

FOUND DEAD!

The Sudden Taking Off of a Woodstock Grocer,

And the A. Heartless Conduct of Coroner Ross of St. Stephen.

ST. STEPHEN, N. B., July 20.—A death under sad circumstances has to be recorded from this town today. Thos. H. Fleming, a prominent grocer of Woodstock, arrived here by C. P. R. last night. He was under the influence of liquor and had made himself conspicuous on the train all the way down. Arriving here at 12 o'clock, he proceeded to the Queen hotel and found his way to the bar. At twenty minutes after ten he had left the bar, and J. W. Smith, proprietor of the hotel, and a railroad man, coming up, found him sitting on the steps. The Queen was formerly a private residence and the route to the bar is somewhat circuitous. A door at the rear of the house opens into the back yard, with three steps leading to the ground. Close behind this is an outside entrance to the cellar by steps from the yard, one large porch having been erected to cover the door and the cellar way. The proprietor knew from former experience that Fleming was a very obstinate and troublesome man when drinking and he decided to let him sit on the steps until he was willing to come into the house of his own accord. In the presence of the railroad man he fastened a door opening from the porch to the back yard and went into the hotel, leaving the inside door unfastened for Fleming to enter and go to his room. When the railroad man came up just behind the proprietor Mr. Fleming was still on the steps. So far as known he was the last man to see him alive.

When Geo. E. Dow, clerk of this hotel, was sweeping out at six o'clock this morning, he opened the back door and was surprised to see a man lying at the bottom of the three steps. A hasty examination showed that the man was dead. Between the door steps and the cellar way rises the wall of the cellar way encased with boards to a height of about six inches. Mr. Fleming's face was resting on these boards, the body extending along the foot of the steps, with his legs doubled under the body and his arms at his side.

Coroner R. K. Ross was summoned and he opened the following jury: Frank McGeehan, Sullivan, McEwan, James Moran, Thos. Gregory, Felix Smith, Hugh Love and Thomas McCurdy. They examined the body and found a deep bruise on the forehead and a bruise on the left temple. In the pockets were found a number of papers, two handkerchiefs, a pipe, a silver watch, \$2.31 in money and a telegram from the A. H. Tappan Company, which returned Mr. Fleming's name to St. Stephen on business matters.

Coroner Ross felt it necessary to leave town and the hearing of evidence was postponed until this evening. This necessitated the keeping of the body here until tomorrow morning at least. The coroner's action has aroused considerable unfavorable comment, as there are other coroners who could have attended to the matter properly.

Mr. Fleming was a fine appearing man of about forty years, standing nearly six feet high, and weighing over 200 pounds. The weight of the body in falling may have caused the bruises on the face. There are many who think that the man was dead before he fell. The position of the hands and body and the fact that he had been a prolonged spree would indicate death from heart failure. There is no cause for any suspicion of foul play. The body is now in charge of Undertaker Price.

He leaves a sick wife and a large family of children at Woodstock. He is spoken of in the most kindly way by his acquaintances, who regret his unfortunate ending.

The coroner, who is down river with an excursion party, telegraphed from St. Andrews this evening postponing the inquest till tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock. Relatives have been telegraphing from Woodstock to have the remains forwarded, but this cannot be done till the jury sanctions it.

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MOLINEUX INDICTED.

Grand Jury Find for Murder in the First Degree.

NEW YORK, July 20.—The grand jury in the case of Roland B. Molineux, charged with killing Mrs. Katie J. Adams, today found an indictment against him for murder in the first degree.

Up to this morning there had been no case of Roland B. Molineux considered by the grand jury. All witnesses were summoned in the name of John Doe, who was charged with having caused the death of Mrs. Katie J. Adams. Justice Williams, in his opening, dismissed the former indictment against Molineux, and based the new one on the evidence of the grand jury. This morning's grand jury was summoned in the case of John Doe. During the past week the witnesses were minutely examined in the case, both experts and attack. They all, it is said, though summoned in the name of John Doe, gave it as their opinion that Roland B. Molineux was connected with the case, and some that he was the offender. The hypothetical case was conducted yesterday. This morning's Assistant District Attorney Osborne, with twelve witnesses, went into the grand jury room. This time the witnesses appeared in the case of Molineux. They were examined very briefly and the jury subsequently found an indictment against Molineux for murder in the first degree.

HIGH COMMISSION.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier and Senator Fairbanks Willing to Arrange a Date of Meeting.

WASHINGTON, July 20.—The return from Alaska of Senator Fairbanks of the Anglo-American commission, has brought to a decisive issue the future of this body. Following an extended conference between Mr. Fairbanks and Secretary Hay, as well as with the president, despatches have been exchanged between the British and Canadian authorities, and those in Washington, which are serving to clear up the doubt and confusion. It seems to be assured that the joint commission will reassemble late in the fall, instead of at Quebec next month.

Notwithstanding a rapid change of telegrams during the day between Senator Fairbanks, in this city, and Sir Wilfrid Laurier, in Ottawa, at the close of the office hours no arrangement had been reached as to the postponement of the meeting of the joint high commission.

Some interest attaches to this apparent transfer of the negotiations to London to Senator Fairbanks and Sir Wilfrid Laurier, in this city, and perhaps it is this that has given rise to the renewed hope of a re-assembly of the commission.

PEACE CONFERENCE.

THIS HAGUE, July 18.—The subcommittee of the arbitration committee of the peace commission met today to draft the amendments demanded at yesterday's session of the plenary committee and to prepare for tomorrow's meeting, when the discussion of the question of an international board of inquiry is expected to create a lively debate. As the exact nature of the objections made were not known, no action was taken.

