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UNRAVELLING THE TANGLE.

Will Probably Drop Base Ball from the M. P. A. A. Jurisdiction...Echoes of the Political Campaign in Moncton...May Oppose Hon. Mr. McSweeney.

Moncton, N. B., Nov. 9.—(Special.) R. T. McIlwain, president, and J. T. Lithgow, secretary, of the M. P. A. A., had a meeting with the Moncton Athletic Association...

OFFICIAL FIGURES. WILMOT'S MAJORITY.

He Carried Sunbury by 148 but was 30 Behind in Queens...Soldiers Receive Increase in their Pay...The Supreme Court.

Frederick, N. B., Nov. 9.—(Special.)—R. D. Wilmot, conservative, was yesterday declared elected for Sunbury and Queens by a majority of 118. The official figures are Wilmot, 1917, Hay, 1799; Wilmot carried Sunbury by 148 and had a minority of thirty in Queens.

FIRST CABINET MEETING SINCE THE CAMPAIGN.

The Premier is Meeting His Ministers this Afternoon...Mr. Blair's Successor will be Considered and Future Plans Mapped Out.

Ottawa, Nov. 9.—(Special.)—A meeting of the cabinet has been called for three o'clock when most of the ministers will be in attendance.

OFFICIAL FIGURES. A FIRE BUG SENTENCED.

Declaration in Halifax Returns Roche and Carney. Halifax, Nov. 9.—(Special.)—This was declaration day for Halifax. The sheriff's official figures are: Roche, 7450; Carney, 7217; Borden, 6830; O'Mullin, 6472.

ROOSEVELT VICTORIOUS.

REPUBLICANS SWEEP ALL BUT THE SOUTHERN STATES.

The Next House of Representatives will be Heavily Republican...Parker Congratulates Roosevelt...Maryland is in the Victorious Column...Latest Reports from the Various States.

New York, Nov. 9.—President Roosevelt probably will have 325 electoral votes as the result of yesterday's balloting. Late unofficial returns from several states are still incomplete, but there is no doubt that the state has gone republican by a small majority.

In Maryland. Baltimore, Md., Nov. 9.—Complete returns from Baltimore give Parker 47,976 votes and Roosevelt 47,494, a democratic plurality of 482.

Parker's Congratulations. Esopus, N. Y., Nov. 9.—Last night Mr. Parker sent the following telegram to the President, Washington, D. C.: "The people by their votes have unphatically approved your administration, and I congratulate you."

In Missouri. Kansas City, Mo., Nov. 9.—The Times (Independent) says: The indications point more strongly to the probability that Roosevelt and Fairbanks have carried Missouri and that the plurality of Joseph W. Folk (dem.) is 20,000.

Massachusetts. Boston, Nov. 9.—The defeat of Gov. John L. Bates for a third term by Wm. L. Douglas, the democratic candidate and the tremendous vote cast throughout the state were the features of yesterday's election.

General Reports. New York, Nov. 9.—In New York state the Republicans have elected 35 state senators and the Democrats 15. The Republicans elected 105 as a majority in the assembly.

Philadelphia, Pa., Nov. 9.—Roosevelt's majority in this state will reach the unprecedented figure of 400,000 and the Republicans have probably elected 31 out of the 32 congressmen. The only democratic congressman who now appears sure of election is Kline.

SITUATION IN PORT ARTHUR.

Bodies of Dead Unburied and Eaten by Dogs...The Russians Driven Almost to the Last Ditch...The Fall of the Fort Cannot be Delayed.

The Foo, Nov. 9.—12.30 p. m.—The Japanese continue to bombard Port Arthur and the shells are falling so incessantly that the Russians have practically abandoned the repair of the works protecting the harbor.

GRAND TRUNK PACIFIC IS THE SAVIOUR OF PORTLAND.

The Maine City Destined to Become One of the Most Important on the Atlantic Coast...The Position St. John Should Have Had.

(Bangor News, Nov. 9.) The victory of the liberals over the conservatives in the Canadian election means that Portland is destined to become, within ten years, one of the most important export cities on the Atlantic coast.

LEGISLATURE DISSOLVED.

Charlottetown, P. E. I., Nov. 9.—(Special.)—The provincial legislature was dissolved at 12 o'clock today.

THE DEATH ROLL.

Mrs. Jane Porter. Mrs. Jane Porter, widow of the late David Porter, of Jubilee, Kings Co., died, yesterday afternoon from inflammation of the lungs.

THE OPERA HOUSE.

The Daily Stock company tonight will repeat the bill they played Monday and Tuesday, namely "Heurt and St."

Nothing, as far as can be seen, can stop the extension for the victory for the liberals in five years, four years at the shortest, and by that time the Canadian government will be pledged to carry it through.

WILL HONOR EARL GREY.

McGill Will Confer LL. D. on New Governor General. Montreal, Nov. 9.—(Special.)—The degree of L. L. D. will be conferred by McGill University upon Earl Grey, when he succeeds Lord Minto, as Governor General of Canada.

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Two Blooming Bay Trees. The Adventures of Two Criminals.

Mr. Reginald Childs-Gordon, M. P., sat in his dressing-gown and slippers, gloomily surveying the prospect before him. An evening paper, open at the Money column, lay on a table by his side. It had cost him a penny, and appraised him of his ruin.

Olive Wyle, the young lady in question, came of age that week, and her trustees must then either be prepared with the money and jewels, or be found out. This fact it was that had decided him to commence his flight at once.

Two plans presented themselves. The first, to make a sudden and unexpected attack, in which he might hope to stun or disable one, and perhaps to put the other to flight; the other, to try to make them drunk.

HONORED COL. E. B. BEER Who is Removing From Sussex to Halifax--Personal Notes.

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KING EDWARD VII.

Long live the king! Edward the Seventh, King of England and Emperor of India, ruler of the greatest of the world's empires, is today sixty-three years of age.

Throughout a vast empire the king is fervently expressed that he may live for many years to wear the crown which he adorns. No other living sovereign is so beloved by his people, and no ruler enjoys so truly the confidence and esteem of all classes and conditions of people within his realm.

King Edward is no autocrat, nor is he a mere figurehead. Like his Victorian mother, he exerts a powerful personal influence, backed by the wisdom of a statesman and the sympathy of a noble heart. Whatever affects the lives and fortunes of his people is his personal concern. He is a wise counsellor, a friend of the world's peace, and an upholder of the dignity that pertains to his exalted office.

