

ST. JOHN STAR, SATURDAY, JULY 9, 1904.

HALF-BROTHER TO THE CZAR IS AN ONTARIO PRISONER.

Curious Story Leaks Out Which Has Some Highly Interesting, Even Romantic Features.

There is at present incarcerated in one of Ontario's best known prisons a man whose career has been so crowded with the ups and downs of life as to seem to have happened to one in this bustling, bustling, topsy-turvy old world.

The prisoner is doing a six months' sentence on a charge of fraud, perpetrated it matters not where. And he is a half-brother of Nicholas II, the present czar of Russia.

Sometimes about the year 1887 or 1888 there was introduced into the royal household of Alexander III, the then czar, an English woman named Madeleine Arnot, a member of the English aristocracy.

There was at this time in St. Petersburg a wealthy English contractor named Richard Esamin. He had received many commissions from the Russian government, in the way of furnishing armories' supplies.

After his college course he held a commission in the army's service. He soon tired of the and was sent to Russia, where he was appointed a member of the consular service.

From that time until his mother died, two years ago, it is supposed that he received an allowance from her. When she died that was an end of it.

Modded in Commercial Affairs. To show how small this world is, there is a business man in Toronto who came in contact indirectly with young Esamin, or, as he was known then by the name of Siminsky, a Russian way of pronouncing the English name.

Up to the last day of our lives we ought to be as young as in those days when we played "hooky" at school, or had a romp in the green grass.

There is a man who lives in a rural district in the state of New York who began the study of Greek when he was eighty-four years of age.

Some people have crawled into their holes and are waiting to die. There is no use of it. It is unmitigated laziness. That is all there is to it.

Some died, not of old age, but of laziness. Some would still be ruler of the earth had she not resorted to hot baths, sensuous enjoyment and every species of mental and physical laziness.

Men do the same thing. We have psychologists each other by repeating over and over again that people must grow old, weak-minded and impotent. We say these things until we have brought ourselves to believe them.

Why not? Who is it that has discovered that at fifty years or sixty years or seventy years of age the physical and mental powers begin to wane?

Of course, a man can curl up at the age of fifty years and die if he wants to. At sixty he can roll himself up in a cocoon and wait for the undertaker to come and get him.

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SPORTING. The Ring, Baseball

JEFF SURE HE'LL BE

IN TRIM BY AUGUST.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., July 2.—Champion Jim Jeffries is gradually recovering from his injured knee which necessitated a postponement of his battle with Jack Munroe. The big boxer-maker says that the match will surely take place in August and that he will make every effort to be in good condition when he enters the ring to face the miner.

Just as soon as his condition will permit Jeffries will resume training. He is now at Oakland taking things easy, and he will lose no time in getting to work when he is satisfied that his injured member will stand the strain.

What effort Jeffries' knee will have on his performance when he does enter the ring is hard to tell. Many believe that it will be an advantage to the champion as he has been laid up and that it would have been impossible for him to fight on the date originally set for the bout.

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One thing evident is that Munroe has gained confidence since the postponement, and judging from his talk he would like to understand the Jeffries avoided meeting him because he was afraid. It is believed that Munroe is now at St. Louis, where he intends to engage in a couple of wrestling matches before he resumes training for his battle August.

Munroe is not at St. Louis, where he intends to engage in a couple of wrestling matches before he resumes training for his battle August.

Lajoie Leads Betting List. Lajoie continues to lead the American league batters, and the Cleveland

CANADIAN STORY TELLERS.

There are thousands of people who should appreciate Canadian stories because they are Canadian, yet are quite unfamiliar with the names of Canadian story writers.

The July "Canadian Magazine" contains at least three stories by leaders in this class of literature. There is a racing story by W. A. Fraser, who is the author of several books, and a resident of Georgetown, a small town just west of Toronto.

There is a humorous tale by A. R. Carman, a staff writer on the Montreal Star, the author of two novels, and a descriptive writer of considerable experience.

The western story, "Star-Blink," is by Duncan Campbell Scott, an officer in the Department of Indian Affairs at Ottawa, and the author of some volumes of verse of more than ordinary merit.

It is pleasant to know that it is possible for a magazine editor to secure stories by native writers fully equal to those produced elsewhere in the Anglo-Saxon world.

The number contains also some articles of exceptional interest, including "The Ladies' Empire, Club of London," by Lally Bessard; "An Outing on the Bay of Fundy's Shores," by F. C. Sears; a character sketch of Richard McBride, premier of British Columbia, by T. A. Greer, and "How Our Grandfathers Lived," by Frank Yeigh.

All these contributions are appropriately illustrated. Special attention is also given to summer books. The colored frontispiece is an attractive bit of Canadian scenery.

ROYAL MIDDY.

Here is a credible anecdote, told by Dr. Doran in his notes to Walpole's "Last Journals" of Prince William as first sent to sea as a midshipman he had to find or fight his way as he could amongst his young shipmates. Indeed, in the very first week he got a sound thrashing for his impertinence from one of his messmates.

"I would just serve your father in about the same way if he were in your place and behaved as unlike a gentleman!" Years after, when Prince William was Duke of Clarence and Lord High Admiral, he summoned his former chaperon from Deal to London. "And so," said the Lord High Admiral, when the delinquent was admitted to his presence—"and so you are my father's son."

NOT THE RIGHT SORT.

"He's in business now for himself and his prospects seem very good." "Oh! he won't make a big fortune in a hurry."

"Think not." "No, his manners are quite refined and he uses good grammar."

FAILURES IN CANADA FOR SIX MONTHS.

Statistics of insolvencies in Canada for six months, as reported by R. G. Don & Co., were very unsatisfactory, when compared with last year, and the amount of liabilities exceeds any year of the preceding six, although the number of failures is less than in any year except 1903.

This is, of course, due to a few suspensions of unusual magnitude. In total number 533 compared with 497 last year, while liabilities of \$4,069,728 largely surpassed the \$3,396,237 reported in the first half of 1903.

Manufacturing failures numbered 149, with liabilities of \$3,254,458, against 107 failures and an indebtedness of \$1,945,364 a year ago.

