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Queen Street, Fredericton, N. B.

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On and after Monday, June 10th, 1889, the following trains will run daily (Sundays excepted) as follows:

TRAINS WILL LEAVE ST. JOHN:
Day Express for Halifax, 7.00
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Fast Express for Halifax, 14.30
Fast Express for Sussex, 16.35
Fast Express for Moncton and Montreal, 16.35

A parlor car runs every day on express trains between St. John and Moncton, and between St. John and Point de Chene, and between St. John and Halifax.

TRAINS WILL ARRIVE AT ST. JOHN:
Fast Express from Halifax, 8.30
Fast Express from Moncton and Quebec, 10.50
Fast Express from Halifax, 14.50
Day Express from Halifax and Campbellton, 20.10
Express from Halifax, Pictou and Millville, 23.50

The trains of this Company are lighted by electricity and heated by steam on the locomotives.

Trains are run by Eastern Standard Time.
D. FOTINGER,
General Superintendent.

Hallway Office, Montreal, N. B.,
June 8th, 1889.

For Tickets and other information, apply at the office of
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WINTER ARRANGEMENT.
In Effect Nov. 25th, 1889.

TRAINS RUN ON EASTERN STANDARD TIME.

PASSENGER, MAIL AND EXPRESS TRAINS will leave Fredericton daily (Sundays excepted) for Chatham.

LEAVE FREDERICTON:
2.40 p. m. Gibson, 2.45, Marville, 2.55, Marville, 3.05, Durham, 3.10, Cross, 3.15, 4.10, Bonaventure, 4.20, 4.25, 4.30, 4.35, 4.40, 4.45, 4.50, 4.55, 5.00, 5.05, 5.10, 5.15, 5.20, 5.25, 5.30, 5.35, 5.40, 5.45, 5.50, 5.55, 6.00, 6.05, 6.10, 6.15, 6.20, 6.25, 6.30, 6.35, 6.40, 6.45, 6.50, 6.55, 7.00, 7.05, 7.10, 7.15, 7.20, 7.25, 7.30, 7.35, 7.40, 7.45, 7.50, 7.55, 8.00, 8.05, 8.10, 8.15, 8.20, 8.25, 8.30, 8.35, 8.40, 8.45, 8.50, 8.55, 9.00, 9.05, 9.10, 9.15, 9.20, 9.25, 9.30, 9.35, 9.40, 9.45, 9.50, 9.55, 10.00, 10.05, 10.10, 10.15, 10.20, 10.25, 10.30, 10.35, 10.40, 10.45, 10.50, 10.55, 11.00, 11.05, 11.10, 11.15, 11.20, 11.25, 11.30, 11.35, 11.40, 11.45, 11.50, 11.55, 12.00, 12.05, 12.10, 12.15, 12.20, 12.25, 12.30, 12.35, 12.40, 12.45, 12.50, 12.55, 1.00, 1.05, 1.10, 1.15, 1.20, 1.25, 1.30, 1.35, 1.40, 1.45, 1.50, 1.55, 2.00, 2.05, 2.10, 2.15, 2.20, 2.25, 2.30, 2.35, 2.40, 2.45, 2.50, 2.55, 3.00, 3.05, 3.10, 3.15, 3.20, 3.25, 3.30, 3.35, 3.40, 3.45, 3.50, 3.55, 4.00, 4.05, 4.10, 4.15, 4.20, 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THE HERALD.

FREDERICTON, JULY 7, 1890.

NOTES ON THE ELECTION PETITION.

After all the vain boasting of which everybody has had a surfeit since January last; after the Gleaner has repeatedly assured the public that the members for York have been busy for months past preparing their resignations and searching for an early opportunity of handing them in, the day for the trial came and the only people who were not ready were the Messrs. Gregory & Co. Nothing could have been more entertaining than the exhibition at the election court. The soreheads were on hand in plenty; there are seven of them, and as a matter of course, to hear it announced that the resignations would most certainly be handed in, and when they were not, the next best move was to obtain an adjournment of the court, if possible, until the month of August. Mr. Barry's absence from home would be a good enough reason for obtaining the adjournment, and in that case the members would surely resign, as Mr. Barry's stay could not be likely to be so prolonged. This was the scheme but it did not work. The court adjourned indefinitely and these fine plans were frustrated. The truth is simply this—and now that we have seen the end of this petition, we have no objection to the public knowing it—it was the intention of the respondents to have fought the petition out. In doing so, they would have disqualified Mr. Gregory without, as he well knows, running the slightest risk of being disqualified themselves. A number of witnesses who know and could testify to Mr. Gregory personally placing funds in the hands of his canvassers, were so disgusted with his conduct in filing the petition, that they were ready to tell what they knew. This is the reason and the sole reason why the petitioners did not go on. Mr. Gregory would have made himself the laughing stock of the whole country if in striking the Attorney General, the only person whom he had seriously hurt had been himself.

The editorial in last evening's Gleaner, headed "Mr. Barry's return," is a funny production, and if we had space this week we should have reproduced it that our readers might enjoy its humor. We are not able to gather clearly from the article whether Mr. Barry's return is his continued absence is most reprehensible and which course would have most commended itself to the Gleaner's approval. It appears that on Thursday Mr. Barry's absence was most disgraceful; on Friday his return is a "peer of impudence on the part of the Attorney General of which no one else would have been guilty. We are sorry, really sorry, that our virtuous contemporaries takes its discomfiture so much to heart. We tender it our sincere sympathy, if it had not been thought on Wednesday or Thursday that Mr. Barry's return to Fredericton was the one thing which Mr. Gregory's corps of soreheads were yearning, it is just possible other arrangements might have been made to meet their wishes, and Mr. Barry's return might have been postponed to a date which would have suited them better. But it is not possible to accommodate these gentlemen.

