothers, James and Francis Mahony, of this city, and John Mahony, of Boston.

John and George Happey, of Moore street, received a telegram this morning from Moncton announcing the death of their mother. Both young men left on the Atlantic express for Moncton, their former home.

R. A. Vanwart, formerly of this city, but now of Montana, has lately in conjunction with T. F. Falley, purchased the famous bowling alleys of the city of Missoula.

Rev. J. G. Tall of Nebraska, a past supreme master of the Ancient Order of United Workmen, will address a mass meeting of the members of the order and their families on Friday evening, Nov. 4th, in Orange Hall, Germain street. An interesting programme is being arranged.

The funeral of Mrs. John Ward was held this morning at nine o'clock from her late residence, 22 Moore street. Requiem high mass was celebrated at St. Peter's church by Rev. Edward Scully, C. S. B., and interment was made in the new Catholic cemetery.

The death of Charles Godose took place Monday in his 76th year, after a two months' illness of chronic heart trouble. The deceased was the second son of the late Charles Godose, and is survived by one son, three brothers and two sisters.

Lawrence V. McGill, of Rochester, N. H., and one of the youngest lawyers in that city, will tomorrow be sworn in as Justice of Rochester. Mr. McGill is a native of St. John, the son of Lawrence B. and Mary V. McGill of this city.

A congregational convention will be held in the Waterloo Street Free Baptist church, Rev. A. J. Prosser, pastor, on Thanksgiving night, November 11th. A programme of music, scripture reading, etc., will be given, with an address by Rev. A. A. Rideout, and afterwards refreshments will be served. A thank offering will be taken.

According to Board of Health statistics there were a total of 246 cases of contagious diseases in the city for the year ending October 31st. Twenty of these cases resulted in death. For the year there were 100 cases of diphtheria, 58 of scarlet fever, 47 of measles, 20 of typhoid fever and one of smallpox.

The second annual meeting of the Women's Missionary Society of Carmarthen street Methodist church which was to be held last evening beginning at eight o'clock. A good programme has been provided. The public are cordially invited. A collection will be taken in aid of the society.

A St. John man, who was in Westmorland county yesterday, told the Star this morning that he was assaulted at the great change in public feeling which has taken place there. He said he would not have believed it if he had not been a personal witness of it. At Moncton the board I. C. B. employees openly declare that they would vote for Powell.

The regular meeting of the W. C. T. U. was held yesterday afternoon and was well attended. A letter was read from a former member of the little girl's home who has been adopted and she writes she is very happy. There is still one little girl whom the union is boarding and for whom they would like to find a home. A communication was read by the president about Mrs. Jackson, who was the means of starting the W. C. T. U. in St. John, Portland and Moncton. Considerable routine business was transacted.

MEETINGS TO-NIGHT. Closing Conservative Rallies in Carleton and Fairville.

The electors of Carleton will be given tonight a last chance of hearing the political issues from the opposition point of view. In the City Hall speeches will be made by J. B. M. Baxter and Dr. A. A. Stockton. The meeting will be called to order at eight o'clock. The Carleton people have not yet heard Dr. Stockton in the present campaign, and they should not let this opportunity pass.

A public meeting will also be held in Fairville tonight in the Orange Hall. The speakers will be J. D. Hazen, M. P., and others.

THIS EVENING. Annual meeting of the Women's Missionary Society of Carmarthen Street Methodist church.

Conservative meeting in City Hall, West End.

Conservative meeting in Fairville. Dance in the Neptune Rowing Club rooms.

ROSARIO, Oct. 29.—Sld. bark E. A. O'Brien (of Halifax, NS), for South Africa.

THIS MAN ARRESTED TWICE IN ONE DAY.

The Striking Achievement of One Alexander Guthrow Who Hails From Nova Scotia

Since Saturday there has been one man arrested in the entire city and to make the occasion more interesting he got locked up twice in the one day and by so doing has made Jack Magan and a few other aspirants to record honors jealous.

The man who succeeded in this feat is a perfect stranger here having arrived only yesterday morning from Springhill, N. S. He says his name is Alexander Guthrow, but there are a number of things he is not exactly sure of and so may be wrong in this.