It was indeed a providential fact that when the sceptre fell from the dying hand of the great Queen it was taken up by one so worthy and so highly gifted, to whom it has been a delight as well as a duty to honor the traditions of her long and illustrious reign.

King Edward has impressed his splendid personality upon the history of his time. As Prince of Wales he was a great popular favorite, but nothing in his earlier life became him so well as the dignity and wisdom of these later years, when in "the white light that beats upon a throne", he stands revealed as the friend of his own people, and a potent influence exerted for the good of the world.

Glancing backward today to the time when he visited the city of St. John, and recalling the marvellous changes of the intervening years, it is a fact to be noted with pride and satisfaction that as prince and as king he has kept pace with the progress of the empire and the world, and is today one of the most hopeful and enlightened of living statesmen. If he were not a king, but the citizen of a republic, his virtues and his great talents would command for him the highest honors at the hands of his fellow citizens. And that is why today, throughout the empire, the people sing "God Save the King", and in foreign countries it is said of Britain's ruler that he is an upright, noble and progressive sovereign.

The English people in centuries past have tolerated some monarchs of indifferent character and talent, but have not hesitated to change their ruler when such action seemed for the public good. King Edward is the constitutional head of the empire, and as such is honored and revered, but it is not at the head of a governmental system that he is honored today. Thrones and crowns are less impressive than in the days of old. King Edward manifested some of the qualities of the tyrant, the people might tolerate him rather than disturb their traditions of government; but he is so far removed from the tyrannical that it is of the man rather than the king that most people are thinking.

Not less beloved is she who shares his life and its great responsibilities, Queen Alexandra, whose character is typical of all that is pure and true and noble in womanhood, and to whom the highest honors have been but the call to the performance of higher duties.

FAST ATLANTIC LINE.

The Halifax board of trade has appointed a committee of five members to take up again the question of a fast Atlantic service. The Herald's report says:—

Alex. Stephen said that the people now having decided for the government's transatlantic railway scheme, which at present is terminated at Moncton, the problem for Halifax was how are we to get most closely in touch with the Moncton terminus, in order to devise some means and assist the fast Atlantic idea. He suggested two things, one of which must be done first, the straightening and double-tracking of the intercolonial, or, secondly, the building of a new and short line between the seaboard and Moncton. The board should see to it that the government is firmly memorialized on this subject. Millions are being spent in the west on railways and canals, and we in the maritime provinces are entitled to this connection with the transcontinental railway and the swift ocean liner. Let us go to the government as business men and discuss this matter, so that eventually a fast Atlantic line shall become an accomplished fact. He moved that a special committee of five be appointed to take up the whole matter.

Hon. William Ross and President De Wolf emphasized the point that no service not the best would be satisfactory. Mr. Stephen's resolution was seconded by A. M. Payne, and a committee was appointed consisting of Alexander Stephen, O. S. Campbell, Hon. William Ross, A. M. Payne and J. E. De Wolf. J. P. Longard said there were two points that should be insisted upon first that the proposed line should be equal to the fastest, and that the

selection of the port to be used should be left to the company tendering. Hon. William Ross added to this that the government grant should be adequate and liberal. Mr. Longard made the further suggestion that the naming of the amount required should be left with the company offering for the service.

The action of the Halifax board is in line with that of the maritime board, which at Moncton last summer declared itself emphatically in favor of the long promised fast Atlantic service. The members of the Halifax board, in view of the fact that the province of Nova Scotia has sent a solid delegation to support the government, evidently feel that now is the time to press for better railway and steamship services.

REPUBLICAN VICTORY.

President Roosevelt has been re-elected president of the United States by an overwhelming majority of votes in the electoral college.

The Times yesterday published a republican forecast in which it was claimed that Roosevelt would carry the following states, representing 306 votes in the electoral college: California 10, Connecticut 7, Delaware 3, Idaho 3, Illinois 27, Indiana 13, Iowa 13, Kansas 10, Maine 10, Massachusetts 16, Michigan 14, Minnesota 14, Nebraska 8, New Hampshire 4, New Jersey 12, New York 39, North Dakota 4, Ohio 23, Oregon 4, Pennsylvania 34, Rhode Island 4, South Dakota 4, Utah 4, Vermont 5, West Virginia 5, Wisconsin 7, Wyoming 3.

Total 306. Not only have the republicans carried these states, but they also appear to have won Colorado, Maryland, Montana and Nevada, which would give 19 more votes in the electoral college. They have swept the eastern middle and western states. The south, as usual, went democratic. The democrats carried Alabama, Arkansas, Florida, Georgia, Kentucky, Louisiana, Mississippi, Missouri, North and South Carolina, Tennessee, Texas, and Virginia, a total of 151 votes, compared with 325 for Roosevelt.

The result shows that the people of the United States prefer a positive to a negative policy, and that what has been termed the imperialistic tendency of the present government has appealed to the popular imagination far more strongly than the less aggressive policy of the democrats.

When President Roosevelt first went to the White House there was some degree of fear lest his impetuous and impulsive nature would lead him into acts of rashness, but his fears have proved groundless. He has been a safe as well as an able president, and the people have shown their appreciation in the most signal manner by the vote of yesterday.

AN AMERICAN INSTANCES.

A St. John gentleman a few days ago received from a friend in New York a letter containing the following accurate forecast of the presidential election:—

I believe Roosevelt will be re-elected, but as New York City and Brooklyn are both democratic hotbeds we often get imbued with our surroundings, and which are apt to tinge our beliefs with doubt. The country is prosperous, money is easy, and only a democratic victory could unsettle matters. Even then it would be temporary, for here, no matter which party wins, the defeated and the victors always kiss and make up.

Not only was this gentleman right about the re-election of Roosevelt, but also about the kissing and making up, as was shown by Mr. Parker's telegram of congratulation to Mr. Roosevelt last night, and the President's reply.

This cheerful American habit is commended to the Sun and Globe, and to the candidates in York and elsewhere.

President De Wolf of the Halifax board of trade says it is the general opinion that Halifax cannot arrange to hold the dominion exhibition in 1905, but he thinks they should have it in 1906.

The Halifax board of trade has adopted the following resolution:— "Resolved, that the council of the board again take up the matter of marine insurance rates and endeavor to have a committee of Lloyd's visit all ocean ports in the Dominion and

elsewhere deemed advisable, and approach the city council with a view of ascertaining the best means of raising the necessary funds to defray the expenses of said committee."