It is understood that Captain Alfred E. Mahan of the United States navy (retired), one of the American delegates, has decided to withdraw his proposed amendments to the scheme for adopting the Geneva convention to the peace of Great Britain and other powers.

LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE.

"R. B. Adams Left Yesterday for New York."

CHATHAM, July 15, 1899. To the Editor of the Sun: The personal column of the Chatham World contains the above announcement last week.

When Mr. Adams and his family arrived in Chatham on the 14th inst., he was heard on all sides the question, "Has Dick Adams come home to remain with us again?" Hundreds of the American delegates were disappointed at hearing that he had not. It is a pity that he should visit to his old friends. He was delighted with the warmth of his reception and the almost universal feeling in favor of his remaining with us, could he not be almost every one in Chatham. No matter where he went, men, women and children stopped to shake his hand and welcome him back for nearly every town knew and liked Dick Adams.

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DEWEY'S WELCOME.

NEW YORK, July 20.—The Dewey reception committee today agreed upon an outline of the programme. The arrangements provided for a water parade on the first day, a land parade on the second day, in which 15,000 or 20,000 state troops will take part. President Little of the board of education sent a letter to the committee advising that the celebration be extended for three days, so as to permit the school children to parade. He said that children from all parts of the city would take part in the parade, and there would be others from different parts of the state. The request was not definitely acted upon, but was laid over for further consideration.

KINGS CO. PROBATE COURT.

In the Kings county probate court at Hampton on Thursday before Judge Gilbert the following business was done:

Estate of Jane Little, letters of administration granted; L. Allison, proctor. In estate William O. A. Boott, application for citation for heirs to show cause why letters of administration should not issue to O. P. King, a creditor of estate; O. P. King, proctor. Estate Emma L. A. Arnold, application for letters testamentary; Geo. O. D. City, proctor.

Estate Martha A. Sprout, final passing of accounts; J. A. Freese, proctor. Estate Andrew B. Sprout, final passing of accounts; J. A. Freese, proctor.

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B. G. RUSSELL'S SUCCESSOR.

(Scranton, Pa., July 13.)

B. G. Russell, the new general superintendent of the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western company, and, incidentally, the successor of ex-Governor Manager W. F. Hallahan, arrived here at 5.35 yesterday afternoon to enter upon the duties of his office.

For the present he will make his home at the Ferryman. He and family had just established themselves at East Orange when he was called upon to become general superintendent with headquarters at Scranton. His wife and children will spend the summer at the beach, but come on here to reside permanently in the fall.

Personally, the new general superintendent, resembles in the main every other Truesdale appointee who has been assigned to Scranton. He is young—42 years of age, this month—energetic looking, and a gentlemanly appearance. He is a railroad man does not baffle his energetic appearance. He began in 1874 as a telegraph operator on the Intercolonial Canadian government railroad, as his home in New Brunswick. He was promoted to telegrapher and after serving for a short time in this position, came to the states and worked his way up from one office to another, as seven different roads until finally he became superintendent of transportation and assistant general superintendent on the Illinois Central.

Six years ago he accepted a position with the New York Central as superintendent of the Rome, Watertown and Ogdensburg road and held it until last April, when he was drafted into the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western service. President Truesdale, as superintendent of the Morris and Essex division, made vacant by the retirement of the veteran Andrew Reasoner. He was with the Minneapolis and St. Louis road as assistant superintendent in 1882-83-84, when Mr. Truesdale was president and receiver. He was also a co-officer of Superintendent of Transportation J. M. Daly and Superintendent of Motive Power J. W. Fishback on western roads.

FAIRVILLE NEWS.

The Fairville Polymorphous club was organized at an enthusiastic and well attended meeting held in the Orange hall on Wednesday evening, 17th inst. Mr. A. L. Hetherington, president, and Edward Ready were appointed secretary pro tem. The following officers were elected: President, Dr. G. A. Hetherington; 1st vice-president, Edward Ready; 2nd vice-president, J. C. Hetherington; 3rd vice-president, John O'Brien; 4th vice-president, Arthur Long; secretary, H. P. Allingham; treasurer, Thomas H. Willson; sergeant-at-arms, Robert Burns; trustees, W. P. Barnhill, J. B. Brey, A. McLeod. The meeting adjourned until call of chair. The idea seems to have struck a responsive chord, and many applications have been received for membership. Some new and original spectacles will probably be arranged for Labor day. It is also proposed to try to secure a suitable ground for holding sports under the auspices of the club.

A TWO-STAR ATTRACTION NEXT WEEK.

Monday evening next will witness the first appearance in this city of the popular German dialect comedian, J. K. Emmet, and Lotie Gilson, who will present their comedy drama, entitled "Fritz in a Mad House." "Fritz" Emmet is well known as one of the best singers and dancers in the theatrical business, and his portrayal of "Fritz" plays is known to every theatre goer in the United States. The bill during the engagement here will be, for Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Saturday nights, "Fritz in a Mad House"; Thursday, Friday and Saturday matinees, "Jane; Miss Gilson appears in the role of Jane and Mr. Emmet in the leading male part.

CANADA'S ALPS.

GLACIER, B. C., July 19.—Three hundred of the National Editorial Association's party, from the United States, started the great glacier of the Selkies today. The Selkies from the train at the nose of the monster ice Niagara in the middle of July was a revelation to the visitors. So great is their enjoyment of the scenery in the Canadian Alps, that they have decided to pass slowly through the mountains until the eastern foothills are reached.

OF PERSONAL INTEREST.

