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Reliable Dependable Honest. Clothing

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Throws from \$15.00 Up.

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The chill in the air last evening and this morning leads one to think of
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wear. The fit and style of these garments are sure to attract you. On sale
now at special prices.

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Also Fall and Winter Underwear, Gloves, Etc.

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ATLANTA'S STREETS TODAY RAGING TORRENTS OF WATER

Several Persons Reported
Drowned—City Without
Light, or Fire and Police
Protection—The Property
Damage Will be Enormous

ATLANTA, Ga., Aug. 27.—At 4.45
this morning communication was had
by the A. T. office in this city with the
Western Union Telegraph operators
who are marooned in the Chamber of
Commerce, at Augusta, who reported
that at daylight the flood had dimini-
shed four and a half inches since mid-
night. No one was stirring about in the
flooded streets and only here and there
in the office buildings could a light be
seen, giving evidence that there were a
number of occupants of the down town
buildings who spent the night on the
second floors, unable to get to their
homes.

In different sections of the city, it is
reported that many spent the night in
trees, as they could not find the way
through the torrent of water which
has been estimated as rushing through
the city at the rate of 20 miles an hour.
ATLANTA, Ga., Aug. 27.—With the
water rushing through broad streets
breast deep in a current so strong that
it is impossible for man to wade through
Augusta is being swept by a flood that
has not been surpassed in its history.
From four to six feet of water is the
gauge on the principal streets of the
town. On Broad street, the main busi-
ness thoroughfare of the city, where
are located nearly all of the public
buildings, together with the banks, the
business houses and banks, the flood is
playing havoc with first floors and
basements.

The city is without light, fire or police
protection. Fire started last night in the
cotton warehouse of Nixon and
Dorchester and in the warehouse of the
Nixon Wholesale Grocery. The fire
department was unable to render any
assistance on account of the high
water.

Two white persons and one negro
have been reported drowned. It was
also reported that a post containing a
family of husband, wife, and two chil-
dren, was swept away and all drowned.
but this cannot be confirmed. A
conservative estimate of the damage by
flood and fire at this has been placed
at half a million dollars, but it is believed
this sum will be greatly exceeded before
the flood waters subside.

SCHOOLTEACHER STARTED
RUN ON GEHMAN BANK

Immense Crowd of Depositors Demanded
Money—Bank Said to be
Perfectly Sound

BERLIN, Aug. 27.—There were most
exciting scenes around the Federal
Bank in the Eastern District of
Berlin, yesterday afternoon and
evening, in consequence of rumors that
the institution was in difficulties. Thou-
sands gathered before the building, de-
manding the return of their deposits.
but this became so dense that the
street cars were forced to stop and a
large force of police, which was called
out, was unable to control the excited
throngs.

The President of the police personally
directed his forces. The directors of
the bank obtained permission to keep
the institution open until 8 o'clock.
More than \$200,000 was drawn out in
small sums and the bank was unable
to satisfy all demands for cash money
with the assistance of the Imperial and
Dreadnought Banks, but other customers
received only \$250 each on account, owing
to lack of ready cash. The directors
of the bank declare that the institution
is perfectly sound. It is stated that
the rumor of the bank's difficulties
was set on foot by a school teacher,
who, during lessons, advised his pupils
to inform their parents that the bank
was insolvent. A warrant for his arrest
has been applied for. An immense
crowd of depositors were still shouting
for their money at midnight.

BODIES OF TWENTY
EIGHT VICTIMS RECOVERED

McALLISTER, Okla., Aug. 27.—
Early today twenty-eight bodies had
been taken from the Halley-Ola mine,
following yesterday's fire. One more
body is in the mine.

BALL PLAYER INJURED

PIQUA, O., Aug. 27.—While playing
in an exhibition game here yesterday
between the Cincinnati National League
team and a team representing this
town, Michael Mitchell, right fielder of
the Cincinnati team, sustained injuries
which will keep him out of the game
for the rest of the season. Mitchell turned
his ankle by sliding to second base,
tearing the ligaments loose from the
bone. The local team was beaten by a
score of ten to three.

CONSIDERABLE LIQUOR
IS SOLD AT CHATHAM

CHATHAM, Aug. 27.—Rev. Mr. Gale
agent of Kings College, spoke in St.
Mary's church last evening in the in-
terests of the college. His address was
a forcible and logical presentation of
Kings claims upon New Brunswick
churchmen. Subscription lists have been
started among church members here.
Scott Act enforcement is at present
only perfunctorily performed.

Inspecting the Steel Works Today—
An Excursion This Afternoon and
a Dinner Tonight

SYDNEY, N. S., Aug. 27.—The visiting
British and foreign mining engi-
neers were the guests of the Nova Scotia
Mining Society last evening at a
smoker given at the Sydney Hotel. The
visitors were welcomed on behalf of
the province by Lieut.-Governor D. C.
Fraser and on behalf of the Nova Scotia
Mining Society by President J. E. Col-
lins, of Stellarton.

Today the mining men are the guests
of the Dominion Iron and Steel Com-
pany. They left on an inspection of the
steel plant at 9 o'clock this morning
and will return to Sydney Hotel for
luncheon, after which there will be an
excursion on the harbor in their honor.

Tonight they will be tendered a for-
mal dinner at the Sydney Hotel which
will probably be attended by over 100
guests. They will be the guest of the
Dominion Steel Company at this dinner.

Tomorrow the mining experts will
visit the collieries of the Nova Scotia
Steel and Coal Company at Sydney
Mines, and will leave for Antigonish,
Pictou, and Digby on Saturday morn-
ing.

STEAMER TEUTONIC
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out from Queenstown the Teutonic, of
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age beyond repair.

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met a whale that seemed so persistent-
ly bent on self destruction.

FORTY THOUSAND WERE MURDERED

By the Secret Police of
Turkey, Says Dumoulin

Leader of the Young Turks Now in
London, Tells a Horrible Tale
of Oppression

LONDON, Aug. 27.—Mohammed Du-
moulin, one of the founders of the
Young Turk movement, who is now in
London, has given in an interview an
interesting account of the organization.
He says the organization has nothing
whatever to do with the so-called
Young Turks of Constantinople, but
was formed as a secret society in 1904
as a last resort to free Turkey from
the thralldom of the secret police, by
whose machinations thousands of the
best men in Turkey disappeared.

He relates one incident of his own
knowledge to the effect that forty men
were brought from the tower to the
shores of the Bosphorus one evening.
He heard them screaming at night time
and next morning all had disappeared.
On another occasion while lying in the
Bosphorus a vessel while weighing anchor
drew up several corpses. The captain
of the steamer, he said, received a
large bribe from the police not to men-
tion the matter.

"The Sultan has been wrongly blamed
for this condition of affairs," he said.
"He is surrounded by a cannibalism and
can trust nobody, and had he attempted
to reform the government alone, he
would undoubtedly have been assassinated."

They Believe That Under Proper Con-
ditions Sprinters May Run
Considerably Faster.

HUNTINGTON, L. I., Aug. 27.—There
will be a practical test of oxygenation
of athletes as advocated by Professor
Leonard Hill, F. R. S., professor of
physiology at the London Hospital, at
the Water Carnival to be held Satur-
day afternoon.

Professor Hill announced, as a result
of experiments, that athletes in Eng-
land to whom oxygen had been given
prior to trials exceeded their previous
best records. In the races here there
will be a special 100 yard swim in
which two contestants will be given
inhalation of oxygen just before the
race and they will be matched against
two others in ordinary training. The
men given oxygen will be matched
against men usually faster than
them, thus a fair test will be made.

The London physicians in an experi-
ment in England, gave pure oxygen to
A. J. Holden, one of the runners in the
Olympic games. Holden breathed the
oxygen for two minutes and then tried
an unspaced quarter mile. His time was
0.20 seconds, his best previous record
was 0.26 seconds, and in the Olympic
games without oxygen, the best Holden
did was 0.32 seconds. After the oxy-
genation Holden finished his quarter
mile as fresh as if he had only done
100 yards.

Describing his experiments, Professor
Hill is quoted as saying that a man
cannot breathe easily in athletics be-
cause the exertion causes him to rap-
idly use up the oxygen in his blood
and tissues while his system goes on
producing carbonic acid. The lack of
sufficient oxygen and the excess of car-
bonic acid excites the breathing cen-
ter in the brain and forces the ath-
lete to breathe hard and hurriedly in
an effort to restore normal conditions.

A committee of physiologists com-
posed of Dr. Thos. Marshall, Commis-
sioner of Health of the City of New
York, Dr. W. G. Gray, professor of
physiology at the University of Cam-
bridge, and Dr. E. B. Smith, professor
of chemistry at the University of Cam-
bridge, will act as a committee of observa-
tion at Saturday's race.

MOTHER NEARLY BOILS
BABY DURING ITS BATH

Pu's Receptacle Containing Child on
Stove to Heat Water

WILKES-BARRE, Pa., Aug. 26.—
Placing a boiler of water, containing
her baby on a hot stove this morning
in order to heat the water to the per-
fect temperature for a bath, Mrs. Ad-
ams Gehovitz, of Maltby, nearly boil-
ed the infant to death. The baby pro-
bably died.