We would, however, in this connection again remind the Gleaner that it is a mistake on its part to be so volubly unwise from its own standpoint, not being entirely consistent with the role of a high-toned moralist. For instance, it says that Mr. Blair swore in his affidavit used in the election court that "he (Mr. Blair) did not know Mr. Barry was going away." The affidavit will speak for itself, and will not show that Mr. Blair made any such statement. Again, it states yesterday Mr. Blair's affidavit states that Mr. Barry would stay away two years, if necessary, etc. Again, we say, peruse the aforesaid affidavit, and you will not find that such a statement is made. The Fredericton correspondent of the Sun says: "It is passing strange that Mr. Blair in open court affirmed that Mr. Barry would be two years away after the election trial, though that might be two years hence." It may be a trifling matter to Mr. McCready, the Fredericton correspondent of the Sun, to know that the above statement is utterly untrue; but we think it quite as scandalous to publish an untrue statement that another person told an untruth as to have told the original untruth charged.

Does any body believe that with 1,152 charges of personal bribery and corruption against people in that territory, 1,151 of whom were in all probability within easy reach, that the petition could not be tried because of Mr. Barry's absence, where were all those witnesses that could testify to the wholesale corruption which the opposition say prevailed on the government side. A very little will upset an election and why did the saintly jurists not enter upon their congenial work.

The most frightened people in town on Wednesday were Messrs. Duffey, Crockett, Gregory, Charles Everett and James T. Sharkey, when it looked as though the judge was going to force on the election trial. How the air would have resounded with shrieks of agony and distress if the judge had so decided.

The public will remember the wonderful discovery made by Mr. Gregory shortly after the session, that there had been a great blunder made by the government in drawing up the whitewash bill, so called, they had forgotten altogether to provide against disqualification. "In consequence of this oversight," said the prophetic Gleaner, "Mr. Blair and his three colleagues are going to be disqualified." It now transpires that this alleged blundering oversight on the part of the attorney general is strangely operating against Mr. Gregory, and has not appeared so far to have seriously damaged the sitting members. When will the opposition organs cease to make itself ridiculous. There has not been a prediction made by it in connection with the government or York members that has not been utterly discredited.

POLITICAL DISHONESTY.

And so it now appears, according to the "virtuous" Gleaner, that it is "political dishonesty" which is wanting in Mr. Blair, and which caused the government to be returned with a diminished majority at the last election. As the government lost no seats except in St. John, Albert and Sunbury, and the causes operating in those counties are known, it is really quite refreshing to hear those causes characterized as political dishonesty. Religious intolerance such as operated upon St. John, is usually considered something different from political dishonesty, and has never to our knowledge been christened by that name before. Neither in our experience has a petty squabble over local patronage, such as occurred in Albert county, been designated. In Sunbury county, we are in doubt whether the government did lose a supporter in fact. This depends upon whether the youth who ran upon Mr. Harrison's ticket was entitled to be ranked

as a government candidate. It was not thought during the session preceding the election that Mr. Glazier was to be depended upon in an emergency, and in fact, if his fierce criticism of the government for not appointing Mr. Beckwith clerk of the assembly, afforded any index to his feelings, he was not of the material out of which a reliable friend and supporter of the government was likely to be made. Truth compels us to acknowledge that from the moment W. K. Allen came out in York to average the slight put upon C. W. Beckwith by reason of his non-appointment, Arthur Glazier's hold upon the friends of the government in Sunbury county sensibly declined and his chance of re-election fell to zero.

It is something to have a virtuous journal like the Gleaner in a community when the public are looking for light as to how they shall gauge the conduct of their public men; it is a distinct advantage to be able to turn to a high-toned newspaper to ascertain what is really the standard of political morality. The Gleaner affords this benefited people just the light they need. With its virtuous shining in such conspicuous effulgence, who can doubt the unusual purity of its exalted, moral attitude.

When, therefore, the Gleaner condemns Mr. Blair as being politically dishonest, the political dishonesty which it condemns must be conducted, the like of which it has never been able to approve. For example, it was not politically dishonest in Mr. Gregory, when it respects almost angelic in a political sense, to offer himself for election as an independent; publishing a card in which he poses as a candid friend of the government, only desiring the position of a watchman on the tower, not as an enemy in the field, when at the same moment he was fully consumed with the bitterest enmity against the Attorney General and his government; neither is it political dishonesty to vindicate and defend any act of administration so long as it is the recipient of a bonifide patronage, and the instant the patronage ceases, to set about condemning every act which it had hitherto approved. It is equally clear there can be no moral taint attaching to falsehood or slander. There must even be merit, according to its standard, in slipping away from professions of an ardent attachment to the liberal cause and tendering unwelcome support to a party of which it only spoke for years in terms of scorn and contempt. Nor does it appear at all incongruous from the standpoint of political virtue to disburse election money and run freely and without stint to-day, and next week discourse with the most sanctimonious cast upon the conduct of the opposite party in making use of the same instrumentalities. In fine it is consistent with the Gleaner's conception of political honesty to be on every side of every question—to be liberal and a conservative in quick succession; to be a profane friend of the present government-to-day and a malignant enemy to-morrow; to put forward as its model candidate, not only for legislative honors, but for high executive position, a gentleman, who carefully hides his antipathies to catch votes, and with piratical designs hoists the flag of a neutral. These are the Gleaner's conceptions of political rectitude and honor, and these are the people who have the effrontery to sit in judgment upon the conduct of honorable men. It would keep two newspapers busy correcting the wilful misstatements of the Gleaner. For example, last Saturday it said that the trustees of Messrs. Simmons & Borpee had settled Mr. Gibson's claim and paid the costs of his injunction to restrain the trustees from paying over the estate's monies to the preference creditors, granted by Judge Fraser some months ago; whereas the injunction orders were by consent dissolved. We are authorized to say that the injunction orders were not dissolved until last week owing to Judge Fraser's illness and absence from home, and that the trustees did not pay and have not agreed to pay Mr. Gibson's claim. He will only share with other non-preferred creditors, getting the same dividend as they. The Gleaner's object in misrepresenting the facts is apparent. It seeks to create the impression that the endeavor of a certain individual to get ahead of the trustees, and have a slap at the Attorney General had not been entirely fruitless, and that the injunction upon which such high hopes were placed, did produce some results after all.

