

ALSBURY HAPPENINGS

Alsbury, July 8—Miss Kate Brown, of Bridge (Mass.), is visiting in Alsbury...

KINGS COUNTY COURT

Campton, July 5—The July sitting of county court for Kings county opened Tuesday before Judge Jonah and a jury...

Concert at Great Salmon River

Great Salmon River, July 4—One of the most pleasing and successful entertainments that the residents of this hamlet...

Strangers

Nothing also a large range for you as our line has decided to our bus-

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ST. JOHN, N. B., SATURDAY, JULY 13, 1912

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THOUSANDS SEE OFFICIAL START OF COURTENAY BAY WORK

ELECTRIC BATTERY PRESSED TO ENORMOUS CHARGE

Minister of Finance Officially and Thousands Cheer After Terrific Explosion

Optimistic Speeches by Visiting Ministers—Mayor Frink, Geo. W. Fowler, M. P., Lieut. Governor Wood, and Hon. Wm. Pugsley, "the Father of Courtenay Bay"—Ovation for ex-Minister of Public Works.

Friday, July 12. Thursday, July 11, A. D. 1912, will be an important day in the history of St. John, marking, as it did, the formal opening of the works which will transform Courtenay Bay into St. John harbor...

will be used for the terminal facilities of the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway. The entry of the railway at Courtenay Bay will necessitate the construction of great freight and passenger terminals and as the eastern harbor was also used for terminals of the Valley Railway facilities will also have to be provided for its traffic which will be handled by the Intercolonial Railway.

In connection with the dry dock there will be an extensive ship repairing plant and the establishment of a steel ship-building plant on a large scale is also under consideration.

The commencement of a contract which means the expenditure of more than \$11,000,000 is in itself sufficient for congratulation but its greatest significance is felt in the fact that this is only the beginning of the tremendous things which the future has in store for the city.

A dark sky and unsettled weather made the third day of the Old Home week celebration and during the morning the look of the weather boded ill for the most important day of the week's festival...

Contrary to expectation stores of the city did not generally observe yesterday as a holiday and as a consequence the military parade was called off at the last minute...

The Courtenay Bay Work. The chief interest of the citizens and visitors naturally centred around the afternoon observations at Courtenay Bay.

The magnitude of the enterprise, one of the greatest harbor development schemes undertaken in Canada, fully justifies the interest displayed. The present contract, involving the expenditure of eleven and a half million dollars, calls for the construction of a breakwater 4,750 feet long, including five groynes each 150 feet long; a dry dock of the first class 110 feet long, 110 feet wide with 35 feet depth of water (one of the largest in the world) dredging a channel 6,800 feet long from the harbor and dredging the basin of Courtenay Bay to the depth of 32 feet...

REGINA WOMAN'S THRILLING STORY

Harold Logie, Formerly of Chatham, Lost Little Child WIFE UNINJURED But Was Rescued from the Ruins of the Demolished House With Great Difficulty—A Terrible Experience—Building Lifted Up by the Wind.

Canadian Press. Montreal, July 11—A thrilling story of the Regina disaster is told by Mr. Harold Logie, who was in Montreal today, on his way to his old home at Chatham (N. B.)...

AUTO PARTY HELD UP NEAR ADOVER BY THREE MEN

Revolvers Pulled and Orders Given to Hand Over Money—Driver Started Quickly and Got Away.

Andover, N. B., July 11—An automobile carrying two men and two women was held up by three men at the point between here and Fort Fairfield, about 10 o'clock tonight.

ENGLAND WON MACKINNOX CUP

Blaisy Camp, England, July 11—England won the Mackinnon cup this afternoon with an aggregate of 1,583. The other totals were: Scotland, 1,559; South Africa, 1,554; Ireland, 1,541; Canada, 1,495; India, 1,490; Guatemala, 1,485.

BRITAIN'S NOTE IS PRESENTED TO THE STATE DEPARTMENT

Washington, July 11—Late today the formal note from the British embassy in reference to the Panama Canal, was received by Secretary Knox.