The mother found the water too cold
and thoughtlessly put the boiler on the
stove without removing the baby. Then
she was called out of the room for a
few minutes, and returning to find the
water very hot and the child badly
scalded.

SACKVILLE NEWS

SACKVILLE, N. B., Aug. 27.—At
Erin, Ontario, next Tuesday, the mar-
riage will take place of Miss M. Over-
land to Rev. Egerton R. M. Brecken,
M. A., B. D., son of the late Rev. Dr.
Brecken, nephew of H. A. Austin,
St. John.

The bride was formerly engaged in
deaconess work on the Methodist
church. The groom is a graduate of
arts at Mount Allison University, class
of 1902. The bride and groom will spend
their honeymoon in Upper Canada.
Subsequently they will sail from Van-
couver for China, where Mr. Brecken
will take up missionary work.

Miss Katherine Favett, daughter of
Mr. and Mrs. George Favett, Middle
Sackville, has been appointed teacher
of stenography and typewriting in the
high school at Port Fairfield, Maine.

Miss Favett is a student of the
University of New Brunswick at Frederic-
ton, and is a member of the Mount Al-
lison commercial college several years
ago. Subsequently she was appointed
teacher of shorthand and typewriting
in the Mount Allison commercial col-
lege.

At a meeting of Sackville and West-
moreland Agricultural Society this
week, Dr. E. M. Copp was chosen treas-
urer, vice F. A. Dixon, resigned. It
has also been decided that one day's
racing will be held in connection with
the coming fair. A \$100 purse will be
offered in the 2.30 class and smaller
purse for a minute class, and class for
2 year olds and under.

The Port Elgin Trotting Association
will hold horse races on the speedway
on September 19th. Three races will
be on the card. The chief event will
be the 2.30 trot and pace for which a
purse of three hundred dollars will be
rung up. The other races will be the
2.45 trot and pace, and 3 minute trot
and pace respectively. The purse for
each of these two races will be one
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WILD WEST HOLD-UP IN A BRITISH COLUMBIA TOWN

NEW MEN CANNOT
KEEP UP THE STOCK

C. P. R. Strikers Hope Train-
men Will Join Them

But This Will Not Likely Happen—Com-
pany Confident That Work Will Con-
tinue to Run Smoothly.

MONTREAL, Aug. 27.—The failure of
green mechanics engaged by the C. P.
R. in the place of the strikers, to keep
the rolling stock in good condition, is
the central feature of the strike situa-
tion and the issue of the deadlock de-
pends on the speed at which the repair
shops can be re-organized. Trains are
running late and, according to return-
ing passengers, there are many "dead"
engines along the line.

The company's officials admit that
the men are in many cases not up to
the standard, but it is their opinion
that they can be "licked" into shape
before the condition of the rolling
stock becomes serious. The attitude of
the engineers, firemen and brakemen,
whose lives would be in more serious
danger than usual if the rolling stock
was allowed to deteriorate to the point
of danger, is not definitely known.
However, it is certain that the brother-
hood will not join in what is known as
a "sympathetic strike." They must have
just grievance of their own before vot-
ing to tie up the Dominion's great
railroad system.

The condition of their engines and
cars is slight later on furnish grievance.
It does not do so yet.

MONTREAL, Aug. 27.—The strikers
who are arrested all pleaded not
guilty. The two boys were let go as the
police took them merely as a precau-
tion. Two Russians accused of throw-
ing stones in Monday's row, were re-
fused bail as the two men who were
arrested are still in bed. Leon Martel
was refused bail yesterday as he is a
married man with a family and the
judge said he was satisfied that he
would not leave the city. The other ac-
cused of interfering with the police.

MONTREAL, Aug. 27.—A "scab" list
is the latest move of the strikers. It
is a list of the names of the men who
are at the Commercial Hotel which is
their headquarters. There was a list
posted containing a family and the
names of the men who are at work. It
is felt that this move will lead to trou-
ble and some of those who are at work
will be roughly handled. Four more
boiler makers quit work today saying
that they were afraid to stay.

ORIENTALS CONTROL
WEST COAST INDUSTRIES

Exclusion League Secretary Seeking
Moral Support in a Fight for
a White Canada

ST. THOMAS, Aug. 27.—T. W. Cro-
thers has been nominated by West El-
gin Conservatives for the Commons.
WINNIPEG, Aug. 26.—R. Hemphill,
secretary of the Asiatic Exclusion Leag-
ue is here interviewing Premier Rob-
son to enlist his sympathy in the strug-
gle for a white Canada. "We are not
asking for money," he says, "but for
moral support of the Canadian
people. Everyone is with us and the
coast, except the million and a half
Chinese. There are ninety-five Orient-
als to every five white men employed
in the lumber and shingle mills on the
coast. The Orientals have practically
driven the white man out of the can-
ning industry."

MABOU COAL MINES
MAY CHANGE HANDS

(Sydney Post.)
The Mabou coal mines have been par-
tially closed down, and for the past
two weeks not much coal has been tak-
en to the surface. It is reported that
the firm of McKenzie and Mann is
negotiating for the purchase of the
property, and in all likelihood the coal
areas will change hands in the near
future.

The Mabou coal deposits are consid-
ered to be of the very finest quality,
and the several splendid seams in ex-
position are easily workable. Three of
them measure 18, 8 and 4 feet respec-
tively.

The McKenzie and Mann Company
are owners of the Inverness Coal and
Iron Railway, which runs in close
proximity to the Mabou mine, and as
regards shipping facilities would, if
they purchase the property, have a
big advantage over the present owners.

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LATEST WEATHER REPORT
FAIR

PHOENIX, B. C., Aug. 27.—The town
of Midway, 12 miles from here, was
the scene of a sensational hold-up last
night when Charles Thomet, of the
Midway Hotel, was shot and killed by
highwaymen.

Two masked men entered the hotel at
9 o'clock and at the point of a gun
four men, including Thomet, were told
to throw up their hands. Thomet being
behind the bar, put his hands up. The
villagers, including Thomet, were told
to stagger through a side door into a
room.

The desperadoes got into the room
through another entrance and shot
three more bullets into the body of
dying man. They then made their es-
cape. Bloodhounds are being brought
from Spokane to the trail of the crim-
inals. One of the desperadoes is
thought to be seriously wounded.

Turns Severed Head
TO FIND IT BROTHER'S

Horrorful Discovery Made by Schuyler
County Man on Railroad
Tracks

POTTSVILLE, Pa., Aug. 26.—George
Taylor, of Auburn, had a heart-rending
experience this morning when he found
the headless trunk of a man huddled
between the tracks of the Philadelphia
and Reading Railway which upon ex-
amination of the head nearby, proved
to be that of his young brother, Le-
roy Taylor.

LeRoy Taylor lived with his parents
on a farm a short distance from Au-
burn. His brother George, this morn-
ing started out to visit his parents,
and walked up on the railway, it being
a short cut to the farm. Upon reach-
ing a cut above Auburn he stumbled
against the body.

Thinking it was some wanderer
asleep, he stooped to lift him to a safer
resting place and was horrified to
find the body headless and with one
arm missing. The sight was sickening,
but Taylor grimly looked about for the
severed head, and finally discovered it
a few yards distant along the bank.
Turning it over with his foot, the poor
fellow almost fainted when he re-
cognized in the blood-stained disor-
dered face the features of his brother Le-
roy.

The dead man was a baseball play-
er and athlete, and played ball with
his team at Pine Grove yesterday. Re-
turning home late, he spent the even-
ing with friends at Auburn. He started
for the farm shortly after midnight
and was run down by a train.

FOUR DEATHS AMONG I. C. R.
EMPLOYEES LAST MONTH

MONCTON, Aug. 27.—There were
four deaths in the ranks of the I. C. R.
employees Relief and Insurance Associ-
ation in the month ended twenty-fifth
of August, according to the report sub-
mitted by Secretary Paver. These were
Alfred Shickle, Lewis, and W. A. Mc-
Lean, Moncton, a thousand each; R. A.
Chouinard, Lewis, and Eliza Frdp,
Halifax, \$250 each. Abner Forsay, a
member of the temporary employees' ac-
cident fund, was killed at St. John.
Fees and levies for the month were
class A, \$160; class B \$1, and class C
seventy cents.

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49 SMYTH ST., 14 CHARLOTTE ST.
Telephone 9-115.

LOCAL NEWS

Let Lyons, the advertiser, boom your business. Phone 200.

The beauty of Ungar's laundry work is not on the outside. It goes right through. Tel. 55.

To cure a headache in ten minutes use Kumfort Headache Powders, 10 cents.

Smoked shoulders, 12c. A regular box chocolate for 25c. at The Bakers, Ltd., 100 Princess street, 111 Bakers and 443 Main street.

Now is the time to have your clothes cleaned, repaired and pressed at McFarland, the Tailor, 73 Princess St., Clifton Block. Phone 161-11.

Great sales for Friday and Saturday at the Union Clothing Company, 22-24 Charlotte street, opposite City Market.

Many of the visitors in the city are planning to attend the Victoria Boller rink this evening. Ladies might occur tonight and the band will render a fine programme of music.