Trading failures were 420 in number and \$2,454,968 in amount, against 376 for \$2,227,661 in 1903. Other commercial failures numbered 14, and involved \$231,267, compared with 10 for \$122,102.

In banking failures alone there was no improvement over 1903, two small suspensions for \$30,748 compared most favorably with four defaults and \$2,120,225 liabilities in the preceding year. And as to location the chief increases occurred in Ontario and Quebec, but every province showed more or less rise except New Brunswick.

PORCH DECORATION AND FORT.

(From the Brooklyn Eagle) Potted plants and ferns, of which there can't be too many of them, are the small water-lily lot is now of such decorative design that comes an ornamental as well as a full addition to the porch.

Convenient little stands to be omnipresent summer novel and sine abating the porch.

Fine ground matting is appropriate where a screen is desired for the porch.

Then there is the afternoon tea, one of the most delightful features of a porch life, to be thought of.

The rolling tea table is preferable, particularly where the verandah is large. A new style of admirable design on the barrow order and of wicker, painted green.

For trays nothing could be better than those of wood with brass handles. Lacquered ware also recommends itself as in harmony with the inexpensive appointments of the place.

It is well to ignore one's daintiest china in serving tea on the porch. Have the tea service in keeping with its surroundings. There is comfort, too, in the thought that it is no serious matter if any of it happens to get broken.

Brittany china, which is now enjoying such popularity, would be the right thing in the right place. So all would be Japanese ware judiciously selected.

The swiveling wooden cranes are novelty which might properly be introduced into the porch. They have pendant chains of varying lengths minimizing in large hall of stairs supposed to hang from these, but could easily be utilized for other purposes.

Wicker cushions and pillows, their name be legion, there is also some room into which they can be made to fit. Above all, let their colors be of fitting texture, never borate things of silk or satin, but have no place on the verandah. Wicker many attractive cotton goods pile on the market nowadays, such as English chintzes, Moroccan cottons, dia prints, Japanese cottons, cretonne, denim, canvases and gingham, the no excuse for using ugly or vapid covers on the summer porch.

CREATES ANIMAL LIFE, HE SAYS.

Dr. Charles W. Littlefield Tells of His Interesting Experiments with Chemicals.

ANDERSON, Ind., July 4.—Dr. Charles W. Littlefield, whose assertions and demonstrations of creating animal life from chemicals have aroused the scientific world, is a reputable physician and surgeon of this city.

He is fifty years old and has been a persistent student of science, devoting more time to it and to experiments in chemistry than to general practice. He came to Indiana eight years ago from Kansas, where he was highly commended by many well known physicians.

Before he left Kansas, Dr. Littlefield is said, declined the superintendency of one of the state infirmaries. He is a graduate of the Homoeopathic College of Kansas City and a member of the Indiana Homoeopathic Society.

of his assertion as to deriving animal life in the form of insects from chemicals. Dr. Littlefield today said: "There have been millions of these insects generated or produced from drops of inanimate matter. Each one has a distinct individuality and is not in any way dependent on the others for its power of locomotion. You can see their growth seemingly from nothing and fly into the air, where they live from a few minutes to several hours."

"One colony that was created yesterday lived all night and was as lively as over this morning. They do not come from pre-existent forms of life or from eggs of any kind. They have no ancestors other than inorganic matter."

"One peculiar feature that I have noted in this experiment is the fact that the compounds used are very liable to spontaneous combustion if vibrations are below those necessary to produce life."

"I gave demonstrations about a year ago of the resuscitation of snails that were put to death by drow by covering them over with a powder charged with magnetism. This powder in solution is one of the phosphates that enter into the production of these living objects. I demonstrated about a year ago that crystals common salt would develop living germs when subjected to the influence for a period of ninety days."

"These facts lead me to believe I had discovered the life principle. Now, by infusing the same into a drop of clear, transparent, substance, living forms in the shape of little gnats or winged insects sprang from it as by magic. What the I do not know, nor do I know what they are likely to develop, but to make cultures of these germs, whether or not they will propagate, and will also try to find their uses."

"Yes, I have a theory in regard to their production. The theory which I have worked in all of my experiments is that some form of generally spoken of as vibratory forces every known form of life is a manifestation of energy vibrations known manifest themselves according to the media through they pass in addressing themselves our physical senses. Light, heat, electricity and sound are all proper vibrations, but we would never them as such if we did not possess special organs built up in a manner able to recognize them."

"Life also results from the action of certain vibrations acting on the compounds of matter. Vivin from this standpoint it may be pared to a musical scale. After strike the key of life in creation's the higher the vibrations the the form of life."

"This I believe to be the cause the various forms of life that exist the earth. When we have learned control the vibratory movements will we can produce any form of we wish. These deductions can be legitimately drawn from an already achieved. At this time I to say nothing more than that I sure that I have produced living without the aid of antecedent life."

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THE DATE OF THE ELECTION.

Now that the present session of parliament is nearing its close the usual rumors regarding the probability of an early election abound. The latest, which purports to come from a high Liberal authority, is to the effect that the contest will be called before October 31st and possibly at a much earlier date, as Sir Wilfrid desires a summer campaign so that he can personally cover a large section of the country.

While those Conservatives who have charge of their party's organization should not ignore these rumors, it will be well for any who might be inclined to rely upon election intimations to help them through the winter, to remember that if the Liberals had so decided it is hardly likely they would advertise the fact.

While an early election is possible, it is not probable that any definite decision has been made or will be made until soundings have been taken over the whole country and the government's chances this fall as compared with any other time in the next year and a quarter carefully weighed. Last year it was generally believed that Sir Wilfrid wanted to appeal to the people and made elaborate preparations with that end in view, but was dissuaded by the alarming reports of anti-Liberal sentiment which were sent in by his pickets all over the land.

These reports, as last, the government stands ready to seize the most opportune moment, but concerning the decision of that moment there is bound to be lots of dispute among the party managers.

