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### AT MIDDLE RIVER, C. B.

Nine Chinamen Sluicing a Fortune in Gold Washings. (Sydney Post.) A man who recently spent a few days at Middle River, near Baddeck, told a representative of the Post yesterday that the celestials who are engaged there sluicing gold dust washings are meeting with success. They are fully experienced in sluicing, having been on the Frazer River in British Columbia, and are provided with the most modern appliances used in the west. There are nine Chinamen engaged and they work incessantly. In the course of the day each of them gathers gold dust to the worth of about five or six dollars. They have recently purchased from a man named McDonald a small island situated in the middle of the river, for which they paid the sum of \$275. This island they intend making the base of their operations, as it is their intention to continue the work until the winter sets in and then renew their operations on a much larger scale next spring. The gentleman referred to states that gold is quite plentiful in Middle River, and in confirmation of this statement says that about fifteen or twenty years ago a gentleman by the name of Wright came there from New York for the purpose of sluicing, and made an expenditure of \$1,700, and his returns amounted to \$1,600. He was of course \$100 out of pocket, but the experiment proved that the gold was there.

**THE PREMIER AND MR. TARTE.** MONTREAL, Nov. 4.—Sir Wilfrid Laurier made a speech tonight at the Laval law faculty banquet, but made no reference to the political conditions. Hon. Mr. Tarte, who followed the premier, spoke on his "Canada for Canadians" policy and reiterated his position on the tariff question.

**FELL UNDER TRAIN WHEELS.** Thomas Peterson, aged 15, attempted at Nanauk, Conn., to board a freight train Sunday, when he missed his footing and fell. The wheels passed over his right leg and it was so badly crushed that it was necessary to

### BELT OF OIL WELLS.

Recent Borings Give Interesting Results—New Pumping Plant. MONCTON, N. B., Nov. 4.—The New Brunswick Petroleum Company have recently been boring wells for oil at Pre d'En Haut. This is on the Westmorland side of the Petitcodiac and on a line with the wells in Albert county and St. Joseph's. The wells are distant about four miles from St. Joseph's and three miles from Albert county wells. The drillers at Pre d'En Haut Friday struck the oil sand at well No. 16. The drillers are still boring and the sands in the yield promise to equal any well yet bored. This proves that the oil territory now extends from St. Joseph's through Pre d'En Haut to Albert county in one belt, the width of which is undetermined by actual borings. The company have just received and are now erecting at St. Joseph's the new pumping plant ordered from Petrolia, Ont. This plant has capacity for 100 wells. A small pumping plant is also being erected on the Albert county side.

**AN AUTO SMASHUP.** George M. Pratt, a merchant, and his son Charles, of Middleton, Conn., were badly injured Sunday in an automobile accident. Pratt was driving the machine down a steep incline when it got beyond his control and left the road and crashed into a tree. It is feared that young Pratt has sustained internal injuries. The automobile was wrecked.

**A CLERICAL CONVERT.** LONDON, Nov. 3.—One of the latest Roman Catholic converts is a clergyman of the Church of England. According to the Tablet, the Rev. Frederick Alfred Ingle, B. A., of St. John's College, Oxford, lately curate of Great Ilford, Essex, and formerly of Fulmouth, has been received into the Roman Catholic church at St. Mary's, Clapham. "Coin of Crispus, son of Constantine the Great, struck in London, A. D. 317-20," is the translation of part of the inscription on an ancient coin unearthed recently in Worcester, England.

St. John, November 5, 1902.

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## TWELVE KILLED.

Criminal Neglect Causes Terrible Fireworks Explosion,

By Which Twelve Were Killed and Seventy-Four Injured—Many Arrests Made.

NEW YORK, Nov. 5.—With a list of 12 killed and 74 injured before him, Coroner Scholer has inaugurated an investigation of the explosion of fireworks in Madison square last evening. Eight men already have been locked up, charged with criminal neglect, and the coroner has issued a warrant for the arrest of John Dimonido, who is alleged to have been in charge of the fireworks. "It is a case of absolute criminal neglect," says the coroner. "One of the mortars was set off, and it was pointed at a row of other mortars in a line. It leaned toward the others, which was set off by the fire thrown around them."

District Attorney Broome, who was not far from the scene of the explosion, hurried to the square, and after investigation ordered the arrest of the men in charge. He had the prisoners taken to police headquarters together with the unexploded fireworks. Inspector Brooks of the police department also ordered the arrest of the manufacturer of the bombs, but he has not been located. The district attorney said: "Dynamite bombs should not be allowed in a public place. I have no doubt that a permit has been issued for the exhibition, but a rigid investigation will be made. Steps will be taken to prevent anything like this occurring in the future."

A revised list of the dead follows:—Patrolman Dennis Shea, of the Brooklyn Bridge squad. William G. Penny, 12 years old, nephew of Maj. W. H. Buck, this city. Harold Robie, 12 years old, son of Milton Robie, proprietor's Bartholdi hotel. Nathan Bingley, 13 years old. Jos. Merber, 21 years old.

Five unidentified white men and two unidentified colored men. The scenes at the hospital and the morgue following the terrible crash after the explosion in Madison square were beyond description. It is estimated that 50,000 persons were in the square at the time. Probably 20,000 of these were massed around the point where the explosion occurred, and while they were scrambling to reach places of safety, knocking one and other down, and falling over park benches, 30,000 others were cheering from the opposite side of the park, where they were viewing the election returns which were thrown upon a screen before the Flat-iron building. The persons in this portion of the park apparently were elated over the returns, and supposed the explosions which rent the air were a part of the programme and were totally unaware of the tragedy being enacted so near at hand, until a detachment of police forced their way through the crowd, making room for the passage of men bearing the mangled remains of their comrades patrolmen.

Instantly a terrible calm swept over the crowd and all interest in the returns immediately disappeared. As the long-line of patrol wagons, ambulances and other vehicles carrying dead and injured fled through the street toward Bellevue Hospital, thousands of persons lined the sidewalks and gazed astounded at the conveyances. Five hundred persons gathered outside of the morgue, and other hundreds came and went during the night, seeking among the unidentified dead, relatives and friends whom they had lost during the terrible crash following the explosion. Thousands of persons gathered at the hospital gates, among them many women. The scenes around Bellevue were the most exciting in the history of the institution. The injured were reported early today as being in a fair way of recovery. With the exception of Mortimer Buzard, who became unconscious after the amputation of one of his legs, and is not expected to recover, and Frank Leister, one of the men engaged in setting off the fireworks, Leister's right leg was blown off, his chest was badly mangled and his death is probable.

**KRUGER'S FOLLY.** PRETORIA, Nov. 5.—A decision which has been handed down by the supreme court declaring ex-President Kruger's proclamation of Oct. 1899 abrogating the payment of rent and interest during the South African war, to be invalid, has produced consternation here and in Johannesburg. Although it is expected that many of the better class landlords and creditors will accept a compromise, this decision will mean ruin to many who relied upon the proclamation to escape payment of rent, etc.

**SENSATIONAL SUICIDE.** SYRACUSE, N. Y., Nov. 4.—The couple found in the cheap canal yesterday, bound together by a heavy strap, were identified as Mr. and Mrs. George Clark, of this city. The man was a porter and the woman a charwoman. Clark was out of work and his wife was about to become a mother. They were despondent and chose a sensational way of ending their existence.

**THE WEATHER.** WASHINGTON, Nov. 5.—Forecast—Eastern states and northern New York—Rain and warmer in west portion tonight; fair in east. Thursday, rain, warmer in interior; light variable winds, becoming fresh southeast.

## DEEDS OF BLOOD.

Prominent Prohibitionist Shot—Other Crimes Committed.

EFFINGHAM, Ill., Nov. 4.—Hon. Hale Johnson, a prohibition leader of national prominence and a vice-presidential candidate on the prohibition ticket in 1896, was shot and killed by Harry Harris this afternoon at Bogota. Mr. Johnson, who was practicing law at Newton, the county seat, went to Bogota to collect an account against Harris.