The ladies who are to assist in the Women's Department of the Exhibition will kindly meet at the King's Daughters Guild this afternoon at three o'clock.

Ernest J. Dick, whose son met a tragic death yesterday at Meserve, Charlotte county, left for Saint George this morning. The body of his son Frank E. Dick is expected to reach the city on tonight's train over the Shore Line.

The Enterprise Foundry Company will rebuild their plant at Sackville. The contract for one of the new buildings has already been let and it is expected that the rebuilt foundry will be turning out its finished product by the first of next year.

The regular quarterly meeting of the county W. C. T. U. was held at the Clifton hall yesterday afternoon with a large number of the ladies present. Encouraging reports were received from all the branches. Mrs. John McAvity presided.

The band concert given in the King square last evening was much enjoyed. The City Cornet band gave the concert. The band had a very busy day yesterday, going up river in the afternoon and giving the concert in the evening.

When you buy tea it is just as easy to get the best as to get the next best. The best housekeeper cannot make a good cup of tea with tea of poor quality, but anyone by using "Solade" Tea can make a delicious and healthful drink. With "Solade" you can make more tea and better tea at all prices.

Master Thomas McGowen, a student of the Queen's College, who has been visiting his relatives in the city, returned to London by the Calcutta steamer to take up his studies. He has been talking in the St. John river, camping out, and went home greatly benefited by his trip to the land of cool breezes.

"The Book Beloved or The Mystery Play" will be presented this evening on E. M. Shadob's lawn, Germain street. This piece was given here in March and created an excellent impression. Thirty different characters will be impersonated. Seats have been arranged on Mr. Shadob's lawn and there will also be the latest electric light effects. A full rehearsal of the play given last evening. A fine treat is assured those who attend tonight.

The case against Henry J. Hardy, who is charged under the Alien Labor Act with bringing workmen into the city contrary to law, was resumed in the police court yesterday afternoon. Daniel Mullin, K. C., appeared for the defence. There were lengthy arguments from both counsel and Magistrate Ritchie reserved judgment until a week from today. Hardy was again admitted to bail amounting to \$450.

Rev. F. D. Anderson of Toronto, general secretary of the laymen's missionary movement, met a representative delegation from the Protestant churches of the city in St. John's (stone) church yesterday afternoon and arranged for meetings to be held in the city between September 16th and 19th. These meetings are to be addressed by Campbell White of New York, who was in St. John last winter when the laymen's missionary movement was inaugurated in this city.

Rev. Geo. D. Milbury, of Hampstead, and Rev. Thomas Stebbings, of Gibson, have been registered, to solemnize marriages.

The attention of the public is requested to attend the grand clearance sale of the Parisian Store, 47 Brussels street, Friday, 13th at 3 p. m. For particulars see our ad. on page 3. The Parisian Store, 47 Brussels street.

A meeting of Canterbury A. C. will be held this evening, 7:30 p. m., at the R. Macdonald's office, 43 Canterbury street, for re-organization purposes. All members and friends of the club are requested to attend.

A large number attended the dance at the Telegraphers' Club last evening, making it one of the most successful of the season. Upon the request of those present, the committee decided to continue holding the same every Wednesday night for some weeks.

Charles A. Ferris, of 46 High street, is confined to his home as a result of a serious accident which he sustained by falling down the hold of the steamer Manchester Corporation while at work on Tuesday afternoon. While his injuries are serious Dr. Stewart Skinner, who is in attendance, is confident of his recovery.

An inquest into the death of Albert W. Poshay, who was killed on the I. C. R. last Saturday, was held by Coroner Berryman last night. Eight witnesses were examined including L. B. Ross, terminal agent, and David A. Sinclair, mechanical foreman of the I. C. R. here. The jury brought in a verdict that death was caused by his accidentally striking his head against the switch lamp in the island yard.

A vigorous protest against the holding of boxing exhibitions in the city was made by the ministers attending the Methodist financial district meeting held in Zion Church yesterday, and Mayor Bullock was criticised for his action in granting a license for the exhibition held on Tuesday evening. A resolution condemning such bouts was passed and a committee appointed to wait upon the mayor and ask him to refuse to grant any licenses for further exhibitions.

It is understood that Solicitor General McLeod, who lately made a fishing trip to the headquarters of the Little South-west Miramichi, unearthen evidence of a recent game law violation carried on in that vicinity during the past season. He will report the matter to the Surveyor General and it is likely that prosecutions will follow. It is pretty generally understood that while North Shore game wardens have been active on game violators who have violated the law, the big game has been able to get off in a coach—Herald.

A peculiar and very sad accident occurred in Milltown on Tuesday evening last. B. H. Kerr had returned from the field with a load of hay and was holding it to his left by the aid of a horse. His little girl, three years old, had held the reins as the horse moved out to the yard. Some of the gearings caught suddenly and the horse was jerked back with such force that it fell on the little child, crushing its life out instantly. Some cuts were found on the little one's head, but death had been caused by the ribs penetrating the lungs. The parents are prostrated by the sudden blow—Bacon.

LABOR DAY.
Labor Day will be a public holiday throughout Canada and many municipalities will be keeping ready to move back to the city again. City folk should get their homes in readiness for the long winter months by going to Amland Bros., Ltd., Waterloo street, and purchasing the new Carpet Squares, Oilcloth, Linoleum, or Furniture, as they are recognized by every good housekeeper as the cheapest and most reliable firm to secure up-to-date house-furnishing in the lower provinces. Their prices are marked to suit everyone's taste and pocketbook.

Unsupervised Visitor (trying to use the telephone)—Kitty, what do you say when you take this thing off the hook?
Little Girl—Papa always says, "Damn, you, central, you've given me the wrong number!"

In Montclair, New Jersey, U. S. A., owners of dogs will in future be fined a dollar for each bark uttered by their dogs during the hours of 9 p. m. and 6 a. m.

VANCOUVER WOMAN MARRIED A HINDU

VANCOUVER, B. C., Aug. 26.—The first wedding in this country between a white woman and a Hindu occurred last Monday morning, at St. James' church. The ceremony was performed by Rev. H. C. F. Clinton, pastor of the church, the bride having been for several years an attendant at that church.

The bride was Mrs. Annie Wright, an attractive looking woman in the early thirties. She has a daughter nine or ten years of age. The bridegroom was Joseph Munchi-Singh, a Hindu, who has been in British Columbia for five years. He is 28 years of age, well educated, speaks and writes English very fluently. I have known him for a long time and he is a good man. Some of my relations object to the marriage, but my brother who has lived in Vancouver for twenty years, knows my husband well, and quite approved of the match.

THE INVENTOR OF THE SEWING MACHINE IS DEAD

BOSTON, Mass., Aug. 26.—The death is announced at the home of his daughter in Brookline, of John James Greenough, inventor and former superintendent of the patent office at Washington. He was the first to take out a patent on a sewing machine, invented the first shoe-sewing machine and assisted in the construction of the first electric locomotive. He held the position of superintendent of the patent office from 1837 until 1841. In 1833 he commenced the publication of the American polytechnic journal and was born in Boston, January 19, 1812.

BASEBALL NATIONAL LEAGUE

At Chicago—Chicago, 6; Brooklyn, 4.
At Pittsburgh—New York, 4; Pittsburgh, 2.

EASTERN LEAGUE

At Rochester—Newark, 1; Rochester, 4.
Second game: Newark, 3; Rochester, 6.
At Buffalo—Buffalo, 0; Baltimore, 11.
At Toronto—Toronto, 2; Providence, 1 (8 innings).
All American League games and all New England, rain.

MAINE STATE LEAGUE GAMES

At Bangor—Bangor, 2; Augusta, 1.

THE RING

Mike Twin Sullivan is to box Dan Littlejohn at St. Stephen on September 8th, during the carnival. The Twin leaves for the border town either today or tomorrow. The bout will be six rounds. Jerry Wilson is one of the promoters. On leaving St. Stephen Sullivan will return to St. John, where a six round boxing contest with Foley or Beth McLeod is to be arranged. Jack Power is making the arrangements and will handle the bout.

THE JURY

AT NEW GLASGOW.

There were about 1,500 people at the New Glasgow horse races yesterday. The 117 trot and 2:20 pace was won by Buchanan in four heats. The 27 trot and 30 pace was won by Lou Helen in the last three heats of a five heat race.

AT BANGOR.

At Bangor yesterday Alcy Bell was the 21 trot and 2:20 pace. In the 117 trot and 2:20 pace Lou Foster won in straight heats. Little Sweetheart was second and Miss Leatha third.

TALES OF TAILS.

Members of the cat family seldom actually wag their tails. In this they differ from dogs, who wag their tails to show delight. As cats can purr, they have no need to do this.

A cat's tail is, however, useful as a sort of vent for superfluous nervous energy. Watch a cat stalking a bird. The tip of the animal's tail is never still; it is always curling and uncurling. If we could see it, it would be the same when a lion stalks a man.

Animals of the cat tribe which climb use their tails for their tails. They use these appendages as balancing poles. When a cat walks along the top of a fence, its tail serves the same purpose as the long poles carried by tight-rope walkers. It is shifted here and there to preserve the balance of the animal.