The policy of the machine experts last year, while seemingly wise at the time, has not been justified by developments. Undoubtedly there existed a strong popular prejudice against the Grand Trunk Pacific deal—how strong the subsequent bye-elections, in all of which the Conservatives made great gains, clearly showed—and the tendency in deciding on delay hoped that something would turn up to turn the current of public feeling in another direction before the next year. Instead of that the prejudice has grown and strengthened. In addition to convincing arguments against the policy of the government's scheme, the Conservatives today offer the people a policy which will accomplish the transportation ends desired, more speedily and effectively than the government's plan and which at the same time provides for the people, instead of a selfish and foreign corporation, shall own and operate the property which the people's money must pay for. How great is this public ownership policy has been indicated by the fact that every organ of public opinion in Canada, save those controlled by the Liberal machine, is expressing enthusiastic approval of it.

Evidence is also plentiful that public opinion is more strongly in favor of the Conservative policy of preserving Canadian markets for Canadians and although the tariff question may be partly lost sight of in the presence of the great issue of public vs. company ownership of the new transcontinental line, it will undoubtedly exercise a strong influence adverse to the government, especially in those districts dependent upon manufacturing industries. The government's reckless immigration policy, its failure to provide a fast Atlantic service, its frantic extravagances and its indifference to the militia, except as part of the machine, will also operate forcibly against it whenever the elections are held.

And if the election is held this fall the Liberals will have to face the consequences of their unscrupulous and unpatriotic treatment of Lord Dundonald and of the serious charges, affecting both the policy of the government and the personal honor of some of the ministers, preferred by the late commander-in-chief.

Altogether conditions are not comforting to those who must risk the date. They see almost hopeless chances of winning a favorable verdict in the very near future and they have the past year's developments to assure them that delay is very dangerous. Still, there is always the same old hope that something may turn up and the waiting policy has the advantage of guaranteeing them a year more of the profits of office. There will certainly be much doubt and discussion before the decision is made.

AFTER THE WAR.

Discussing the possible effects of a Japanese victory, Mr. Saburo Shimada, one of the most prominent figures in the Japanese House of Representatives, in an article in the Tokyo, a leading Tokyo periodical, makes some interesting forecasts.

His comments are by no means pessimistic, but the conclusion of the treaty of peace satisfactory to the victorious nation may come in not less than three years, although the actual treaty may not last longer than two years. The reason of the declaration of war on the part of Japan, he asserts, is directly the maintenance of peace in the Far East, and indirectly, in the world at large.

Following a precedent established by European powers which restricted Russia's armament on the Black Sea after the Crimean War, Mr. Shimada suggests a rigid restriction of Russian naval force in the Far Eastern waters. "If the military progress of Russia be curtailed to such an extent as I have suggested," says Mr. Shimada, "it will not be Japan alone which will be enabled to lessen the present military equipment both on sea and land. All the other powers as well will be relieved of a considerable portion of their aggravatingly heavy military burdens."

As Russian declines in military power Mr. Shimada foresees the growth of American influence. The United States has, he says, already extended her influence into the Far East by annexing Hawaii and Philippines. The completion of the great Panama Canal within ten years will no doubt enable her to transfer a considerable portion of her feet on the Atlantic to the Pacific Ocean. "Inasmuch as the naval force of the United States is an instrumentality for the preservation of peace and for protecting her commercial interests, its supremacy on the Pacific will alter the scene of military activity into that of commercial competition," is his conclusion.

Japan's formidible adversaries in the future, not military, but commercial, Mr. Shimada finds, not in Russia, but in all the friendly powers, such as England, America, Germany and France. Japan must encounter the competition of these powers, not by means of warships and cannon-balls, but by means of merchantmen and factories. It is by no means Japan's desire to become a military power, as has been popularly alleged in European countries, especially in France and Germany.

The Star has received the thanks of many citizens for informing them which aldermen were accepting passes from the St. John Street Railway Company. Judging by the remarks made, those who persist in their intention to place themselves under obligation to a company against whose depredations it is their duty to guard the city, will have to make some ingenious explanation of their position when election time comes again.

CHURCH UNITY.

High on the Mount the Master stood
And an angel from His omniscient eye
Into a bond of unity had wrought
The listening throng that stood expectant
His gracious words fell on dry hearts
Like rain,
Commending Truth and Bible exhortations,
His healing presence banished sin and pain,
And cleansed hearts did their Lord
One church, one hope, one Christ, one sign,
One glorious heaven,
One glorious world, where sin may be forgiven.
—R. Boal.

NEEDED THE STARS OVER HIM.

GAVE HIS LIFE FOR HIS FRIEND.

How James Malcolm Met His Death.

All Efforts to Resuscitate Him and George Usher Proved Unavailing.

The body of the late James Malcolm, who was drowned near Grand Bay yesterday was brought to the city last evening on the eight o'clock train. The funeral will take place on Sunday at 3 o'clock from his father's residence, Duke street.

The last person, with the exception of the lad who gave the alarm, to see Malcolm and Usher alive was Mr. Vair, the owner of the property about the cove where the accident took place. Mr. Vair, however, was not present at the time of the accident, as it was only a few minutes past midnight that he saw the two boys, who were then on the beach, and called out, "Come quick, Mr. Malcolm."

Malcolm at once swam round and seized a pole which was lying in the water near the raft, thrust it towards Usher and asked, "Are you all right, George?" Usher made no reply and Malcolm swam to the spot and reached it in an attempt to reach him. The last time he failed to come up. The boy wasted no time and as the minutes went by and neither Malcolm nor Usher rose to the surface he became alarmed and ran for help.

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In Silk, Lace, Muslin, Figue and Chiffon. In all the latest shapes for Spring and Summer wear. The variety is large and the patterns the best we ever secured. Prices 25c, 30c, 35c, 40c, 45c, 50c, 55c, 60c, 65c, 70c, 75c, 80c, 85c, 90c, 95c, 1.00, 1.15 and 1.50 each.