Harris committed suicide in the county jail tonight by taking poison. An altercation occurred between Johnson and Harris at the Harris home and the latter secured a shot gun and shot Johnson dead. Harris attempted to escape, but was apprehended and then killed himself.

DENVER, Colo., Nov. 4.—Wm. D. Haywood, secretary treasurer of the Western Federation of Miners and a candidate for state senator on the socialist ticket, shot James Bramer, a special policeman here tonight. Haywood fired two shots, one taking effect in his face and the other in the arm. Neither wound is serious. It is said that Bramer attacked Haywood without provocation, striking him on the head repeatedly with a revolver.

CATSKILL, N. Y., Nov. 5.—While the night boat Kaaterskill was lying here today, delayed by fog, Arthur Long, a negro, of 340 West Fifty-ninth street, New York, shot and fatally wounded Wardwell Vanbergen, of Coxsack, head cook of the steamer Long was arrested.

PLATTSBURG, N. Y., Nov. 5.—In a drunken row at Saranac Lake last night, John Mooney shot and killed a woman named Beseme, fatally wounded his sister, Miss Mooney, and shot John McLennan through the lungs. The latter will recover. Mooney was arrested and Charles Merrill was taken into custody as an accomplice.

## FREDERICTON.

The Y. M. C. A. Heartily Endorsed by Dean Partridge.

(Special to the Star.) FREDERICTON, Nov. 5.—Fredericton's Young Men's Christian Association was re-organized last evening at a largely attended and enthusiastic meeting. A pleasing feature of the meeting was the presence of Very Rev. Dean Partridge, who commended the work of the Y. M. C. A. and gave assurance of his hearty co-operation in the work. The following directors were elected: R. B. Wallace, H. M. Eastman, Dr. F. W. Barbour, M. Tennant, D. Vandine, Amos O'Brien, J. D. Perkins, E. J. Payson, W. E. Saunders, M. Lemont, W. G. Osborne, J. A. St. George, F. J. Blackmer, A. S. McFarlane, E. A. McKay. The officers are:—President, W. J. Osborne; vice president, J. D. Perkins; recording secretary, E. A. McKay; executive secretary, R. B. Wallace; treasurer, A. O'Brien.

## THE STRIKE COMMISSION.

Still Making Enquiries in the Mining Regions. MOUNT CARMEL, Pa., Nov. 5.—The arbitration commission, after spending the night in this mining town, started early today because it had planned to depart for a large territory before tonight. Their work has not diminished, notwithstanding they have worked hard to inform themselves as to conditions in and about the mines. Before leaving this region a special train was run to the Potts colliery, an independent operation several miles from here. From this region they departed for the Mahoney Valley, where the Maple Hill colliery of Philadelphia Co. was visited.

## FATAL COLLISION.

NEW YORK, Nov. 5.—In a head-on collision between two cars of the Union Railway Co., at Washington Ave. and West Farms road early today John McCabe, motorman of one car, was instantly killed, and George Buzard, motorman of the other car, sustained a broken leg. Buzard is under arrest charged with homicide. There were twelve persons in the west bound car and seven in the other. They were thrown to the floor and received bruises and suffered from shock. None of them are seriously hurt, however.

## THE DEATH ROLL.

DENVER, Colo., Nov. 5.—Rev. George Doane O'Neill, chancellor and secretary of the Roman Catholic diocese of Newark, N. J., is dead at St. Anthony's sanitarium here. ANNA, Ill., Nov. 5.—Dora Morrison, an inexperienced aeronaut of Galesburg, fell from a balloon here and was instantly killed. She had ascended to a height of two thousand feet.

## GAIN AND LOSS.

(Toronto Star.) If the city loses some money in its venture into the coal and wood business, the people will not be inclined to find fault, because it is plain to be seen that the course pursued by the municipality had a prompt effect on the prices of fuel here. The same thing occurred in Hamilton. No sooner had the municipality invested in fuel than the dealers discovered such an increase in the supply as warranted them in reducing prices. If the city treasurer is out a dollar on each ton of coal and each cord of wood bought the loss can be figured up exactly, but there will be no way of telling how many dollars were saved the citizens through the reduction of the city's action caused in the price of fuel.

## U. S. ELECTIONS.

The Republicans Win by a Reduced Majority.

Tammany Men Sweep Greater New York but Lose in the State.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 5.—Congress remains republican. Complete returns are not yet in, but though the democrats made gains they did not overcome the republican majority. The only remarkable overturn was in New York city, and it failed to defeat Odell. MONTANA. BUTTE, Mont., Nov. 5.—Geo. H. Casey, chairman of the democratic committee, and C. E. Alsop, candidate for office of governor, have been arrested, charged with bribery. A report gained circulation that Charles W. Clark, son of Senator W. A. Clark, had also been arrested, but this is untrue. Clark happened to be with Casey at the time of the arrest, and thus the story was started. The two men have been placed under bonds of \$10,000 each. UTAH. SALT LAKE, Utah, Nov. 5.—Only about one-fifth of the voting precincts of the state so far have been heard from in detail, but unofficial returns from practically every section show that republicans have made almost a clean sweep of the state. The legislature, which this winter elects a successor to U. S. senator Rawlins, undoubtedly will be republican by a safe majority.

## MASSACHUSETTS.

BOSTON, Nov. 5.—The State of Massachusetts in yesterday's election chose a republican ticket, a congressional delegation of ten republicans and four democrats, a state senate of 31 republicans and nine democrats, and a house of representatives of 155 republicans, 32 democrats and three socialists. The total vote was the largest ever cast for governor, reaching approximately 390,000 against 356,100 for governor two years ago. Lt. Governor Bates in being chosen governor led Col. Wm. A. Gaston, the democratic candidate, by a plurality of 37,479, but Col. Gaston made a gain of 49 per cent. The party vote as compared with that given Hon. Josiah Quincy last year, and cut an average plurality about one half.

## NEW YORK.

ALBANY, N. Y., Nov. 5.—Since Roswell P. Flower, in a democratic landslide, defeated J. Sloat Fassett for governor, in the face of republican predictions of an easy victory, there has not been such an overturning of votes from the republican to the democratic party in this state as that which occurred yesterday. In Erie, Albany and Rensselaer counties every democratic prediction of sweeping majorities came true. Especially was this so below the Bronx. The claim of 112,000 in Greater New York district was more than verified, but the claims as to Erie, Albany and Rensselaer were not. Erie, instead of giving a democratic plurality of from 4,000 to 5,000 as had been promised by local leaders, went for Odell by 580, a loss from the vote given Judge Vanwyck in 188 of 280 votes. Albany county, which gave Odell 4,000 plurality in a presidential year, had been promised to the democrats by their leaders by a slight plurality. Instead of that in an off year, it beat its presidential year vote by 1,500, contributing one half of Odell's plurality in the state. Rensselaer county gave a republican plurality of nearly 2,000 where, because of local differences, a heavy republican loss was expected. Therefore it is quite apparent that to these three counties may be attributed the election of Governor Odell. In the senate the democrats have gained from three to four members and in the assembly there is a democratic gain of about 15, but neither of these jeopardize the control of these bodies.

## PENNSYLVANIA.

PITTSBURG, Pa., Nov. 5.—Later returns have placed the 29th and 32nd congressional districts in doubt. Graham, republican, in the 29th, and Barchfield, republican, in the 32nd, are claiming their election today over Shiras and Brown, fusionists. It may require the complete returns to decide.