Rev. J. A. Richardson, rector of St. Luke's church here, has accepted the rectorship of Trinity church, St. John, N. B., will leave for his new home in a few weeks. Miss Hamilton of St. John is visiting Miss Elsie Douglas in Stanley, York Co. Miss Kathleen C. Davison of Moncton is winning laurels as a singer in New York. Mrs. McKee and Mrs. McKee of Moncton left on Tuesday for Boston to reside there. Miss Louisa C. Corbett, daughter of Senator Corbett of the I. C. R., who has been taking a post-graduate course in New York as a trained nurse, is home on a visit to her parents in Moncton.

Frank Thompson, who has been so seriously ill for some time past, was taken to Montreal Tuesday night for hospital treatment. She was accompanied by Dr. Ross, who will likely be absent four or five days, and also her mother, Moncton Times. James H. Hamilton, Esq., of Moncton, N. B., was in Halifax on Wednesday en route to Cornell University. Dr. Hamilton is an 1887 graduate of Dalhousie University and is now professor of logic and metaphysics at Cornell University. He is also editor of the Philosophical Review. He is a native of Grand Falls, New Brunswick.

Miss Elsie, of St. John, who has been for some time in Charlottetown staying with Mrs. W. D. Dore, left for Alberton Monday morning, where she will spend the summer, the guest of Mrs. W. P. Dyer—Guardian. Rev. E. F. Russell of the Methodist church, Halifax and wife, are spending a week or two with their mother, Mrs. (Rev.) G. F. Dawson, Cornwall, P. E. I. Dr. K. D. Dobbie, city editor of the Charlottetown Guardian, with Mrs. Dobbie, left for Boston Tuesday for a trip to Boston and New York.

Paul Childer, barrister, who was visiting his brother, Rev. John Childer, left for West Bay Saturday. From their last year the Childers to look after the legal interests of his brother, and the Klondike King, Alex. McDonald, Esq., of Seattle.

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BOSTON LETTER.

Ten Thousand Pilgrims to St. Anne de Beaupre.

To Protect Provincial Girls from the Snare of the Spoiler.

Big Restigouche Salmon—The Kissing Bug—Lumber and Fish Market Quotations.

(From our own Correspondent.)

BOSTON, July 18.—Boston has been visited by a new species of insect known as the kissing bug, which is causing considerable uneasiness among the fair sex.

An immense number of French Canadian states left on a pilgrimage to St. Anne de Beaupre, Que., last week. The pilgrimage was organized with the permission of the Roman Catholic bishops of several dioceses.

William A. Chisholm, aged 22 years, of Annapolis, N. B., enlisted here for service in the Philippines, in a new regiment being formed by Col. Edmund Rice.

Mark Lynch of Halifax, who is to row the boat in the championship dory race, was seen at the Centennial Grove, Essex, July 17, is expected here tomorrow. He will go into training at once.

Richard Damarego and L. B. Howe of this city and Jordan L. Mott, Jr., of New York, who went on a fishing trip in New Brunswick recently, caught three large salmon, weighing 48, 40 and 35 pounds respectively, in the Restigouche river.

Judge Lowell, in the United States court, has issued an order for the sale of the St. John schooner Sadie Willcutt. The vessel was wrecked at Vineyard Haven during the great November storm, and was salvaged by James T. Morse, who afterwards brought a libel against her.

The Orangemen of this city celebrated the twelfth with a parade and picnic. About 1,200 marched through the principal streets.

The Dominion Atlantic company has reduced its passenger rates between Boston and New York to \$4 first class, one way second class, \$3.50, and return, \$7.

Edward S. Forbes of Cambridge and Miss Mary A. Drysdale of Woodstock were united in marriage at Cambridge July 8. Rev. George W. Bicknell performed the ceremony.

Henry Chase, of the New England Watch and Ward society of this city, was one of the speakers at a recent meeting of the society at the institute of instruction. Mr. Chase during his address stated that the society had made arrangements for sending women agents to meet every steamboat and train arriving from the maritime provinces.

Mr. Chase said that the society had made arrangements for sending women agents to meet every steamboat and train arriving from the maritime provinces. He said that many girls and young women coming from the provinces are led astray by persons who offer them what they claim to be good and respectable employment. In some cases men and women who pretend to be looking for domestics, nurse girls or other help, are nothing more than agents for houses of bad repute, and it is in this evil way that the society is endeavoring to guard against.

A serious split has occurred in the First Presbyterian church of Brookline. The pastor is Rev. William E. Archibald, Ph.D., a Nova Scotian.

From information received here no significance can be attached to the finding of a bundle of bank checks by a Westport, N. S., fisherman, reported in despatches from that province. The Metropolitan National bank of Boston, on which the checks were drawn, announces that they were cancelled vouchers of a firm of provision dealers. Dole and Haley, the firm referred to, said that they could not call upon the papers reaching the Nova Scotia coast. It is stated that some time ago a lot of old papers and other refuse were thrown into an ash barrel. Presumably the checks were among the rubbish, which was carried away to the city dumps. Of the journey by water of the papers from that point to Nova Scotia, the members of the firm say that one guess is as good as another. There is thought to be no connection between the checks and the steamer Portland. The fact that near the spot where the checks came ashore a paper was found bearing the words "S. S. Portland. We are sinking. Come and save us. Nov. 28, 1898," led to the supposition that both checks and message came from the steamer as she was sinking off Cape Cod in the great storm of last year.

The weather here has been fine and quite hot all the week. The nights have been especially close and uncomfortable. The weather today was wet. A company was formed in Philadelphia recently which has for its object the protection of clerks, mechanics and others from poverty during illness. The company proposes to do a sort of an insurance business. If a policy holder loses his place the company will get him another and pay him a fixed amount of money during the time he is out of work.