STARTLING SPECULATIONS AND CONCLUSIONS ABOUT STARS

Are there countless beings watching us in this little world of ours from out of the limitless regions of space and if so, what do they see and know? That is the question which has agitated the mind of man since the astrologers of Assyria made bold to tell the fortunes of their fellows from gazing at the twinkling points of light in the heavens above them. Modern science has made vast strides since those days and with the aid of the telescope and the camera is able to provide a comparative answer to the world old question.

SOME STARTLING SPECULATIONS.

The latest attempt to answer the question has been made by Candide Flammarion, the celebrated French astronomer. M. Flammarion is satisfied that some of the habitations of intelligent beings. A few of the startling speculations and conclusions, which he has made are presented here.

The moon practically has been given up as hopeless. Its examination has been so exact that it is certain that it life exists at all on our satellite it must do so in a most primitive and rudimentary form. With our nearest neighbor, Mars, however, it is different. We know now that Mars possesses a climate far finer and more equable than our own. That season occurs with greater regularity than with us, and that there exists every condition requisite for life in a high form of development.

MARTIAN SUMMER TO BE ENVIDED

While Peary, Nansen, Abrial and all their brotherhood are striving vainly as yet to penetrate the mystery of our poles, we know all about the Martian world. We can watch the snow line gradually disappearing and the appearance of summer. There is little rain and few clouds at Mars, and our presumptive neighbors enjoy a summer which would make the inhabitants of the South Pacific islands green with envy.

Every bit of evidence that has been added to our knowledge strengthens the theory that a race of intelligent beings inhabits Mars, and the evidence presented by the Martians would seem to demonstrate that they are our superiors in the mechanical arts. The Martians are not only more advanced in their science than we are, but they are also more advanced in their art. The Martians are not only more advanced in their science than we are, but they are also more advanced in their art.

But while we know something about Mars, we know almost nothing about the countless millions of planets which revolve in their individual systems, many times bigger than the earth, and so far away that the mind reels at the figures which the astronomers present to us?

If there are inhabitants on Mars it is at least reasonable to assume that there also are inhabitants on such other of the planets which have reached a stage where life is supportable.

STRANGE AND INCREDIBLE BEINGS

Strange and incredible must be the beings who exist on those far distant planets. On many of them the conditions of life are not exactly the same as those of our own world, and some of them are so vast that the discovery of an American continent would affect their inhabitants as little as the discovery of a new island would to us. Jupiter is just eleven times bigger than the earth, and just at present is about about to start on its terrestrial existence. That is, it probably will have finished its preparations in approximately ten million years. That sounds pretty long, but it really is, a mere bagatelle, astronomically speaking.

SUN IN ITS OWN RIGHT.

Some ago Jupiter was a sun all in its own right. It had a little system of seven worlds that basked in its heat, but those worlds have all gone out into the dark void. Jupiter died one day and his satellites perished at our world probably will perish when our sun dies. But Jupiter only died to be born again in a new shape. It finished its solar career, is rapidly passing through its stellar existence, and will presently start, on its terrestrial life.

There is a little red patch visible on Jupiter, which the astronomers declare is a continent in the making. If we could get near enough we would be able to see a new world in the making of its birth. The tremendous machinery of the sphere is revolving, and with the thunder of the infinite continents which will unite them for countless ages.

A Jovian year consists of a mere trifle of 10,465 days, but in that vast chaos the sun shines only five hours each day. The great bulk is in shadow at the equator at the incredible speed of a revolution every nine and a half hours. It moves now at the poles. This proves that the process of solidification is not yet complete and that the infant world has not yet come to its own.

But there are other worlds, innumerable in number as stars of the sea, stretching away into infinity until imagination is numbed and senseless attempting to grasp the fact of their existence. Not only worlds, but entire systems, with two or three suns and many moons, where beings with powers undreamed of by us mortals may, and in all probability do exist and work out their existence in spans of time which are to our brief lives as we ourselves are to a butterfly.

ONE REVOLUTION PER 347 YEARS.
The planet Castor, which is in reality is two stars revolving around one another, takes 347 years for one revolution. While one annual period has been elapsing on that planet generations have grown up and passed away among us. The last Castorian year ended two earthly years ago. It commenced in 1851, when the Armada had sailed and when America was naught but the happy hunting grounds of the Indian, with a few adventurous riskers their lives in attempts to find the fabled cities. In the course of this tremendous year might powers have risen and fallen on earth and our modern world has emerged from the stress and storm of the middle ages.

LIGHT TRAVELS AT SNAIL'S PACE.

But much stronger than all this is

the contemplation of what the people of these unknown worlds are seeing if they are occupied with the concerns of this little world at all. Light travels at what to us is the inconceivable speed of 186,000 miles a second, but in the languages of the spheres that is merely a snail's pace.

The light from many stars has been travelling towards us for centuries and has not yet arrived. Similarly our own light has taken centuries to reach distant worlds and is still travelling towards others which are so far from us that when that light will have reached them this world will have long since ceased to exist.

If then the people of those distant stars are looking for us they do not see us to the world as we know it, but the world as it was generations ago. Way off in space there may be a watcher who at this moment with his marvelous telescope is peering in review the battle of Thermopylae or another nearer who is gazing with a bewildered look at the red carnage of Waterloo.

Some of these watchers of the stars could tell us the history of the garden of Eden from the point of view of an onlooker. And the fall of Troy is a spectacle of today for them. The actors in the Crucifixion are living men and women to them, while of us and our little concerns they have no knowledge.

THE RING OF SATURN.

One of the most interesting of the many stars which are known to our astronomers is Saturn. No satisfactory explanation ever has been given of the luminous ring which surrounds this planet, and it forms a fruitful subject for conjecture to the scientists.

Millions of miles beyond Saturn there is an even stranger star called Gamma. Gamma is of a beautiful green color with orange stripes. To complete its weird coloring it has a little blue satellite. The wildest dreams of Wells or Jules Verne could not commence to imagine a world which exists under such conditions. If the inhabitants of this planet are not rainbow hued they have every right to be. Perhaps, however, a delicate pea green may prove more in harmony with their surroundings. As for the vegetation and fauna, what is the use of trying to conceive flowers which grow in a green and orange world with a blue moon shining down on them at night!

THIS WORLD A LITTLE STAR.

Away off in Sirius old mother earth looks like a little bit of a star. That is if our light has yet reached there, which is improbable. Sirius started sending its rays down to us before Eve had tempted Father Adam to eat that apple and commenced all our troubles. The Sirius may have gone to live in Sirius when they got snubbed by Ulysses.

A few trillions of miles away there is a small and discreet star called Alpha. It is just 200,000 times as far from us as the sun, but that does not bother Alpha in any way because it has two suns all of its own and so is in no danger of freezing to death. Alpha's two suns sometimes alternate, a combination which must prove trying when the inhabitants go to bed at sunset and find that it is really sunrise. Perhaps they dispense with sleep altogether.

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DIES IN PENITENTIARY

TORONTO, Aug. 26.—John E. Anderson, a school inspector for Brownville, who was sentenced to seven years in the penitentiary for bigamy, his victim being Miss Margaret Anderson, a Methodist minister at Renfrew, died in the Kingston penitentiary today, aged fifty-two years. He had suffered from throat trouble since his incarceration, three months ago.



On Monday evening two ladies were at the HAPPY HALF HOUR. Here's their conversation as they were going out: "I had no idea that they gave such an excellent show here. Why it's the best in the city." "Yes, and so clean, and such good air." "There are lots who don't know that the Happy Half Hour is the best show in town. Are you one? If so, invest 5 cents and see what you think of it."

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HARVEST EXCURSIONS.

It is apparent from daily despatches from the West, that the young men who went from these eastern provinces to assist in the harvesting operations, are not all very fortunately situated. Indeed, efforts are being made to show that at some points considerable numbers of them are in actual want and are depending for their sustenance on private or corporate charity. By their friends in the east this can hardly be looked upon as a gratifying condition. It would seem that the time has come when the government should interfere with the system of promotion of these harvest excursions, so-called. Year after year it is found that when very large numbers of men start on these trips which they usually consider as picnic, deeds of violence are of frequent occurrence, and that when the destinations of the men are reached, the arrangements are not what were expected. The railways which control the excursions, do so in their own interests and not in the interests of their passengers. They obtain early in the season information which may be more or less accurate at the time it is received, but which is not necessarily anything like correct when applied to a date two months later. The wheat crop is always an uncertain quantity. In July it may appear that the yield will be particularly heavy, and reports from agents at different points may indicate that if conditions then existing continue, a certain number of men will be needed in the harvesting operations. A very slight change in the weather may upset all calculations, and as such changes have occurred from year to year in the west, it cannot be said that the early reports are at all reliable. This year the demand was for 27,000 men, and to double that number might have found employment had the promises of July been fulfilled. Drought and frost have interfered and the yield is very materially reduced. As a natural result perhaps not more than half the original number of men can find employment. The remainder who anticipated work sufficient to pay their expenses, are in idleness, wishing themselves at home. They are inclined to heartily curse the C. P. R., yet the railroad is not wholly to blame. Their men accepted as gospel truth the advertising statements printed to create business, whereas they should have discounted those statements in accordance with the probable change in conditions. It might, however, reasonably have been expected that the C. P. R. upon learning the true state of affairs in the west, would refuse to carry into the wheat growing provinces any more men than were absolutely necessary for the harvest. There has certainly been neglect in this respect, and there is also apparently some carelessness in the distribution of the excursionists. But after all, the men who went west are chiefly to blame. Their principal inducement towards taking the trip was the desire for a change. They wanted to see the country and to get away from the routine of home life. Some of them may have thought that they could do better for themselves by going west for two or three months. As a matter of fact those not out of pocket by such excursions have been in the past very few in numbers. By remaining at home and obtaining employment, farm work if they want it, in this province, they could have earned considerably more than in Manitoba or elsewhere, and would have been saved the expense of transportation. There is no reason under the sun why men from New Brunswick should go west, other than that restless feeling which actuates so many. It is to be hoped that the experiences of the harvesters this year will have some effect in lessening the numbers offering next autumn, and it is also to be hoped that the federal government will unite with the provincial governments of the three western provinces in preventing such conditions as now exist.