ENGLAND'S POSITION IN AFRICA. The recent treaty between Germany and England respecting the African continent, undoubtedly secures a great triumph for the former in central Africa. The larger part of that great continent has only recently become of interest to Europeans, and Germany and England suddenly found themselves rivals in this new field of colonial adventure. Lord Salisbury, in granting charters to two great English colonizing corporations, the British East African company and the British South African company, with governing powers like the East Indian company, which laid the foundation of the present Empire of India, but covering a large territory with undefined boundaries, found himself on the verge of a serious diplomatic difficulty with the German government as to the respective limits of English and German occupation and ownership. The treaty secures to British sovereignty two stupendous domains: one in the south of 250,000 square miles, stretching from Cape Town to Stevenson's road, so-called, a distance of 2,000 miles continuously northward, with cultivated plains and fertile valleys and mineral resources richer and vaster than Colorado. Another domain in the north only separated from the former by German territory, which England has secured the right to cross at all times by treaty, is of almost equal area rich, beyond description and full of magnificent possibilities. In addition to these two territories, either of which is so vast that you might sprinkle in them kingdoms like Portugal and then not find them, the German government yields up the protectorate over Zanzibar, an island of 400,000 acres in extent, and having a most wonderfully fertile soil, in exchange for a sand bank of 400 acres, an island off the mouth of the Elbe called Helligland. The island was useless to England, and when offered by Lord Salisbury to Germany in exchange for Zanzibar, was gladly accepted by the latter, the offer being regarded as evidence of the most cordial good will on the part of the British to Germany. There does not seem to be a reasonable doubt but that this stupendous treaty will be ratified, although it is a matter of course, there will be much grumbling because the arrangement does not give England the earth. England, as was said by some one, is England in Africa; as usual, "grumbling, grumbling, and grumbling." One would think the ambition of the old hand would now find ample scope and be gratified. Our only fear is that she is taking up herself a burden of empire under which the weary Titan may succumb.

May we ask the Gleaner when it proposes to hold that convention. We would like the information not necessarily for publication but as a guarantee of good faith.

BLAINE'S NEW DEPARTURE.

The most important event in recent United States politics is Mr. Blaine's break with his party on the question of reciprocity. It is not easy to forecast what this means, but it may mean a very great deal. Undoubtedly the secretary of state stands head and shoulders above all his colleagues in those elements which make up a statesman, and it is quite aware that the present policy of the United States cannot be very long persisted in, with Canada to the north and the Central and South American nations to the south—he sees a chance for a stroke of diplomacy greater in its results than anything achieved in many a long year, and he is willing to risk his name on the other hemisphere. Those who are keeping themselves informed upon economic questions know that great changes must occur in the very near future, and in anticipating these changes, and setting his sails so as to catch the breeze of popular opinion, which will very soon begin to blow with strength and steadiness. Mr. Blaine has taken the surest step to reach the goal of his ambition and gain for himself a reputation as the foremost statesman of his time. Canada is greatly interested in the success of his plans and will watch closely every step in their working out.

THE INSURANCE OF CHILDREN.

A bill has been introduced by the bishop of Peterborough, and passed its second reading in the House of Lords, in England, for the purpose of limiting the sum for which the lives of children may be insured, and for prohibiting the payment of the insurance money to the child's parents. The bill itself is a remarkable one, and that it should have been deemed necessary to legislate in this direction, is a terrible reflection upon the English people. The evidence showing that children are murdered by their parents, all over England, for the sake of the insurance, is so conclusive, that it is admitted on all hands to be hopeless to resist its weight. Judges, coroners, and doctors agree upon the fact with startling unanimity. It is not a legend that children are strangled or poisoned. A little neglect applied at the right time, a diet of insufficient or unwholesome food, a little carelessness about exposure to cold or damp, and as the bishop of Peterborough said, "the little life is quenched." It is no secret, we hope that the proposed law may stamp out so shocking a state of things.

THE STAMPE COMMISSION.

The selection of Messrs. A. F. Randolph, Frank H. Todd and Allen Ritchie, with D. G. Smith as secretary, as a commission to investigate and report upon the question of stampage has been most favorably commented upon by the press with the exception of a couple of the most rabid opposition papers. It will, we think, be conceded that no more competent persons could have been chosen, and certainly none who would bring to bear a calmer judgment upon the many important questions which connect themselves with the subject of stampage.

C. Wood Davis, a contributor to The Forum, the Arena and other leading periodicals, writes to C. H. Lagrin to say that he (Mr. L.) is entitled to the credit of being the first writer to direct the attention of the people of the United States to the fact that the most soon become importers of breadstuffs. Mr. Lagrin's article in the Century of June, 1889, in which this fact was pointed out, was criticized at the time upon this very point, but Mr. Davis, who has visited all parts of the United States, and has a thorough study of the question, says that the error Mr. Lagrin has made is in estimating upon too large an available reserve of arable land in the United States. He says the unoccupied arable lands in the union are not more than sufficient to provide for the present population, and that within which the millions added to the population every year will have to be supplied with the necessities of life from the product of the irrigable lands, or from an extension of the cultivated areas on existing farms. The export of farm products has nearly reached, if it has not quite, its maximum.

The St. John and Halifax papers keep firing away at each other, which reminds us of a story:

"They say you Halifax people just hate the New Testament," said a corker tourist.

"Why's that?" queried the Halifaxian.

"Oh, because, St. John's mentioned in it and Halifax isn't," answered the St. Johnite, and he laughed heartily. The Halifax man paused until the St. John man was done laughing, when he said: "You'll find what St. John thinks of Halifax in Revelations, 21:2."

A Fredericton man who was near—brought his bible and they read—but look for yourself and see what they read.

The New York Tribune is surprised that a Halifax paper should publish one of Bill Nye's letters, joking about the Prince of Wales. There was a time, it thinks, when a Canadian newspaper would be mobbed for doing the like. The Tribune ought to tell us what the time was. The people of Canada regard the Prince of Wales, because he fills most admirably a very difficult place; but they never see such fools as to want to mob any one for having a little fun at his expense. The Tribune's writer is probably the same wise man who said he "would not have found which the facts actually were, had been prompt to make restitution he would have come out of the matter with some credit; but he has continued to make the mess as awkward for himself as possible.

We have no feeling against Mr. Allen and are heartily glad for his sake that the last has been heard of the election petition. It would have been awkward for a judgment of disqualification to have passed against Mr. Allen; but by taking the \$200 on the eve of the election, Mr. Gregory's request to Nashwag village, and paying it over to the canvassers, to whom Mr. G. personally promised it, would have come out in evidence and must have disqualified him. Mr. A. may therefore be congratulated upon his escape.