The Amherst News notes the fact that there are seven vacancies to be filled in the Nova Scotia legislature. Six were caused by the resignation of Messrs Finlayson, Sinclair, A. K. McLean, D. P. McKenzie, E. M. McDonald, and F. A. Lawrence, all of whom now represent their different constituencies in the federal house. The seventh vacancy was brought about by the appointment of the Hon. T. R. Black to the Senate.

OBITUARY.

Mrs. J. R. McConnell. The death of Mrs. J. R. McConnell, took place yesterday, at Yarmouth, after a week's illness. She was formerly Miss Annie Leahy, of this city, and leaves a husband and two small children. Mr. McConnell was formerly of St. John, but now in the boot and shoe business at Yarmouth. The body will be brought here by the Prince Rupert for burial.

Joseph A. Balcom.

At Musquash on Saturday an old and much respected resident of the parish died in the person of Joseph A. Balcom. Mr. Balcom carried on an extensive lumber business, and was for a time the largest shipper of spilling in the country. Through the failure of the firms with which he dealt in New York he lost considerable money, and had to go out of business. Afterwards he carried on farming. Mr. Balcom was very active in politics and was supervisor of roads for many years under the provincial government. A wife and one daughter survive. The funeral took place yesterday afternoon from his home in Musquash.

Moses Greenlaw.

Moses Greenlaw, a respected resident of Waverly, Charlotte Co., died Saturday morning at the advanced age of seventy-two. He was born in New Jersey and is survived by a widow and eight children, sons, William, in San Francisco, Jewett, in Europe, Harry, D. D. S., West Superior, Wis., Amos and Elmer, at the home; King of this city of Hart and Greenlaw; daughters, Maude, wife of T. A. Hart, M. P. P., St. Andrew's, and at home with her widowed mother.

Samuel Doyen.

Samuel Doyen, one of the oldest residents of Bangor, died Saturday afternoon at his home, 111 Commercial street, after less than a month's illness. Funeral services will be held at Court street, Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

He was born July 2, 1826, in Upper Keweenaw, New Brunswick, but came to Maine to live at an early age. He learned thoroughly the art of cigar making and cooper and formerly worked for the late Jacob Garland, but later carried on a large business of his own. Mr. Doyen learned the trade of him, and succeeding to his business seven years ago. He was married April 30, 1849, to Miss Emily J. Delano, and although six children were born to them, only two are now living. His wife died in infancy, one daughter, Rosetta E., having died while he was in the army in 1876, and another died in 1878 as the wife of George W. E. Harrows.

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THE KING'S POPULARITY.

In an article on King Edward at the Marston, the Metropolitan Magazine says:— "Looking very much like a prosperous Hebrew Wall street banker, the King of England went by with a remarkable spry gait for a man of three-score.

"You look after him with the rest and if you are very curious you join in the thronging crowd that dog his movements. The King is very popular. The poor Polish Jews fairly worship him, for he is said to be sympathetic. As if the earth contained no bomb-throwing assassins, the King of Great Britain and Emperor of the Indies comes down every morning of his two weeks' sojourn at 7 o'clock precisely.

His valet hands him a glass tumbler and a red napkin. He starts to drink to talk, and if the day is fine, to laugh. Such a hearty unaffected laugh you do not hear often from the lungs of a young man. Everything amuses him. He has forgotten affairs of State, forgotten, too, tedious ceremonial. He wears a loose-fitting flannel or tweed and sports an Alpine stalker upon his Imperial brow. When he stops several thousand people stop, when he pauses to pay a pretty shop girl in the Colonnade a compliment, a gratified murmur is heard in the vast mob. He has done a popular thing, and that girl is marked for life."

A CHINESE SPY.

Shanghai, Nov. 8.—It is reported here that a Chinese official of high rank was executed by the Japanese on Nov. 2 at the village of Shikho. The official was discovered in the act of spying on the movements of Japanese troops, he is said on the order of the Chinese military Governor of the province of Szeching.

FATAL EXPLOSION.

Leavenworth, Kas., Nov. 8.—By the explosion of the boiler here today the Kemp furniture factory was practically destroyed. Green Noid, who was killed and five other employees more or less seriously injured. Loss \$120,000.

OLDEST MASON IN AMERICA IS HALE AND HARTY AT 103.

James Bellows McGregor, of Northville, N. H., Was Made a Free Mason in 1825, and is Still an Enthusiastic Craftsman.

James Bellows McGregor, of Northville, N. H., is indisputably the oldest living mason on the continent of America. Recently this well preserved patriarch of the Order of Freemasonry celebrated his 103rd birthday, surrounded by representatives of five generations of his family, who joined with him in singing the songs of his boyhood days.

It was in 1825 that McGregor became a member of the Masonic order, and he has steadfastly adhered to its principles ever since, being recognized as one of the strongest and most faithful supporters of the order on this continent. It is no uncommon thing for high dignitaries of the Masonic fraternity to journey many miles to see him and have a chat regarding Masonry of the olden times, and he is known to thousands of Masons all over the world as the "grand old man" of the order.

Next to a good long talk with the brother McGregor's greatest measure of happiness and delight is to walk about the grounds of his old home, where he was born and played as a mere child, and where, one hundred years ago, he vividly recollects having drank from the old wooden watering trough on grounds adjoining the farm. It is this treasured spot where many never-to-be-forgotten scenes of which he was a part, took place nearly a century ago.

That the old house in which he was born and even the old wooden watering trough at which he drank when a child are still in existence is somewhat remarkable, and indeed, it is exceedingly doubtful if there is another man or woman in the United States one hundred years old or more who can point to the old home in which he was born. Such instances are rare in any part of the world, and Mr. McGregor's ability to do this adds another feature to his interesting and venerable man in America was born on September 6, 1801, at North Newport, N. H., only a few

PARISIAN LOVER IN MEMORY OF A SQUARE MEAL.

Invites His Former Sweetheart to Dinner and Shaves Her Head. (London Globe.) A jilted lover named Leonard Duceux has just adopted an extremely cruel method of avenging himself on a large westchester who refused to listen to his proposal. The young lady's name is Leonie Rousseau, and when she refused the invitation to her admirer, the latter, though appearing greatly depressed by the failure, went away as if nothing had happened. He was going to take his dismissal in a manly way. This, however, was not the intention, for he informed one of his friends that the matter was not done with. He patiently bided his time, and on the morning of the 1st inst. he called on the girl, and thought out his diabolical plan. Then he posted himself in a street in the Latin quarter, along which he knew Leonie Rousseau would have to pass. When she appeared he walked up to her as though the meeting had been arranged, and smilingly asked her if she would, for old acquaintance sake, take luncheon with him.