## IN PORTO RICO.

SAN JUAN, Porto Rico, Nov. 5.—There was no serious disorders anywhere in Porto Rico yesterday. The election, which resulted in a sweeping republican victory, passed off quietly. This was due largely to the fact that Governor Hunt sent out 22 special representatives covering the whole island, with plenary power to adjust differences summarily. Federico Degetau was re-elected resident commissioner at Washington by a large majority. The federals have ten delegates in the legislature and the republicans 25. In most of the turbulent districts and cities, Guayama, Gayey, San Lorenzo, Alibonito and others, the federals, owing to intimidation, abstained entirely from voting and lost five delegates to the legislature. Fraud was charged everywhere and the government has promised prompt prosecutions.

## A PERILOUS ROUTE.

ORAY, Colo., Nov. 5.—The stage coach which runs between this place and Red Mountain met with an accident near here on one of the steepest grades of the road, and together with the passengers rolled down the mountain side, a distance of 800 feet. One of the horses was killed and all the passengers were injured more or less.



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RECENT DEATHS. John G. Richards, of Yarmouth, is dead, aged 55 years. Joseph Murphy, of Upper Brooklyn, Yarmouth Co., is dead, aged 83 years. Roy Denton, son of Capt. Denton, of the Cliff House, Yarmouth, is dead, aged 19 years. Arthur Sewell, formerly of Moncton, died at Kentville on Monday. He leaves three daughters, Mrs. James Humphreys and Mrs. James Kelly, of Moncton, and Miss Isabella Sewell, of St. John. The sons are Arthur and Harry, of Moncton. Three younger children reside at Kentville. Deceased lived in St. John for several years. Beverly Smith, at one time conductor on the Moncton and Buctouche railway, died yesterday of inflammation of the lungs. He was about 45 years old and leaves a widow and four children. Edward Fox, working on the shipping pier at Port Hastings, C. B., fell off yesterday morning and was instantly killed. He was a brother of Daniel Fox, who was drowned near there on October 16.

PRaise FOR THE CLUBWOMAN. CHICAGO, Nov. 4.—"If the club woman does not make the best companion for her husband and the best comrade for her boy, there is either something wrong with the club or with the woman's view," said Mrs. Robert J. Burdette, first vice president of the General Federation of Women's Clubs in a lecture before the East End club. "Club life for women should prepare them for making better wives and mothers," she said, "or the club has not accomplished its mission." Mrs. Burdette also scored the woman in general for being responsible for the mad rush for wealth which she declared is the greatest menace to perfect domestic happiness and to the highest ideal of married life.

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TEAMSTERS' UNION.

The St. John Teamsters' Union held a well attended meeting last night. It was decided to secure quarterly but-toms of different colors, to be handed out to members as they pay their quarterly dues, so as to tell who is in good standing.

Regarding coal supply, \$200 were paid in by members of the Teamsters' Union. All members have until Friday night to subscribe for stock and till next Monday to pay up subscriptions.

A committee was appointed to make arrangements for the annual meeting of the union.

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THE ABATTOIR.

There should be as little delay as possible in seeking the information which the board of health requires before expressing an opinion on the proposed site for an abattoir. The question has been before the citizens for many years. A delegation visited abattoirs in the United States quite a number of years ago, and those gentlemen are still with us.

The company asking approval for the site they have selected say they are ready to go on with the work of construction at once. It is of course proper that the public interests be duly guarded, but there is no reason for delay. A decision should be arrived at as quickly as possible.

The present slaughter house system is disgraceful. A company of local business men offer to remedy the defect and at the same time establish an industry which will be certain to develop to greater proportions as years pass. There has been complaint in the past that local capital seemed to seek investment elsewhere rather than in the city itself, and it is a hopeful sign that of late there has been a more general disposition to develop local industries.

LIVERPOOL SPRUCE MARKET.

The Timber Trades Journal of Oct. 24th says:—

Spruce continues its steady trend upwards. The market still maintains a firm attitude, with few arrivals, and high prices being made on the other side of the water. With Baltic and Quebec goods, and pitch pine remaining at high prices, there is no reason why spruce, with the season practically at an end, should prove an exception in this respect.

Anyone who thought that Tammany was annihilated, last fall, will gain some valuable information from the results of yesterday's elections. Apparently disorganized, and seemingly quarrelling among themselves over the leadership, yet this great political machine has made its presence felt, and that distinctly.

The Globe says that "Ald. Baxter has had himself appointed a member of the library commission." As a member of the Globe staff is a member of the same commission, the remark quoted above is in rather questionable taste.

A LIBERAL VIEW.

(Moncton Transcript.)

Because R. L. Borden declared at Montreal that he has hopes of Mr. Hazen's success in the coming provincial elections, friends of the local government are urging liberals to vote for local government candidates as a matter of duty.

FOR THE SAILORS.

The Ladies' Auxiliary of the Seaman's Mission held a meeting in the mission building, on Prince William street, yesterday afternoon. Lady Tilley presided and twelve of the ladies were present.

NO. 100 & L. STATION

Opened its New Assembly Room Last Night.

There was a large gathering last night in the assembly room recently introduced in connection with No. 1 Hook and Ladder station on King street east. In attendance were the Mayor of the city, a large number of the aldermen, a lot of civic officials and representatives from all the fire and hook and ladder companies, and the two corps of salvage and police.

When the gathering was called to order, Capt. Chas. H. Jackson was in the chair. He made a few remarks welcoming the people present to the new building.

Chief Kerr made a pleasant address and then called upon Mayor White to speak.

Mayor White addressed the company in good style and his remarks, which were most appropriate, were loudly applauded.

Then came speeches from Ald. Maxwell, the chairman of the safety board, and Geo. V. McInerney, both of whom were given a good reception.

Chief Engineer Kerr addressed the company briefly and held up to their gaze a large portrait of John Jackson, who at the moment sat close to him. The chief said Mr. Jackson did his duty faithfully throughout all the years he had known him, and that seemed to have been his record before that.

Members of the company at this moment placed the picture in a conspicuous position on the wall.

Chief Kerr, turning to Mr. Jackson, assured that gentleman that he was always regarded by all citizens as a good officer and a reliable fireman.

Mr. Jackson, when he arose to reply, was cheered and applauded. He said he joined the fire department nearly half a century ago.

Songs and speeches were given by S. Mathews, Capt. Lindsay of the Salvage Corps, John Bond, Thos. Kelly, J. T. Power and others.

Refreshments were handed about by a most competent committee of the H. and L. Company.

ST. MARY'S BOYS' BRIGADE.

The Boys' Brigade of St. Mary's church are taking a great interest in their drill this winter, and under the instruction of Sergeant Doe, of the 6th Fusiliers, are progressing rapidly.

About 20 members of the newly formed rifle club were present at the indoor target shooting at the cigar store and the shooting was quite interesting.

Four teams were made up and the one captained by Neil Morrison won the first match by eight points, while Mr. Frost's team won the second match with a score of 54 to 46.

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BIRTHS.

SMITHS—In this city on Nov. 2nd, to the wife of J. A. Smith, a daughter.

MARRIAGES.

BRADLEY-MORRISSEY—In this city on Nov. 2nd, by Rev. Dr. T. P. Fotheringham, David Bradley, Jr., to Lena Mildred Morrissy, both of this city.

FERRIS-WILSON—On Monday, Nov. 2nd, at "Dobson's," by Rev. Dr. E. D. Dibbles, James F. Ferris, M. D., of Orancton, to Lucy O. Wilson, youngest daughter of the late John O. Wilson.

DEATHS.

ASHE—in this city, on Tuesday, Nov. 4th, John E. Ashe, barrister-at-law, aged 53 years.

NOTICE of funeral hereafter.

STOUT—At her residence, in Fairville, on the 2nd inst., Mary, widow of the late Thomas Stout, aged 88 years, a native of Scotland, leaving four sons and four daughters to mourn their loss.

ST. JOHN DRAUGHTS

Gives the Whitney Boys' Mission Scheme the Cold Shoulder.