CANADIAN NEWS.

The Weekly Events in Brief—The Cream of our Exchanges.

A rich vein of magnetite has been struck near Port Arthur. The Strauss orchestra are to visit the principal cities of the Dominion. The Christian endeavor convention assemblies in Hamilton in October. The wheat acreage of the North-West shows an increase of 100,000 acres over last year. The last of the Falvey detective gang has been sent to the Montreal penitentiary for seven years.

Mr. Mercier promises Quebec a new capital if it is put under the control of the religious orders. Edward Albro, retail hardware merchant Halifax, has assigned, with liabilities of \$8,500 and \$4,000 assets. Immigrants, as they arrive at Quebec, are being engaged by the Grand Trunk to complete the doubling of their line. A woman named Smith, who last week attempted her life in Hamilton, was instantly killed by jumping from one of the hospital windows.

John Beard, jr., of Bala, Muskoka Lake, and Hostetter, of Toronto, while boating on Moon river, were carried over the falls and both drowned. The will of the late lieutenant-governor McLean leaves his estate in equal proportions to his widow and children. The value is not stated, but it is believed to be over \$100,000.

A fire in the house of Mrs. Duganese, Notre Dame street, caused by candles set on fire, destroyed the body of the deceased lady, was not put out till the body was considerably burned. The vacant lieutenant-governorship of Nova Scotia will be filled shortly. The two names most prominently mentioned for the position are senator Dickey of Antigonish, N.S., and M. B. Daly, ex M. P., Halifax.

It is said that the mother of Cramor, agent of the Peoples bank at Edmundston charged with embezzlement is negotiating a compromise with the bank whereby her son is to be released from jail and the charge withdrawn. Jas. Lear of Halifax, traveller for Messrs Gordon, McKay & Co., Toronto, was found lying on the floor of his bedroom in the Commercial hotel, Moncton, this afternoon, dying of apoplexy. He was raised to his bed and expired in a short time.

There is but little doubt that Francis Scottroy, of Halifax, who mysteriously disappeared from his residence, has drowned himself in the Northwest river. His hat was found there Tuesday. He leaves an estate of \$14,000, of which \$4,000 is cash.

A sad shooting occurred at Ottawa on Tuesday. A young girl named Belter was instantly killed by a 12-year-old lad named Legat. At the request of the father of the dead girl had to be held down by six men to prevent him having violent hands on the boy.

It is reported that Mr. Ketchum, of the Chicago ship railway, has arranged for the building of six 1,000-ton steamers to carry produce from the Gulf into Bay of Fundy over his railway. Contracts are to be made at once with Kingston locomotive for an engine to draw the ships.

Broker James Baxter, of Montreal, has entered an action for \$100,000 damages against the Central bank and its liquidators for defamation of character in alleging that he unlawfully obtained from the bank the sum of \$15,000. An action is pending against Baxter now for this amount.

Carelessness Wednesday resulted in the death of John Smith, a deck hand on the steamer "Marylee" plying between Toronto and Lake Umbagog, Wilson, N. Y. When about six miles from Wilson Smith was running along the railing on the side of the boat and fell overboard. The deceased was about 21 years of age and just out from England.

Sam Scripps, colored, who has been waiter at the Grand Central hotel, and afterwards for four months in the service of Dr. Stoen V. S., on Monday jumped accidentally on a nail, and symptoms of tetanus set in, and he died at 2 o'clock. Before the fatal result of the lockjaw from a wound an inch deep on the ball of the great toe of the right foot, he spoke a little.

John Costley, a well known citizen, of Halifax, died Tuesday aged 73. He was at one time principal of Peterborough register of births, marriages and deaths for Nova Scotia, and was deputy provincial secretary during the Holmes-Thompson government. The deceased was for many years an editorial writer on the Halifax press, and was the first editor of the Halifax Herald.

Frogs are caught at Kingston in large quantities and shipped to New York for pickles. They are sold retail at 12¢ per lb., and weekly between 600 and 700 lbs are shipped to the United States. The duty on frogs is 2¢ per lb., and on fish 1¢ per lb. It is said that sometimes 70¢ large market fish. Frogs are gathered by men who make between \$7 and \$8 per week.

Thomas Young, of Clark river, Ont., was taken suddenly ill last week and took refuge in a deserted lumber shanty. There he became worse and lay for five days without food or water, and prey to swarms of mosquitoes and black flies. Section men discovered him but he was so disfigured by the bites of insects that he was physically unrecognizable. He lived but a short time after being discovered.

It has been ascertained that Burke, the Cronin murderer, did not go to Winnipeg alone, but was accompanied by a person who registered as James McCarron, Chicago, and carefully watched western trains and met a stranger, with whom he had a conference in the hotel. The supposition is that this stranger took with him Burke's trunk containing valuable papers, the whereabouts of which have been ascertained in mystery.

A little girl, five years old, named McNaughton, whose parents reside in Toronto met with a sudden and terrible death. She was stealing a ride on the rear platform of a street car, and when the driver told her to get off, she slipped and fell under the wheels of a passing brick-wagon, which crushed out her brains. The child's mother saw her little one fall, and ran forward to find her dead and horribly mutilated. It did not appear that anyone was to blame for the accident and an inquest was not thought necessary.

William Brown, an insane man, strayed from Deblaquier's mills, Gravenhurst, Ont., early on Monday and Tuesday afternoon, entered a field owned by Thos. Robinson, a farmer four miles from Gravenhurst. Brown stripped himself of his clothing and walking to Robinson's home asked Robinson to come out into the rain. Robinson refused and an altercation ensued. The man seized an old gun and with its stock fell Robinson to the floor and after breaking the gun over the man's head sent some fearful gashes in the victim's sides. He was about to dig a place in the garden in which to bury the body when chief constable Sloan arrested him.

FOREIGN NEWS.

Summary of the Press Telegrams From all Parts of the World.

Mrs. Langtry is still ill in bed. The Dowager Queen of Corea is dead, aged 83. Rumours of Mr. Blaine's resignation are afloat. Chicago claims a present population of 1,085,000. Empress Frederick is visiting her mother at Windsor.