Rev. John D. Pickles, pastor of the Tremont street Methodist church, formerly of St. John, delivered a notable eulogy on the late Bishop Newman last Sunday.

Charles W. McFarlane, son of James H. McFarlane, formerly of New Brunswick, died in Chelsea, yesterday. He was 38 years old. His wife, Mrs. G. W. McFarlane, and his daughter, Miss Mary McFarlane, were in Chelsea at the time of his death.

The following from the provinces were in the city recently: J. H. Armstrong, Hugh Macdonald, and Mrs. Macdonald, St. John; J. W. Mackay, Halifax; George Crosby, Yarmouth; Rev. John B. Wooten, Aylesford, N.S.; Rev. E. Kierstead, D. D., Wolfville; D. Kemp, Weymouth, N. B.

The movement in spruce lumber continues fair with the market firm on frames, but easier on timbers. Building operations are announced to be smaller just now and generally unsatisfactory, and this is having some influence on the spruce trade. Laths are in fair demand, but clapboards are moving rather slowly. Shingles are steady. Hemlock is well sustained, although the demand is only moderate. Prices here are as follows: Spruce—Frames, nine inches and under, by car, \$15.50 to 16; 12 inches and up, \$17; 2x3 and 2x4, \$12.50; merchantable boards \$12 to 13; mill random, \$14 to 14.50; clear floorings, \$22; second clear, \$19; extra clapboards, \$29 to 30; clear, \$27 to 28; second clear, \$24 to 25; laths, 1.5-8 inches, \$2.25 to 2.40; laths, 1-2 inches, \$2 to 2.10. Hemlock, Cedar, etc.—Eastern dimensions, hemlock, \$12.50; eastern boards, \$12.50 to 14; No. 1, \$10.50 to 12; extra cedar shingles, best brands, \$3 to 3.15; clear, \$2.65 to 2.70; second clear, \$2.15 to 2.35; extra white, \$2; extra No. 1, \$1.50. Extra pine clapboards, \$28 to 30; clear, \$34 to 36; second, clear, \$30 to 35.

MEDICAL SOCIETY.

Nineteenth Annual Meeting of the New Brunswick Physicians.

List of Those Present—A Summary of the Reports Considered at Yesterday's Session—Entertained at Camp Comfort.

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The following physicians were enrolled: W. B. Crockett, Fredericton; Geo. A. Hetherington, John R. B. Botsford, Moncton; J. H. Gray, Fairville; G. J. Crawford, St. John; Christie, St. John; Geo. Addy, St. John; C. T. Purdy, Moncton; W. Leonard Ellis, St. John; T. P. Spragg, Woodstock; J. R. Hagerman, Florenceville; G. C. Vanwart, Fredericton; S. W. Boone, Presque Isle, Me.; Foster, Alberton; W. C. Murray, A. B. O. E. Crockett, Fredericton; P. Thomas Walker, St. John; T. S. Stupper, Fredericton; J. D. Lawson, St. Stephen; G. E. Gaultier, Fredericton; J. C. Mott, St. John; B. M. Mullin, St. John; Dr. W. A. Murray, St. John; Dr. J. H. Murray, Fredericton Junction; E. B. Fisher, Marysville; G. T. Smith, Moncton.

The report of the committee appointed at last session to revise the scale of fees was received and adopted, and the president and secretary were instructed to place a copy of the revised scale in the hands of each member of the society. The committee was comprised of Drs. Walker, Crawford, Botsford, Atherton, Mott, Denstait and Benson.

The treasurer, Dr. Foster MacFarlane, submitted his report, showing as follows: Balance July 1898, \$178.88; receipts during year, \$28.97; expenditure during year, \$30.78; balance on hand, \$177.07.

The report of the council of physicians and surgeons was read by Dr. Crockett. The council was organized on June 18, 1898, and has since that time been working for the betterment of the medical profession in the province.

The following were appointed a nominating committee to report at the afternoon session: Drs. Inches, Lawson, Smith, Spragg, Murray, Christie and Crockett.

The following resolution was moved by Dr. Walker, seconded by Dr. Jas. Christie: That this society hail with great satisfaction the announcement that progress is being made in the matter of interprovincial registration, and would urge upon the council of physicians and surgeons that they take every means looking toward that end.

The president, Dr. Atherton, then presented his annual address. Dr. Atherton took for his subject Progress of Medicine and Surgery in the Last Third of the Nineteenth Century. It was referred to the committee on reports of Dr. Hetherington and Botsford.

This was followed by a paper by Dr. J. W. Bridges.

The society then adjourned for dinner.

The gathering resumed its sessions at 2.30 o'clock, Dr. Lawson reading a paper on Retention of Urine. This was referred to the committee on reports of Dr. Boone of Presque Isle, who read a paper upon an interesting theme and which elicited hearty applause and provoked a profitable discussion.

Those attending the meeting embarked at half-past four o'clock upon the steamer Bismark for a sail upon the river and luncheon at Camp Comfort at Springhill, the guests of the city physicians.

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Members of council—Dr. G. F. Smith, Moncton; Dr. James Christie, St. John; Dr. J. W. Bridges, Fredericton; Dr. Inches, St. John; Dr. J. W. Daniel, St. John.

The subject of Blood-Letting, General and Local, was discussed by the medical society this morning. Dr. Bayard, Addy, Gray, Atherton, Hagerman and Daniel taking part.

Dr. Melvin read a valuable paper on The Nervous Element of Diseases of the Skin, which was discussed by Drs. A. J. Murray and S. W. Boone.