SCOTT GOVERNMENT RETURNED TO POWER BY BIG MAJORITY

One Report Says Haultain, Leader of Opposition, Is Elected By a Majority of Two

Other Reports Say He Is Defeated—Conservatives Made No Gains According to Early Reports—Liberals Ahead in 28 Constituencies—Premier Elected and Will Have Majority of About 16.

Canadian Press. Regina, July 11—While definite results from many of the outgoing constituencies have not yet been received, reports to hand at 10 o'clock indicate that the Scott government has been returned to power by a majority variously estimated at from 13 to 18.

NOVA SCOTIA HAS ANOTHER FATAL WRECK

Train on Inverness Railway Leaves Rails and Plunges Down Bank ENGINEER IS KILLED Driver Campbell Was Taking Another's Place Just for the Day's Run—Believed Extreme Heat Responsible for the Accident.

Port Hood, N. S., July 11—A terrible accident occurred on the Inverness Railway this morning when the regular train left the rails and plunged down a steep embankment near Glendyke station.

DECLARES ST. JOHN IS BOUND TO BECOME ONE OF GREATEST PORTS ON ATLANTIC COAST

Hon. Mr. White and Other Speakers, at Banquet Last Night, Greatly Impressed With Prospects of This City—Trade Most Soon Double, Says Lieut. Governor—Dr. Pugsley's Fine Reception—Mr. Fowler, M. P., Pleads for Better Roads.

MILLIONAIRE CABINET HOLDS MANY SHARES

Premier Borden Heads the List of Bank Shareholders—Worth Much Money.

NOVA SCOTIA TOWN NEARLY WIPED OUT BY FLAMES

Loss to the I. C. R. is More Than \$100,000—Port Hawkesbury Threatened, and Aid of the Militia Was Requested—Rain Came Just in Time.

Had it not been that a brisk westerly wind died down about 4 o'clock this afternoon, the town of Port Hawkesbury on the eastern side of the Straits of Canso would have been destroyed, sharing the fate of the adjoining village of Point Tupper...

FROM ALL OVER THE MARITIME PROVINCES

FREDERICTON
Alicia Stone, July 8—A square...

CHATHAM
Chatham, N. B., July 8—An automobile...

HOPEWELL HILL
Hopewell Hill, July 7—Miss Mary...

WOODSTOCK
Woodstock, N. B., July 8—(Special)—...

SOUTHAMPTON
Southampton, July 8—Mrs. Ezra Miller...

NEWCASTLE
Newcastle, July 8—The arrangement...

REXTON
Rexton, N. B., July 8—Mrs. Douglas...

JEMSEG
Jemseg, N. B., July 8—To the regret...

SEVERAL HOUSES ARE STRUCK BY LIGHTNING
Sackville, N. B., July 9—(Special)—...

C. J. Milligan Writes of Terrible Experience of People of Regina—Some Sad Cases—He Was Lucky.
The first news, outside of the press...

Encouraging Reports Received at Annual Meeting of Association
The new officers...

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Constipation Vanishes Forever
CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS

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Book Free. A simple...

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They Want One Every Year

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The Vancouver News-Advertiser... hundred Gather at a Picnic at Vancouver... THEY WANT ONE EVERY YEAR... and General Good Time Are Sought—New Brunswick Association Afterwards Formed—Resolution of Sympathy for Mrs. Fred

Officers Elected for the ensuing year... W. D. Everett, president; Harry D. Wall, secretary... W. M. Raymond, vice-president... D. J. Bell, third vice-president...

remove iron rust, wet the spots with lemon juice, hold the material in the steam of a tea-kettle, and then out in the sun.

CANCER Book Free. A simple... from this lady's breast... Describe... we will send books and... NO CHURCHILL AVE. TORONTO

# MORRIS COOK IS DISAPPOINTED

### Scandal Searchers Fail to Declare That R. E. Cook is Capable Official

And Tory Government Will Reinstale Him, Ignoring Evidence of Sworn Accountants—Job for Only Member Against Whom No Charges Were Made.

