

BADEN-POWELL

Has General Grabelaar and His Force Cut Off and Demands Their Surrender.

His Little Scheme to Capture a Train Load of Reinforcements Fell Through—Buller Has Advanced to Badfontein—Kruger and Steyn Preparing for Flight.

PRETORIA, Aug. 30.—Gen. Baden-Powell three or four days ago attacked Gen. Grobelaar near Warm Baths and then prepared to bivouac for the night.

NEW YORK, Sept. 1.—The British steamer Masconomo, one of the Hogan line of steamers, arrived today from South Africa, stopping on the way at St. Helena and St. Lucia.

LONDON, Sept. 3.—Under date of Belfast, Sept. 1, Lord Roberts reports: "I have today issued, under my majesty's warrant of July 4, proclamations announcing that the Transvaal will henceforth form a part of her majesty's dominions."

CAPE TOWN, Sept. 2.—The communication today to the assembly of Lord Roberts's proclamation announcing the annexation of the South African republic, which will hereafter be known as the Transvaal, was greeted by the opposition with silence and by the imperialists with prolonged cheering.

PRETORIA, Sept. 3.—Gen. Baden-Powell started for Cape Town Saturday.

MAZERU, Basutoland, Sept. 3.—Commander Under Fourill, Grobelaar, Benmer and Hasselbrock together with 200 of Theron's scouts, are investing the British garrison at Ladybrand.

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SIR CHAS. TUPPER

Greeted With the Utmost Enthusiasm at Westville.

Stirring Speeches by the Opposition Chieftain, Mr. Bell, M. P. and Hon. Mr. Foster.

A Continuous Ovation Throughout Cape Breton—Sir Charles and Mr. Foster Will Leave Pictou This Afternoon for Charlottetown.

WESTVILLE, N. S., Sept. 1.—Westville was in great attire today to welcome within its hospitable bosom Sir Charles Tupper, who since Wednesday night has been the recipient of a most continuous ovation in Cape Breton, and Hon. Geo. E. Foster.

WESTVILLE, N. S., Sept. 2.—Sir Charles Tupper rested very comfortably last night. He had a long night of refreshing sleep and is fully recuperated.

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TWO WEEKS OLD.

Latest Reliable News from the Chinese Capital Dated Nearly a Fort-night Ago.

Germans, Austrians and Italians May Remain in Peking After the Russians Withdraw—Complete Key to the Russo-American Mystery.

LONDON, Sept. 4, 4.10 a. m.—The latest reliable Peking date is now nearly a fortnight old. An undated despatch has been received at Vienna reporting that the allied troops marched through the imperial palace Aug. 28, but it was known that this date had been fixed by the allied commanders for a formal promenade.

There is no other news of any kind. The Hong Kong correspondent of the Standard telegraph says the Canton officials have been ordered to transmit all possible revenue to the north for war expenses, that all pay of officials from the viceroys down has been stopped during hostilities.

The Vienna correspondent of the Standard telegraph says he learns from a good source that the Germans, Austrians and Italians will remain in Peking after the Russians withdraw.

The Vienna News suggests editorially that Russia may have made secret terms in China behind the backs of the powers. The Standard expresses gratification at the explanation that the United States government does not approve Russia's proceedings.

The Daily Express publishes an interview with a New York Chinaman, Liu Chu Ah, now staying in London, who admits Li Hung Chang's "duplicity and rooted antagonism to western ideas," but thinks that the allies have no choice but to negotiate with him or to retire from China altogether.

Mr. De Blowitz, the Paris correspondent of the Times, asserts that the origin of Russian decision to evacuate Peking was her desire to frustrate the schemes of Emperor William and to correct the impressions produced by the Kaiser's speech attributing to Emperor Nicholas the initiative in the appointment of Field Marshal Count Von Waldersee to the command of the international troops.

"Russia also desired," says M. De Blowitz, "to save France from the hard necessity of placing her troops under Count Von Waldersee. The United States were also much dissatisfied with the prospect of their troops acting under German orders."

"If you compare the Russian evacuation proposal with the American plan for beginning negotiations before Emperor Nicholas's arrival, and if you add to this the prompt adherence of France, addressed to the United States, you have the complete key to the Russo-American mystery."