The members of the Deaconsry of St. John were largely represented at the meeting held yesterday in St. Mary's parish. There were present Rev. Messrs. J. deSoyres, Canon Richardson, W. O. Raymond, R. P. McKim, A. D. Dawdney, A. G. H. Dicker, W. H. Sampson, G. P. Scovill, L. A. Hoyt, W. L. B. McKim and G. R. E. MacDonald.

The proceedings began with service in St. Mary's church, at which there was a celebration of the Holy Communion and a thoughtful and impressive sermon by the Rev. Mr. McKim.

An animated discussion arose on the subject of the proposed establishment of missions for boys on the lines of the Mill street mission at various centres in the city.

The minutes of the previous meeting were presented by the secretary, Rev. W. H. Sampson, and confirmed.

Rev. J. deSoyres explained the nature of the course of study outlined by the Society of Sacred Studies, and arrangements were made to take up the study of certain books along the lines suggested.

The recommendation of the bishops of the church in Canada to observe the first week in December as a season of intercession for missions, and the deepening of the spiritual life of the churches came up for consideration, and it was decided to leave the arrangements in the hands of the rectors of the various churches.

After adjournment the members of the deaconsry were entertained at luncheon by Rev. Mr. Raymond.

DIED IN CALAIS.

CALAIS, Nov. 4.—Edward Hackett, who for the past 16 years has been a resident of this city, died early Monday morning at the residence of his son-in-law, David Driscoll. Deceased was born in King's county, Ireland, in 1814, where he resided until 1833, when he emigrated to Canada, settling at St. John, N. B. Later he removed to Chatham, Miramichi, where he resided for many years.

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The next quarterly meeting will be held at St. Paul's church.

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BARGAINS IN FLOOR COVERINGS.

Special Sale of Carpets, FOR ONE WEEK ONLY.

Commencing Monday Morning, November 3rd, we will offer in our Carpet Department, a general assortment of Carpets, Oilcloths and Linoleums at very special prices.

TAPESTRY CARPETS, from 25c. to 75c. per yard.

BRUSSELS CARPETS, from 70c. to \$1.10 per yard.

AXMINSTER AND VELVET CARPETS, 75c. and \$1.00 per yard.

UNION AND ALL-WOOL CARPETS, from 25c. to 75c. per yard.

A GOOD ASSORTMENT OF CARPET REMNANTS, all grades, ranging in length from 11-3 to 30 yards.

REMNANTS OF OILCLOTHS AND LINOLEUMS. GREAT BARGAINS IN WOOL AND UNION SQUARES, slightly soiled.

You can make a substantial saving by supplying your present or future floor-covering needs now.

Sale will commence at 8.30 a. m. MONDAY, November 3rd.

M. R. & A's Unrivalled \$10.00 Suits for Men.

MANCHESTER ROBERTSON & COLLIER

CANADA SCORED

By British Press Over Her Ministers' Attitude.

MONTREAL, Nov. 4.—The Star's London cable says: Disappointment is the most widespread note of comment upon today's official report of the colonial conference. Especially is disappointment felt among the friends of imperial unity at Canada's attitude.

Every other colony, even Newfoundland, increased or instituted contributions towards the naval defence of the empire. The Canadian ministers not only declined contributions, but submitted a memorandum condemning the whole movement for unity in defence.

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BOARD OF TRADE.

W. E. Earle on the Subject of South African Trade.

At the meeting of the board of trade yesterday it was shown that the Canadian-Jamaica S. S. Co. has all along discriminated against St. John in the matter of rates. President Jarvis stated that the subject was receiving attention from the C. P. R.

It was announced that the McAlpine Pub. Co. will issue a New Brunswick Almanac.

W. E. Earle, who leaves shortly for a trip to South Africa, where he will spend several months, addressed the board on the subject of trade with that country, and was heartily thanked for the information he had given. He named Durban as the most favorable destination for Canadian shipments.

The African business, he said, was now largely done by New York firms, which had a great number of commercial travellers all over the country, who would offer sharp competition to Canadian merchants. Australia and New Zealand also did a large trade. The demands that Canada could easily supply were in dried fish, canned meats, canned vegetables of all kinds, apples and other fruits, rough and finished lumber, farm implements, boots and shoes, butter and cheese, and furniture. He urged the business men of St. John if they wished to do any business there to get to work at once. If any of them wished to discuss the matter with him he would be glad to meet them and give them any information at his disposal.

A GOOD ENTERTAINMENT

In St. Patrick's Hall, Carleton, Last Evening.

At St. Patrick's Hall, Carleton, last night, the St. Patrick's minstrels gave one of their high-class entertainments to an audience that tested the capacity of the house.

The Rev. J. J. O'Donovan, rector of the Church of the Assumption, eagerly welcomed the many visitors, which included a large number of clergymen from the city proper and the north end. The City Cornet Band rendered some of their choicest selections.

There were many encores called for, which were very generously responded to. Everyone left the hall voting the minstrels one of the most successful held here for some time.

WANTED—A case of Headache that KUMFORT Powders will not cure in from ten to twenty minutes.

TRAVELLERS' GUIDE.

Passenger train service to and from St. John, in effect Oct. 12th:

DEPARTURES. By Canadian Pacific. Express for Boston, 6:45 a. m. Express for Fredericton, 6:55 p. m. Express for Montreal, 6:10 a. m. Express for Boston, 6:10 p. m.

By Intercolonial. Express for Halifax and Campbellton, 7:50 a. m. Express for Halifax and Pictou, 12:15 p. m. Express for P. du Chene, 1:15 p. m. Express for Sussex, 5:10 a. m. Express for Quebec and Montreal, 6:00 p. m. Express for Halifax and Sydney, 12:25 p. m. By New Brunswick Southern. Express for St. Stephen, 7:50 a. m.

ARRIVALS.

By Canadian Pacific. Express from Fredericton, 8:45 a. m. Express from Boston, 11:35 a. m. Express from Montreal and Quebec, 1:50 p. m. Express from Boston, 11:15 p. m.

By Intercolonial. Express from Halifax and Sydney, 6:30 a. m. Express from Sussex, 9:00 a. m. Express from Montreal and Quebec, 1:50 p. m. Mixed, from Point du Chene, 4:50 p. m. Express from Halifax and Pictou, 5:40 p. m. Express from Halifax, 6:40 p. m. Express from Moncton (Saturday only), 12:35 a. m.

New Brunswick Southern. Express from St. Stephen, 7:00 p. m.

STEAMBOAT SERVICE.

By Dominion Atlantic. S. S. Prince Rupert leaves St. John on Monday, Wednesday, Thursday and Saturday mornings at 7:45 o'clock, arriving from Miramichi at 5 p. m.

By Eastern Line, S. S. Co. Steamers leave St. John at 8:00 a. m. on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays for Lunenburg, Eastport, Portland and Boston.

By Grand Manan S. S. Co. Leave St. John on Wednesdays at 7:30 a. m. for Grand Manan, Campbell and Eastport. Returning, leave for St. John on Mondays at 8:30 a. m.

RIVER SERVICE.

Str. Hampstead leaves daily for Wickham at 4 p. m., leaving Wickham on return at 8 a. m.

Str. Clifton leaves for Hampton on Mondays, Wednesdays and Saturdays at 3 p. m., leaving Hampton on return at 5:30 a. m.

Str. of the Star line leave for Fredericton daily at 9 a. m., leaving Fredericton on return at 8 p. m.

Str. Springfield leaves for Springfield on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays at 11 a. m.

Str. Majestic leaves for Georgetown daily at 1:30 p. m., leaving Georgetown on return at 8:30 a. m.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY

Take Lavative Bromine Tablets. This signature on every box, 25c.

WATERBURY'S

KING EDWARD COINS.

If You Have a Five Cent Piece Better Keep it as a Curio.

(Hamilton Herald.)

People everywhere are looking after the new King Edward five-cent piece, on which the manufacturer, Heaton, of Birmingham, England, erroneously put the queen's crown on the reverse instead of the king's crown. The 10 and 20-cent pieces bear the king's crown.