Ottawa, July 10.—The mountain has labored and brought forth a mouse. The first statement issued by the Conservative government... The scandal searchers failed to declare that R. E. Cook is capable of being an official... And the Tory government will reinstate him, ignoring evidence of sworn accountants... Job for only member against whom no charges were made.

# NEWCASTLE PLANS FOR GOOD TIME

### Strangers Rapidly Arriving for Old Home Week—An Extensive and Interesting Programme.

Newcastle, July 9.—Strangers are rapidly coming into town for old home week. The celebration begins Thursday with a band concert at 9 o'clock by the Newcastle Concert Band... The programme is extensive and interesting.

At 2.30 there will be a parade of trades, fraternities, cadets, boy scouts and... The parade will be followed by an auto race... The evening there will be music and fireworks on the river, illuminated boat procession and band concert.

Stellarton, N. S., July 8.—While on an... Stellarton, N. S., July 8.—While on an... Stellarton, N. S., July 8.—While on an...

# MAJOR EXPRESS WRECKED; THREE MEN ARE KILLED

### One of Worst Disasters in History of Road Happens in Nova Scotia

### Engine Plunges into Grand Lake, Mail and Baggage Car Pile Up—All Passengers Safe But Engineer, Fireman and Tramp Die—Money Loss \$50,000.

Halifax, N. S., July 10.—Three men killed, two scores injured, is the toll of one of the most spectacular wrecks in the history of the I. C. R. The Maritime Express today smashed up at the Grand Lake station, just as it pulled up at the side of the track... The engine and express and mail car took a plunge down into the lake... Three men were killed: the engineer, the fireman and a tramp... Money loss \$50,000.

### NO PASSENGERS SAFELY HURT

The passengers in the second and first class cars and the pullman received a severe shaking up, but escaped serious injury... The engine and express and mail car took a plunge down into the lake... Three men were killed: the engineer, the fireman and a tramp... Money loss \$50,000.

### NOVA SCOTIA MINISTER WEDS SACKVILLE GIRL

Sackville, N. B., July 10.—In the presence of the members of the Mount Aloysius convent, the minister of Nova Scotia, Rev. J. J. Colville, was married to Miss Sackville... The bride was Miss Sackville, daughter of Mr. Sackville.

### HORSE STRUCK BY AUTO; GIRL BADLY INJURED

As Miss Agnes Sulley and a companion were driving from Spruce Lake on Sunday evening, their horse was struck in the chest by an automobile driving in the same direction... The horse was killed and the girl was badly injured.

### STELLARTON WOMAN SHOT BY SISTER

Stellarton, N. S., July 8.—While on an... Stellarton, N. S., July 8.—While on an... Stellarton, N. S., July 8.—While on an...

### MISS ETNA McLENNAN, Who Wounded Mrs. Duncan Fraser, is Arrested.

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### THIEF OFFERS TO SELL TO ARMOUR & CO. CATTLE STOLEN FROM THEIR PASTURES.

Kansas City, Mo., July 10.—Devising a scheme that might have still further increased the price of beef, Robert Walton, of Guthrie (Okla.)—at least he gives that name and address—tried today to sell to Armour & Co. a herd of forty head of stolen cattle... The thief offered to sell the cattle for \$19,000.

### SALMON AND HADDOCK NOW NEARLY PAY TWICE FOR \$19,000 HERD

With the advance of the season, the catch of fresh fish steadily reduced, salmon and haddock being practically the only fish coming in. The supply of them, however, is quite ample, salmon especially... The price of salmon and haddock is expected to be nearly twice as high as it was a month ago.

Halibut finished a month ago, and gaspareaux have had all done the middle of last month... The season as a whole has hardly been as good as last season, the backward spring greatly retarding fishing operations... The salmon catch has probably been better than any other, being much better than last year's catch.

To save greaves from frying doughnuts, put half a teaspoonful of ginger in the grease when hot.