Thinking the invitation was really given in a friendly spirit the girl accepted, and soon the two were seated together in a private dining room in a restaurant on the Boulevard Saint-Michel. The menu was good, and was washed down with some excellent wine, but Leonie Rousseau did not notice that just as the meal ended her companion emptied the contents of a paper in her glass. She drank up the wine, and a few minutes later found a drowsy feeling creep over her, and then she went right off to sleep. What was her horror when she was awakened, with difficulty, an hour later by the waiter, to find that she had slipped downstairs, and a beautiful crop of fair hair, was entirely bald!

The bitter-hearted one-time lover had avenged himself by dragging her and completely shaving her head. Then, without raising any suspicion, he had slipped downstairs, paid the bill, said his companion would disappear in a moment, or two, and disappeared. The disconsolate girl, her eyes dim with tears, persuaded the restaurant proprietor to send to a hairdresser's for a wig, with which temporary covering she is now sequestered, aided by the police, the whereabouts of her vengeful former suitor.

THE PROVINCE WILL HELP.

Hon. L. J. Tweedie, Hon. C. H. LaBelle, Hon. E. P. Farris and Hon. F. J. Sweeney came down last night from Fredericton, where they held a meeting of the government. Hon. Wm. Pugsley returned to the city today.

One of the matters considered by the government, last night, was a communication from Miss Ellnor C. L. Close, of Eaton Square, London, in connection with the scheme for settling pauper children in Canada. In connection with this project the government has decided to grant 200 acres of land. The government, however, will not purchase a farm and hand it over to the board of governors.

GOLDEN WEDDING.

Last evening, Wm. V. Barbour and Mrs. Barbour, celebrated their golden wedding anniversary, and about fifty of their friends gathered at their home, Pitt street, to do them honor. The most enjoyable evening was spent with musical selections etc, but the feature of the proceedings was the presentation to the esteemed couple of a large and valuable golden egg. Rev. Chris. Burnett, pastor of Leicester St. Baptist church, with a short and appropriate address, made the presentation.

Mr. Barbour replied briefly, thanking them on behalf of himself and Mrs. Barbour for the kindly interest they had shown on this occasion. The whole affair, he said, had been quite a surprise to him, as he had heard nothing of their intentions until that morning.

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DIORCES IN BOSTON. Clergymen Had Many Requests to Marry Divorced Couples There.

Boston, Nov. 2.—Anyone who thinks that the question of marriage and divorce is not of vital interest to Bostonians should have attended the noon meeting in Tremont Temple, at which Rev. A. C. Dixon, D.D., pastor of the Ruggles Street Church, spoke on "The Message of Jesus Concerning Marriage and Divorce." While the gallery seats were not occupied, there was a congregation which almost completely filled the seats down stairs and which listened with great attention to the words of the speaker, occasionally interspersing his remarks with an "amen," "yes" or "no," as the remark seemed to call for answer.

In the course of his address, Dr. Dixon made the statement that in his three years' pastorate in this city he had been asked to marry more divorced men and women than in his ten years' pastorage in Brooklyn, and that a brother clergyman had told him that on an average of once a week he was asked to marry a couple more than had been divorced. He said that in the whole history of Canada there had been only 100 divorces, whereas in the same length of time there have been 700,000 in the United States. He took for his text, "What God hath joined together, let no man put asunder," Matt. xix. 6. He said that marriage is a divine institution which no united man and woman that it makes them in some real, though mysterious way, one flesh in two as two separate persons but as one. Their quality bears a sort of relation to the Trinity, in one and two in one and in the other three in one. This quality is a living organization, hence to marry, or put asunder, is to kill a living organization, which is to murder, and a divorce court, therefore, is a court that because man and woman could not live together in peace and harmony, said Dr. Dixon, it did not allow God had no part in the marriage for the first man and woman were married when there was no sin, yet their union between man and woman, he said, is to last till death; and this does mean that a woman shall live with a man so long as he behaves himself, or vice versa, but for all time. The fact was taken into consideration, he said, marriage would not be entered into with the haste and thoughtlessness now so common, followed by repentance at leisure. There is no place on earth so much like heaven, he said, as a Christian home, and no place so much like hell as a disrupted home.

PEARY'S NEW SHIP. Girded and Armored as Never Arctic Ship Was Before.

Much interest has been aroused among shipbuilders in the vessel that is being constructed at the yard under the direction of Commander Peary, in which he will make his final effort to reach the North pole. All that the cunning of the naval architect and the experience of the Arctic explorer can suggest, says the Scientific American, he combined in this ship. Under this supervision she will be girded and armored as never Arctic ship was before, and Commander Peary is sanguine in the belief that he will be able to push her through the ice within reasonable distance of the pole, when he will make a dash with sledges, as he hopes, to the finish. The new ship is not large, her length over all being 181 feet, with full load displacement of about 1500 tons. But she is massive. Every bolt and plate and rivet is firmly set, and from stem to stern, including keel, keelsons and frames, the material used is carefully selected white oak, fastened and secured with exceptional thoroughness. The work throughout represents the builder's acknowledgement of the power of the element of ice with which he has to contend, and the determination to overcome by the subtleties of his art the tremendous force with which nature opposes the intrusion of man into the white silence of her supreme abode. The bow, the stern and the water line of the vessel will be armored to take and repel the worst rub of the passing ice; the sides, bilges and bottom are built to withstand the pressures that crushed the ill-fated Jeannette. That portion of the scientific world interested in Arctic exploration has caught the contagion of Arctic enthusiasm from Commander Peary, and is strong in the belief that this vessel will accomplish the purpose for which she is being built, and that through the effort she represents the Stars and Stripes will in due time be unfurled, if only to be frozen to the masthead, upon the topmost point of the globe.

Pointed Paragraphs.

Some people know too much to believe anything. A man would rather overlook his sins than overlook them. Just the same, we enjoy the praise of the people we despise. Intuition often enables a woman to reach a wrong conclusion quickly. The best some people can do is to place themselves on self-made pedestals. A woman doesn't like to be flattered because she thinks she needs it. When love sets the task the laborer never thinks of demanding shorter hours. A girl never looks older than she is, except when she has her hair done up in papers. The average man thinks he isn't even more than they owe him. When some people eat breakfast food they give a realistic imitation of a grain elevator in operation.—Chicago News.

ST. ANDREW'S SOCIETY.