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In all the latest shapes. Crush Kid Belts at 30c, 50c and 75c. Colors: Brown, Red, Grey, Black and White. Crush Silk Belts at 50c. Colors: White, Black and Cardinal. Leather Belts, Silk Belts, Velvet Belts with buck and scrot buckles; all new patterns at 25c, 30c, 35c, 40c, 45c, 50c, 55c, 60c, 65c, 70c, 75c, 80c, 85c, 90c, 95c, 1.00, 1.15 and 1.50 each.

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Special value at 50c, 75c, 80c, \$1.00, \$1.25 and \$1.50 pair. Colors: Tan, Brown, Beavers, Greys, Black and White. Ladies' and Children's Fabric Gloves in Silk, Taffeta and Lisle. Colors: Greys, Beavers, Black and White, at 25c, 30c, 35c, 40c, 45c, 50c, 55c, 60c, 65c, 70c, 75c, 80c, 85c, 90c, 95c, 1.00, 1.15 and 1.50 pair.



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All Goods at Cost to Clear.

BIG SALE ON SATURDAY. OPEN UNTIL 10.30.

Buy Here and Save Your Dollars.

Twenty dozen Ladies' Half Sleeve Vests on Saturday 1 for 50c.
Men's Balbriggan Shirts and Drawers on Saturday, only 50c per suit.
Hosiery Sale Saturday at Big Reductions to clear. For Men Women and Children.
Men's Regatta Shirts at only 50c, 75c each. Men's Braces 25c, 30c, 35c, 40c, 45c, 50c, 55c, 60c, 65c, 70c, 75c, 80c, 85c, 90c, 95c, 1.00, 1.15 and 1.50 each.

HORRIBLE ACCIDENT.

WOMAN'S REALM.

IN THE HOUSEHOLD. A good face shampoo is made by taking a quart of warm water, a teaspoonful of powdered borax and a few drops of benzoin. This makes a nice, soft shampoo for the skin without soap.

HELEN KELLER; THE BLIND WONDER.

Mark Twain once said that the two most interesting characters of the nineteenth century are Napoleon and Helen Keller. The world's attention was once more drawn to this wonderful girl on Tuesday, when she received from the president of Radcliffe College a degree, corresponding to that of bachelor of arts in Harvard University.

THE BLIND GIRL'S AUTOBIOGRAPHY.

Last year Miss Keller wrote her autobiography, and the book stirred one like a great epic; without some knowledge of the facts therein set forth it is impossible to understand how this blind girl has accomplished so much.

AT THE "LONDON HOUSE" Saturday, July 9th.

GREAT BARGAINS AMONG THOSE Ladies' Reduced Hats. You can buy ready-to-wear and a variety of straw hats, at 50c. each. You can buy hats that were up to \$2.95, for \$1.00 each.

Sale of Ladies' Broadcloth Costumes.

Just a few of our best Broadcloth Costumes to be sold at cut prices to clear. These are all from a celebrated costume maker—perfect fitting goods—beautifully made.

July Wants—Ladies or Children. Chiffon Hat Veils, full size, 50c. to 75c. Wash Belts, White, Crush Style, 15c. White Wash Belts, embroidered, 25c.

Bargains in Linen Colored Cotton Voile for Suiting. American Cotton Voile Suiting in Linen Color only—only 100 yards to sell. Regular 25c. Monday, 15c. yard.

F. W. DANIEL & CO., London House, Charlotte St. HOTEL BURNED. Fire Destroys One of the Oldest Buildings in Wolfville.

WANTS TO DIE SOON. George Gee is Repentant—Millie's Father Sorry That the Prisoner Has to Die.

WOODSTOCK, N. B., July 8.—George Gee, whose sentence of death is to be carried out on the 22nd inst., the government's decision against commutation, was notified of this decision today.

THEY PLAYED THE GAME. The Dufferin hotel base ball team defeated the Grand Union hotel nine on the Shamrock grounds yesterday afternoon.

SENDING BACK THE TROOPS.

Trouble Still Exists Between Civil and Military Authorities at Sydney. HALIFAX, N. S., July 8.—The officers of the municipality of Cape Breton have formally notified the mayor of Sydney and Colonel Irving, commanding the militia, that they utterly repudiate and will not pay any costs on account of the calling out of the militia force, and that they are quartered in Sydney at the sole expense of that city so far as the municipality is concerned.

FREDERICTON NEWS.

FREDERICTON, N. B., July 8.—Mr. Hennessey, the newly elected president of King's College, Windsor, made a most favorable impression upon the crowd at his session just closed.

NOTES.

There was a note time in the agricultural committee this morning when Dr. Kendall, the athletic member for Cape Breton, with peddled ideas, threatened to knock the stuffing out of Mr. Blain of Peel, one of the mildest members of parliament.

JUSTLY PUNISHED.

Montreal Milkman Kept His Cans in a Filthy Condition. MONTREAL, July 8.—Aaron Engel, milkman, was before the recorder's court this morning, charged with selling milk without a permit and with having his cans in a filthy condition.

THE HEAD TAX.

Concerning the head tax exacted from European aliens entering the United States from Canadian territory the Sun is informed that the new regulations do not in any way interfere with Canadian passengers from this side of the line to the other.

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TRIMMINGS.

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THE SHORT SKIRT.

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GOVERNMENT AFRAID.

Mulock's Alien Labor Bill May Bring on an Early Election. (Special to the Sun.) TORONTO, July 8.—The Mail and Empire Ottawa correspondents report that the sudden decision of the government with regard to the elections is due to another complication having arisen in regard to the G. T. P.

THE SOUL'S AWAKENING.

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LEARNING TO SPEAK.

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THE DONALDSON HIER INDIAN. Capt. O'Brien, called July 7 o'clock last night for Baltimore to complete her cargo for Glasgow. She discharged 2,500 tons here and will put out 1,000 at Baltimore.

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HILLSBORO

One of the Oldest Settlements in the Province.

Founded By Germans In 1755--Its Interesting History. Its Picturesque Features--Its Summer Hotel Breezy Sketch of the Village, Past and Present. --Its Industries and Institutions-- Something of the First Settlers.

HILLSBORO.