MR. A. B. MORINE.

Mr. A. B. Morine has definitely accepted Conservative nomination for the constituency of Queens-Sheburne, in opposition to Hon. W. S. Fielding. It will be remembered that Sir Charles Hildbert Tupper, with equal readiness, accepted the offer made to him by Conservatives of Pictou County. Mr. Tupper, however, found cause shortly afterwards for withdrawal. It is sincerely to be hoped that Mr. Morine may not experience similar troubles, for in that case Nova Scotia Conservatives might be compelled to fall back on people of their own province for candidates, which they are apparently very unwilling to do. Mr. Morine has had some experience in politics. Although Canadian born, he was for twenty years a member of the legislature of Newfoundland. He is a native of Port Medway, N. B., and a graduate of Dalhousie Law School. Before entering the legal profession he spent some years in journalism.

ism. In 1888 while living in St. John, he was first elected to represent the district of Bonaville. He resigned that position on the twentieth anniversary of his first election. Mr. Morine has been a member of several delegations to Britain dealing with matters of colonial importance. During his career he has been twice a member of the Government, first as Colonial Secretary and three years later as Minister of Fisheries. Mr. Morine is evidently not cast down by his previous political experience in Nova Scotia. In 1892 he ran in the Conservative interests for Queens and was defeated. He apparently desires to meet the same fate once again.

WAR PATH TAKEN BY TWO INDIAN TRIBES

Tardy News Leaks Out of a Battle on the Laird and Nelson Rivers

(Victoria Colonist).

In the remote sections of the interior of British Columbia life is still held pretty cheap, and although the white man is generally safe from molestation the Indians themselves are wont to settle their little troubles in time-honored fashion, without calling upon the government to assist them.

The latest of these little affairs is mentioned in a report just received by the attorney-general's department from the headquarters of the Northwest Mounted Police, which speaks of two tribes having gone on the warpath, with the result that some ten men were killed and others injured. The report goes on to say that further trouble is expected.

The scene of the fight is situated in the northeast corner of British Columbia, and it is an object lesson of the immensity of the Indian empire, and province and how little is known of the vast interior spaces, that this fight occurred in the spring of last year and yet the news has only just leaked out. The belligerent Indians were the Dog Ribs and the Skianani, who are understood to be oldtime enemies, and the authorities are not always able to prevent spasmodic outbreaks from time to time.

A more serious report coming from the same source is that a Roman Catholic Missionary, who was travelling on the Laird river, alone, in a canoe, is thought to have been killed also. The Indian who brought the news stated that while his effects had been found, he himself was nowhere to be seen.

These events are supposed to have taken place near the confluence of the Nelson and the Laird rivers, and such meagre details as are known here are to be found in the report referred to, the essential portions of which are reproduced below:

On June 4 last, B. G. Clarke, of the Hudson Bay Company at Vermilion reported to me having met an Indian (Dog Rib) at Hay River post, 100 miles north of Vermilion, on the Hay river, who had come on a hunting trip from the Laird river, leaving there in the summer of 1907, and this Indian told him the Skianani and Dog Rib Indians had been fighting during the early spring of 1907. Ten men were killed and several wounded and he believed that more trouble would follow. The fight occurred near where the Laird and Nelson rivers join, and on the Indian side.

"This Indian also reported that a brother of the Roman Catholic mission was travelling on the Laird river, in a canoe, alone. His canoe, clothing and food were found, but that he was missing and could not be found. Some of the Indians believed that he had been killed also.

"The Indian who made his statement to Mr. Clarke had at once to hunt back toward the Laird river and will reach there sometime the next spring."

FERMIE REBUILDING SLOWLY BUT SURELY

Merchants Preparing to Erect More Substantial Premises

LETHBRIDGE, Alb., Aug. 26.—W. S. Stanley, of the Fergie Ledger, is the city today on his way to Winnipeg to purchase a plant. The Ledger Company will build a stone and cement building and install an up-to-date plant. In the meantime the Herald is turning out the Ledger.

Mr. Stanley said that Fergie is slowly but surely rising from its ashes. A number of business places have been opened, and many merchants are preparing to put up fire-proof buildings. Hon. Mr. Templeman, representing the Dominion government, and Hon. R. McBride, premier of British Columbia, were in Fergie yesterday. Mr. Templeman looked the situation over carefully, and promised to give the city the assistance it requires. It was proposed that the government should loan the people money to rebuild at 3 per cent, and Mr. Templeman promised to bring the plan before the government.

SAFE SENTENCE.

Some of the West Indian islanders learned that when a foreigner misbehaves himself on their shores it is better to suffer in silence than to meet out punishment at the risk of a visit from a gunboat from the mercantile's native land. A judge in Haiti recently took occasion to pay off old scores to reform his self-respect in case on an offender brought before him. To his first question, as to the nationality of the accused, the interpreter answered that the prisoner was from Switzerland.

"Switzerland," said the judge. "That country has no sea-coast, has it?"

"No, your honor," replied the interpreter.

"And no navy?"

"And no navy, your honor."

"Very well, then," said the judge, "give him a year's hard labor!"

TYPICAL DAY WITH KING OF ENGLAND

It is generally understood that the King of England is one of the hardest-worked men in his kingdom, but it is only by the adoption of a wonderful system that he is able to get through the many and varying tasks that confront him day by day. Though by no means one who retires to bed early, it is usually after midnight before he goes to his own room—he is satisfied at an hour that would surprise those who have not been brought into close contact with him. After a long day's work at Buckingham Palace his Majesty makes his way to what might be termed his "office," a large apartment on the first floor overlooking the beautiful gardens, and proceeds to go through such papers and documents as he may not have had time to examine on the previous night.

NEWS FROM THE HOUSE.

Every night the King receives, no matter where he may be staying, from the Prime Minister or some other member of the Cabinet appointed to do the work for him, an account of what has transpired in the House of Commons during the sitting, and this his Majesty reads with the closest attention. When he has gone through this, and noted any points of special interest, it is passed on in due course to Lord Knollys, the King's private secretary, and right hand, who has it filed carefully so that it may be available for instant reference.

THE KING'S OFFICE.

The room in which the King transacts his work at Buckingham Palace is a very spacious one and furnished with the utmost simplicity. In one of the windows stands a large knee-hole writing table for the King's use, and upon this are placed small piles of paper in perfect order and one or two despatch boxes in royal red leather. In front of this table stands an arm chair of comfortable dimensions, while another smaller chair stands close at hand, bearing pipes, cigarettes, cigars, etc., since the King is rather a heavy smoker. A third writing table has recently been placed in this room for the accommodation of the Prince of Wales, who has lately taken over a large amount of the work formerly attended to by the King in person, and His Royal Highness's private secretary, who is now in London for this purpose, usually arriving between 11 a. m. and 11.30 a. m.

The King breakfasts about 9.30 a. m., and then takes a walk through the palace grounds for about an hour, usually accompanied only by his favorite foot porter, though sometimes he is joined by some of his household staff. His Majesty takes very great interest in gardening, and often pauses to watch the men at work in the grounds.

WHEN REAL WORK BEGINS.

It is about eleven o'clock that His Majesty commences the real work of the day. By this time his secretaries have opened and arranged in his proper order the enormous correspondence that arrives at the Palace for His Majesty's attention. This collection of letters is really amazing, and ranges, probably from a photograph letter from some European Sovereign to the most recent writings of that large number of weak-minded people who seek to get some real or fancied grievance redressed by an appeal to the King. The whole of this correspondence passes through the hands of Lord Knollys first of all, and is carefully sifted before being passed on to His Majesty, so that it may be said at once that no letter, however it may be addressed, can possibly reach the King unless his private secretary considers it of sufficient importance to warrant His Majesty's personal attention.

As might be expected, appeals upon behalf of charitable institutions form a very large portion of the King's correspondence. These are all carefully examined by his private secretary, and a list of the appeals received is carefully prepared for the King's inspection. This list shows the name and address of the charity, the precise object for which the money is required, how much the King or the Queen have previously subscribed, together with other details, and here and there a remark from Lord Knollys. His Majesty then notes on the margin the amount he wishes to subscribe, and checks it off.