B. R. Macaulay Chosen President at Last Night's Meeting.

The annual meeting of the St. Andrew's Society was held in Oddfellows' Hall last night. The attendance was large and considerable business was transacted. The treasurer's report showed the society's surplus to be \$9,002.54. The society paid out during the year \$887.91, for charitable purposes. The following officers were elected: B. R. Macaulay, president; Chas. K. Cameron, 1st vice-president; Dr. J. R. Macintosh, 2nd vice-president; A. Gordon Leavitt, historian; Rev. G. M. Campbell, chaplain; John White, treasurer; Dr. T. Dyson Walker, secretary; Chas. W. Bell, senior marshal; Simon McKay, junior marshal; Dr. Innes, Thomas White, Andrew Malcolm, committee of charity; B. C. Barclay Boyd, W. C. Whittaker, auditors. The Sunday preceding St. Andrew's day, the society will attend divine worship in a body. It was decided to celebrate St. Andrew's day by a dinner on Oct. 24. On invitation of the president, the members, headed by the pipers, marched to White's restaurant, where they found a tastefully prepared banquet awaiting them. After the toasts to the King, the president, Macaulay, C. K. Cameron, Dr. Macintosh, Dr. Walker, A. C. Leavitt, Dr. Innes, Geo. Robertson and Mr. Ballentyne. Songs were sung by C. K. Cameron, Thos. White and Wm. Arnold, and with the singing of Scots Wha Hae and Auld Lang Syne, the dinner was brought to a close. President Macaulay was escorted to his home by the pipers and a large number of the members.

PLEASANT FUNCTION.

The ladies of Centenary church held their annual social entertainment, in the school room of the church, last night. The large number present, pronounced it one of the most enjoyable ever held. A pleasant feature of the evening was the unveiling of a large frame of pictures of Centenary church as it was sixty years ago, and the exterior and interior of the church as it is today. Surrounding these photographs were cabinet pictures of all the pastors who have had charge during that time, and on each photograph the name of the pastor. The list is as follows:—

- Rev. Enoch Wood, 1837 and 1842; Rev. Fred Smallwood, 1839; Rev. S. D. Rice, 1841; Rev. Ingraham Sullivan, 1846; Rev. Robert Coomey, 1849; Rev. John Allison, 1852; Rev. Wm. T. Cardy, 1853; Rev. T. M. Albright, 1856; Rev. Wm. Wilson, 1858; Rev. J. E. Engle, 1860; Rev. M. Richey, D. D., 1861; Rev. J. R. Narraway, 1862; Rev. John Labarn, 1863; Rev. D. Curtis, 1871 and 1880; Rev. Henry Pope, 1873; Rev. Dr. Sprague, 1876 and 1890; Rev. Edward Hart, 1878; Rev. Wm. Dobson, 1883; Rev. W. W. Brewer, 1889; Rev. Edwin Evans, 1889; Rev. J. J. Teasdale, 1893; Rev. John Read, 1898; Rev. George M. Campbell, 1901.

NATURAL HISTORY SOCIETY.

At the annual meeting of the ladies, Auxiliary of the New Brunswick Natural History Society, held yesterday afternoon, the following officers were elected: Mrs. G. F. Mathew, president; Miss McBeath, Mrs. Calfoun, delegates to the local secretary-treasurer; Mrs. Hay, Mrs. Hay vice president, Miss Best and council. A programme of papers for the winter course was also presented, and the following definite decided on. There will be a reunion of the members on Saturday the 19th inst. when many gifts recently made to the museum will be exhibited. Prominent among these is an interesting specimen of Indian pottery found at the bottom of French Lake, and is the largest piece of aboriginal pottery ever found in New Brunswick. In view of the crowded condition of the museum it has been suggested that if the scheme to build a new city hall is carried out an effort will be made to secure the old one to be made in the new building for them. At present conditions are far from satisfactory.

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WEST END NOTES.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Sears and family left yesterday for St. George, where they will reside. The Immigration Hospital on Union street, is undergoing repairs. The Carleton Curling Club are having repairs made to their rink on Rodney street. A few scores of lumber are lying at Rodney slip waiting to be unloaded. New sewer pipes are being laid on Queen street, west end. "SWISS FOOD" DOES. "SWISS FOOD" invigorates and develops mind and muscle. It is a scientific combination in food form of nature's best ingredients. Try it for breakfast.

Morning News in Brief.

Local.

The members of the Victoria street Free Baptist church will celebrate their twenty-sixth anniversary on Thanksgiving, Nov. 17. A sub-committee of the board of works yesterday afternoon examined the work on the McLeod warehouse under instructions from the board. They will hold their report for that body. Michael Horgan, of Golden Grove, has not regained consciousness at the General Public Hospital. He has been in a coma since the accident on Thursday last, a period of 125 hours up to 2 o'clock this morning. Branch 134, C. M. B. A., will have a formal opening of the association's new rooms, Union street, on Monday evening, the 28th inst., when a private assembly will be held for the movers and their friends. The R. L. Borden club held a pleasant and successful smoker in the committee rooms at Breeze's corner yesterday afternoon. Mrs. Daniel was present with his gramophone, and gave a number of selections. Dr. Daniel and Dr. Stockton, as well as a number of other, gave brief addresses, and the meeting broke up with singing God Save the King. The monthly meeting of the diocesan board of the woman's auxiliary was held in Trinity church school room yesterday afternoon. Mrs. Thomas Walker gave an account of the meeting of the general board in Montreal on Oct. 12/13, and reported that new branches at St. Andrews, Campbellton and Dorchester had been opened during the past month. This evening at 8 o'clock the annual meeting of the Sons of Temperance will be held in Temperance hall, Market building. Most Worthy Patriarch W. B. Burgoyne, of St. Catharines (Ont.) head of the order in North America, will be present. In St. Andrew's church school room last night a largely attended congregational social was held and was marked by the formation of a young people's guild in connection with the church. The officers elected are: Honorary president, Rev. David Innes; president, Alex. Wilson, first vice-president, G. Halley McRobbie; second, David Donald; secretary, Dr. P. B. Sewell; treasurer, George Kennedy.

A team loaded with lumber and driven by James Chisholm, broke down on Breeze's street yesterday afternoon. It caught in the car tracks, and traffic was delayed for a short time. Rev. Dr. G. O. Gates is strongly in favor of the Baptists and Free Baptists uniting. He says that the project is growing in favor every day from eleven churches in New Brunswick, Nova Scotia, and Prince Edward Island. In each of these, the congregations expressed themselves unanimously in favor of the union on the proposed basis.