The government has stopped

TO COUNTRY NEWSPAPERS AND PRINTING OFFICES.

Owing to the purchase and installation of new plant, the undersigned will, in a few weeks, have the following articles for sale:

- 5 Imposing Stones with Stands. 1 Staple Binder. 1 Card Cutter. 2 Job Presses. 1 Counter, with 6 drawers, walnut top, 9 1/2 feet long.

SUN PRINTING COMPANY, St. John, N. B.



YOUR MONEY BACK IF, AFTER A TRIAL, YOU FIND THAT LAXA-CARA TABLETS

are not as claimed, a cure for constipation, you can get your money back. That shows better than anything else the fact we have in this medicine.

FRANK WHEATON FOLLY VILLAGE, N. S. SOLE AGENT FOR CANADA

If you read this advertisement, others will read yours in the St. John STAR. Ask for the advertising man.

WHAT HE WANTED TO KNOW.

Stories which illustrate the Scotch habit of thrift are constantly coming to light. There was one which greatly amused the late William Black, and which his biographer, Sir Wemyss Reid, says he was fond of relating. It is a story within a story, and although one part of it is old, the rest is not.

Someone was telling a Scotchman a tale, which he had just been reading, of a certain eastern potentate who, having taken offence at the doings of his grand vizier, had ordered him to be put to death.

The executioner promised to do his best, and the grand vizier went to his doom in a frame of pious resignation. Kneeling to receive the fatal blow, he was conscious that the sword of the executioner was whistled about his head, but he felt nothing.

"How is this?" he said. "You undertook for a large sum of money to put me to death instantaneously and without pain, yet you are only playing with me and prolonging my misery. Do your work, quickly!"

TOLD ABOUT WEBSTER.

A story about Daniel Webster is worth repeating. Told the other day by Harvey N. Shepard before the Bostonian Society, it provoked considerable merriment among the members of that solid and serious organization. When Webster was at school, said Mr. Shepard, he came under the care of a woman who, besides teaching the three R's, also undertook to inculcate among her pupils the observance of good manners.

NOT A GOOD RISK.

"Is Mr. Depew in?" said a little insurance agent, handing his card to the office attendant. "I'll see, sir," replied the minion, going into the senator's sanctum. Mr. Depew glanced at the card and shook his head in the negative. Although the upper part of the body was hidden from public view by his desk, the senator's legs were plainly visible as he sat with his side toward the desk.

TO ADVERTISERS.

Copy for change of advertisements in the Star should be in the office not later than 10 a. m. to ensure insertion.

UTILIZING WASTE PRODUCTS.

In Some Cases They are Almost Equal in Value to the Original Product.

(Bangor Commercial.) A recent census bulletin gave some interesting details regarding the practical utilization of the thousand and one waste products of the chemical, mining, manufacturing and industrial arts of the country.

The public is reasonably familiar with the extensive use of shoddy, wool and cotton waste and rags, both cotton and woolen. It knows that old rubber of all kinds has a merchantable value, and that old copper, brass, iron and steel are commodities almost as widely dealt in as the new materials into whose composition they go.

In the 20th century the proverb of a former generation is put to practical operation. It has been rightly said that the waste of modern industry is that nothing shall be wasted. It is believed that every particle of an organic or inorganic substance has a useful or special value, and that when it is put to the furnace toward some useful end the enterprise and ingenuity of man has reached their fullest development.

OWNED BY AMERICANS.

Fifty Per Cent. of the Great Industries Controlled by Yankee Capital.

QUEBEC, Nov. 4.—It is estimated today that fully fifty per cent. of the great industries of the province of Quebec are controlled by and the property of men whose homes are across the border. Only yesterday another important deal of this kind was brought to an issue.

ST. JOHN ABATTOIR.

Representatives of the St. John Abattoir Co. appeared before the Board of Health yesterday to request the approval of that board for the site selected by the company for an abattoir. The matter was not decided, it being the intention of the board to go over until further information could be had.

The following members of the Board of Health were present: James Reynolds, Ald. Christie, Dr. Daniel, John Kelly and James Ready. The representatives of the company present were W. O. Purdy, Jas. H. Doody, J. R. Russell, Jr., and W. J. Emmerson.

The chairman in calling the meeting to order outlined the subject of the abattoir and explained fully the great need St. John has for a fully equipped slaughter house. The site was then referred to. The site selected by the company is below the back shore track, between the track and the Marsh creek. There are no dwelling houses near the site and no objectionable matter to be dealt out. The structure would be erected on land that is now used for nothing but a dump for rubbish.

ELFVEN KILLED.

NEW YORK, Nov. 4.—By a series of explosions of pyrotechnic bombs and other fireworks among the vast multitude gathered in Madison square to witness the ascension of a dirigible, eleven persons were killed outright. Many were blown almost to pieces and at least fifty were injured, many of them fatally.

WOLVIN SYNDICATE.

QUEBEC, Nov. 4.—It is now accepted as a fact that the Wolvin syndicate has secured the saw mills and extensive timber limits of Messrs. King Bros., and will carry on operations on even a more extensive scale than King Bros. did. It is said that one of the new undertakings will be the erection of a pulp mill on the Restigouche river, probably at or near Campbellton, N. B., in which the small logs from the Metepedia section of the limits and the refuse lumber from the various Restigouche mills will be used.

COUGHS, COLDS, HOARSENESS, and other throat ailments are quickly relieved by Vapo-Cresolene tablets, ten cents per box. All druggists.

SHIPPING NEWS.

Domestic Ports.

HALIFAX, Nov. 4.—Arrd, scho O W Babson, from Gloucester for Bay of Islands, N.P.; Dona Fides, from Boston for St. Pierre, N.P.; Esthira, from Macquet's fishing, 120 boxes of Harty, from do; 88 boxes; Indiana, from do; Alice M Jacobs, from Port Dufferin (and all cleared).

Foreign Ports.

KIRKSALE, Nov 4.—Passed, str Californian, from Portland for Liverpool. DUNGENESS, Nov 4.—Passed, str Ceylon, from Montreal via Sydney, CB, for Hull. FREESTON, Nov 3.—Arrd, bark Lorenzo, from Jordan Bay. GRENADA, Nov 3.—Arrd, sch Sirroco, Reiker, from St John via Machias. BARBADOS, Nov 3.—Arrd, barkin Sunny South, from Port Penamallow. LIVERPOOL, Nov 4.—Sd, str Lake Ontario, for Montreal.

COMMERCIAL.

DAILY QUOTATIONS.

Table with columns for various commodities like Amalgam, Copper, Sugar, etc., and their prices.

STOCK MARKET.

NEW YORK, Nov. 5.—Wall Street.—The closing movement of prices of stocks was looked to as an index of the sentiment of operators as the results of yesterday's election were on a larger scale.

CAPE BRETON ITEMS.

A man at Margaree, C. B., is thought to be afflicted with leprosy. Dr. Smith of the Tracadie, N. B., has written to Cape Breton to examine the case. A new boiler for the Cape Breton Electric Co. arrived at North Sydney last week. It weighs about fifteen tons and was unloaded at the terminus.

GENERAL.

During the year ending October 31, seventy men were lost from the Gloucester fishing fleet, over 40 of them being natives of the provinces, chiefly from Nova Scotia.

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COLEMAN.—At Chaudiere Station, on Nov. 3, 1902, Charles E. Coleman, aged 19 years and 6 months, eldest son of Charles F. Coleman, postmaster Chaudiere Station. (Sydney papers please copy.)

MORNING'S NEWS.

LOCAL.

The annual meeting of the St. John Firemen's Mutual Relief Association will be held Thursday night. Mr. Mullin made his argument in the Higgins case before the supreme court at Fredericton yesterday afternoon.