A paper on skin diseases was first read by Dr. Oswell of Gagetown, and discussed by Drs. Vanwart, Melvin and others.

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MARINE MATTERS.

Hughie Beverage, the sailor who fell from the rigging of the s.s. Nellie Eaton Thursday morning, was going out of the harbor Friday at the Marine Hospital from his injuries.

John McNeil, Capt. of the schooner, and a quarter mill above Ship Bottom the sailing vessel, New Jersey, was maintained by the schooner, but Capt. Erb sent his wife ashore. Fugate went to her anchorage at the Marine Hospital, and was taken to St. John to Philadelphia with a cargo of fish. Later she was seen at the harbor with a full crew. Her cargo is insured and there is some insurance on the vessel.

The American government has not yet changed the fog whistle on Libby Island, a silent interval of thirteen minutes to blast of five seconds duration and a silent interval of twenty seconds. The whistle as changed corresponds exactly with that on Machias Seal Island, and as vessels bound to or from St. John or the bay ports coming through the north channel above a fog whistle, the more or less confusion is apt to arise, with more or less dangerous consequences. The lights are only six miles apart, and as the change has been made but recently the latest issue of Almanacs does not contain notice of it. The Prince Edward, on her first trip from Boston to St. John, lost four hours on this account, as her captain was not aware of the change and a thick fog prevailed at the time.

The following charters are reported: Bark, Muskoka, Portland, O. for Oct. 1, U. S. H. A. or D., grain, \$75. 84, August; Mary A. Troop, for York to St. John, N. B., Sept. 26, September; Luarca, New York to Pernambuco, case oil, 13 cents and free freight; Lewis, New York to St. John, general cargo, p. t.; ship Kings County, ship laden to Rio Janeiro, lumber, \$14,000; September; ship, Adelaide, Perth Amboy to St. John, coal, 80 cents; Sattelle, Portland, N. B., to Philadelphia, O. r. r. Utility, Elizabethport or Edgewater to Halifax, coal, \$11; ship, King, to St. John, coal, \$10; Sackville Packet, Westchester to Dorchester, coal, \$1; Genesta, Westchester to St. Andrew, coal, \$1; Elizabethport to Halifax, coal, \$1; Stanley, Elizabethport to Charlottetown, coal, \$1.

The leak in the s.s. Ruth Robinson was stopped at Vineyard Haven on the 17th, and will proceed to her destination.

Sch. Hazelwood, Capt. Parry, from St. John, at Vineyard Haven, lost about 10,000 lbs. in a southerly storm and rough sea on Saturday night.

Sch. Vicksburg, from Edgewater for Bangor with coal, is sunk at Seal Harbor, near Whitehead, N. B. Her crew has been rescued. A Philadelphia despatch of the 17th says: Advice from Atlantic City states that the s.s. John, from Boston to Philadelphia, which went ashore near the ship bottom life saving station, is now afloat, full of water, and will be a total loss. The J. A. McKillop was purchased a short time ago from A. A. Mackay, New York, by W. W. Simpson of Boston and Capt. Erb, commander of the s.s. Ruth Robinson, \$14,000. Capt. Peter Melville looks after her in St. John.

The old bark Ruth, which was wrecked in the bay some years ago and bought by John W. Melville, has now been fitted out and was towed to Bridgetown last Saturday to be loaded with lumber for P. B. L. after which she will be sent to Philadelphia, fitted out with spars, etc.—Newcastle Advocate.

SEVERE TEST OF FRIENDSHIP (London Tit-Bits.)

There may be such a thing as carrying insurance too far as indicated by the case of Mr. Mulcahy and Mr. Mulhooly, two Irish gentlemen. Though they were known to be great friends, they were one day observed to pass each other in the street without a greeting.

"Why, Mulcahy," a friend asked in astonishment, "have you and Mulhooly quarrelled?"

"That we have not!" said Mr. Mulcahy with earnestness.

"There seemed to be a coolness between you when you passed just now."

"That's the insurance of our friendship!"

"I don't understand."

"Whoy, thin, it's this way. Mulhooly and I are that devoted to wan another that we can't bear the idea of a quarrel, an' as we are both mighty quick-tempered, we've resolved not to speak to wan another at all!"

BLACK-BRADSHAW.

The St. Martin's Baptist church was the scene of an interesting wedding Wednesday evening, July 15th, when Miss Mabel M. Bradshaw, daughter of Abram Bradshaw, was united in marriage to J. Black of Lawrence, Mass., formerly of St. Martins. Rev. S. H. Cornwall performed the ceremony. The bride was dressed in a handsome gown of white cashmere, trimmed with lace and ribbons, and carried a bouquet of white roses. Miss Jessie Bradshaw, the bridesmaid, was attired in pink cashmere, and carried a bouquet of pink roses and ferns. The groom was supported by W. G. Christ of St. Martins. After the ceremony the wedding party drove to the bride's home, where a delectable collation was partaken of.

NEW CHURCH AT FREDERICTON JUNCTION.

The Church of England people at Fredericton Junction are to build a new church, and the contract has been awarded to Moses Mitchell. The edifice will be 25 by 75 feet in size upon the ground, will be of becoming proportions, having a spire 75 feet in height. The architect's plans show a very pretty little structure, well adapted in every way to the needs of that growing and influential congregation. Work upon the church will be begun immediately.

TRAPPED.

"Well," he said to the bride's sister, "you are Miss Willington now, aren't you?"

"Yes," she answered with a sigh. "May I hope that it will not be for long?" he playfully asked.

"Oh, Alford," he exclaimed, "I never guessed it. If you had spoken two weeks earlier you might have made a double wedding, mightn't you?"