The threatened general strike in Australia has been averted. A statue of Joan of Arc has been unveiled at Nancy, France. In consequence of the cholera in Arabia pilgrimages have been forbidden. The German minister of war, who has resigned will be succeeded by Gen. Wittich. Bush fires in parts of Colorado have burnt up 2,500 acres.

The negroes in parts of Louisiana are in a disturbed state. Hundreds of casualties are reported from the excessive heat. A man in Jeffersonville has reached his 90th day without food.

The Shawnee Indians are to receive land in severity and \$100 apiece. Three shocks of earthquake were felt at Santa Rosa, Cal., on Monday. The explosion of a gasoline lamp in Kansas has fatally burned a man and his wife. French papers suggest reprisals against America by Europe over the tariff question.

It is reported that there are several cases of a disease suspected to be cholera near Oporto. Two farmers in Alabama have settled an old dispute by fighting with hatchets. One was killed. Lord Salisbury declines the honor of a dukedom for his services in bringing about the Anglo-German agreement.

All hope of rescuing the embattled miners at Dunbar, Pa., has been abandoned as the men are undoubtedly dead. John McDonald and Daniel O'Neil, two of the boys caught in the Standard oil fire at Louisville, Ky., have died.

Prince Bismarck has accepted the candidature to represent Kaiserlautern in the Reichstag. By the ceasing of a skiff in the Allegheny river at Laramie, Pa., Monday night, Mrs. Edelp and Miss Mary Helmut were drowned. M. Marinikow, the Serbian consul at Pristina, Roumania, has been murdered. The Serbian government is making an enquiry into the affair.

The Nantucket south short lightship is reported by an incoming steamer as being adrift. She will be replaced on her station as soon possible. The life boat Storm King, which sailed from London to Capetown, and from the latter place to Albany, West Australia, has completed the long voyage in safety.

The cutlers of Sheffield have asked the mayor of that city to preside at a meeting to protest against the McKinly bill. Similar protests are on foot at Birmingham and in the south of Wales.

Emperor William of Germany arrived at Christiania, Tuesday and was accorded a brilliant reception. Six steamers and a host of sailing vessels went out ten miles to meet the Imperial squadron. At Cincinnati there were fifteen cases of sunstroke on Monday, the fatal. Here a young man, one of the most prominent and wealthy brewers of the city, who was prostrated by the heat on Saturday, has since died.

The owners of a travelling show, which included in its animals a number of bears, have been arrested at Trenschchen, Hungary, on the charge of murdering a tramp and throwing his body to the bears, which devoured him.

Robert L. Wallace and Ignatz Blowitz, who pleaded guilty to the larceny of \$150,000, belonging to J. H. Wallace, Wallace's Monthly, the uncle of the former, were today sentenced to the state prison for eight years and eleven months.

Charles Decker, his mother, Mrs. Stevens, and a domestic named Ellen Shaw, were all murdered by burglars at Morris, Ill., Thursday morning. Their heads were all crushed by some blunt instrument, and the house pillaged from top to bottom.

Some 50 or 100 persons were poisoned by ice cream purchased at Brinkman's candy store No. 1274 Third avenue. Several are dangerously ill. The cream was made by an unclean freezer of which the lining was worn off, causing metallic poisoning.

Rain-in-the-Face, the noted Souix chief, is lying at the point of death. The chief was stabbed in the chest and side several times by his wife, who entered his room while he slept. She was jealous of another squaw for Rain-in-the-Face had been ravishing attention.

Captain Henry C. Kane, formerly in command of the British man-of-war Calliope, and who succeeded in getting that vessel from the harbor at Apia, Samoa, into the open sea at the time of the disastrous hurricane there, has been made captain of the iron turret ship Infelixible.

Peabody Institute at Danvers, Mass., was burned to the ground Wednesday at about 10 o'clock. The fire was caused by painters burning off old paint. Most of the library was saved, also the pictures and articles in the museum. The building was the gift of George Peabody and was insured.

The wife and four children of James O'Connor, a member of the editorial staff of the United Irishman, have been fatally poisoned at Sea Point, a watering place in county Dublin, by eating pickled mussels. Another child of Mr. O'Connor and a servant, who also ate the mussels, were prostrated, but are now out of danger and slowly recovering.

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LOCAL NEWS.

THE CITY FOUNTAIN.—The spray from the fountain is again glistening in the sunlight.

IT IS GOING TO RAIN.—The officers' square needs mowing. It never was intended to raise hay on.

COME AND SEE US.—Lovely cool weather in the "celestial," nice shady streets and pleasant drives.

TRANSFER OF PROPERTY.—Harry Duprey has bought the Lonsbury hotel and entered into possession.

DAMAGES ASSESSED.—The damages to John Adams' house by the recent fire has been assessed at \$800.

SERVICE AT THE JAIL.—Rev. Mr. Payson held another preaching service at the jail on Sunday afternoon.

QUEEN'S CIRCUIT.—The Queen's county circuit court opened on Tuesday, chief justice Allen presiding.

NO DUST ON US.—Between the watering cart and the timely showers, Frederick has been clear of dust this summer.

WORK A SMILE.—What made James A. Vanwart look so happy on Wednesday? J. A. never speaks without he says something.

THE RIVER.—The river still keeps above the average height, and the Florenceville continues to make regular trips to Woodstock.

THE LOCK IS TURNED.—Frederick has been playing in hard luck. She has got to hold now and is going to climb the pennant ladder.

PROGRESSIVE.—First mail from St. John was delivered from Fredericton post office at half-past three on Thursday, and at four o'clock on Friday.

OFFERED A CHAIR AT McMASTER.—Rev. Calvin Goodspeed, editor of the Messenger and Visitor, has been offered a chair in McMaster Hall, Toronto.

ANOTHER VICTIM.—Major Alexander gave judgment in the case against John Sheehan of Fredericton Junction Saturday afternoon, fining him \$50 and cost.

MEETING OF SCHOOL INSPECTORS.—The school inspectors of the province have been in consultation with chief superintendent Crockett in this city during the week.

CHANGE OF PASTORS.—Rev. Douglas Chapman succeeds Dr. Sprague in charge of the Methodist church at Marysville, the latter, with Rev. W. Tippett, going to Centenary, St. John.