At a meeting in the Royal Hotel last evening, it was decided to attempt to organize a chorus of 100 voices, with James S. Ford as conductor, to take part in the cycle of Harris festivals.

James Seaton has disposed of his book and job printing business to Fred Doig, who will continue the old establishment at 85 Germain street. Mr. Doig is a sound, practical printer.

W. A. Quinton is confined to his residence, Lancaster, as the result of an accident. Mr. Quinton was caring for one of his horses and while rubbing some liniment on the animal's leg it kicked him. The blow was a severe one and dislocated his shoulder.

A plug-pug contest is the attraction the young men's Baraca class of Leinster St. Baptist church is offering to its members at its weekly meeting this (Wednesday) evening. Other games and amusements will also be provided.

The wreck of the burned steamer Star, sunk off Green Head, was examined by Diver Leahy yesterday at the instance of the owners, who wished to ascertain the condition of her machinery with a view to raising it. The diver found her lying on a muddy bottom in thirty feet of water, and so situated that he was unable to properly examine inside the hull.

A quiet wedding took place on Monday evening at "Belmont," Sunbury Co., the home of the bride, when Jan. P. Fease, M. D., of Orancton, was married by the Rev. H. E. Dibblee, to Lucy G., youngest daughter of the late John D. Wilmot, and niece of R. D. Wilmot, M. P. for Sunbury and Queens, in the presence of immediate relatives of the bride and groom.

Rev. George M. Campbell has been buying a little coal for some who find it impossible to supply their own needs. The other day a member of the Centenary congregation placed twenty-five dollars at his disposal to provide for needy persons whom Mr. Campbell might discover in his pastoral rounds.

Last evening Victoria Temple of Honor, No. 2, officers were installed for the present term by D. G. W. T. Estey, as follows: A. F. Webb, W. C. T.; F. S. MacFarlane, W. V. T.; W. C. Simpson, W. R.; J. Lynch, W. A. R.; F. A. Estey, W. F. R.; D. McNally, W. T.; Wm. Lewis, W. Chap.; Albert Chamberlain, W. U.; J. Herbert Maxwell, W. D. U.; T. H. Ougher, W. S.; E. S. Black, P. W. C. T. A very well attended meeting was held and the members thoroughly organized for this winter's temperance work.

A very pleasant gathering of the members of Father Matthew Association was held last evening at Lang's restaurant, the guest of the evening being Harry Griott, who leaves this morning for Boston, where he will make his home. After a goodly supply of refreshments had been partaken of the chairman paid a high tribute to Mr. Griott and expressed great regret at his departure from the city.

A good programme of songs, piano solos and recitations was carried out, and the gathering dismissed after singing Auld Lang Syne.

PROVINCIAL.

A young man, while passing near Camp Hill cemetery, Halifax, early Monday night, was attacked by two men and used very roughly. They struck him several times, and one of them bit a piece from his cheek. A very pretty wedding took place Monday, at St. Paul's church, Halifax, the contracting parties being G. D. Hamlin, ship's steward H. M. S. Falas, and Miss R. Hiscock, youngest daughter of the late Captain Robert Hiscock of Newfoundland.

The mackerel catch at the Magdalen Islands this year has been the largest for years, estimated at 7,000 barrels. The fish were not as good in quality as those taken last year, but owing to the presence of many buyers, brought a much higher price.

HOME FROM EUROPE.

James Pender, of the Maritime Mail Works, and his brother, John Pender of Melbourne, Australia, returned yesterday from an extensive trip through the British Isles and continental Europe. They left St. John nine weeks ago and during their absence visited almost every centre of commercial interest in the old country, paying special attention to the iron and steel manufacturing of England and Germany. Their return trip—a stormy one—was made on the Lake Simcoe to Montreal.

ST. ANDREW'S SOCIAL.

The annual church social of St. Andrew's Presbyterian church, held last evening, was well attended, and as is characteristic of everything conducted by the ladies of St. Andrew's, was heartily enjoyable. Rev. I. G. Macneil presided and a pleasing programme was given, consisting of a piano solo by Vernon Emille; violin solo, Walter Belding; reading, E. A. Smith, and a solo by Miss Lindsay. The evening closed with dainty refreshments, served by the ladies of the Aid Association.

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

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CANADIAN PACIFIC TOURIST CARS EVERY THURSDAY FROM MONTREAL

LIVERY STABLES. HAMM'S LIVERY STABLE

DAVID CONNELL, BOARDING, HACK AND LIVERY STABLES

HOTELS. HOTEL DUFFERIN.

BOARDING. THE NEW VICTORIA HOTEL

NATURAL HISTORY SOCIETY. The November meeting of the Natural History Society was held last evening.

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At 41 King Street.

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A large and fashionable stock to select from, including all the latest French, English and American styles in

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Also a special lot of Pattern Hats at reduced prices. Inspection cordially invited.

CHAS. K. GAMERON & CO. 77 King Street.

York Theatre.

THURSDAY, November 13th.

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EUROPE AND THE BOERS.

(New York Times.)

Continental Europe has cheers in plenty for the Boer generals as the enemies once actually and again potentially of Great Britain, but for them as collectors of cash it is extremely dull. It is reported that some of the generals are tired of travelling about with hands extended for alms that do not come and are impatient to go home. The idea is an excellent one, and if they can persuade those civilian "delegates" who have wasted so much time and money in Europe to accompany them, the need for reluctant charity may be still further and more quickly decreased. The Boers danced for two years with extraordinary vigor, and it is a little unreasonable for them now to expect other people to pay the piper.

IMMIGRANTS COMING.

The local immigration authorities expect the first boat load of immigrants to arrive on or about the 14th inst. The E. P. R. Company anticipate quite a large number. It is also expected that the Elder-Dempster line will bring over weekly ship loads of about 2,000 persons each during the winter. The immigration building at Sand Point is being renovated to receive the foreigners on their arrival here.

WOOLEN COMPANY'S INCREASE.

(Montreal Herald.)

There is to be an increase in the capitalization of the Oxford Woollen Mills Company. The announcement is made by S. G. Hue, who is now at the Windsor, that the capital will be increased from \$100,000 to \$150,000. The money is to be used for the increasing of the capacity of the manufacturing plant.

MARYSVILLE NEWS.

MARYSVILLE, Nov. 4.—Mrs. John Tapley, of St. John, is the guest of Mrs. Alexander Gibson, Jr.

Miss Pool, of Charlottetown, Prince Edward Island, and Miss Warwick, of St. John, are visiting Miss Mayme McConnell.

W. H. Millican, of St. John, spent Sunday in the guest of his friend, John Hatt.

Harry Pope, of St. John, is the guest of Mrs. John R. McConnell.

QUAKERS FOR THE NORTHWEST.

WINNIPEG, Nov. 4.—It is stated that 2,000 Quakers will settle in the northwest next year, chiefly through the efforts of Joseph Elkington, a wealthy Philadelphia Quaker and philanthropist.

A trial of Red Rose tea will convince you that it is good tea.

SPECIAL NOTICE TO ADVERTISERS

Copy for Saturday's issue of the STAR must be sent in by Three-Thirty O'clock Friday Afternoon, otherwise it is absolutely impossible to ensure a change for that issue, as the paper goes to press earlier on Saturdays than on other days of the week.

LOCAL NEWS.

There was no business at the police court this morning.

The U. N. B. football team will play the St. John fifteen on the athletic grounds Friday afternoon.

Dominion Lodge, No. 141, will hold a public entertainment this evening in celebration of Guy Fawkes day.

It is stated that the steamer Admiral, now on the route between Dalhousie and Bay Chaleur, will stop her trips on the 19th.

The funeral of the late John F. Ashe will be held on Friday morning at half past eight o'clock from the residence of his mother, on Sydney street.

Eight new members were admitted to the Chapman Festival chorus at Fredericton Monday night, and the total number of members is now over eighty.

Messrs J. F. Estabrooks & Son got tired waiting for the city to repair the North Market street sidewalk, and have put down a new one in front of their premises.