The bishops of the Church of England in convocation have welcomed the revised version of the Scriptures and sanctioned its use in the churches.

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A NEW CRUSADER.

Miss Lillian Clay Jewett, a young white woman who aroused intense enthusiasm in an audience of colored citizens in St. Paul's Baptist church, Boston, on Sunday evening, made an effective appeal to the principles assumed to underlie the constitution of the United States.

After alluding to the fact that four colored regiments are being sent to the Philippines to uphold the honor of the nation, Miss Jewett spoke of conditions in the south, pointing out that there is not equal justice for black and white.

Yes, despite this, in the war with Spain, the colored man showed his grit and his courage, and proved that these 30 years of questionable liberty have not made him a coward.

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William K. Vanderbilt denies that the New York Central, which he controls, and the allied companies are planning to obtain control of other lines of railway in order to make a through line from the Atlantic to the Pacific.

The exports of cheese from Montreal up to July 15th were 429,373 boxes, compared with 468,535 boxes to same date last year, and of butter 97,182 packages, compared with 107,076. This is a notable increase.

It is announced that Marconi's system of wireless telegraphy is to be utilized for purposes of communication between different islands of the Hawaiian group.

California fruit growers are opposed to receiving the Jamaica oranges and some other fruits, and are testing through a representative who has been sent to Washington for the purpose.

The announcement that diamonds are advancing in price will be of interest to the beneficiaries of the gift government at Ottawa. Poor people will not be affected.

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CITY NEWS.

Recent Events in and Around St. John.

Together With Country Items from Correspondents and Exchanges.

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THE SUN PRINTING COMPANY, issuing weekly 8,500 copies of THE WEEKLY SUN, challenges the circulation of all papers published in the Maritime Provinces. Advertisers, please make a note of this.

Wanted—A case of Headache that Kumfort Headache Powders will not relieve in ten minutes. All dealers, etc.

The liquor business of James H. Slater will be sold at auction on Thursday under a bill of sale held by John O'Regan.

Robert Fulton, one of the noted Paris crew, on Monday lost from his watch chain the gold medal he won in a race with Barney Biffen on the Konnebecasis in 1872.

Bark Bristol, now at Shelburne, has been fixed to load deals at West Bay for W. C. England at 61a. This is a good rate as compared with recent fixtures.

UNION BLEND TEA reaches the masses in all parts of the maritime provinces. The Keys make a great hit, and steady hitting has proved a great winner in the sales of UNION BLEND TEA.

J. P. McBay and his sister, Mrs. Loretta, have bought out the stock and trade of Hartley Yanvart, who conducted a grocery business on Victoria street. The new firm will open up immediately.

New petitions asking for an election in Westmorland on the repeal of the Scott act are being circulated in all parts of the county. It is claimed the requisite number of signatures will be obtained, so that the question may be brought on this fall.

Mrs. Dr. Mott of St. John, who underwent an operation for the removal of a tumor from her breast at the Victoria hospital a few days ago, is progressing well and expects to return home next week.

At the meeting of the St. John municipal council this week Council Harrowe was confirmed in the seat for Musquash that was disputed by Mr. Balsem. The council decided to authorize the public hospital commissioners to issue debentures for \$5,000 to be expended in improvements.

The annual meeting of the shareholders of the Central Railway Company was held on Tuesday at Hampton. The old board of directors was re-elected. Some of the leading shareholders, with an engineer, are expected from New York shortly to decide on the construction of the extension to Fredericton.

Of a lot of 500 bags of old potatoes from P. E. Island, landed in Montreal by steamer Campana last week, the Star says: "It is most likely that these will be purchased by bakers, as they would be of little use to anyone else. Extra, it is reported will pay 80c. a bag for old stock. The Campana also landed 1,000 cases of eggs, which were quoted at 11c. with candied stock a little higher."

A regular business meeting of the Main street Baptist church on Tuesday, July 18, was held in the church. The question of Mr. Gordon's resignation was discussed, and it was accepted with evident reluctance. The resignation takes effect on July 31st. The matter of supply was left in the hands of a pulpit and supply committee, composed of the deacons of the church.

E. G. Russell of St. George, at one time secretary to the late Jas. Coleman, superintendent of the I. C. R., has just been appointed general superintendent of the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western Railroad, with headquarters at Scranton, Pa. Mr. Russell has many friends in this city and province, to which he has been a frequent visitor, who will read with pleasure of his further advancement. Mrs. Russell is a St. John lady, a daughter of the late Mr. Valpey.

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Table with columns for Ladies Wrappers, Ladies Summer Undervests, Flanellette Shirts, Workingmen's Pants, and Cotton Goods. Includes prices and descriptions.

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To cure a Headache in ten minutes use Kumfort Headache Powders, etc.

Dewar & Sons of St. George are now loading their eleventh vessel with lumber at the public wharf there.

Sch. Fred H. Gibson arrived at Las Palmas on the 18th from Jacksonville in 35 days.

Bark R. Morrow, is on Eildard's blocks making some repairs before loading for the River Platte.

Thos. Blackwood, who had been at the central police station for some days, was adjudged insane yesterday by Dr. D. E. Berryman and sent to the Provincial Lunatic asylum.

The damage to the Fowler cornmeal mill, occasioned by fire a few days ago, has been appraised at \$3,232. The property was insured for \$7,000.

Dr. W. H. Peppers, who lately graduated with the degree of M. D. from McGill university, and is at present rusticated at his home in St. Mary's, has decided to practice his profession at Centreville, Carleton Co.—Herald.