STUDS OF SUMMER.—The wild strawberry is making its appearance. The bear man was seen on the streets during the week. The organ-grinder and his monkey came with the June bug.

TO BE RECOVERED.—At the request of the members of his church to reconsider his determination to resign his charge, Rev. Dr. McLeod will give his final decision in the matter on July 20th.

PATRIOTISM IN THE SCHOOLS.—Inspector Bridges read a very able and suggestive paper on the development of patriotism in our public schools, at the provincial teachers' institute in Moncton.

A BEAUTIFUL CITY.—Fredericton, which is one of the prettiest cities in Canada in the summer, is getting better looking every year. She is looking her best just now, after a walk or drive through her shady streets is a treat.

FREDERICTON LADY DIVORCED.—Mrs. Kate Coffey, a daughter of John Lottimer, formerly of Fredericton, has been divorced from her husband, James F. Coffey of New Haven, on the grounds of "crucely and intemperance."

TAKE IT AWAY.—The inspector of domain public works in this city would do well to examine the "gallows" recently erected on Queen street in connection with the barrack ground. If within his jurisdiction he should order its removal.

HONORING DOMINION DAY.—Some youths inspired with loyalty—or soot act—honored the early hours of the first of July, with a salute from the artillery which drew crowds from the officers' square. Next day the guns were removed to a safer locality.

CROWN LAND COMMISSION.—The government have appointed Hon. A. F. Randolph and Messrs. F. H. Todd and Alfred Ritchie a commission to inquire into the administration of the crown lands. D. G. Smith, of Chatham, will act as secretary to the commission.

COMING OUT.—Alonzo Smiler was released from the county jail Wednesday morning; James Cramble came out on Friday; Torney Mander's term will expire on Sunday, and John A. Edwards' on Tuesday. Messrs. Grievs and Coleman will come out a few days later.

NOR SERVED YET.—J. H. Barry returned home from his trip to the United States on Thursday, not looking like a man who had been in forced exile. He has not been served with that subpoena yet. Hadly you better take judge Parker's advice, Mr. Jordan, and secure your witness at once?

A "CAVE IN."—"A cave in" occurred about dinner time on Friday, near the sewer well on the corner of Queen and Regent streets. A happy thought induced Geo. H. Davis to take one of his "Franklin" signs to a pole and hoist it over the place as a danger signal. Roadmaster McKay is having the place repaired.

RESIGNED.—Miss Minnie Burpee, who has been teacher in the St. Mary's school for the last nine years, has resigned and the pupils of the school presented her with an address and a letter of commendation. Miss Burpee was a successful teacher and was held in high esteem by her pupils. Miss Nellie Hoben will be her successor.

FORESTRY AT GRAND MANAN.—Eastern Light court, Independent Order Foresters, has been established on Grand Manan with the following officers: W. E. Taiton, letter reader; John Dixon, secretary; Capt. John Ingersoll, financial secretary; G. B. Noyes, M. J. C. P. Y. C. The court meets every third Friday evening of the month at Grand Manan.

PROVINCIAL INSTITUTE.—At the close of the provincial teachers' institute the following officers were elected for the present year: secretary, H. C. Croel, Fredericton; assistant secretary, W. C. Simpson, St. John; executive committee, Phillip Cox, Geo. W. Hay, Samuel C. Wilbur, James M. Palmer, W. H. Parlee, George J. Oulton, W. M. McLeod, James Barry, Bertion C. Foster, Samuel Innes.

COUSED FOR VACATION.—The deaf and dumb institution closed for the summer vacation, Monday, and the pupils going to the Northern and Western belt Tuesday. Those going to St. John and the I. C. R. went by steamer this morning. Through the kindness of Mr. Healy of the X. B. R., the pupils with their teachers had a pleasant day's fishing at Fredericton Junction on Monday.

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THE YORK ELECTION PETITION.

Proceedings on Wednesday. The election petition of Wm. McKay against Messrs. Blair, Wilson, Bellamy and Anderson, came on for trial at the election court, Wednesday, July 2nd, at 11 o'clock, a. m. Judge Palmer presiding. D. Jordan for petitioner; J. A. Vanwart for respondents.

On the case being called Mr. Jordan rose and made application to postpone trial until next month, reading an affidavit of his own in support of application setting forth that his client could not safely proceed with the petition against the Attorney General and his colleagues without the testimony of Mr. Barry, the law partner of Mr. Blair, and that Mr. Barry was not now in the province and he believed was remaining away on account of the election trial, he therefore asked that the case should stand postponed until August.

Mr. Vanwart obtained an adjournment until two o'clock to answer Mr. Jordan's affidavit, and at two o'clock opposed the application, claiming that Mr. Barry could have been subpoenaed in ample time; that a month elapsed after the date of the trial and that before Mr. Barry left on his vacation, and that there was nothing to show that he would be home in August. Mr. Vanwart showed by the affidavits that Frank Gregory, George C. Tropic's son, was the treasurer of the election fund of the opposition candidates, and distributed the run and money for them, and that he had gone away very soon after the election and was still away the eye probably would remain away until the trial was over. It did not appear that Mr. Barry's absence would be any more embarrassing to the petitioners than Mr. Gregory's absence would be to the respondents, therefore he insisted that the case should now go on. Moreover if they had Mr. Barry here the prospects were he would not be obliged to give any evidence, in which view the judge concurred, saying that he was of the opinion that any evidence such as Mr. Jordan stated he wished to have Mr. Barry give, he could not be compelled to give.

The judge in deciding the application said that he would make it a condition to the postponement that Mr. Jordan should give an undertaking that Frank Gregory would attend to give evidence under a commission, and that under the circumstances he would postpone the case upon the petitioner paying all costs. The case therefore stands adjourned sine die, which means the case is practically at an end. There does not seem to be any fair play in the course Mr. Gregory's relatives and friends are taking in abusing Mr. Jordan for the collapse of the proceedings. Albert Gregory is no doubt a very sturdy young man; but when he characterizes Mr. Jordan as a fool on the public street and remarks that if "he had not been on hand at the time, he would not know who scrapes Jordan might not have got into," he is not helping his brother or doing justice to Mr. Jordan. Mr. Jordan, we have always thought, would not find his services appreciated or paid for by the party; but we would like to know what A. J. Gregory did at the trial which Mr. Jordan could not and would not have done. If Mr. Jordan gets his pay as we trust he may he will not feel half as foolish as those who have to pay him, and "we" referred to by Mr. Gregory will find that even his assiduous services have not kept his friends altogether from the "scrape" of paying for the fun which, perhaps, is the most trying experience they could be compelled to pass through.