Guthrow landed here with about \$15 in his pocket and after sampling some St. John booze decided that it was all right. Between 11 and 12 o'clock he had purchased a load, a bottle and a small bottle of oil. Sergt. Campbell and Officer Marshall gathered him up. He had \$12.50. He said he was 40 years of age. After he sobered up he left a deposit or eight dollars and was allowed to go. Between eight and nine o'clock last evening Officer Rankine came upon Guthrow on St. John street and his condition was such that he had to lock him up. This time he had only \$3.48, so that during the few hours he was out he spent \$1.19 or at the rate of ten cents a drink had eleven drinks. He gave his age this time as 34 or six years younger than when he had had \$12.50.

In the court his morning his honor intimated that a man who would get drunk twice in one day needed looking after. Guthrow said he came here to work for Messrs. Fleming on the new ferry boat. Chief Clark telephoned Messrs. Fleming, who said they knew nothing about the man but that one of their representatives who is in Nova Scotia and who would return today might know something of the man. Guthrow has been held awaiting further information concerning him.

WARNING TO SCRUTINEERS. Attempts Will be Made to Violate Ballot's Secrecy and to Stuff Ballot Boxes.

Scrutineers at all the polls should carefully examine the ballot boxes before the voting begins. It is understood that in some parts of the Dominion the attempt will be made to stuff ballots by one of the old processes or by some new method.

The Star is informed that ingenious persons have been working at these devices and while they may not be attempted in this province, it is well to take no risks.

It is also stated that attempts will be made in this constituency and Moncton to violate the secrecy of the ballot by having watchers in rooms over or adjoining the place where the ballot is marked and that where possible the voters will be asked to show their ballots at a window where they can be seen from outside. Scrutineers should examine carefully the booth and see that there are no opportunities for such devices.

CHINAMAN'S CLEVER DOG. How He Watched His Master's Trunk in the I. C. R. Station.

A Chinaman with a particularly intelligent dog attracted considerable attention the other day at the depot. Chief Clark telephoned to the I. C. R. station and had a small trunk checked for a point east. The dog was at his heels and in obedience to a word jumped on the trunk and laid down. The Chinaman went away and after a time the dog started in to make friends with the baggage men and in a short time was on familiar terms with all. However, he kept one eye on the trunk, but did not in the least object to having it moved. When the time came to place the trunk on the truck to take it to the car, there was some doubt as to how the dog would act. One of the men placed the trunk on top of a pile of trunks and started away. The dog was not to be fooled and climbed up on top. When the trunk was placed in the car the dog got in too and went comfortably asleep.

The men kept a lookout for the Chinaman and when he came into the depot asked him where his dog was. He expressed no surprise. Simply remarking that the dog would be found waiting for him with the trunk at his destination, and he got on the train without taking the trouble to enquire if the dog was in the car.

MICHAEL BIRMINGHAM DEAD. Old British Soldier and Familiar Figure in St. John.

The death occurred at the General Public Hospital yesterday of Michael Birmingham, undoubtedly one of the best known men in St. John.

Mr. Birmingham was born in England and was educated at the Duke of York's school, and at an early age entered the British army and was in the Crimea when Sebastopol fell, in the capacity of a bugler. Mr. Birmingham served many years in the army in various parts of the world, and had many remarkable stories to tell of his experiences. He also served for some years on the Metropolitan police force. Mr. Birmingham first came to this country with an English regiment and for a time was stationed at Fredericton, Halifax and in this city. Some years later he returned to Canada and since then has resided either in this city or the immediate vicinity. At one time Mr. Birmingham conducted a hotel on the south wharf and of late years has carried on a cooperative business.

Deceased leaves a widow and a family of five.

It has been observed that the slender fingers of the people have a tendency to be developed horizontally on the east side and vertically on the west side of the trees in the thicket lying between New England and Michigan. It is supposed to be due to the prevailing westerly winds.

PERSONALS.

Mrs. R. G. Peer will receive her friends on Thursday and Friday afternoon, Nov. 3rd and 4th, at her home, 20 St. James and Victoria street.

Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Fuller, of Truro, are in the city the guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. H. James, Wright street. They are in the city the guests of Mr. and Mrs. St. Louis.

Geo. W. Fowler was in the city for a few hours this morning.

The Misses Peters, who formerly conducted the Clifton House, left last evening for Detroit, where they will spend the winter.