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DEATHS

DICK—Suddenly, at Mascarene, St. George, on Aug. 26th, Frank Byron Dick, son of Hazen J. and Eliza A. Dick, in the 16th year of his age. Funeral on Friday at 2 p. m. from his father's residence, 114 Duke street. Services at house at 2 p. m.

ERRATIC CONDUCT OF SPANISH KING

LONDON, Aug. 26.—King Alfonso arrived here tonight and will rejoin Queen Victoria, who is visiting her mother, Princess Henry of Battenberg, sister of King Edward, on the Isle of Wight. His Majesty's arrival was marked by his usual erratic behavior. The Spanish Ambassador went to meet the Dover boat at 5 o'clock to welcome him, while other members of the Embassy met the train from Dover at the Victoria Station at 7 o'clock. None of them saw his Majesty, and there was considerable speculation as to what had become of him. It turned out that he arrived at Folkestone, instead of Dover, and reached the Victoria Station on a special train at 11 o'clock tonight.

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TORTURE CHAMBERS OF CZAR NICHOLAS

Horrors of the Dark Ages Repeated in Russian Prison, Girl Declares

LONDON, Aug. 26.—The following amazing story of the brutalities practiced in the present year by the Czar's agents on defenseless women and children is related by Mary Verdin, a young Russian girl, who has escaped to London after being eight months in a Russian jail. Her story is published in the Daily Chronicle.

"An Estonian girl of eighteen with whom I shared a cell, was arrested on suspicion and placed in the central Riga prison, where her brother and her father had already undergone days of nights of torture. In this prison there is a special room set aside for questioning and torturing prisoners. Three men, Pohl, the agent provocateur, Gregus, the chief of the police de surete of Riga, and Ketekow, the head of the police station in the district of Riga (the latter a specialist in devising tortures), received the girl prisoner and urged her with coarse threats to give evidence against her comrades and friends. This she refused to do.

"She was then, by order of Gregus, placed on the torture bench, a wet cloth was forced into her mouth to prevent her crying out, and they then beat her with their fists on her head and back till she lost consciousness. She was then carried into her cell, but an hour later was brought back to the torture chamber, laid face downward on the bench and flogged.

BEARS TORTURE IN SILENCE.

"Her hair was torn out and she was beaten till she lay half dead, but not taken to Gregus' private office, where she was again questioned about the names of her companions, but she refused to speak. As the night wore on her torturers thrust her for the remainder of the night into a dark closet, and a guard was placed outside to see that no one entered. As she lay half-conscious after the horrible ordeal she had undergone, she could hear the coarse and drunken voices of the guard outside uttering threats against her and reminding her of what she might expect next time she was taken to the torture chamber; but strict orders were given by Gregus saved her from the cowardly Ketekow.

"A few days before her brother had undergone unspeakable tortures in the same prison; and her father had been forced, in an adjoining room, to listen to the agonized cries of his son. Torture chamber No. 2. seqm blu

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A chance like we offer may not happen again this season, so that our advice to the buying public would be: Read carefully and buy quick.

All New Fall Goods can be bought at this Sale at a Saving of from 25 per cent to 50 per cent. less than a month later.

In Men's Clothing Departm't

Men's Standfield Regular \$1.00 Shirts and Drawers. Sale Price.60c
Men's Regular 75c Shirts and Drawers, Natural Wool. Sale Price.45c
Men's Regular 50c Shirts and Drawers, Fleece Lined. Sale Price.35c
Men's Regular 50c Shirts and Drawers, Balbriggan. Sale Price.50c
Men's Regular 75c Shirts and Drawers, Cashmere. Sale Price.50c
Men's Regular 75c Soft Front Shirts. Sale Price.45c
Men's Regular \$1.00 Soft Front Shirts. Sale Price.60c
Men's Regular 75c Soft Front Working Shirts. Sale Price.45c
Men's Regular 75c Night Shirts.45c
Men's Regular 75c White Shirts. Sale Price.45c
Men's Regular \$1.25 White Shirts. Sale Price.60c
500 dozen Men's Regular 5c Handkerchiefs. Sale Price.30c
Men's Regular 50c Black Cashmere Hose. Sale Price.15c
Men's Regular 75c Police Braces. Sale Price.15c
Men's Regular 50c Braces. Sale Price.12c
Men's Regular 55c Neckties. Sale Price.15c
Men's Regular 50c Neckties. Sale Price.30c
Men's Regular 15c Lisle Collars. Sale Price.3 for 25c
Men's Regular \$1.25 Umbrellas. Sale Price.85c
Men's Regular \$2.00 Dark Grey Oxford Pants. Sale Price.\$1.24
Men's Regular \$2.00 Canadian Pants. Sale Price.\$1.24
Men's Regular \$2.75 English Hairline Pants. Sale Price.\$1.95
Men's Regular \$3.00 Hewson Tweed Pants. Sale Price.\$1.95
Men's Regular \$5.00 English Worsted Pants. Sale Price.\$2.45
Men's \$5.50 Canadian Tweed Suits. Sale Price.\$4.50
Men's \$10.00 Canadian Tweed Suits. Sale Price.\$8.45
Men's \$15.00 English Worsted Tweed Suits. Sale Price.\$10.45
Men's \$14.00 Fall Overcoats, long fashionable cut, Progress Brand. Sale Price.\$9.31
Men's \$12.00 Fall Overcoats, long fashionable cut, Progress Brand. Sale Price.\$7.45
Men's \$15.00 Showproof Overcoats, dark grey. Sale Price.\$4.95
REGULAR \$1.75 SUIT CASES.Sale Price \$1.24
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MEN'S \$4.00 BOX CALF LEATHER LINED SHOES.Sale Price \$2.95
MEN'S \$2.00 BLUCHER CUT DONGOLA SHOES.Sale Price \$1.95
MEN'S \$2.00 BLUCHER CUT BUFF SHOES.Sale Price \$1.45
LADIES' \$4.00 PATENT OXFORDS.Sale Price \$2.95
LADIES' \$4.00 PATENT BALS.Sale Price \$2.95
LADIES' \$3.00 DONGOLA BALS.Sale Price \$1.95
LADIES' \$2.25 DONGOLA BALS.Sale Price \$1.45

Ground Floor--Dry Goods Department

200 SOILED SHAKER BLANKETS Worth \$1.25.Sale Price 85c
200 SOILED 10-4 SHAKER BLANKETS Worth \$1.50.Sale Price 95c
100 ALL WOOL BLANKETS Worth \$4.00.Sale Price \$2.95
50 ALL WOOL BLANKETS Worth \$5.00.Sale Price \$3.45
75 ALL WOOL BLANKETS Worth \$6.00.Sale Price \$3.95
150 ALL WOOL SHAWLS Worth \$3.50.Sale Price \$2.75
200 ALL WOOL SHAWLS Worth \$2.75.Sale Price \$1.95
75 ALL WOOL SHAWLS Worth \$2.00.Sale Price \$1.45
50 ALL WOOL SHAWLS Worth \$1.25.Sale Price 85c
80 ALL WOOL SHAWLS Worth 75c.Sale Price 55c
200 ALL WOOL GOLF VESTS Worth \$2.75.Sale Price \$1.95
200 ALL WOOL GOLF VESTS Worth \$1.95.Sale Price \$1.45
200 LADIES' SUMMER VESTS Worth 20c.Two For 25c
200 PAIRS CASHMERE HOSE Worth 25c.Sale Price 19c
150 PAIRS LADIES' HOSE SUPPORTERS Worth 30c.Sale Price 19c
100 PAIRS LADIES' HOSE SUPPORTERS Worth 50c.Sale Price 35c
200 PAIRS LADIES' COTTON HOSE Worth 25c.Two Pairs for 25c
200 CHILDREN'S LITTLE DARLING AND LITTLE PET HOSE, Sold every where for 25 cents, our sale price two pairs for 25 cents.
200 BOXES WILCOX BROS.'S SPECIAL FANCY SOAPS Worth 8c. per cake Sale Price 6 for 25c.