The village of Hillsboro, fifteen miles distant from Moncton, on the right bank of the river Petitcodiac, is in many respects but one among the many of the pleasant New Brunswick villages, with its typical general features and ways, but in addition, with aims and ambitions which are peculiarly its own, and which its people are, after their own fashion, directing their efforts zealously to realize.

THE FIRST SETTLERS.

In an almost forgotten corner of the old cemetery at Hillsboro lie the remains of Heinrich Steva, born at Osnabruck, Germany, 1724, and his wife, Rachel, who, immigrating to Pennsylvania in 1752, and thence, five years later, to Hillsboro, became the first permanent settlers of the village, and the ancestors of the large Steva family.

THE VILLAGE OF TODAY.

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ITS PICTURESQUE FEATURES.

growing purposes to be found in the province. In the early days the river, beginning as far up as Moncton, but more especially at Weldon Creek, three miles above Hillsboro, spread over the low land on the Albert county side, and waters kept laying down deposits of the rich salt mud to form a soil which was as equal to natural fertility only in the western prairie that have been further enriched by the yearly decay of vegetable matter.

ITS INDUSTRIES AND INSTITUTIONS.

large. Either of the verandas or the promenade above is a lookout point over the surrounding country and the body Bay, which, during the summer months, presents the busy appearance of a shipping port. The building, designed with an eye to every modern convenience, is a two story 32 x 5 foot structure, surrounded on two sides with wide verandas supported by Gothic columns. It presents a pleasing appearance to the outside, and within is fitted up and furnished in the most up-to-date manner, and in an inimitable style.

ITS NEWSPAPER VENTURES.

During the past forty-five years five distinct attempts have been made to provide Hillsboro with a newspaper of its own. The first Albert county Journal, the Eastern Advocate, was started shortly before 1855, but the original proprietor found the venture unsuccessful and was about to abandon it when

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THE FIRST HILLSBORO BAPTIST CHURCH.

On the 6th of October, 1822, after the ordinance of baptism had been administered to several candidates in Weldon Creek, about three miles to the rear of the village, under the auspices of Rev. Joseph Cranford, in a barn at Salem owned by Henry Steves, and across the creek now occupied by a membership of ten or twelve persons, including the recent converts.

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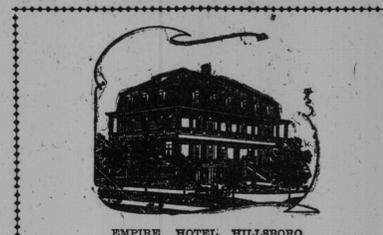
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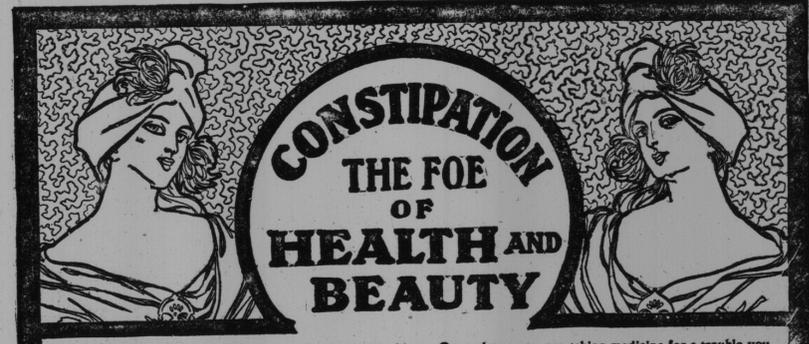
Advertisement for 'DON'T MAKE EXPERIMENTS' featuring 'KUMFORD HEADACHE POWDERS'. The ad includes a testimonial from a man who has suffered from headaches for years and found relief with the product. It also features a small illustration of a man holding his head in pain.

THE FRUITS OF TOIL

By NORMAN DUNCAN, in McClure's.

Long ago, when young Luke Dart, Boot Bay trader, was ambitious for the patronage, he said to Solomon...

The snow ceased, the wind changed; the ice was carried to Ragged Harbor; Eleanor Manuel split the body of Solomon...



IT is quite likely you are doctoring for the wrong thing. Or perhaps you are taking medicine for a trouble you really have but which has been brought on by that common ailment—constipation.

LAXA-CARA TABLETS

do not purge or strain. One after each meal acts upon the intestinal canal gently but surely, cleaning it out completely.

Try them and know that there is one sensible and effective cure for clogged bowels. The chances are that is the seat of the trouble you are suffering from.

YOUR DRUGGISTS SELL LAXA-CARA TABLETS FOR 25 CENTS PER BOX, OR SENT POSTPAID ON RECEIPT OF PRICE.

FRANK WHEATON, FOLLY VILLAGE, N. S.

A BEAR STORY.

Here is a bear story a little out of the ordinary, which comes from a small lumberman's settlement in Oregon.

POLICEMEN IN JAPAN RARELY, IF EVER, SMILE.

TOKYO, Japan, June 1. — The Japanese policeman in Tokio, as in most other Japanese cities, are uniformed like the army, with the same messenger boy kind of caps, and wear awards...

WOODEN FANCIES.

(From the Brooklyn Eagle.) As a souvenir for a wooden wedding, the bride and groom are presented with a gift of a salt cellar of wood with pyrographic decoration in novel and acceptable.

IN JAPAN WOMEN MARRY YOUNG.

The Japanese girl and her people as well as to a disgrace to be unmarried after reaching 20 years of age in the matter. Neither are those of her husband. The parents attend to the selection of a wife for their son, without consulting the wishes of the young people.

OBEDIENCE THE KEYNOTE OF WOMAN'S LIFE.

But obedience is the keynote of the Japanese woman's life. Before marriage she must be obedient to her father. After marriage such obedience is transferred to her husband and her husband's parents.

SIX KILLED.

A waterpout, accompanied by terrific wind, passed through Clinton, Oklahoma, and vicinity at midnight last night, in which six persons were killed.

CAUSES FOR DIVORCE ARE NUMEROUS.

Among the causes which enable the husband to claim a divorce are disobedience to her father-in-law, or mother-in-law; jealousy, or anything that causes disharmony of husband and wife.