General.

It is stated in Toronto that Premier Ross of the Ontario government will go to the country early in the month of prohibition legislation. The liquor dealers will raise a \$250,000 fund to fight it. Lord Minto was banqueted by the Rideau club, at Ottawa, last evening. The Grand Trunk Pacific surveyors are experiencing some difficulty finding a suitable grade near the boundary between New Brunswick and Maine. The best report their engineer can get is 28 feet to the mile whereas the grade wanted about 21 feet. The difference is that the road grade is slightly more than five-tenths of one percent while four-tenths of one percent is what the road desires. E. M. Fowler, the rich retired lumberman and mine owner, formerly of Detroit, is dead at Pasadena, Cal., at the age of seventy-eight. He was one of the very rich men of the world. His fortune is estimated at not less than \$35,000,000. He was married to his housekeeper. Two daughters by a former marriage survive. The directors of the Canadian Forestry Association met at Ottawa, last night, decided to publish a forestry journal for the advancement of the forestry movements generally and in the interests of the association in particular.

One Cause of Anemia

It is well known to be constipation which can be avoided if Dr. Hamilton's Pills of Mandrake and Butter-nut are used occasionally. Unqualified for the stomach, liver and bowels. Use only Dr. Hamilton's Pills; price 25c. SUGGESTIONS BY READERS FOR INTERESTING FEATURES OF THE TIMES WILL BE WELCOMED AND GIVEN FULL CONSIDERATION. Sir John Madden chief justice of Victoria, who is twenty-two years of age, recently delivered a judgment of 100,000 words, the reading of which occupied him seven hours. Sir John kept awake during the whole trial.—Punch.

COMING OUT TO CANADA.

French Agriculturists, Afraid of the Socialist Movement in France, Will Come West.

Paul Dupont, of Franco, in his Winnipeg on his way to St. Louis fair, and incidentally to examine into the resources of the Canadian Northwest. Speaking to a reporter for The Telegram Mr. Dupont said: "Owing to the unsatisfactory state of affairs in France devolving from the mal-administration of the Government by the Socialist party, many of the people, both in the cities and in the country districts, are looking forward toward some new country as their future home. I am one of the latter, having been engaged in agriculture somewhat extensively in Brittany, but am considering the advisability of emigrating to the Canadian West. "Since being here I have been to the St. Rose Du Lac. The Dauphin in country I consider very good for farming. From what I have seen this country is very well adapted for farming. I intend, this winter, to travel over the Western States and Canada, to see what the winter conditions are, but I think I shall eventually settle in Manitoba. I think that there will be a vast number come over from France this coming year. The people are getting afraid of the Socialists, besides which our customs duties are very high."

Provincial.

Mr. Watson Lawrence, who had his ankle broken in the Oxford Junction wreck is doing as well as could be expected. The fracture is in the ankle joint and it is feared that Mr. Lawrence may consequently not have as free use of his limb as if the bone had been broken above or below the joint. The L. C. R. clerks are still waiting for their salaries for the month of October. Previous to the election the year was passed around the clock and it is now stated that the delay in causing by the Minister of Railways going over the pay list and readjusting the wages. The Moncton shermen and trimmers are also getting impatient over the delay in the distribution of the monthly cheques. The new schedule, adopted by the department a few days before the election, are expected to come into effect this month. (Moncton Times). A disastrous fire occurred at Advocate, Cumberland Co., yesterday afternoon, by which the stores of A. J. Loomer, D. M. Elliott and G. J. Goldstein were totally destroyed. The buildings and their contents were all destroyed. Loomer and Goldstein carried insurance on their stock. Elliott was not insured. The buildings were valued at \$1,200 for Elliott's, \$600 for Loomer, and \$1,100 for Goldstein's. A serious accident occurred at the Hallow's Woolen Mills yesterday. A man named Mrs. Teed had two steel spindles run through her arm, the latter learning to operate the spinning machine.

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ANOTHER AIRSHIP. Benbow Balloon Demonstrates Its Dirigibility...

St. Louis, Nov. 8.—The trial trip on Thursday at the World's fair by the airship Meteor, invented and built by T. C. Benbow...

FIEND KILLS THREE GIRLS. His Fourth Victim Narrowly Escaped Death in Cincinnati.

Cincinnati, Nov. 8.—For the fourth time inside of three months a tragedy has been foisted in the shadow of the Spring Grove cemetery fence...

DOESN'T WANT MUCH. Portland Argus says That Port will get both C. P. R. and Grand Trunk trade

Portland (Argus). The terminus of both the Grand Trunk Pacific and the Canadian Pacific, the latter system having at length become through the completion of its rival forced to abandon the All Canadian roundabout route...

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Grand Lake and Salmon River ROUTE. UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE Steamer May Queen will leave her wharf...

UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE Steamer May Queen will leave her wharf, North End, every Wednesday and Saturday morning at 11 o'clock for Gagetown, Grand Lake and Salmon River...

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TONIGHT'S ATTRACTIONS.

Annual meeting Grand division, of Temperance in Temperance Hall, Market building. De-lux stock company at the opera. Heart and Sword. Hyde Vaudeville company at York. West End Presbyterian church congregation meets to call a new pastor. Amateur dramatic performance in St. Rose's hall, Fairville. Messrs. J. T. Litgow and R. Mc-Douth of the M. P. A. A. will meet local athletes and those interested in athletics in the Neptune rowing club rooms.

Local News.

The steamer Pokanoket of the Star Line passed Cape Hatteras last night. The St. Rose's Dramatic club will give an entertainment in St. Rose's hall tonight. Owing to the large number of orders for the Cornwall Cotton Mills is working night and day. Joseph McKenna, who was injured in a runaway accident on Main street yesterday, is reported much better today. B. Vanwart, the north end grocer, arrived yesterday from the river, where he shot a fine deer, which was on exhibition at Indian town last night.

Robert Earle, the well known barber, has purchased the establishment of Robert Barton, who has been running a barber shop on Main street. Mr. Earle was the first barber to work in the Victoria hotel. The St. John Railway company expect to bring three of their cars over from the Fairville side this afternoon. The fourth car will be kept on the branch line over there for the present and will make regular trips to the corner by Cedar Hill cemetery.

R. L. Borden and Mrs. Borden will pass through the city on the C. P. R. from Halifax, this evening, en route to Ottawa. Mr. Borden's hearty reception, and a delegation from the R. L. Borden club will be on hand to cheer their leader as he goes through.