MURDER AT ST. LEONARDS. Dispatches from Madawaska county state that a most foul murder was committed at St. Leonards on Monday. According to the accounts which have come to hand, an old man named John Desrosiers about 55 years of age, was found early Tuesday morning, lying on a bed in his home, dead and his head crushed with a very heavy stone. The murderer apparently struck his victim with a large sharp stone on the cheek bone and on a line with his eye, felling him with the blow, as the bone was crushed in the blow, and the stone was found in the hole of his vest and neck. He had been visiting a neighbor's house, about 250 feet from his own house, prior to the murder. The sight was an awful one, as the brains of the deceased were found on the stone.

The blow which killed Desrosiers must have been from some one in waiting, as he had, when found, a pipe in his mouth, and the thumb of the right hand was in the arm hole of his vest and neck. He had been visiting a neighbor's house, about 250 feet from his own house, prior to the murder. An inquest was held before coroner Akerly and a verdict of willful murder, rendered against a person unknown to the jury. There is no clue yet to the guilty party though some of his relatives are suspected of committing the crime. No arrests have yet been made.

A Long Visit. Private Nason of the Royal School of Infanteria, probably feels like kicking himself at the present time. He had a comrade in the county jail awaiting the return of the troops from camp Moncton, to be dealt with for desertion. Nason called to the jail to see him the other day. Deputy sheriff Hawthorne kindly permitted him to talk through the grate of the door to the imprisoned deserter, and then suddenly remembered that he had an unserved execution against said Nason. Leaving the pair talking, Mr. Hawthorne went up stairs and got the execution.

"You might as well go inside and talk," said he to Nason, at the same time opening the door, through which Nason passed into the cell. "Then the deputy produced the execution."

"Anything to levy on?" said the deputy. "Nothing," said Nason.

"Then you may as well stay where you are," said the deputy, "and mind your rooming together," said the deputy, as he turned the key in the door; and Nason's visit to see his friend promises to be a very protracted one.

The Late Mrs. Fisher. The late Mrs. Fisher was the seventh daughter and ninth child of David Hatfield, Esq., a wealthy shipowner, of English descent, who resided at St. John. Mrs. Fisher was a warm hearted woman, generous to a fault, and in her death the poor have lost a good friend. During her husband's life she took an active interest and was prominent in all good works; her hospitality was proverbial, and her cheerful welcome in her beautiful home will long be remembered by her many friends. Latterly, her health has not been good and her death, though sudden, was not entirely unexpected, and she died on Friday evening, the 29th of June, without a struggle she passed quietly to her rest aged 77 years.

Her funeral took place on Wednesday last and the many beautiful floral contributions on the occasion testify to the love and esteem in which she was held. Mr. Fisher leaves three daughters to mourn the loss of an affectionate mother.

Sad Drowning Accident. George Smiler, the ten year old son of William Smiler of this city, was accidentally drowned Saturday afternoon, June 26th. He, with some other boys, were fishing off a raft in the river opposite Simmons' tannery. Young Smiler tumbled and fell into the water and the other lads becoming frightened, ran away to Mr. Smiler instead of trying to save him. Through the kindness of Mr. Healy of the X. B. R., the pupils with their teachers had a pleasant day's fishing at Fredericton Junction on Monday.

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YVES TIMELY.—Thayer's two bagger on Tuesday morning saved a "washout."

PERSONAL.

Concerning People Known to Most Readers. School inspector O'Brien is in town. Miss Manie Tibbitts has returned from Harvard to spend her vacation. Court stenographer Frye attended the election court here on Wednesday.

Rev. W. W. Brewer preached in the Methodist church Sunday evening. Mrs. John Falley and her son of this city, leave Saturday for a pleasure trip to England. Dr. Cuthbert, Robert Davies and J. S. Neill are salmon fishing on the Ungarvon. Lieutenant Tilley is visiting his sister who is ill at her home in Jacksonville, Carter Co.

Court stenographer Eisten left on Tuesday to attend the Albert and Westmorland circuits.

Mr. Brandcombe, late of the St. Mary's school visited St. Mary's and this city during the week.

The Misses Nellie and Myria Randolph have returned from Holyoke, Mass., where they have been attending college.

C. H. Lugin secretary for agriculture, is attending the meeting of the provincial farmers' association at Woodstock.

William Leonard, of this city, has been recommended to the Methodist conference as a local preacher.

Miss Mary Johnston has returned home from Toronto, where she spent several months perfecting herself in music.

John Baker returned Monday from his fishing trip to the Tablatis. The party had had bad weather and only fair luck.

Rev. Geo. Howard occupied the pulpit of the Baptist church on Sunday morning, and Mr. Bentley in the evening.

Dr. Col. Maunell and major Lipsitt left for camp at Moncton Friday, and the R. S. E. 1. embarked on the early train Monday.

Bright Clark, popular dry goods salesman at Weald's has resigned his position and will go on the road for Frank Robinson & Co., Toronto.

Frank and Arthur Tabor, sons of the late Captain Tabor, have returned home from the Northwest, where they have been for five years.

Wm. Carson of Prince William, was in town on Tuesday on his way to Boston to visit his daughter who is married and settled there.

Rev. Dr. Anger officiated in St. Paul's church, Sunday evening, preaching to a large congregation. His address was directed to young men.

J. Douglas Hazen of St. John, spent the holiday in town with his family, who are visiting at Mrs. Hazen's old home, James Tibbitts, York street.

At the King of the Kings, Windsor, convention last week, the Rev. Mr. Macpherson, of St. John, and Sir John C. Allen received the honorary degree of D. C. L., and Rev. Dr. Bishop Kingston the degree of D. D. Mr. Goodridge Roberts, of this city, received the degree of B. A., and departed the victory on behalf of his class.