BEAVER FLOUR

Made from the world's best wheat. The best family flour in the world. Makes the best bread—the best biscuits—the best pastry.

DYKEMAN'S.



Sale Starts Monday, at 8.30 Sharp ANOTHER GREAT Shirt Waist Happening.

The sales of shirt waists that have taken place in this store, since January last are reckoned by the thousands. Manufacturers knowing the outlet we have for shirt waists advise us when they are clearing quantities, no matter how large they are.

One hundred pretty embroidery trimmed waists that are worth \$1.75 and \$2.00 are to be sold at \$1.00 each.

One hundred and fifty Swiss pattern front waists,—we mean by pattern front, that the embroidery was woven especially for shirt waists,—that were made to retail at \$2.25, are on sale at \$1.25.

A lot of colored waists, only about 75 altogether, will be sold from 39c. up to \$1.00 each. Those at \$1.00 are made from fine Scotch zephyr gingham and were intended to be sold at \$1.50.

F. A. DYKEMAN & CO.

59 Charlotte St.

THORNE BROTHERS

How about a Straw Hat, Soft Hat, Stiff Hat for Summer Wear?

As you stroll along 'neath one of THORNE'S HATS you are assured of the latest and best. We can interest you in Children's Straws, Linen Hats and Caps. A special lot at half price.

THORNE BROS., Hatters, 93 King Street.

BIG BARGAIN

Ladies' Cloth Skirts

Slightly damaged by water in steamship Manchester Exchange. Prices \$1.25, \$1.50, \$2.00, \$2.10, \$2.75, \$2.90, to \$3.75, about 50 in the lot, all are of the latest styles and good patterns.

Arnold's Department Store 11 and 15 Charlotte St.

The Steamer "Maggie Miller," Will leave Millidgeville for Summerville, Kennebecosis Island and Bayswater, daily (except Saturday and Sunday) at 6.45, 9.30 a. m., 2, 4 and 5 p. m.

SATURDAY leaves Millidgeville at 8.15 and 9.30 a. m., and 5 and 7 p. m. Returning at 6.30, 7, 10.30 a. m., and 1.45, 4.45 and 7.45 p. m.

SUNDAY leaves Millidgeville at 9 and 10.30 a. m., 2.30 and 4.15 p. m. Returning at 6.45 and 11.15 a. m., and 7 and 7 p. m.

Dr. A. H. Merrill, DENTIST, Cor. King and Charlotte Street Entrance: 76 Charlotte Street. Phone 1631.

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THE DAYLIGHT STORE.

Store Open Tonight Till 10 O'clock.

Big Sale Linen Towels 25c. pair.

Cor. Duke and Charlotte Sts. Store Open Evenings.

LOCAL NEWS.

TO ADVERTISERS. Owing to the Star going to press early on Saturdays during the summer months, advertisers are asked to please send all changes to the office on Friday afternoon. The Star cannot guarantee to change advertisements received any later.

Scotch Hard Coal in bags from \$4.50 upwards. Gibbon & Co.

The registrar reports 15 marriages and 26 births during the past week. Of the thirty-five nineteen were girls.

Good heavy soft wood, \$1.20. Broad Cove coal, \$2.50 per load. Water's, Walker's Wharf. Phone 612.

Residents of Carleton are congratulating Officer Jacob Rosen on the nice appearance of his garden and the advanced state in which his flowers are.

derry station, lately barred himself in his "den" and fired off an old muzzle loading gun, at officers trying to arrest him. The officers like the Russians in so many battles, "retired in good order."—Truro News.

The death occurred this morning of Edward John Toole, aged seven years, son of John Toole of Exmouth street. For three weeks the little fellow had been ill with brain fever. The funeral will take place tomorrow.

Argument in the case of Goggin vs. Goggin was concluded yesterday afternoon in the equity court. Judge Barker reserved his decision. A. A. Stockton, E. C. and E. R. Chapman appeared for the plaintiff, and H. A. McKeown for the defendant.

Glad Tidings Hall will witness, on the 14th, one of the best entertainments of the kind ever given here. A fine array of local talent has been secured for that occasion; and from beginning to end the public assured of a highly enjoyable and interesting program.

Pollman Lawson, of Fairville, arrested a North End young man by the name of Brown last night after quite a struggle with the aid of Brown's companions. The youths were acting in a disorderly manner in Fairville. Brown will be tried this afternoon.

Members of the Mission Church and their friends are to enjoy a day's outing on Wednesday next at C. F. Hobbs's beautiful grounds at Westfield that day, having been chosen for their annual picnic. Trains leave the Union depot at 9.15 a. m. and 1.10 p. m. See advt.

A Hampton correspondent sends the startling news that the baseball club of that village defeated Rothsey on Thursday night by the magnificent score of 29 to 4. That the game was highly sensational is seen by the announcement that five of the Hampton men, Fred Bovard, Buck Flemming, Murray Elliott, and Percy Lesley made home runs.

A WISE DOG FOR SURE. WILKESHAIRE, June 29.—Press Clark, of this city, owns a bulldog which is earning his own living by finding money. For a number of days he has almost daily been carrying to his master pennies and nickels, and an occasional large piece of silver, which he has found in the streets. On two occasions he has found bills, one of two dollars and one of one dollar.

But he has not yet paid all previous achievements this week by finding a check for one hundred and twenty-five dollars and recognizing its value, and his proud master now believes the animal's money finding capacity is unlimited. He expects him to bring home bonds and securities at the rate he is progressing.

Clark was out walking the other day when the dog dashed up to him and laid a slip of paper at his feet, barking joyously. Clark picked it up and walked on. The dog again laid it at his feet and barked. Clark still paid no attention, and the third time the dog dashed in front of him, placed the wet and dirty piece of paper at his feet and seized his trousers. This time Clark picked up the paper, while the dog showed his joy by barking and wagging his tail furiously.

Clark found it was a check for one hundred and twenty-five dollars handed out to C. D. Simpson, of Stratton. He called up Mr. Simpson by telephone. The latter said he had been visiting friends the day before on the street where the dog found the check, but that he had no idea where he had lost it.—New York Sun.