Last evening Charles Reynolds had the shafts of his carriage broken by driving into an iron bar standing in the pavement on Main street, where repairs are being made. The bar was for the purpose of holding a light.

A black sateen underwear skirt sale will take place on Friday, Nov. 7th, at F. R. Patterson's, cor. Charlotte and Duke streets. This is a special hot bought for a sale just like this. They are well-filled and trimmed. See ad. on page 4 of tonight's paper.

The "Black Knight," Rev. Mr. Hector, will deliver his lecture on the "Three Don'ts" in the City Hall, Carleton, tonight, under the auspices of W. C. T. U. Rev. Mr. Coffin will sing a solo.

At the semi-final games in the ping-pong tournament last night Patterson beat Leonard 6-4, 8-7; Green beat Armstrong, 6-0; 6-1. The semi-finals will be finished tomorrow evening and on Friday the games for the championship will be played.

PERSONAL.

Robert Matthews leaves by C. P. R. today to spend the winter in Cuba.

Harold Gregory, lately assistant station agent for the Canada Eastern Railway at Gibson, has been promoted to the position of head agent of the road at Boletown.

C. H. Knodell of St. John, N. B., is on a visit to Halifax for a few days.

Percy Schaeffer, teller in the Bank of Nova Scotia in Moncton, has resigned to accept a position with the Merchants Bank of Canada, Montreal. He will leave for Montreal the latter part of this week.

DIED IN CAMBRIDGE.

Charles Damery, of the Park Hotel, has received word of the death of his brother, William James Damery, formerly of St. John, which occurred yesterday morning at his home in Cambridge, Mass. Mr. Damery served his time with McAvity's as a brass polisher and has for the past sixteen years been employed with the J. W. Tufts Manufacturing Co. of Boston. He was thirty-nine years of age, and leaves a widow and one son. Death was due to Bright's disease.

Charles Damery leaves this evening to attend the funeral, which takes place on Friday.

DEATH OF CHARLES TOWER.

The death is reported of Charles Tower, formerly of this city, and latterly of Boston, which occurred at the residence of his brother, Capt. Amos Tower, 23 Dock street, last evening. Mr. Tower removed to Boston some years ago and has been running on the St. Croix. He was taken ill a short time ago and removed to his brother's house. Two other brothers, Capt. Asa and James W. Tower reside in this city.

HARD COAL \$10 IN BANGOR.

The price of hard coal in Bangor has been reduced from \$12 to \$10 per ton, says the Commercial. Further reductions, it is expected, are only a matter of a comparatively short time. Soft coal is selling for \$8 per ton, but the demand for it has fallen off considerably.

The policy of people all over the country to buy coal only in small quantities is causing the dealers to reduce their prices. Hard coal is also selling at \$10 in Portland.

GAME SHIPMENTS.

BANGOR, Nov. 4.—Monday's shipment of game through Bangor was not especially large, about 55 deer and three moose going through.

There have been 2,076 deer, and 94 moose, through here this year so far, which is a gain of 415 deer and a loss of five moose over last year.

Last week's record of receipts in Bangor were the largest ever known here.

CIVIC PAY DAY.

To day was pay day at the city hall and the following amounts were disbursed:

Table with 2 columns: Category and Amount. Includes Officials (\$1,985.30), Public Works (\$1,675.00), Police (\$2,025.25), Fire (\$1,101.52), Salvage (\$50.00), Market (\$175.00), Light (\$265.25), Total (\$7,148.91).

OYSTERS SCARCE

The Supply Smaller This Fall Than Usual.

Local dealers have during the past month had no little difficulty in obtaining sufficient quantities of oysters to meet the demands of their customers, but there has not been any actual shortage and the prospects are that for the rest of the season the supply will be more regular. Owing to the unfavorable weather in October the oyster fishermen were unable to work. This caused a famine in Upper Canada and a consequent strong demand on the Prince Edward Island supply. The weather had affected the Island fishermen in no small degree, and the few oysters they were able to supply met with a ready market.

The Upper Canadian dealers were offering higher prices for the provincial men found some difficulty in procuring any shipments. They have not been able to purchase more than half the quantities available at other seasons, and these have cost about one dollar per barrel more than usual. As yet the price of prepared dishes in restaurants has not been advanced, but it is probable that oysters by the quart will shortly become more expensive.

WEDDED TODAY.

St. Stephen's church will this afternoon be the scene of a very pretty wedding when Miss E. Annie Parks will be united in marriage to William Grant Matheson, of the Nova Scotia Iron and Steel Co., New Glasgow. The ceremony will be performed at a quarter past five o'clock by the Rev. D. J. Fraser. Miss Parks's costume is a travelling suit of castor broadcloth with blue trimmings and hat to match. She will be attended by her sister, Dr. Margaret Parks, who will wear dark blue broadcloth with large picture hat and grey feather boa.

The groom will be supported by James U. Thomas. St. Stephen's church has been very prettily decorated for the occasion with palms, ferns and white chrysanthemums.

The guests include only the intimate friends of the bride and these will be ushered to their seats by Drs. G. A. E. Addy and Harry Travers.

After the ceremony the bride and groom will drive to the depot and there take the train for a trip through Upper Canada. They will reside in New Glasgow.

BASKET BALL.

Last evening at the Y. M. C. A. the following basket ball teams were organized:

No. 1.—Percy Howard, capt.; D. McRobbie, L. Hopper, H. McIntyre, G. Emery.

No. 2.—E. E. Church, captain; G. Wattaker, V. Thompson, R. Anderson, A. Carlsson.

No. 3.—D. B. Donald, captain; W. W. Malcolm, F. Dunlop, J. Lawson, W. Patterson.

No. 4.—R. C. Gilmore, captain; R. Leddingham, J. MacDonald, A. Everett, H. Cassidy.

No. 5.—J. S. Malcolm, captain; A. Willett, G. Vaughan, H. Coleman, A. Norris.

No. 6.—D. Speer, captain; H. Irvine, C. Dowden, B. Robb, J. F. McGonaghy.

No. 7.—A. Collings, captain; C. Brown, J. Gilmore, E. Crawford and E. Macneil.

A schedule of games will be drawn up tonight and play will be commenced immediately.

CLAN MACKENZIE.

The 11th anniversary of Clan Mackenzie was celebrated last night in their room, and was largely attended. The programme was almost entirely Scotch, and was most enjoyable. There were solos by Mrs. Doherty and Mrs. Robert Reid, James Wilson, R. H. E. Tennant, John T. Kelly, Thomas Whites and John Goode. St. John county Highland singing and the Scotch reel, and Auld Lang Syne started the clan on its 12th year.

UP GOOSE CREEK.

The Flushing took a party of gentlemen, consisting of Surveyor-General Dunn, Colonel Alpersen, of New York; George H. Trueman and George McSweeney, of Moncton; Mr. Davidson, of London, Eng., and J. P. Carrite, W. E. Raymond and A. E. Macintyre, of this city, to Goose Creek, St. John county yesterday, to visit the mining properties of the Maritime Copper & Reduction Company near that place.

STUDENTS-AT-LAW.

M. G. Duffy, M. L. Hayward, Mabelle P. French and J. Lewis Milmore are the successful applicants for admission as students-at-law at the examination recently held at Fredericton.

Archibald C. Calder, J. Wallace deB. Ferris, Richard B. Hanson, Frederick Borden Hill, Peter J. Hughes, George A. Hutchinson, Fred. A. Morrison and Alphonse Turgeon are undergoing the examination for admission as attorneys. S. A. Worrall and Homer D. Forbes from the St. John law school will be admitted by virtue of their degrees.

THE MISSION QUESTION.