# HEAT IS KILLING MONTREAL CHILDREN

### Death Rate is Increasing Alarmingly—Many Prostrations and No Relief in Sight—Temperature Well Over the 90 Mark Yesterday.

Montreal, July 9.—The hoped for break in the heat wave failed to materialize today. Once more the thermometer topped the ninety mark in its retreat in the McGill Observatory, while down town the temperature was many degrees higher... The death rate among the children has increased enormously. The deaths among those under five years old having been paying duty since the warm heat wave set in a week ago.

# PROHIBITION PARTY SEEKS A NOMINEE

### Mr. Hendrickson, of Maryland, Who is Willing, Wants More Work Outside of Pulpits.

Atlantic City, N. J., July 10.—Finley C. Hendrickson, of Cumberland (Md.), was boomed today by the Maryland delegation to the Prohibition National Convention for the nomination for President... Mr. Hendrickson is a strong advocate of more practical politics. Last Sunday he was announced to speak at two Atlantic City churches on the prohibition question.

# DECLARE IN FAVOR OF PROHIBITION

### Grand Lodge, I. O. G. T., Pass Resolution at Closing Session—Officers Elected.

Moncton, July 9.—The local organization are preparing for the Moncton celebration on Friday the 12th. Representatives from one hundred lodges and eight bands are expected to be in attendance... The Grand Lodge, I. O. G. T., passed resolutions in favor of prohibition.

# SAYS WIFE BEAT HIM WITH BANJO AND PITCHFORK

### Daughter Also Beaten, Brooklynn Man Alleges, and Court Refuses to Award Alimony.

White Plains, N. Y., July 9.—Because he denied the testimony of a conflicting nature, Justice Tompkins in the supreme court today denied the appeal for alimony made by Mrs. Mary E. Hinman, of New Rochelle, in a suit for separation from Charles Jay Hinman, an importer, of Brooklynn. Mr. Hinman in affidavits accused his wife of having beaten him with a banjo on one occasion and with a pitchfork at another time.

In his own defence, Mr. Hinman alleges that he was compelled to leave his home because of his wife's temper and her treatment of himself and his daughter. He alleges several instances when, he says, his wife "administered inhuman beatings" to his daughter.

A rag sponge can be bought at any paint shop, and is the best thing that can be used for keeping the bathtub and lavatory clean and dry.

### LUPO, THE WOLF, GUARDED IN CELL

### Band of Assassins Seek to Liberate Him, it is Reported WAS THEIR CHIEF

Atlanta, Ga., July 10.—"Lupo the Wolf," erstwhile leader of the most daring band of criminals in America, is the most thoroughly guarded prisoner in the federal penitentiary in Atlanta today, as a result of two efforts to reach him in his cell by confederates.

The warden was warned that Lupo and his band of assassins are plotting to take revenge upon William J. Flynn, the Secret Service agent who worked up the case against "Lupo the Wolf." Judge George Day and his court clerk were also instrumental in imprisoning the "Mads chief."

"Lupo the Wolf" has twenty-three years of a twenty-five year term in the federal prison to serve. In another cell is his lieutenant, Giuseppe Morrello. The prison authorities know that neither man would be permitted to leave the prison if they can help it, means of escape to be carried out by the hundred-old members of the band still at liberty.

Despatches from New York say Lupo's friends are bent upon avenging his conviction. Lupo, on his way to Atlanta, vowed that before he died he would "get" Judge Flynn, who with a score of his friends had a dinner at his apartment in New York City, where "Lupo" was caught confederating.

When Morrello was seized a little later, after a desperate battle in a New York den, he, too, vowed that "Flynn must die" and with him the Secret Service men who snatched Morrello and his associates from his hands and dragged him away unconscious to the Tomb.

More than all this Lupo wants revenge upon the spies of Flynn's staff. In years of dangerous work, succeeded in getting into the councils of the band and then "tipped off" his chief when the moment came to make the capture.