THE MARKET.

The following prices rule at the market today: Beef, round, lb., 10c. to 12c. Beef, steak, lb., 12c. to 20c. Mutton, lb., 10c. to 14c. Pork, lb., 12c. to 14c. Bacon, lb., 12c. to 16c. Hams, lb., 14c. to 16c. Shoulders, lb., 14c. Corn beef, lb., 8c. to 10c. Veal, lb., 8c. to 10c. Salt Pork, lb., 12c. Fowl, pair, 75c. to \$1.50. Potatoes, bushel, 65c. Carrots, doz. bunches, 90c. Cabbage, case, \$1.75 to \$3. Tomatoes, case, \$2.50. Lettuce, doz., 45c. Butter, lb., 18c. to 22c. Eggs, case, doz., 18c. Beets, doz. bunches, 90c. Bermuda green bean, basket, \$2.50. Green peas, bushel, \$1.50. String beans, bushel, \$1.75. Cabbage, doz., 75c. Strawberries, of which there is a large quantity, are going at the following prices: Box, cultivated, 6c. to 12c. Two-quart pail, native, 40c. Three-quart pail, native, 45c. Four-quart pail, native, 75c.

A SPLENDID MEETING.

Deputy Chief Jenkins, who attended the meeting of the High Court of Foresters at Eden, returned last evening and is again at his post. The deputy says the meeting was a splendid one and he never enjoyed himself better in his life. During the absence of the deputy Sergt. Baxter looked after that part of the police business.

THIS EVENING.

Baseball—Clippers v. St. Josephs, Victoria grounds. Meeting of Typographical Union at eight o'clock.

BIG EXCURSION POSTPONED.

Maritime Provincialists in B. C. Will Come Home Next Year.

The secretary of the Tourist Association of the Maritime Provinces, appointed to secure rates for an excursion to the maritime provinces, reports as follows: "The report is such as to indicate little chance of an excursion this year, but holds out hope of a big pilgrimage to St. John from the West next summer. It is understood that the committee is approaching the various railway magnates guaranteed about 500 people. The railway people explained that owing to the agreement as to the St. Louis Fair it would be impossible to quote a rate that would be satisfactory. Next year things would be different. The best rate that could be quoted this year would be the one offered by the Via Chicago route from Chicago to St. John it would figure the first class return rate from the Pacific coast, without sleepers, at \$10.00. It is expected that next year's excursion will be a big one. The British Columbia association intend starting to work in December to organize it."

POLITICAL CAUTION.

Senator Fairbanks doesn't drink, he doesn't smoke, says a Washington correspondent. Once, a few years ago, he was in a runaway accident in Chicago. He was thrown out of a carriage and shaken severely. They carried him into a house nearby and gave him a drink of whiskey. Months later he was talking with an acquaintance. "Do you drink whiskey?" he solemnly asked.

"Sometimes," said the acquaintance. "Well," said Fairbanks, "I had a drink of whiskey once. They gave it to me when I was thrown out of a carriage in Chicago. Do you know, I can't say I was any the wiser. I mean to tell me that people enjoy the taste of that compound."

"I have reason to suspect that some people do," replied the visitor.

"Well," said the Senator, after mature reflection, "I assume that that may be the case, and I must confess that that whiskey I once drank imparted a pleasurable glow, but," he added hastily, "this must in no sense be considered an endorsement of it. There are many temperance people among my constituents."

WELL KNOWN HERE.

Rev. Robert Whiston, pastor of the Christian Church, Everett, Mass., passed through the city in company with Mrs. Whiston and two bridal parties, for both of which Mr. Whiston tied the knot just previous to leaving Everett. One of the newly married men was his uncle.

Mr. Whiston will be remembered as the Boy Evangelist who held a very successful evangelistic meeting some years ago in the Christian church of this city. He has been very successful in building up the Everett Christian church.

COST OF LIVING.

A committee appointed by the Board of Trade of Sydney, last week to look into the situation of the strike, has not yet got to work. The board of Trade, however, has made a comparison of the cost of living in Sydney, Halifax, Truro, North Sydney, Glace Bay, Toronto and Hamilton, Ont., with a view to settling it in the dispute between the Steel Company and the P. W. A. over low wages and inability to live on the wages paid. The comparison goes to show that the cost of living is practically the same in every town mentioned, and that it is higher in Ontario cities, than it is down here by the sea.

KICKS AGAINST STREET RAILWAY.

Many complaints are being heard in a manner in which the street railway is handling passengers to Duck Cove. There is only one car on the West Side to carry two car loads of passengers left on this side of the bridge. Passengers are allowed to get into the cars at both ends, and this even before the passengers desiring to alight have left the cars. The consequence is shoving and pushing, and disagreeable confusion. The officials in charge of the cars on the West Side seem unable to preserve any kind of order.

VITAL STATISTICS.

Eight deaths occurred in the city this week from the following causes: Old age, 1. Bronchitis, 1. Inflammation of the lungs, 1. Accident, 1. Meningitis, 1. Erysipelas, 1. Pulmonary Phthisis, 1. Stricture of Oesophagus, 1. Total, 8.

TONSorial IMPROVEMENTS.

R. C. McAfee, whose barber shop at the head of King street, has long been looked upon as one of the leading in the city, has recently installed four hydraulic pedestal swing seat chairs, the very latest and best barber chairs. Mr. McAfee has secured the services of Miss Gibbs, who for some years conducted the Victoria Hotel barber shop. His other assistants are Robert Holder and Gordon McKinnon.

REVELRY AT BLOOD ALLEY.

There was a song of revelry by night—was late night and all the chivalry of Blood Alley was on hand. It was a gathering of dark women and fair men. Officers Scott and Ralston were the heroes of the occasion. The fandango took place at the residence of Minnie Burns and all went well until Frank Nairn, her husband, started in to take charge of the affair. Minnie made a kick and the cops ran Nairn out.