The united quarterly boards of the city Methodist churches will meet in Centenary tomorrow, to discuss the scheme of mission extension. A report will be received from the pastors who were present at last Monday's meeting and some definite action will be taken. On Saturday afternoon the committee from the Evangelical Alliance, to whom the matter was referred back, will meet to discuss the scheme as outlined by Mr. Whitney, and to prepare a report for the special meeting of the alliance Monday.

TODAY'S EVENTS.

Guy Fawkes Day. Celebrations tonight by city, north and west end and other Orange Lodges. St. John Medical Society at 4.30 p. m. in Market building; subject, Insomnia, by Dr. J. H. Grey. Black Knight in Carleton City hall at 8 p. m. Congregational society of German street Baptist church.

THE OUANGONDY SPEAKS.

ST. JOHN, N. B., Nov. 5.

To the Editor of the Star:

Sir,—As there have been so many remarks made about me in the past, and will very likely be in the future, I feel that I would like to say a few words for myself. Although I am only a ferry steamer, I have my feelings, and I do not like to hear myself spoken ill of, when I am doing the best I can. It is said that a new steamer is needed to take my place, and it is one of my fondest hopes that I may be some day able to retire and view the traffic across the harbor without being "in it." I am old, I well know—so old that I myself have lost count of the years that have gone over my head, but perhaps some time-yellowed city annals may be able to tell when I was first put on the route across the harbor. At any rate, I am far past my prime and sorely need a long, long rest—one that will continue until the bridge across the harbor is built.

And besides, Mr. Editor, I have another reason for wishing a retirement. "Walls have ears," and many an interesting story and amusing joke has been told in my cabins by those who little knew I was listening. I would like time, in which to digest all these, and then, perhaps, I might be able to weave them, together with my own earlier experiences since 180—(?) into a readable newspaper serial—or even the "New Canadian Novel." Who knows?

Thanking you for your valuable space, I am, Mr. Editor, Yours very truly, FERRY S. S. OUANGONDY.

RECENT DEATHS.

The death occurred at Nashwaakia on Monday of Joseph R. Williams, a well known resident of that place. He was 56 years of age and is survived by a family of one son and a daughter.

John McDonald, farmer, dropped dead at his home, back of Nelson, on Saturday morning last. He was about sixty-five years old, and had been in very good health.

On Monday Prof. Hutton, of Sackville, learned by telegram from Ottawa of the death of his mother, Mrs. Thos. Hutton, at the age of eighty-one years.

George R. Findley, a cooper, was found dead in the hall of his home in Halifax shortly after five o'clock yesterday morning by his mother, Mrs. Alex. Findley. Deceased was forty-three years of age.

Harry W. Craig, youngest son of ex-Mayor Richard Craig, of Truro, died at his father's home last Friday morning.

A HARBOR EPISODE.

About seven o'clock this morning the Carleton ferry steamer took a rest. In the fog the Ouangondy managed to get mixed up with the dredge, and the wharf and the mud bank, with the result that she comfortably settled down on the latter. There were many passengers waiting on both sides of the ferry, and these were compelled to walk around by the bridge, furnishing additional business for the Douglas avenue cars.

The tug Lily went to the assistance of the Ouangondy and succeeded in becoming fast on the same mud bank. Then the tug Neptunus joined in the procession and carried passengers to and fro until almost ten o'clock, when the Ouangondy managed to get clear and resumed her route. The solemnity of the occasion was broken by careless remarks from the waiting crowds on each side of the river.

THAT EXTRA BERTH.

E. Tiffin, traffic manager of the I. C. R. and L. R. sss, terminal superintendent, called on his worship this morning, in reference to the berth of the I. C. R. pier. It was decided to hold a conference this afternoon, at which Supt. Osborne of the C. P. R. will be present, and the matter of the berth and the line to occupy it will in all probability be definitely settled then.

Mr. Tiffin said this morning that so far there was nothing new about the question. It looked as if in some manner the matter would be arranged.

A. H. HANINGTON IN BUTTE.

(Anaconda Standard, Oct. 30.) A distinguished visitor in Butte yesterday was A. H. Hanington, K. C., of St. John, N. B. Mr. Hanington was en route to Helena, where he will appear before the supreme court today in connection with the Bear Gulch mining case. Three-fourths of the stockholders of the capital are New Brunswick people and Mr. Hanington is in Montana in the interests of those stockholders. Mr. Hanington is one of the most prominent lawyers in Eastern Canada.

Mr. Hanington visited a number of old Canadian friends yesterday and was entertained by James Berry of the Hennessy Mercantile company, an old-time friend.

WESTERN UNION MEN.

Of the Western Union men who arrived here yesterday, C. E. Page, superintendent of the New England district, has returned home. General Superintendent Brooks, General Electrician J. C. Bradley and Supt. Dawson have gone on to Cape Breton on a tour of inspection. This is the first trip the general superintendent has taken down this way. It is believed that a number of improvements will result from the visit.

FALL FESTIVAL.

A grand fall festival will be held at St. Rose's Hall, Fairville, on the 10th, 11th, 12th and 13th inst. The hall has been completely renovated and decorated for the occasion. As an incentive the lucky ticket holder passing through the door will receive a \$5 gold piece. The festival is being held in an energetically working to make the affair a success.

MONTREAL, Nov. 4.—Virginia Gobeille, a maiden lady, who has been conducting a manium here for some time past, according to Seventh Day Adventist principles, was arrested today on a charge of manslaughter founded upon a verdict rendered by the coroner's jury in the case of James Bell, who died on Saturday last in her sanitarium. The jury found that the man had been starved to death. The woman is said to have been in similar trouble in St. Louis, Mo.

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BEAR GULCH AFFAIRS.

Messrs. Hamilton, Barnaby and Thomson Authorised to Arrange Settlement.

A Helena despatch of Oct. 28th says: "The hearing on the temporary writ of prohibition in the case of the state ex rel. A. C. Jardine et al, against Judge Henry of the Sixth Judicial district court, in and for Park county, will take place in the supreme court tomorrow. The writ was for a stay in the receivership of the Bear Gulch Mining Company, pending the determination of an appeal."

A telegram was received yesterday from A. H. Hanington, W. H. Barnaby and John H. Thomson, who are now in Montana looking into the affairs of Bear Gulch, requesting the authority of the New Brunswick shareholders in the making of a satisfactory settlement. In consequence of this telegram a largely attended meeting of the shareholders was held in the board of trade rooms this morning, and it was decided to grant the authority asked by the representatives in the west. No particulars nor information of any kind has as yet been received regarding the possible settlement of the trouble in which the mine has been for some months involved. Bear Gulch is capitalised at \$1,350,000, and of this amount fully seven-eighths is held by eastern men, chiefly in New Brunswick. The parties who have been the cause of the litigation are holders of only about one-thirteenth of the capital stock of the company.

Red Rose tea is sold from Newfoundland to Vancouver.

A PUBLIC DANGER.

The inquest to inquire into the cause of death of Harold Leslie Long, a boy who died at Port Hope, Ont., recently, from diphtheria while receiving Christian Science treatment, was held in the town hall and the jury, after being out over an hour, brought in the following verdict: "That Harold Leslie Long came to his death at the home of his parents in the town of Port Hope from diphtheria on October 26th, 1902. And we find that the parents neglected to call in medical attendance until the child was practically at death's door. We also find Robert Horsey, Christian Science demonstrator, accessory to the child's death, inasmuch as he undertook to treat, for which he received a remuneration, a dangerous and contagious disease, which he admitted that he was totally ignorant of. The teaching of the sect known as Christian Scientists as brought out in the evidence is a danger to the public generally and this jury would strongly urge that the legislature enact a law which would make it a criminal offence for the demonstrator of this belief to attend or treat a case which is not being attended by a duly qualified medical practitioner."

AN OLIVE BRANCH.

"Boy did you come to select Olive as a name for the baby?" "Well, you see, my wife's father objected to our marriage, and when the little one came he forgave us. So we thought it was no more than right to let her have proper credit."—Chicago Record-Herald.