The remains to the construction work on Wall street bridge are being rapidly proceeded with and while the work is going on traffic is not impeded. A number of men are engaged and the iron work is under the supervision of Fred Carroll, of the I. C. R. Moncton. The bridge is being put in first class condition.

The St. Joseph's team arrive this evening and will play the senior Neptunes tomorrow afternoon at 8:30 on the Shannon grounds. The Neptunes will have a good strong team but the complete line up has not been given until the morning. It is hoped that a large number of spectators will be present to cheer the players.

At the English concert on Thursday evening 10th inst in Union hall, north end, the programme will be such that will please all who attend. The songs of old England will be well sung by her sons and daughters, and New Brunswick will be to the front in the new song my own New Brunswick Home as its prepared and will be sung by Englishmen.

The new Bear Corps which has been formed in St. David's church, promises to be a fine addition to the local militia. Under the supervision of Will Malcolm, the young men are taking up a course on anatomy. This evening a meeting of the prospective officers of the corps, will assemble in St. David's school room, and will be given a few instructions on giving commands.

The Rev. Dr. John Potts, who so delighted the large congregations in Centenary church on Sunday, will preach again in the church this evening at 8 o'clock. This will be a spilt service, the congregation of the Queen Square, and Carleton street, joining with Centenary. The public are cordially invited. A very large congregation is expected, as those who have heard the doctor will wish to hear him again, and those who have not heard him, will not wish to miss this opportunity. The collection at this service will be given to the educational society of the Methodist church of Canada.

At the York Theatre. There was a big audience last night and the show proved to be of the high standard of previous weeks. Daly and Reno, are the best barrel jumpers seen for some time. They conclude their act, with a human loop the loop, which is of a sensational order. The Honing Lewis and Honing trio, have a good comedy sketch. It abounds in music, song, and merriment. The dancing of Miss Honing won much applause. Kimball and Donovan premier ban-jolets, are a big hit and they are deserving of the unstated praise bestowed upon them. Cavanaugh and Hamilton are very funny, and their boxing act is ludicrous. Chas. Edwards is a hit. His dancing and institutions are well received. Kitty Hoffman is a pleasing performer, as is also Bobby Fiddis. A matinee for school children will be given tomorrow at 4 o'clock.

POLICE REPORTS. Officer McCollom reports that the glass is broken in the fire alarm box on Carleton St. and the key exposed. Frank Kessan, a tailor, has been reported by officer Tottem for working in the city without a license. Yesterday afternoon a wagon with a heavy load of lumber broke down on Brussels St. by coming in contact with the car tracks. Officers Finlay and McCollom found the door of Baird & Peters grocery store open last night and secured it with the key which was found in the door.

CENTRAL RAILWAY.

Steel Bridge Over the Kennebecasis at Norton... Many Improvements.

W. C. Hunter, manager of the New Brunswick Coal and Railway Co., is in the city. In conversation with a Times reporter this morning, being asked as to how the road is getting along, Mr. Hunter said, that the Central was progressing most favorably. The road between Chipman and Norton has, during the past few months been thoroughly retied and newly ballasted. New facilities have been provided at Norton and the business of the road, generally speaking, said Mr. Hunter, has increased fifty percent. It is the intention of the corporation to replace the present wooden bridges with steel ones. Already a steel bridge has been ordered for Norton, to supplant the present wooden structure across the Kennebecasis. The construction improvements already effected have been carried out under the supervision of Wm. Starkey, and are most creditable. The coal output has greatly increased from the Minto mine.

COL. ALPHERSON Says There is Money in New Brunswick Copper.

Col. Wm. Alperston, of New York, the well known mining expert and promoter, is in the city and is staying at the Royal. Col. Alperston is the chief stockholder in the Maritime Copper Co., and has just returned from a visit to the company's property at Goose Creek. It will be remembered that this mine has not been operated for some months, but in the meantime prospecting has been going on all over the company's properties. There are now under lease seven square miles and more ground is being attached.

Col. Alperston was called on by a Times reporter this morning, and during the course of the conversation said:— "I was up to Goose Creek looking over some new ground which is being prospected. The company is putting in full supplies for the winter months."

Continuing, Col. Alperston said:—"This is a very valuable property and when developed will pay more dividends than any other commercial enterprise in this country. There is an unlimited supply of ore, but it takes time to open up such a property."

Col. Alperston has had many years of experience in mining throughout the west and south, particularly in California, Nevada and British Columbia and the fact that he came to New Brunswick some years ago and invested this money in the copper-mining business goes to show that he believes there is money to be made and plenty of it.

The Maritime Copper Co. is controlled by provincial people, St. John men also being stock holders. Col. Alperston will return to Moncton tomorrow.

PUBLIC WORKS CONTRACTS LET.

The provincial department of public works through the chief commissioner, Hqs. C. H. LaBilloy, has awarded contracts for public works in New Brunswick as follows:— For rebuilding Lucy bridge, York county, to Wm. B. Fawcett. For rebuilding New River Mills bridge, Charlotte county to James Cunningham, Fredericton. For rebuilding the Pinaruco, St. John county, to Thomas McLaughlin of Queens county.

Robert's wharf, Kings county, to Geo. A. Appleby. The most important of the bridges mentioned above is the bridge at New River Mills, in the parish of Charlois, Charlotte county. This bridge consists of two stone abutments with a long wooden covered span.

THE RIVER BOATS.

The river boats will in all probability lay up earlier this year than they have for two or three years past. The boats started running very early this season, the majestic making the first trip on April 25th. The boats laid up in 1901 on the 21st of November, in 1902, on the 24th, and in 1903, on the 19th. This year they will likely lay up before the 15th. The freights this year were far heavier than those of last year, being composed mostly of potatoes, pork and hay.

The Maine brought down a large freight of hay this morning.

NO WORD OF IT.

A Montreal dispatch to the St. John Sun this morning says: "Owing to abnormally poor business, the C. P. R. and Dominion lines have resolved to cut their services between Canada and Bristol very materially." Mr. Dowling, the district superintendent of the C. P. R., interviewed by a Times reporter today, said that no notification of any such proposed change had been received here. The list of sailings had already been drafted out and published, but nothing official has been learned as to any alterations in the schedule.

TO TIMES READERS.