Lupo has framed the revenge scheme in his cell in the federal prison, the Secret Service men think, and it is believed he sooner or later will seek to gain some word with his lieutenants still at large to give them orders. The authorities have arranged that no man shall see him in prison who might even indirectly carry some inkling of that plot to the outside world.

Lupo is never permitted to speak with Morrello, unless a guard is present. His letters to and from the prison are investigated as zealously as though he might try to send a message in invisible ink or written with orange peel.

Meanwhile, somewhere in this country is a Sicilian who has sworn to have the life of "Lupo the Wolf" the moment the "Mads chief" quits the Atlanta prison. Lupo killed this man's brother in Sicily twelve years ago in cold blood, it is asserted, when he refused to join the Wolf's vendetta. Lupo fled his native country before the brother could reach him with the knife he has carried for that purpose since the slaying of his brother.





THE HAPPY MARRIED LIFE OF GERMANY'S CROWN PRINCESS

(Modern Society). The Crown Princess of Germany keeps the seventh anniversary of her marriage on Friday. She is the most popular woman in that country after the emperor.

Other ladies. We shall see if they leave me a "wallflower." From the beginning of her married life she has entered with keen interest into all that concerns her husband's work.

On her first meeting with the crown prince at a wedding, the joy of life really began with the Duchess Cecile, and presently he traveled to Munich on the Graf See, not on account of another wedding, but his own.

Then came the journey of the bride, according to Hohenzollern tradition, to Berlin, to meet her betrothed in the German capital. This was on June 3, 1883. It was a gorgeous greeting that the old town gave her on her wedding morning.

THE WELCOME OF ST. JOHN

BY CHARLES CAMPBELL. Behold! I have plaited my hair with ribbons, I have crowded mine eyes with light, I have called the children to help me, And they labor day and night.

The little, low room in the attic With the twittering birds overhead May have vanished amid the shadows Of weary years that have fled.

Why don't men go to church? above the rut of the "Mistery" has felt to his heart's core the divorce between our conventional religion (framed in the 18th and 19th centuries) and common sense.

Another proof of excellence of Ross Rifle Quebec's Representative at Bisley Doing Fine Work—Remarkable Scoring Arouses Keen Interest.

You may be paid \$50 in Cash for improving your walk like this. 108 Canadian farmers will receive cash prizes (twelve in each Province) in our big 1912 FARMERS' PRIZE CONTEST.

THAW NEVER INSANE, JUST A MURDERER, SAYS EXPERT. Dr. Myer, of Johns Hopkins University, Witness for Patient, Tells of New Data and Disregards Old Evidence—Matteawan Head Suggests a Cure.

New York, July 10.—Dr. John W. Russell, superintendent of the state hospital at Matteawan, declared under rigid cross-examination by Justice Keogh in the supreme court at White Plains, yesterday, that if released and unguarded Harry K. Thaw may commit another homicide.

MINISTERIAL CONFERENCE OF N. B. BAPTISTS. The ministerial conference of the United Baptist Association of New Brunswick opened its sessions here last night.

MRS. GLOVER SAYS SHE LIVES IN KITCHEN. Asks Allowance from Husband's Estate—Atty. Elmore Testifies Murdered Man Left \$38,705.

WANTED—A second or third class male teacher for school in York county, N. B., stating particulars.

WANTED—A first class female teacher for school in York county, N. B., stating particulars.

WANTED—A competent man to assist with the work of a nursery.

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Rev. Father Martineau Was in Montreal and Escaped Injury—Damage Amounts to \$200.

PRIEST'S HOUSE STRUCK AND FIRE STARTED IN ROOM.

MAN WHO TESTIFIES AGAINST THAW WAS WELL PAID.

GRAVES BROTHERS COMMITTED TO TRIAL BY JUDGE.