Miss, Coutts & Co. of St. George are to construct a monument of Spoon Island granite, to be erected over the grave of Mrs. Owen Jones in London, England. It will be a massive cross, very gracefully proportioned.

Mr. Robt. Crowe of Truro, N. S., a well known representative of the New Glasgow Milling Co., writes: "Kumfort Headache Powders work like a charm with me. I heartily recommend them to all sufferers from Headache."

Reuben Hunter, who for some years has been brakeman on the Sussex train, has just been appointed a conductor. He passed his examination at Truro. Mr. Hunter assumed his duties Wednesday, when he was put in charge of the working train at the I. C. R. improvement work.

Francis Denmore, one of Gibson's best known and most popular citizens, was married at St. Mary's R. C. church Wednesday morning to Annie Calhoun of Boiestown. Rev. Father Ryan performed the ceremony. Miss Gertie Rowan was bridesmaid and Wilson Malone of Stanley supported the groom.—Gleaner.

A company is being organized in Charlotte county to establish a telephone line along the shore, taking in Bonfield, Beaver, Harlow, Black's Harbor, Ledge, and Island, and possibly other sections. Among the promoters are Messrs. Brox, Black's Harbor, Capt. Samuel Dick of St. George, and Herb. McLaughlin of Letete.

The will of the late Mrs. Rhoda A. Barnhill was probated Wednesday. Estate is entered at \$4,000 real and \$48,000 personal. After bequests of \$100 each to her grandsons, Alexander B. Zolly, Alexander Barnhill and Alexander Tapley, the estate is divided equally among her six children—George E. Barnhill, Benjamin B. Barnhill, Mrs. James Holly, Mrs. Fred Tapley, Mrs. D. H. Nase and Mrs. W. M. Pivars. The executors are George E. Barnhill and A. P. Barnhill, executor.

At the last meeting of Victoria lodge, No. 13, O. E. F., Fredericton, W. Storey Hooper was presented by the lodge with a handsome past grand's regalia and beautiful jewel. The presentation and address was made by District Deputy Grand Master J. Frost Richards, who spoke in glowing terms of the regard which the lodge had for Mr. Hooper and its appreciation of his special services as chairman of the managing committee of the grand excursion to Houlton on 4th July. Mr. Hooper made a suitable reply to the address and kindly expression of good will of his brother Oddfellows.

A WONDERFUL MACHINE. A Massachusetts man has invented a machine for printing music. It resembles a typewriter, and makes a record of written music, staffs, staves, grace-notes and all, as clear and accurately as a lithographic copy. Now, if anybody will invent a system of shorthand for taking down tunes, they are rung or played, the composers should be happy in the prospect of a musical "boom." The shorthand and typewriting classes at the Curtis Business University are in session day and evening during the summer.

THE ORIGINAL. There is only one remedy known that has a combined action on the kidneys and liver and cures the most complicated ailments of these delicate filtering organs, and that is Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills, the original kidney pill. This world famous kidney and liver cure has an enormous sale in all parts of Canada and the United States.

Rev. Dr. Gates, pastor of the German street Baptist church, will deliver a lecture on Monday evening next in the Baptist church, St. Martins, subject "Jerusalem as it was and is." No doubt the residents of the parish will be pleased to hear the doctor lecture from his personal observations during his trip through the Holy Land.

A. Kinella's house and Chas. Ramsay's carpet cleaning establishment, expropriated by the federal government, were disposed of at Chubb's corner yesterday by W. A. Lockhart. The former was purchased by Wm. Willis at \$15, and the latter by John Walsh at \$10. The buildings are to be removed by August 12. The sale of the McLeodrick property was postponed until further notice.

A committee of the board of trade to consider the advisability of holding a merchants' meeting in St. John during the week of Aug. 14 to 19, and not during exhibition week as previously stated, met on Tuesday evening. C. B. Macmillan was chairman. It was decided to hold a merchants' meeting, and a committee was appointed to draw up a circular and distribute it through the provinces, calling the attention of merchants to it and inviting them to attend. The committee is composed as follows: D. J. McLaughlin, W. H. Thorne, T. S. Simms, E. A. Drury, John J. Barry, T. H. Hall and C. E. Macmillan.

36 TO 14!

Sir Mackenzie Bowell Kills the Gerrymander Bill.

Some Side Light on Grit Ballot Box Stuffing Methods in Ontario.

Three Sittings of the Commons Per Day—The Rocking Horse Method—All Motion and No Progress.

(Special to the Sun.) OTTAWA, July 20.—In the senate Hon. Mr. Mills made his second speech in defence of the gerrymander bill to day. He was followed by Hon. Mr. Prowse and Hon. Mr. Bernier in opposition.

The vote was taken just before six, when Sir Mackenzie Bowell's motion that the measure be not further considered was carried by thirty-six to fourteen. It was a straight party vote except that Hon. De Boucherville and Poirer of Shediac voted with the government.

INVESTIGATING GRIT FRAUDS. OTTAWA, July 20.—At ten o'clock this morning the committee on privileges and elections resumed the investigation into the West Huron election case.

Donald Cummings, the deputy returning officer at No. 4, Criborne, was further examined by Mr. Borden of Halifax. Witness was first asked to identify his own handwriting in the initials on the ballots. When this was done it was found that 18 ballots were initialed in ink. Of these, two appeared to be like the other ballots.

The regular 14 were all wider than the regular ballots. They were on thicker paper of a lighter color. The printing was a different impression and free from a few defects apparent on every one of the others. These ballots when put together were white on the edge, while the others when piled up showed a black edge. Again it was found that the markings for Holmes (the liberal candidate) in these 14 ballots had all been done in the same fashion and apparently by the same hand. The witness could not, or would not, explain.