FANCY TOILET SOAPS, POWDERS AND PERFUMES ALL MARKED IN PLAIN FIGURES LESS 20 PER CENT. DURING SALE PRICES.
200 GLOBE ALARM CLOCKS, Sold every where for 90c.Sale Price 65c
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5 PIECE SILVER TEA SET Worth \$20.Sale Price \$14.95
5 PIECE SILVER TEA SET Worth \$14.Sale Price \$9.95
4 PIECE SILVER TEA SET Worth \$10.Sale Price \$7.95
SUGAR SPOONS & BUTTER KNIVES WORTH \$1.50.Sale Price 95c
SUGAR SPOONS & BUTTER KNIVES Worth \$1.00.Sale Price 75c
SUGAR SPOONS & BUTTER KNIVES Worth 85c.Sale Price 45c
SUGAR SPOONS & BUTTER KNIVES Worth 50c.Sale Price 25c

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LADIES' WHITE NET SILK LINED WAISTS, Worth \$7.00.Sale Price \$5.50
LADIES' WHITE NET SILK LINED WAISTS, Worth \$5.00.Sale Price \$4.20
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LADIES' BLACK SILK WAISTS, Worth \$5.50.Sale Price \$5.00
LADIES' BLACK SILK WAISTS, Worth \$7.00.Sale Price \$4.95
LADIES' BLACK SILK WAISTS, Worth \$3.50.Sale Price \$2.95
LADIES' BLACK SILK WAISTS, Worth \$4.50.Sale Price \$3.95
D. & A. AND P. C. CORSETS, Regular Price \$1.25.Sale Price \$1.10
D. & A. AND P. C. CORSETS, Regular Price \$1.00.Sale Price 85c
D. & A. AND P. C. CORSETS, Regular Price \$1.00.Sale Price 75c
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OUR TAPE GIRDLE CORSET Sold Everywhere for 25c.Sale Price 25c

Cloak Department

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100 BLACK VEN. SKIRTS, Regular Price \$6.50.Sale Price \$4.50
150 BLUE AND BLACK VICUNA SKIRTS, Regular Price \$4.50.Sale Price \$3.25
200 BLUE AND BLACK VICUNA SKIRTS, Regular Price \$3.50.Sale Price \$2.50
SHORT BOX COATS.From \$2.50 to \$6.50
LONG TIGHT FITTING RAINCOATS, Worth \$10.00.For \$5.95
All Fall Coats, Suits and Furs marked in plain figures, less 20 per cent. during Sale.

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NEW YORK STOCK QUOTATIONS.
(Published by D. C. Cline, Banker and Broker.
Chicago Market Report and New York
Cotton Market.
St. John, N. B., Aug. 27.
C.F. Op's Noon.

Amalg. Copper...	78 1/2	79 1/2
Am. Sugar Ref.	135	135
Am. Smelt. and Ref.	90 1/2	90 1/2
Am. Car Foundry	87 1/2	87 1/2
Ascham...	84 1/2	84 1/2
Am. Locomotive	56	56
Brook. Rfd. Trst.	94	94 1/2
Balt. and Ohio	41 1/2	41 1/2
Ches. and Ohio	41 1/2	41 1/2
Can. Pac.	175 1/2	175 1/2
Chi. and G. West.	33 1/2	34
Colo. F. and Iron	33 1/2	34
Consolidated Gas	127 1/2	127 1/2
Erie	23 1/2	23 1/2
Erie, First pfd.	37 1/2	37 1/2
Illinois Central	137	138
Kansas and Tex.	31	31 1/2
Great Northern pfd.	128 1/2	128 1/2
Louis. and Nashv.	109 1/2	109 1/2
Mo. Pac.	121 1/2	121 1/2
Missouri Pacific	67 1/2	67 1/2
Nor. and Western	73	73
N. Y. Central	105	105
North West	109 1/2	109 1/2
Ont. and Western	43 1/2	43 1/2
Pacific Mail	90 1/2	90 1/2
Pac. C. and O. Co.	90 1/2	90 1/2
Reading	124 1/2	124 1/2
Republic Steel	22 1/2	22 1/2
St. Paul	145 1/2	145 1/2
Pennsylvania	124 1/2	124 1/2
Rock Island	18 1/2	18 1/2
St. Paul	145 1/2	145 1/2
Southern Ry.	19 1/2	19 1/2
Southern Pacific	101 1/2	101 1/2
Northern Pacific	147 1/2	147 1/2
National Lead	84 1/2	84 1/2
Union Pacific	183 1/2	183 1/2
U. S. Rubber	45 1/2	45 1/2
U. S. Steel	108 1/2	108 1/2
U. S. Steel, pfd.	108 1/2	108 1/2
Wabash	108 1/2	108 1/2
Total sales in New York yesterday, 276,000 shares.		

CHICAGO MARKET REPORT.

Sept. corn	77 1/2	77 1/2
" wheat	94 1/2	94 1/2
" oats	14 1/2	14 1/2
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" wheat	94 1/2	94 1/2
" oats	14 1/2	14 1/2
May corn	94 1/2	94 1/2
" wheat	94 1/2	94 1/2
" oats	14 1/2	14 1/2

MONTREAL QUOTATIONS.

Dom. Coal	14 1/2	14 1/2
Dom. Iron and Steel	14 1/2	14 1/2
Dom. L. and S. pfd.	64 1/2	64 1/2
Nova Scotia Steel	48	48
C. P. R.	17 1/2	17 1/2
Tw. City	89	89
Montreal Power	91 1/2	91 1/2
Rich. and Ont. Ry.	77 1/2	77 1/2
Detroit United	38 1/2	38 1/2
Toronto St. Ry.	104 1/2	104 1/2
Ill. Trans. pfd.	98	98
Mexican L. and S.	77 1/2	77 1/2

NEW YORK COTTON MARKET.

October	2 1/2	2 1/2
December	2 1/2	2 1/2
January	2 1/2	2 1/2
March	2 1/2	2 1/2

J. M. ROBINSON AND SONS.

Private Wire Telegram.
Morning Sales, August 27.
Mont. Power—250,000; 30¢/100.
Mexican Pfd—100,000.
Rio—50¢/100.
Sec—100,000; 50¢/100; 25¢/100.
100,000; 50¢/100.
Mont. Steel—10,000.
Lake of Wood—50,000; 30¢/100.
C. P. R.—50,000; 70¢/100; 20¢/100.
Dom. Iron—50,000; 30¢/100.
Shawinigan—50,000.

DEATH IN THE TELEPHONE.

According to a report by a medical officer from Westminster to The Standard, a startling result has been attained from a test to discover whether tuberculosis germs in telephone mouths please.

FACTS FOR SICK WOMEN.

For thirty years Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, made from roots and herbs, has been the standard remedy for female ills, and has positively cured thousands of women who have been troubled with displacements, inflammation, ulceration, fibroid tumors, irregularities, periodic pains, backache, that bearing-down feeling, flatulency, indigestion, dizziness or nervous prostration.

DO YOU COUNT YOUR STEPS?

Do you count your steps? It is a price and a useless price, but at the back of his head this writer is always counting his steps. He can tell you the number of steps that he has taken from his Kensington to South Kensington station (there is an unlucky thirteen at the station) until he has mounted to the office window. And when he put the question to his wife she could not tell the number of the stairs she had climbed (they are twenty) for three years to the first floor flat—London Chronicle.

OTTAWA MUST DEAL WITH VICTORIA BAND TROUBLE

Situation Among Regimental Bands Amounts to Incident
Mullin.

HELD UP PROGRAMME UNTIL HUGHES LEFT

Turf Men Wouldn't Go on With Races Until Governor Left Grounds

OVER AN HOUR'S DELAY

BALLETON, N. Y., Aug. 26.—For an hour and a half this afternoon the openly expressed hostility of owners of trotting horses taking part in the events at the Saratoga County Fair toward Governor Hughes held up the racing programme at the fair grounds here.

ST. LOUIS JUDGE HAS CLOSE CALL

Wanders Two Days in Mountains Without Food or Shelter

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Before Tony Pastor improved vaudeville the old variety shows were simply resorts where men could drink and smoke and be regaled by dancing and more or less raucous singing. There was money in catering to men who took their enjoyment from the stage, and it was in it today, but Tony Pastor conceived the idea of inducing women to patronize the variety shows, and he was successful. He consisted of little sacks of flour. Later on clocks were substituted. We consider it a distinct degeneration from the old to the modern butta bearing the photograph of one of the performers.

THINKS HE'S THE ONLY HONEST MAN IN CANADA

One Would So Consider H. B. Ames After Hearing Him, Declares Fisher

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One of the Commonest and Most Dangerous of Diseases. Prepared for it with a Bottle of Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry.

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STENOGRAPHER WANTED.—In Law Office. Apply, stating age and previous experience to P. O. Box 151, 27-4.

WANTED—Girl to work in labelling

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TONY PASTOR AND THE SHOW BUSINESS.

NEW YORK, Aug. 27.—Tony Pastor is dead.

SOME FAMOUS PREMIERES.

Many famous actors, and actresses made their first appearance at Tony Pastor's house. Among them may be mentioned Francis Wilson, Nat Goodwin, Lillian Russell, May and F. F. French, and the French Sisters, Harry and John Kemmler and the older P. Rooney. On the Rialto his reputation for charity is great, and many of the stories told of him, and until recently he has gone on the stage and done his little turn, thunderously applauded.

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TWO DEATHS RESULT

More Than Three Inches of Rain Falls—Thermometer at 56

NEW YORK, Aug. 27.—A terrific downpour of rain, lasting for more than twenty-four hours and attended by the coldest August weather New York has experienced for twenty-three years, was responsible for two deaths today and great property damage. More than three inches of rain fell and the thermometer registered as low as fifty-six degrees. Not since Aug. 27, 28 and 29, 1885, has it been so cold during this month. A chill wind, which blew a gale during the night, tore up trees and levelled dead crops in the vicinity of New York. Those to meet death were John Lynch, who was drawn into a broken sewer hole in New York while at work with a repair gang, and an unidentified cripple, who sought shelter from the cold and rain in an East Side hallway. The cripple wrapped his body in papers, but the rain soaked through and a few hours later he was found dead.