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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

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THAT CHARIVARI CASE To the Editor of The Telegraph: "Sir—I noticed in the Weekly Telegraph of July 3, describing the party to the young man Jones in front of my residence on the evening of June 29, that there is a reference to myself, saying that I refused to enter the house and that it would appear as though he was left to suffer on the lawn by the description therein given. I wish to say that such was not the case and has been inaccurately reported, as I went out to the place where a number of the invited guests were doing all they could for the young man under the circumstances as his condition had left him, and I invited them to bring the injured man into the house, and as the night was fine and warm, they replied that they would be better out in the open air. These statements I can prove by the Rev. Mr. Evans and Leslie McAduff, and others who stood by, and I defy anyone to truthfully contradict them. "Trusting you will give this as wide a circulation as the statement I have referred to, I am,

Yours truly, MILLES G. JENKINS. Downsville P. O., Kings County (N. B.)

ELECTRIC BUTTON PRESSED TO EXPLODE ENORMOUS CHARGE

(Continued from page 1.) Enormous quantities were insufficient to meet the needs of the port. St. John is bound to share in the growth and prosperity of the whole nation, he said, and in the future he expects to see as great a city on the eastern side of Courtney Bay as there now is on the western side.

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MARRIAGES

MILLMAN-KRISTIANSON—On June 3, in Winnipeg (Man.), Herbert J. Millman, 34, of Victoria, British Columbia, married Miss Rena Kristianson, 25, who resides at 744 Ingersoll street, Winnipeg.

DEATHS

ONELL—In this city, on July 8, Ellen Onnell, widow of Daniel Onnell, in the 76th year of her age, leaving one son and one daughter to mourn.

INTENSE HEAT IN KENT COUNTY

Richibucto, N. B., July 12—Notwithstanding the heavy thunder storms of Sunday, Monday and of both afternoon and evening of yesterday, the intense heat does not abate. Outside the harbor, where it is seldom hot, the thermometer has registered 100 degrees, 110 on W. B. Storer's porch, and 112 in the shade.

A GREAT EXPLOSION

The first feature on the programme was the setting off of the first blast on the site of the proposed dry dock. The charges of explosives had been prepared in the face of the rock and when the signal was given Hon. Mr. White pressed the button which established the electrical connection which discharged the blast. There was a tremendous roar which was accompanied by a cloud of smoke through which immense sections of rock could be seen flying through the air.

THE STRAWBERRY SUPPLY

Long before the arrival of the steamers Champlain and D. J. Purdy yesterday afternoon, there was a large number of growers' teams in line awaiting the coming of the "berry-boats" with the large quantity of strawberries which it had been expected would be brought down, and for which the dealers had taken orders with their customers.

A FINE SOUVENIR

Following the blast P. R. Warren, chief engineer for Norton Griffiths & Co., presented to Hon. Mr. White, as the principal guest and representative of the company, a handsome silver wheelbarrow about fifteen inches long and ten inches high, accompanied by a miniature shovel in silver with ebony handle.

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Advertisement for 'The Glover Says' featuring an illustration of a woman and child, and text describing a 'Glover's' service and a 'Glover's' story.

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# INCOMING BOATS AND TRANS GROWED WITH OLD HOME WEEK VISITORS

## Bands Go to Steamers and Depot, and Open-air Concert is Given in King Square—Courtney Bay a Centre of Attraction.

**Wednesday, July 10.**  
Old Home Week is now in full swing and the city is well filled with visitors. Although the chief feature of the celebration will be on Thursday, still there were many attractions yesterday, but the time of the visitors was taken up chiefly with viewing the city and the changes which have taken place in the general appearance of the streets and buildings.

The boats and trains were met by the local bands yesterday and as early as 6:30 a. m. the Artillery Band was at the Steamer pier to welcome the 400 passengers who came in on the Calvin Austin.

The official reception took place last evening in St. Andrew's rink, and it is greatly regretted that the citizens did not attend in larger numbers. The Cambridge City Band was in attendance, and rendered a fine programme, and a few of the most passed the time in dancing. Mayor Frink, and Commissioners Schofield, Agor and Wigmore were present, but took no part in the reception.

The open air band concert in King square attracted a large crowd and the streets and walks about the square were packed with people. The annual show and other attractions about the city did big business and there is every prospect of the city receiving great benefit from this week's celebration.