Sad Death of Hedley Baxter. Word was received in this city on Thursday night of the death at Haverhill, Mass., of Hedley Baxter, who was in the employ of Jas. S. Neill of this city.

The Haverhill Evening Bulletin of July 1st gives the following account of the accident by which Hedley Baxter met his death: "A fearful accident occurred at the B. & M. depot this morning. A young man by the name of Hedley Baxter, 21 years old, and residing on Washington street, stood on the platform of the depot, waiting for the train to draw out of the depot. When the second car drew near him he made a spring for the steps on the front platform, but, missing his hold, he fell backwards under the car. The wheels passed over his legs just above the knees, crushing the bones and mangling the flesh in a terrible manner. His left arm was also run over and badly mangled. He was many people in the vicinity at the time and saw him fall. Going to his assistance they found him conscious but writhing in agony from the pain. He was taken up and carried into the depot and laid on a stretcher midway between the two doors of the depot's waiting room. Meanwhile passengers on the train had seen the accident and notified the conductor and train keeper, who went back to investigate. Finding that he could do nothing for the poor man he returned to his train. Soon after the accident occurred word was sent to the police station, and Officer Fenwick and his patrol wagon drove up to the depot with the ambulance. By this time the man had recovered consciousness and it was evident that he could not live but a short time. He was accordingly sent to his relatives and his body quickly came down to the depot. He was so overcome with grief, however, that he lay on his back, and died, Dr. J. J. Clarke remained with the body until he had been brought to his last. Hedley was a steady, sober, industrious young man employed at Thom's hat factory. It was a terribly sad accident, and the loss of the young man is a loss to the community. The remains arrived here on Saturday's train and were accompanied by his brothers, Charles and Robert. The funeral took place from the depot this (Saturday) afternoon.

Farmers' Convention. The provincial farmers' association met in semi-annual session at Woodstock, N. B., Thursday afternoon. In the forenoon the attendance was rather slim to transact business. J. L. Inches, president, in the chair. J. P. Fletcher, corresponding secretary, and Chas. H. Lugin, treasurer, were all the officers present. In the absence of Peleg Smith, secretary, Mr. Fletcher performed the duties of recorder. Among those present were Geo. E. Baxter, Perth; Geo. McLeod, Jacksonville; John Harper, James Loomer, William Kitchen, Jacksonville; Andrew Stephenson, J. S. Leighton, O. Garman, G. Lee, Woodstock; W. C. Taylor, Woodstock; B. L. Moore, Moore's Mills; Henry Taylor, Florenceville; A. E. Hartley, Henry Cronkrite, Centreville; H. N. Connel, John Baird, David Brown, Robert Brown, C. P. Beaudry, St. John; George Hoyte, Northampton; Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Merritt, Houlton; W. W. Hubbard, Sunbury, and representatives of the press. After the reading of the minutes, president Inches explained steps leading to the appointment of a semi-annual session.

A discussion on the best way to appropriate the government grant of \$200,000 followed upon suggestion of secretary for agriculture Lugin.

The subject of fruit culture formed matter for a long debate, in which Messrs. Lugin, Merritt, and Sharp took part.

A resolution passed asking Mr. Lugin to correspond with Hon. Mr. Carling, minister of agriculture, requesting that means be taken to have the information Mr. Sharp would willingly give published and distributed for general public benefit. The sentiment was freely expressed that the country was indebted to Mr. Sharp, and that his efforts should be in some way recognized by the dominion government.

THE CROWN TRAIL.—The trial of Conroy, the alleged defunct bank clerk at Edmuntston, was adjourned until Wednesday. The case has been commenced on Thursday for the purpose of getting further evidence for the prosecution. The solicitor general is conducting the case for the crown.

PROVINCIAL APPOINTMENTS.—The following provincial appointments have been gazetted this week: Charles W. C. Taylor and Alexander W. Macrae to be public notaries; Charles A. Slat, to be a justice of the peace for the county of York.

INVITATION DECLINED.—Attorney general Blair has been obliged to decline an invitation to be present at premier Mercer's banquet.

YORK COUNTY COUNCIL.

The Business Transacted. The county council of York met in the council chamber of the court house Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock for their regular semi-annual session, but adjourned without transacting any business till Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock in the morning.

On Wednesday morning the council met pursuant to the adjournment, warden Scott in the chair, and all the councillors present at roll call, with the exception of Messrs. Bowley, Goodspeed and Hinckley. The secretary-treasurer read over the minutes of the last January meeting, during which Messrs. Goodspeed and Hinckley entered and took their seats at the council. The warden being satisfied as read, they were, on motion of coun. Nason, approved and adopted.

On motion of coun. Colter seconded by coun. Burt, the following resolution was adopted: Resolved, That the committee on the petition of the county council of the municipality of York held on the 21st day of January, 1890, be and they are appointed to confer with Mr. Edwards, the present owner of the property, for the purpose of obtaining a new lease.

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SELECT STORY

THE PIONEERS.

By J. Finmore Cooper.

During the preceding dialogue, Mohegan
retraced his seat, with his head bowed
in his blanket, as seemingly inattentive...

"The better part of a hundred years after
the tree is dead!"
"Is this but time, my good friend,
for eternity? Would it not be needless...

ing, at the end of the building, to shorten
their passage westward, until, in time, the
regular highway was laid out along this
course, and houses were gradually built...

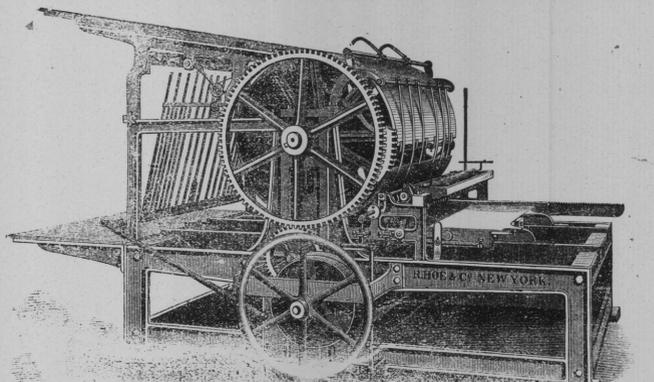
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