WASHINGTON, Sept. 3.—A despatch from Minister Conger was received by the state department today. It was chiefly interesting in being the first word from him since his despatch of about the 27th ult. referring to the proposed parade of troops through the imperial palace in Peking.

The contents were not made public, but it was stated that it contained nothing materially changing the situation.

tion. The lack of date led to a determination to take energetic steps by which all despatches hereafter coming to the state department from China will have the date clearly stated.

Two other despatches received today from China referred to the state of health of the troops, which generally is satisfactory.

It cannot be learned that there has been any marked advancement of the international forces from Peking. The plain indication is that the powers are acting upon the hint conveyed in the last note of the state department and are bringing all of their influences to bear upon Russia to induce her to change her mind as to withdrawing her troops.

For some reason the authorities here appear to feel a growing confidence that this effort will be successful. It is noted as a fact of great significance that the proposition is being advanced to have Prince Ching return to Peking as the acting head of the Chinese government.

The suggestion is made that the progress of this wave of reorganization while the international troops are still in Peking, promising, as it does, speedily to provide an actual defacto Chinese government with which the nations may treat without further doubt as to its strength, may solve the present problem and put the Chinese question in a fair way to final and satisfactory settlement.

Much may depend upon the attitude of Russia in this matter, and the manner in which she treats this appeal from the Chinese notables may prove to be a test of the sincerity of her expressed desire to deal with the Chinese government as soon as possible.

PEKING, Aug. 22.—Chung Li, a member of Tsung Li Yamen, and prefect of police, visited the Austrian representative yesterday, who arrested him because of the Chinese official's complicity in the attacks on the legations.

Sir Robert Hart, the director of the Chinese imperial maritime customs, has resumed charge of the customs and has re-opened the imperial ports.

TIEN TSIN, Tuesday, Aug. 25.—Three members of the Tsung Li Yamen, La Tung, Ching Hsin and Chung Li, it is announced here, are seeking to negotiate with the allies through Sir Robert Hart, the director of the Chinese maritime customs.

There are four trains each day from Yung Ku to Yang Tsun.

The sinking of a small Japanese steamer interrupts river communication between Tien Tsin and Taku.

As announced in the despatch from Peking, dated Aug. 22, Chung Li has been arrested, and it is just possible he may be the "Prince Ching" referred to in the Peking despatch of Aug. 21 as endeavoring to open negotiations with the allies, though there is a Prince Ching, father of the heir apparent, lord chamberlain of the court, and recently commander of the Peking field force.

International Exhibition!

EXCURSION RATES ON THE INTERCOLONIAL RY.

From Sept. 8th to 18th, tickets will be sold at all stations in New Brunswick, good to return up to Sept. 22nd, at single first class fare, with 25 cents admission to the Exhibition.

Tickets will be sold at this rate in Nova Scotia on the 8th, 11th, and 13th, and in Quebec from Quebec City on the 11th, 13th, 15th, 17th, 19th, 21st, 23rd, 25th, 27th, 29th, and 31st.

From Sussex to Coldbrook and St. Johns inclusive, tickets will be sold from Sept. 10th to 19th at single second class fare, with 25 cents admission to the Exhibition added, good to return same day.

From points east of Moncton to Point du Chene and Amherst, same dates, same fare, and good to return two days from date of issue.

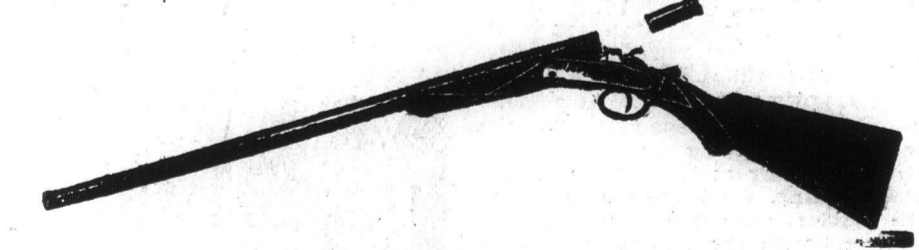
From points north of Moncton to Campbellton, at single second class fare, with 25 cents admission to the Exhibition added, on the 10th Sept., limit for return 13th; on 12th, limit 15th; on 13th, limit 17th; on 14th, limit 18th; on 15th, limit 19th; on 17th, limit 20th.