The Cambridge Brass Band is to give another concert this evening in St. Andrew's rink, and anyone who does not attend will miss a musical treat. As this band is really a first class organization and the individual members are artists. The price of admission has been placed at 25 cents and the rink should be packed to-night.

**Austin Brings Start.**  
The Old Home Week started in earnest yesterday morning when the Calvin Austin, with the strains of the Artillery Band, landed her 800 passengers. As she entered the harbor the band struck up and continued to play while the passengers landed to receive a hearty welcome from the many relatives and friends who awaited impatiently on the pier. At noon the Governor Dingley brought a further contingent of 200.

Those at the Union depot witnessed the arrival of many hundreds more, who came in on the Boston and Montreal trains, and were also met by the Artillery Band and by many townspeople, who gave them all an enthusiastic greeting.

Whatever doubt was entertained as to the success of Old Home Week has been completely dispelled by the very concrete evidence of the large influx of visitors, former residents and otherwise, who have been pouring into the city during the past week, and who are continuing in the various diversions provided for them with the keenest enjoyment. Yesterday saw the largest contingent so far of any single day while tomorrow will see the bumper day as regards arrivals, as it is expected that several specials will arrive bearing visitors from all around.

When it is considered that the larger proportion of St. John business people with their families, are at present occupying their country residences, and that their friends have gone to the country, the proportion of St. John business people with their families, are at present occupying their country residences, and that their friends have gone to the country, the proportion of St. John business people with their families, are at present occupying their country residences, and that their friends have gone to the country...

# HEAVY LOSS BY FIRE ON GRAND MANAN ISLAND

## Loss of \$40,000 at North Head—Bank of New Brunswick, Customs House and Five Dwellings Among the Buildings Burned.

News of a serious outbreak of fire which was discovered Sunday evening about 11 o'clock at North Head, Grand Manan, was brought here Monday by the steamer Grand Manan. The loss is about \$40,000, it is estimated, and up to yesterday morning the fire was still burning though practically under control.

# THREE DAUGHTERS OF FORMER ST. JOHN MAN DROWNED

## James A. Belyea.

Telegrams which came to Mrs. R. D. Lewis, of St. John, struck on Sunday, brought news which must have caused a fearful shock, for they told of the drowning of three meek, daughters of Hartley MeBeath, formerly of St. John.

# OBITUARY

## Mrs. Ann McEachern.

The death of Mrs. Ann McEachern, wife of Jeremiah McEachern, occurred yesterday morning at her home, 55 St. Patrick street. She had been troubled with heart trouble for some time, and died suddenly. Besides her husband she is survived by her mother, Mrs. Mary Carter, one sister, Mrs. Daley, and one half brother, James McEachern of this city.

## Mrs. L. A. Sealy.

The death of Mrs. Lillian A. Sealy, aged eighty-one years, died at her home, 55 St. Patrick street, on Wednesday last. Her husband, Mr. L. A. Sealy, died in 1892. She is survived by three children, Mr. W. L. Sealy, Mr. J. B. Sealy, and Mr. H. W. Sealy.

## Abraham Gregg.

Abraham Gregg, a patient at the Home for Invalids, died last night. He was sixty-four years of age. He had been ill for some time with paralysis. He is survived by one daughter, Mrs. Georgia, and one son, Mr. William.

## Mrs. Eliza Crawford.

The death of Mrs. Eliza Crawford occurred at her home in Godwin, Quebec county, on June 21. She had been in poor health for some months. She was the widow of the late James Crawford and was a devoted mother. She is survived by one daughter, Mrs. Mary, and one son, Mr. James.

## Local News

**Funeral of Late William C. Stewart.**  
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# WORK ON THE VALLEY ROAD

## Engineer Says Laborers Are Very Scarce—Something of the Operations.

D. F. Maxwell, C. E., who is in charge of the Valley Railway survey, and J. Taylor, C. E., special dominion government engineer, also engaged in connection with the survey of the road, arrived in St. John yesterday, passing through on local business.