IF YOU ARE NOT ALREADY A REGULAR SUBSCRIBER TO THE EVENING TIMES, LOOK OVER THE PAGES OF THIS ISSUE AND CONSIDER IF SUCH A VISITOR DELIVERED DAILY AT YOUR HOUSE FOR 25 CENTS PER MONTH IS NOT WELL WORTH RECEIVING. IF SO, SUBSCRIBE TODAY.

The Scotch Hard Coal which arrived for Gibbon & Co. this week, is being delivered all over town, put in the bin direct from the bogs.

FINED FOR SELLING CIGARETTES TO BOYS.

The Magistrate Determined to Stop the Practice... Interesting Session in the Police Court This Morning... Sunday Selling Once More... Charge Against an Officer.

J. G. Spedakes was before the police magistrate this morning charged with selling cigarettes to minors. There were three charges, but as one was dropped, and he pleaded guilty on the other two counts. In one instance the boy was 11 and in the other 12 years of age. J. A. Sinclair appeared for the defendant, who pleaded ignorance of the law as his excuse. R. B. Ritchie spoke strongly on the question of young boys buying and smoking cigarettes. He said he had publicly stated that the next case brought before him he would impose the full penalty. "It was time," he said, "that someone should be made an example of." Everything possible should be done to stop this evil, which is ruining the health of the younger generation. He had read the opinions of eminent men on this question, and he thought it was about time a stop was put to it. The press of the city had published his views in this regard in a recent case, and he thought it would have a good effect. He imposed a fine of \$40 in each case, but allowed one to stand. Mr. Spedakes was also reported for having his place of business open on Sunday, Oct. 2nd. He agreed not to open on Sundays until the decision of the Supreme court on this question is received, and the case was allowed to stand. One common drunk was fined \$5. Edward O'Brien, a well known and harmless character, who was arrested yesterday for being drunk, was not brought into court this morning. It is not known what will be done with him. Wm. Cassidy was in court to answer the charge of having a staging in front of a house on Mecklenburg St. without a permit and without a light. He promised to attend to it. Geo. Masters complained that on Tuesday night last, as he was helping a sick friend home, he asked Sergt. Hastings to assist him, but that Hastings refused, saying that it was too far. Mr. Masters explained that the man was suffering from heart trouble, and that in consequence of the exposure he has been very sick since. He had to leave get assistance. His honor promised to look into the matter. Sergt. Hastings not being in the court room.

BIG GAME IS PLENTIFUL IN NORTH SHORE FORESTS.

Local Hunters as Well as Local Men Have Found Little Trouble in Land-ing Their Moose... Restigouche Cut Will be Heavy.

Hon. C. H. LaBilloy, chief commissioner of public works, who is in the city attending a meeting of the government, interviewed by a Times reporter this morning, said, about the lumber cut on the Restigouche, that this year it would be as large, or larger, than in any previous year. The lumbermen are getting ready and a big output is expected. The Restigouche on North Shore has been a most successful one. American sports by the score have been frequenting the well known and widely advertised game regions, and have met with phenomenal success. The hunting grounds last year, on North Shore have never been more attractive or better provided with big game. Moose and deer abound in a manner unprecedented. It is a common sight for travellers on the I. C. R. trains to see the monarchs of the forest grazing by the wayside on the way track. In fact, game hunters did not the slightest difficulty in landing their quarry. Local sportsmen as well as Americans, have taken out licenses and the North Shore has rightly earned the title of "the home of the moose." The revenue from game licenses is unprecedentedly large.

One locality which is becoming a favorite resort for hunters, is the Cannan woods. Several licenses are known where two or three days at most were spent and the much coveted head and set of antlers secured. Taking all in all, the North Shore is making a name for itself as a game country. Mr. LaBilloy said that when he left Dalhousie there was good sleighing at Dalhousie and Campbellton.

Washington, Nov. 9.—(Special.)—Nominations for Mackenzie were made at Yorkton. A Ghorla entered the field as an independent candidate thus making a three cornered fight. Dr. T. A. Patrick being the conservative nominee, and E. L. Cash, the liberal standard bearer.

HAVE FINE NEW SCHOOL.

Splendid new Building Opened at Great Village, N. S.

Truro, N. S., Nov. 9.—(Special.)—The formal opening of the finest school building in any country town in Canada took place, yesterday at Great Village, where the advanced ratapayora have greeted an educational structure that will serve the section for decades to come, paying for the same \$7,000. The building is to replace the old one, condemned some time ago, by Inspector Craig, and which had been erected a quarter of a century ago at a cost of \$3,000.

The opening ceremonies took the form of an afternoon gathering at the school building where it was inspected. Classes and exercises were conducted and speeches made, a meeting of speakers and music was held in the large Presbyterian church in the evening. The building was formally handed over by Dr. J. L. Shepard, chairman of the school commissioners, and dedicated in prayer, by Rev. Mr. Crawford, Presbyterian minister of Great Village.

The speakers of the day included Dr. J. L. Shepard, R. C. Hill, school trustee, Rev. Mr. Crawford, Rev. Mr. Miller, and principal Higgins, of Great Village, Rev. Mr. Dawson, of Folly, Hon. F. A. Lawrence, federal representative for Colchester, Mr. Harlow, of the Normal school staff, Truro; Dr. A. H. McKay, superintendent of education, Halifax and Inglis Craig, inspector of schools for the district.

BANDITS ESCAPE.

Casper, Wyo., Nov. 9.—Sheriff Webb and party returned to Casper Monday afternoon from the northwest where they went in pursuit of the bandits who held up the first National bank of Cody, and killed Cashier Midsingh. No trace of the outlaw was discovered and it is the opinion of the officers that they have escaped.

THE WEATHER.

Washington, Nov. 9.—Forecast—Eastern States and Northern N. Y.: Partly cloudy to-night and Thursday. Light to fresh winds mostly northerly. Maritime—Moderate to fresh north west to north winds, fair and cold to-day and on Thursday. Football.

NOMINATED TODAY.

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PERSONAL INTELLIGENCE.

A. Richmond and wife, Philadelphia, Mr. M. Kilburn of Fredericton, and R. F. Davis of Gagetown, are at the New Victoria. Robert Sooley, of Pettoodiac, arrived this morning and is registered at the Victoria. A. McDonald, formerly of St. John, who has, for some months, been in the employ of E. C. Allen & Co. of Halifax, returned to Halifax today, after spending a short time visiting his family in this city. C. Frank Gillis, who has been on a visit to his home here for the past few days, returns today to Halifax to resume his duties on the I. C. R. postal car between that city and St. John.—(Sydney Post.) C. A. Steeves, barrister, of Moncton, is in the city.

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