On Tuesday, 11th, and Tuesday, 18th, by Special Train from Amherst, and No. 3 train, Point du Chene, including admission to the Exhibition:—

Table with 2 columns: Destination and Fare. Includes Amherst, Aulac to Calhoun's, Pt. du Chene and Shediac, Paines Jet, and Humphreys, Moncton to Pictou River, Pictou and Penobscus, Sussex and Apohaqui, Norton, Bloomfield and Pessekeag, Hampton, New Glasgow, Quispamsis to Riverside, Brookville to Coldbrook.

Good to return same day. D. J. McLAUGHLIN, President. CHAS. A. EVERRETT, Mgr. and Sec'y.

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This cut represents our Davenport Ejector, Single Barrel Shot Gun. This gun has been on the market since 1894, and has never failed to give satisfaction.

The Acme Model is a first class shooting gun, same quality as above, with a sure working ejector. Price \$7.75.

All kinds of double barrel guns also in stock.

W. H. THORNE & CO, LTD., ST. JOHN, N. B.

SUCCESSFUL PICNIC.

The fourth annual Church of England picnic in aid of the new church, which was held at Fredericton Junction on Wednesday, was a success from every point of view.

The gross receipts for the day amounted to upwards of \$350, a result which should be highly satisfactory to the Rev. H. E. Dibble and his corps of zealous workers.

SIR CHARLES

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THE SEMI-WEEKLY SUN

ST. JOHN, N. B., SEPTEMBER 5, 1900

THE CHANGE OF GOVERNMENT.

Mr. Blair made a hasty run down to New Brunswick last week for the purpose of reconstructing his provincial government.

The effect of these changes is to place the chief direction of affairs in the hands of Mr. Pugsley and Mr. Tweedie, since Mr. Lablillois is not supposed to concern himself with matters of policy while Mr. Farris is essentially a parish politician.

Mr. Pugsley and Mr. Blair have been mixed up together in many schemes and have still many common interests.

Politically, Mr. Tweedie and Mr. Pugsley have been a kind of adversaries, uncertain allies and uncertain opponents.

Mr. Pugsley set out in 1896 to be a federal liberal conservative candidate in Kings. Then he retired, as he said, in order to unite the conservative party.

If the leaders of the new government were men who could inspire confidence as administrators, some of their political adventures might be overlooked.

One of the government organs announced the other day that the provincial finances were in a much better condition than they were under Mr. Blair four years ago.

has got rid of Mr. White and Mr. Emmerson and can go ahead. There is no reason why the government should stop with one railway.

The truth is that the financial position of the province requires great prudence and the most economical management.

Mr. Emmerson has closed his premiership and issued his valedictory. If he had been a figure head only Mr. Emmerson would have filled the bill reasonably well.

It is supposed that Mr. Emmerson will either be made a judge or will accept nomination against Mr. Powell in Westmorland.

This is a great distinction for a politician to obtain by simply not taking a judgeship, though Mr. Emmerson would not be the first man to pass up the glittering prize.

Mr. Emmerson may be considering these things. He may also be contemplating the chances of the retirement of Sir Louis Davies and his own succession to the head of the department of marine.

Until the situation is further developed there will be some hesitation about endorsing Mr. Emmerson's claim to a place among the heroes on the ground of his passing by the judgeship.

THE BY-ELECTIONS. The change of local government calls for elections in Queens and Kings counties, with a prospective election in Albert.

"See better days, of course," sarcastically asked the lady of the skillets. "Oh, yes," said Dismal Dawson, cheerfully, "but I've also seen worse ones."

LIB-CON. MASS MEETING.

To be held in St. Andrews Rink Next Friday Evening.

And to be Addressed by Sir Charles Tupper, Hon. Geo. E. Foster and Mr. Mook, M. P.

A public meeting under the auspices of the St. John Liberal Conservative Association will be held in St. Andrews Rink on Friday evening next, 7th instant, to be addressed by Sir Charles Tupper, Hon. George E. Foster and P. D. Monk, M. P. for Jacques Cartier.