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FUNERAL NOTICE

The members of Court Loyalist, No. 121, I. O. F. and Royal Foresters, are requested to meet at their hall, Simpsons street, tonight, to make arrangements to attend the funeral of their late brother, R. W. Wilson.

LOCAL NEWS.

There will be a meeting of Division No. 1 A. O. H. in St. Malloch's Hall this Thursday evening at 8 o'clock sharp. Reports of convention. Other important business. Full attendance of members requested.

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THE STAR, ST. JOHN, N. B. THURSDAY, AUGUST 27, 1908.

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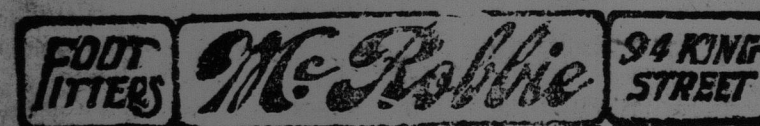
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THE WEATHER

Maritime.—Fresh northeast winds and fair weather in New Brunswick. Moderate North East gales with occasional rain in Nova Scotia.

LOCAL NEWS

St. John Exhibition, September 12th to 19th.

Five drunks were dealt with in the usual manner in the police court this morning.

Thos. Gibbard, of the Canadian Drug Co., returned to the city on the Montreal train today.

Police Covey was called into Edward Nairn's house, on Westmoreland Road, yesterday to quell a disturbance.

Fall Suits in the new drab shades and olive colors are shown at Edgewood's North End store in a handsome variety.

The rifle range has been reserved for the Artillery on Saturday afternoon when they will shoot for the Solomon Cup.

After the officers of the Ladies' Auxiliary of the A. O. H. were installed this morning the convention was brought to a close. The visiting delegates are leaving for home this afternoon.

Miss Mattie Dounde, of Indianapolis, Ind., Superintendent of children's work, and a prominent worker in the Christian Church, will address the children in Coburg street church this evening at 7.30 o'clock, and adults at 8. The public are invited.

The County Court was to have met this morning, but as there was no civil business for consideration an adjournment was made until Tuesday next, when the criminal case of the King vs. Frank Burns will be tried. Solicitor General McLeod will prosecute and J. A. Barry will defend.

S. R. Weldon, a prominent member of the Independent Order of Foresters, is dead, and the members of Court Loyalist and the Royal Foresters are to meet in their hall, Simonds street, tonight, to make arrangements to attend the funeral.

Hiram B. Jones chief engineer of S. S. Elaine, desirous to return his sincere thanks to the many friends that showed him sympathy in the death of his beloved wife (late daughter of Benjamin Nelson, vice of this city), and especially desirous to thank the owners and management of the Saint John River S. S. Company for floral tributes and other sympathies shown.

An outing club was formed at Brown's Flats on Aug. 23rd, with the following officers: G. H. Green, President; Wm. Tait, 1st vice-president; F. S. Thomas, 2nd vice-president; Dr. J. H. Barton, 3rd vice-president; R. H. Sinclair, secretary; Dr. G. G. S. Pringle, secretary; R. C. Thomas, corresponding secretary.

It was reported this morning that two more boys had escaped from the Royal Industrial Hostel at Crowder's. The superintendent at the Home would not confirm or deny the report, but said he had no information as to the matter. The central police station had not been notified until 1.30 o'clock.

Mayor Bullock refused this morning to make any statement regarding the attack on his action in granting a license for the boxing exhibition which was made on him at the Methodist district meeting yesterday. He said he would be ready for the delegation from the church when they waited on him.

Rev. M. Johnson, who is at present occupying the pulpit at Calvin Church, fell in a faint about one o'clock on the corner of Sydney street and King Square. His face was quite badly bruised by coming in contact with a building. He was taken into a store near the corner and revived sufficiently to be aided to his boarding house on King Square. It is thought that over study was the cause of his fainting.

The business of the Maple Leaf Tea Company, which for some years past has made a specialty of the sale of Maple Leaf Tea under the direction of James Dillon, has been purchased by Phillip M. O'Neill, who intends to extend the business considerably and to carry it on in connection with a wholesale liquor business on North Wharf. The business will be continued under the name of The Maple Leaf Tea Company.

FREDERICTON NEWS.

Anniversary of the Cathedral.—Col. McLean's Campaign Worrying Mr. Wilmot—Opening of New Bridge.

FREDERICTON, N. B., Aug. 27.—The fifty-fifth anniversary of the consecration of Christ Church Cathedral will be observed next Sunday morning by a special service to be conducted by Rev. E. A. Armstrong, the rector of Trinity Church, St. John.

R. D. Wilmot, M. P., for Sunbury-Queens, is in town today and had a lengthy conference with A. R. Slipp, M. P. P. The genial member is said to be much worried over the aggressive campaign being put up by Col. McLean in Queens County and is endeavoring to arrange a series of meetings in the Conservative interests.

A monster picnic is being held at Pokok to celebrate the opening of traffic of the splendid new steel bridge which spans the St. John river at that place. The structure consists of four spans, having a total length of 755 feet and rests on solid masonry abutments. The largest span has a length of 255 feet, being the second longest in the province.

BIG DEMONSTRATION FOR COL. McLEAN

Meeting Was the Largest Ever Held in Queens.

Hall Filled and Many Unable to Gain Admission.—Speakers Well Received and Great Enthusiasm Shown.

CHIPMAN, Aug. 27.—Last night at Chipman, largest and most interesting political meeting ever witnessed in Queens county was held in the interests of the Liberal party.

The meeting was held in Forrester's Hall. The hall, which seats 700, was filled and over three hundred people were unable to gain admission to the meeting. A great deal of enthusiasm prevailed and the gathering was a great success in every particular.

The chair was taken at eight o'clock by Senator King, who, in a few brief words, introduced the speakers of the evening, the first being the candidate, Col. H. H. McLean.

Col. McLean, on being called upon was received in the most hearty manner. The colonel in a brief speech went into the different issues of the campaign. First and foremost he dealt with the Union Trust Company case in a severe scoring at the colonel's hands. On account of the other speakers following, the colonel made his remarks brief and in concluding said he hoped soon to be in Chipman again when he could speak longer.

A. K. McLean, M. P., was the next speaker. In a concise manner he went into the duties of a government and showed clearly that the Liberal Government had fulfilled their duty during the last session. He referred briefly to the Colchester election scandal and showed the hypocrisy of the Conservatives in this connection. Mr. McLean also dealt with and answered fully the so-called scandal in the pamphlet called "Facts."

F. B. Carvell, M. P., followed Mr. McLean and was received in a very enthusiastic manner by the people of Chipman, this being Mr. Carvell's Chipman trip to the County of Queens. Mr. Carvell in opening stated that he was going to deal with scandals because during the campaign the whole policy of the Conservatives would be scandal and as the result the campaign would be a scandalous one. Therefore he would reply to the so-called scandals of the opposition. He went briefly into the different matters and answered fully the charges made by opposition speakers and press. He showed the growth of trade and prosperity under the Liberal rule as compared with that prior to 1896.

He referred briefly to the construction of the G. T. P. and other political issues.

A. B. Copp, M. P. P., the last speaker of the evening, was very brief in his remarks, but in a short speech, he showed how rapidly the financial condition of Canada had improved under Liberal rule.

The meeting closed with cheers for the candidates and God Save the King. Before the meeting opened a short concert was given by the First Regimental Band.

CLOTHES LOCKED UP WHEN ROOM RENT WAS UNPAID

In the civil court this morning the docket was a short one. Some time was taken up with a suit in which Proprietor Goggin of the Metropolitan House endeavored to secure room rent that he claims is due him by a waiter in an uptown hotel. The evidence offered for the defense was that a compromise for half of the amount alleged to be due was made with Mr. Goggin and accepted. The waiter and his brother told of being in their hard luck when they found that Mr. Goggin held their clothing for rent, and nailed up their room door. He, however, condescended to allow the waiter to remove one clean shirt and collar to wear on Sunday. The waiter was later on obliged to remove his trunk from the hotel without the knowledge of the proprietor.

The magistrate reserved judgment in the case.

PERSONAL

Mrs. Walter F. Sprout will receive at her home, 62 St. Patrick street, Thursday afternoon and evening, Aug. 27, Miss A. DeForest has left for New York to attend the millinery openings.

Mrs. M. J. Leary, of the MacLaughlin millinery staff, left last evening to attend the New York openings.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Warnock after touring Nova Scotia and Cape Breton, returned last evening to their home in Dorchester, Mass.

Mrs. Laura McKean and two children of Roxbury, are spending their vacation with Mrs. Henry Warren, 136 Broad street.

Miss Edna M. Niles, Douglas Ave., returned home from Fredericton, on Tuesday, where she has been the guest of her cousin, Miss Ethelyn Moore.

O. G. Irving and bride, of Boston, are visiting Mr. Irving's father, Mr. J. J. Irving.

Mr. and Mrs. Hurd Peters returned this morning from Fredericton.

Judge Gregory arrived in the city on the Atlantic express this morning.

Mrs. Wm. White returned to the city this morning.

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Pure Cream Tartar, 25c. lb. And many others too numerous to mention.
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