Once upon a time a large dinner was given to a number of distinguished musical artists then in New York. Paderewski and the De Reszke brothers were among the guests. Toward the end of the evening some one, amid the confusion and exchange of toasts, proposed the question, "Who is the most popular artist upon the stage?"

Like a flash, Jean de Reszke sprang to his feet, and emphasized the pretty French pun with his own inimitable courtesy bow, cried: "Pae de Reszke!" (Paderewski).—New York Times.

PERSONALS.

Rev. W. J. Kirby left yesterday morning for Gagetown, where he goes to take charge of the Methodist church. Number of his friends were at the boat to say farewell.

W. A. Nelson of Fairville and wife left yesterday morning for points up river, where they will spend their vacation.

E. H. McAlpine returned yesterday from Montreal.

Geo. B. Millan, after an absence of twenty-seven years in Peru and Panama, and spending the last twenty years in California, is visiting his sister, Mrs. E. L. Risley, at Drury Cove. Miss Visser de Bury, daughter of Count and Countess Visart de Bury of St. John, N. B., who had been the guest of Professor and Mrs. Stone Wiggins at Arbor House, Britannia-on-the-Bay, has returned to her home at St. John—St. Louis and Lady Davies and family have left for Prince Edward Island to spend the summer.

Miss Ethel Crossley of the Star staff, accompanied by Miss Lena Dora of Chatham Head, leaves today for a trip to England with her father, Capt. J. H. Crossley, on the Battle line str. Pynda.

George D. Prescott and Mrs. Prescott of Albert at the Park Hotel. Miss Blanche Williams of the west side will leave tonight on the steamer Calvin Austin for an extended visit with her many friends in Boston.

Mrs. James Crossley of Chatham, N. H., arrived in this city yesterday and is a guest of L. B. Vaughan, west side. Mrs. Crossley is a sister of H. W. Blackadar, postmaster of Halifax, and is on her way to that city, where she will spend the summer.

Mrs. Michael O'Connor, Miss Celia MacDonald and Miss Katie Doody of St. John, N. B., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Perry, Notre Dame street.—Montreal Star.

Mayor White has recovered from his recent illness and came to town yesterday morning.

Miss Burns, daughter of the late Senator Burns of Bathurst, is visiting her father, Mr. Burns, at Dorchester street.

Walter R. B. Olive of the Anglo Cable Company, New York, is visiting his father, R. Carleton Olive, Carleton.

The engagement is announced of Prof. Murray Macneil of McGill College, Montreal, son of Rev. L. G. Macneil, to Miss Dorothy Holmes, second daughter of Hon. S. H. Holmes, Halifax.

Lawrence B. C. McManis, of the general office staff Bank of Nova Scotia, Toronto, is spending his vacation at his home in Brookville.

Miss Edith Macfarlane, of St. John, graduated on July 4 as nurse at St. John's Hospital, Lowell, Mass., after a highly creditable course.

Chiefly will probably return to nursing at Lowell.

Mrs. William Gills, of Boston, is visiting friends in Camden street. Bishop Casey will leave on Monday for Buctouche on a confirmation tour, and will return about the middle of the week. His lordship will visit Charlotte county the first week in August.

Mrs. Capt. W. Harrowe, accompanied by her son, Master Percy Harrowe, are spending a few days in the city. Capt. and Mrs. Harrowe are present in charge of the S. A. work in Truro, N. S.

Miss Flett, accompanied by Miss Gertrude Hughes, of Somerville, Mass., are spending their vacation at the home of Miss Finley's brother, R. J. Finley, 127 Waterloo street.

Miss Frances Hazen, daughter of J. Douglas Hazen, of St. John, arrived in Fredericton yesterday. Tomorrow she will accompany her grandmother, Mrs. James Tibbits, to Andover, where they will visit Mrs. Tibbits' son, Harry Tibbits.

Rev. Mr. and Mrs. MacDonald are in Fredericton from St. John, and are visiting Mrs. MacDonald's mother, Mrs. Clifton Tubor.

Miss McParlane and young nephew Miss Fredericton yesterday for St. John, Master Royden Barbour to visit his grandmother and Miss McParlane will, with a party of friends, spend the summer at the Chalet, Ramforth.

Mrs. William Murray, of St. John, who has been in St. Stephen, Murray, to Miss Jessie Keyes, who has been in St. Stephen, Murray, Mrs. James Murray, St. Stephen, gave a very pleasant picnic and buckboard ride at the Raven's Head Monday for the pleasure of her guest, Mrs. William Murray, of St. John.

Ed. D. Perkins, a former St. John man, who is now connected with the Boston Elevated Railway Co., and who has been spending his holidays in the vicinity of Sussex, was in the city today. He intends returning to Boston on the Calvin Austin tonight.

D. D. Chipman, of the C. P. R., Halifax, is in the city. Miss M. L. Gunter and Miss Marie Gunter, of Fredericton, arrived in the city from Boston yesterday and went home this morning.

NOT FORGOTTEN.

At Camp Sussex on Thursday evening just before the band played the National Anthem some one called for three cheers for Lord Dundonald and in a second hundred wittily cheered the name of the man who led the troops into Ladysmith and is so much admired by all the men in camp. It was a fitting tribute to a good soldier.

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TRADES AND LABOR.

A well attended meeting of the Trades and Labor Council was held last night in Berryman's Hall. After a lot of routine business had been disposed of, the celebration of the coming Labor Day was discussed. Nothing definite was decided, but a special meeting to deal with the matter will be held on Tuesday night.

Some discussion took place on the proposed factory legislation, and a committee was appointed to visit the different units and discuss the proposed act with them.

PICNIC.

ANNUAL S. S. and Congress Picnic MISSION CHURCH ST. BAPTIST, WESTFIELD, WED. DAY, July 13th. Trains leave 9.25 a. m. and 1.11 p. m., coffee and other refreshments. TICKETS—Adults 40c., children 25c. Trains leave 9.25 a. m. and 1.11 p. m. Trains leave 9.25 a. m. and 1.11 p. m. Trains leave 9.25 a. m. and 1.11 p. m.