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GRAND LODGE I. O. G. T. The 29th Annual Session Held at Shediac—Reports and Committees—Excursion to P. E. Island—Public Meetings.

SHEDJAC, July 18.—The Grand Lodge I. O. G. T. of New Brunswick met in session this afternoon with a large representation, Grand Chief Templar Geo. Dodge in the chair.

Among the visitors were Rev. John Bennett Anderson of London, Eng., who is in Canada as representative from England to the Right Worthy Grand Lodge which recently met in Toronto, and Bros. Fowler and McMillen of Prince Edward Island, who will escort the Grand Lodge of New Brunswick to the Island on Wednesday, where they will be tendered a reception by the Grand Lodge of that province.

Very little business was done this afternoon. After some speeches by the distinguished visitors the reports of officers were read, after which the following committees were appointed from the chair:

Committee on appeals—H. V. Dixon, A. C. M. Lawson, Rev. Mr. Bynon, Miss Lyon.

Committee on Distribution—Rev. W. R. Robinson, Rev. Thomas Marshall, G. P. Steeves, W. L. Byles, J. H. Moore.

Finance committee—Rev. Thomas Marshall, Rev. Mr. Austen, M. R. M. Taylor.

Press committee—W. W. W. Killam, W. O. Keating, Mr. J. H. Moore. State of the order—Rev. W. R. Robinson, Rev. R. Barry Smith, Charles Caldwell, W. A. Webb, H. H. Dixon.

Committee on sessions and public meetings—W. M. Burns, Miss Nellie Harper, Rev. Mr. Hobbie, T. Caldwell, Committee on by-laws—Rev. T. Marshall, Rev. W. R. Robinson, W. O. Keating, Miss Flora Steeves, Dr. Steeves.

Committee on juvenile work—Mrs. A. H. Robinson, Mrs. Manaton, Mrs. Killam.

Manhattan S. S. Co. Affairs. (Herald News.) The schedule of the Manhattan Steamship Co., which corporation has been reported in the "Herald" Daily News as in bankruptcy, were filed in New York this week. The liabilities were \$100,000 of which amount \$3,573 is for wages due, \$750 for taxes, and the balance, \$95,677 for merchandise loans, etc.

Why she didn't like it. "I thought that summer resort you went to was a delightful place," said the brunette. "What fault had you to find with it?" "The only fault which I had was in the most conspicuous place on the grounds."

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TALMAGE TALKS.

He Preaches on Human Inconsistency.

Ancient Epigram Illustrates Folly of Mankind.

Prono to Magnify Small Things, Headless of the Great.

WASHINGTON, July 18.—In this discourse founded on an ancient epigram repeated by Christ, Dr. Talmage illustrates the folly of being very particular about insignificant things while neglectful of vast concerns.

A proverb is compact wisdom, knowledge in chunks, a library in a sentence, whose words are so arranged that they are charged in one bolt, a river put through a mill race.

There are in our day a great many camels straining out and a great many camels swallowed, and it is the object of this sermon to sketch a few persons who are extensively engaged in that business.

CHRIST DID NOT FLATTER. While Christ's audience was yet smiling at the spontaneity and wit of His illustration for simile they did, unless they were too stupid to understand the hyperbole—Christ practically said to them, "That is you."

HUMAN INCONSISTENCY. Again, my subject photographs all those who are abhorrent of small sins while they are reckless in regard to magnificent thefts.

WASTED LIVES. Some persons are also described in the text who are very much alarmed about their friends, but they have no alarm about their own great transgressions.

GULPING DOWN CAMELS. There is a good deal of uneasiness and nervousness now among some people in our time who have got under the auspices of a great deal of uneasiness about dynamite.

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brighten up our religious message with such Christlike vivacity as we find in the text.

I take down from my library the biographies of ministers and writers of the past ages, inspired and uninspired, who have done the most to bring souls to Jesus Christ, and I find that, without slight exception, they consecrated their wit and their humor to Christ.

HUMOR IN RELIGION. John Bunyan's writings are as full of humor as they are of saving truth, and there is not an aged man here who has ever read "Pilgrim's Progress" who does not remember while reading it smiled as often as he wept.

DO NOT MIND SMALL THINGS. This subject does not give the picture of one or two persons, but is a general picture of a class of people.

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greater than the question, How shall I get it expatriated from my nature? I question, What shall I do with the 20 or 40 or 50 or 60 of sinners existing in me? greater than the question, What shall I do with the millions of cycles of my past terrestrial existence? Time—how small it is! Eternity—how vast it is!

But let us all surrender to the charge. What an ado about things here! What poor preparation for a great eternity! Although a minnow was larger than a behemoth, as though a swallow took wider circuit than an albatross, as though a nettle were taller than a Lebanon cedar, as though a gnat were greater than a camel, as though a minute were longer than a century, as though time were higher, deeper, broader than eternity.

FREDERICTON.

R. K. Yacht Club Fleet Arrive at the Capital and Are Heartily Welcomed.

FREDERICTON, N. B., July 20.—Edgar H. Batabrooks, jeweller of Maryville, accompanied by Sheriff Sterling for the benefit of his creditors today.

At 10 o'clock the fleet was met by the members of the club house and the festivities were kept up until an early hour this morning.

At Chatham, July 17, bark Ragna, Johnsen, from Baltimore, Ireland. At Hillsboro, July 17, D. J. Sawyer, Kelly, from Jonesport; a Bratsburg, Thorsen, from New York; 16th, sch woodcock, from Wausau, from Boston.

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