Dr. Alward left on the noon train for Amherst, where he will speak tonight.

John Birmingham arrived in the city on the express from Boston this morning to attend the funeral of his father.

Mrs. Mealey, the attendant at the lady's waiting room in the depot, has returned from a visit to friends in Berwick, N. S.

T. J. Linehan and bride, of Beverly, Mass., arrived in the city at noon today and are the guests of Mrs. Corkery, Brussels street.

Rev. Norman P. Keyes left at noon yesterday for Halifax and other Nova Scotia points.

William Wheeler and W. B. Tennant left yesterday for Sackville to witness the football game between Mount Allison and U. N. B., which takes place today.

A. Z. McKenzie of Nerepis, who has been in Manitoba for the past two months, returned home yesterday and was warmly greeted by his friends.

Rev. Mr. Pritchard, the new minister of the Congregational church, is expected to arrive in the city on Thursday.

Rev. C. W. Hamilton has returned from Campbellton.

Miss Sadie M. Lawson, daughter of Thomas Lawson, is home from Rhode Island, where she graduated as trained nurse, from the state hospital, making one of the highest records. Miss Lawson, also of this city, was one of the successful graduates and accompanied Miss Lawson to this city.

Rev. C. D. Schofield, of Hampton, will assume his duties as rector of Christ church, Sydney, on Sunday, Nov. 4.

The many friends of John D. Short are congratulating him today on reaching, in excellent health and spirits, his 75th birthday.

Edward Buckley, who has been visiting his aunt, Mrs. J. J. Kean, Fairville, left Monday morning for his home in Michigan.

DEAD MAN'S SHOP WAS BURGLARIZED.

Two Men Arrested for Breaking Into Michael Birmingham's Cooper Shop and Stealing Tools.

Some time yesterday or last night the late Michael Birmingham's cooper shop on Duke street, near Prince William, which has been closed since his death, was broken into and some tools stolen.

This morning Detective Killen arrested two men, James Gallagher and Peter Conacher on suspicion of having committed the burglary. Some of the missing tools were found on them.

Gallagher, who was an employe of Mr. Birmingham, claims that the tools belong to him.

CARELESSNESS CAUSED I. C. R. WRECK. A gentleman who was on the train wrecked on the I. C. R. yesterday told the Star that the accident was undoubtedly due to gross carelessness. A freight had taken the siding, but being too long had broken and the locomotive and a few cars run on a spur. It was the switch leading to this spur that was open and caused the accident. The passengers were considerably frightened but all escaped uninjured. The fireman jumped as soon as he saw the switch was open, but the engineer did not have time after trying to stop his engine.

Specials for the Week

All Wool Blankets, worth \$3.50, for \$2.98. Bed Comforts, two special prices, \$1.49, 1.98. Ladies' Flannel Wrappers, .98. Black Satteen Underskirts, .98. Men's Lined Kid Gloves, worth \$1.00 to \$1.75, .68. Ladies' Coats, worth \$7.50 to \$11.50, 6.98. SILK SALE, this week only. Rich, heavy Peau de Soie Silk, all colors and black and white—always sold at 55c.—and marked this week 39c.

Complete Assortment of

Ladies' Underwear, per garment, 25c to \$1.25. Children's " " " " 18c to .75. Men's " " " " 50c to 2.50. Boys' " " " " 18c to .60.

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ELECTION RETURNS. POLICE REPORTS. The Conservatives have secured St. Andrew's rink to receive election returns from all points of the Dominion.

The bulletins as they arrive will be brought to the rink by a special messenger and announced on blackboards. The government party will receive the election returns at Berryman's hall.

Extra editions of the Star will announce the results as soon as they are received.

Another Silk Sale!

2,500 Yards of Washable Silks. 25c. yd. AT THESE PRICES: 33c. yd.

SALE STARTS ELECTION DAY, At 8.30 in the Morning.

These silks are, if anything, superior to the lot we disposed of so readily a short while ago. They are lace striped and cord-striped, and very pretty.

FOLLOWING ARE THE COLORS: Sky Blue with White Stripe, Mauve with White Stripe, Heliotrope with White Stripe, Castor with White Stripe, Greys with White Stripe, Mexico Blue with White Stripe, Ox-Blood with White Stripe, Champagne with White Stripe, Fawn with White Stripe.

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