Speaking to a Telegraph reporter last evening, Mr. Maxwell said that the actual construction work had been commenced at several places between Fredericton and Woodstock and is about to be commenced at a point below Fredericton, working down. A large steam shovel is at work near Fredericton.

The chief difficulty, said Mr. Maxwell, was in getting a sufficient number of laboring men to carry on the work. Laborers were never so scarce in Canada, the reason being the fact that the building and construction work going on in the Dominion today is greater than ever before.

With reference to the survey, Mr. Maxwell said that no changes had been made in the route already announced, and the details of the general survey were now being completed. It is expected that the construction work will well under way before winter.

Speaking of the Minto branch, Mr. Maxwell said that the work also was progressing well. It was expected that the construction work will well under way before winter.

# MOTOR BOATS INTERFERE WITH RIVER STEAMERS

## So Many of Them Are Now in Use That Passenger Boats Suffer—Week-End Traffic Much Lighter.

The river steamers have not as yet experienced any great rush of tourists, although traffic has thus far been up to the average of other years. This week many people from the river districts have come to the city for the old home week celebration, but the travel from the city to the resorts along the St. John has not been surprisingly large.

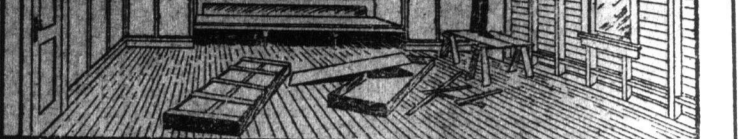
There are a great many people in the city at present who will visit along the river before returning home on Friday and Saturday are expected to be very good for passenger transport. A prominent river steamer man, in conversation with a Telegraph reporter yesterday afternoon, said that within the last few days there has been a decided slump in travel up the river.

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# DECLARES ST. JOHN IS BOUND TO BECOME ONE OF THE GREATEST PORTS ON ATLANTIC COAST

Dr. C. R. Pugsley has accepted the conditions of trade which are offered to the city of St. John. He has declared that St. John is bound to become one of the greatest ports on the Atlantic coast. He has accepted the conditions of trade which are offered to the city of St. John.

# ROADS DISREGARD

George W. Fowler, M. P., thought that he as a suburban member, might also be considered in the light of a hoarse. He praised the members of the present government and urged those members who were not little Canadians to influence the others that their ideas might be broadened.

# FAREWELL TO MISS ROBB

Miss Jennie B. Robb, who is returning to the mission field in Corea after some months' furlough, was tendered a farewell in St. David's church school room last evening. The Presbyterian congregation of the city united for the occasion.

# TO KEEP YOUNG MEN HERE

To keep the young men in the province was the premier's motto, and to bring them from England, Ireland and Scotland, who are in love with our conditions and in love with the British flag. Nearly eight per cent of the overflow population of Great Britain go to the colonies to remain under the flag to which we owe allegiance, he said.

# STAND UP

**United States Ahead**  
**Sweden Takes Place With 24 Less**  
**Canada Pulls Out**  
**The Track and Field Prizes**  
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# CANADIAN PRESS

Stockholm, July 10—The night of the various teams in the stadium, the Canadian Press reported that Sweden had won the most prizes in the various sports.

# REST OF PRIZES

The triumph of the day for the most part, between the victors and the losers, the American athletes were victorious in wrestling sports. James Sports of the Canadian team proved himself to be the greatest all-around athlete.

# JOE WEIR

Joe Weir, a prominent athlete, was victorious in the 100 yard dash. He finished in a record time of 12 seconds.

# VALISEFUL FOUND IN

A valise full of money was found in the city. The money was estimated to be worth about \$50,000. The valise was found in a building on the waterfront.

# THEORY

The theory of the valise was that it contained the money of some prominent person. The theory was that the money was hidden in the valise for some purpose.

# New York, July 10

New York, July 10—A recent telegram from the office of the United States at 44 West Eighteenth street at \$500,000 in checks to the National Bank of St. Paul. The National Bank of St. Paul has failed to pay the checks.