"Gentlemen—I feel it my duty upon handing to his honor the lieutenant governor my resignation as premier and attorney general of the province, to express to you my high appreciation of the confidence which you have reposed in me during my tenure of office, as evidenced by the very handsome support you have accorded to the government which I had the honor to lead, when appointed to get the polls.

His honor Lieut. Governor McClellan called upon Hon. Mr. Tweedie to form a new government, which he was able to do promptly, the following being the personnel:

Hon. L. J. Tweedie, premier and provincial secretary. Hon. William Pugsley, attorney general. Hon. A. T. Dunn, surveyor general. Hon. C. H. Lablillois, chief commissioner of public works.

On Saturday the grand jury returned a true bill against Charles Smith (colored), charged with stabbing on the circus grounds. Smith's trial was immediately proceeded with.

Mr. Carleton drew attention to the case of William Wright, another colored man, an employe of the circus, who was detained as a witness. He asked that he be discharged from custody, and thought that in view of the fact that he had been kept in jail for some weeks and had no money he should be allowed sufficient to leave the city.

The grand jury handed the following letter to Judge Forbes: "The grand jury desire to express, through you, their deep regret at the sudden demise of the late clerk of the court, Monty McDonald, and they wish to testify to his ability and good qualities as an officer of the court for the last eighteen years, and to his general high standing as a citizen."

"G. FRED FISHER, Secretary." The court adjourned until Tuesday at 10 a. m. Mr. Henpeck—I wish they had never started this "shirwaist" man fad." Mr. Wunder—What's wrong with it? Mr. Henpeck—My wife makes me wear all her old big-sleeved shirt waists now. That's what's wrong with it.—Baltimore American.

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BOSTON LETTER.

Cotton Mill Situation Attracting Serious Attention.

The Largest Apple Crop in the History of Canada and the United States.

(From our own correspondent.) BOSTON, Aug. 30.—The annual rush of tourists and those who have been spending part of the summer in the country has set in and in a few days it is expected the influx will be much greater than the travel out of town.

According to the National Apple Shippers' association the crop of apples this year in the United States and Canada will be the largest in the history of the two countries.

Fixing up the Old Jail and Court House. Much Needed Improvements and Alterations—All Objections to the Site on Sanitary Grounds Removed.

WOODSTOCK, Aug. 30.—The long standing reproach to this county, in the way of a most ill arranged and unsanitary jail, is about done away with. The question of a jail has been a bone of contention between county and town for a decade, but finally the county has won.

Chief of Police Tarbox of Newton had received a letter from D. J. McDonald of Charlestown stating that he is coming to Newton to claim the body of his niece, Lizzie Cahill, who was drowned in the Charles River one week ago.

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ST. PAUL, Minn., Sept. 3.—A Winnipeg special to the Dispatch says: "The Free Press, St. Paul organ, announces the appointment of Lieut. Col. McMillan as governor of Manitoba, succeeding Patterson, whose term is up."

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Sept. 3.—A local car fender company has secured the contract for constructing 68-passenger coaches for the government of New Zealand. These cars will be built complete and then taken apart and shipped to their destination. Men will be sent to put the cars together after their arrival.

Advertisements in THE SUN pay.

YOU SELECT A WIFE

FOR A LIFETIME,

And pick out the best—the one best suited to your ideas of what a wife should be. Why not use the same judgement in selecting your

Fall and Winter

Suit or Overcoat.

'Tis true the Suit may not last a lifetime, but it will cause you no end of trouble if you make a poor selection. We are in a position to suit you in the Clothing Line. Our stock is new and up-to-date, and our prices are low.

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Early Fall and Winter Clothing

Is here in new styles, new weaves, new colors—more beautiful and more solidly comfortable than ever before. We've never been so ready so early. That's the story of this store; better every year, and always vexed with itself because it isn't better yet. We are not our own manufacturers, but we have all the advantages of that with none of the disadvantages. Our Clothing is made by reputable manufacturers—we don't buy from every maker that comes along, because we don't dare risk losing your trade—to our special order just as we want it, which is different from the ordinary run—better.

VISITORS TO THE EXHIBITION. We invite you to make our store your headquarters during your stay in the city—have your mail sent here—make engagements to meet your friends here. Come in and look around, examine our stocks of Fall and Winter Clothing. You will be repaid for the time it takes. You are welcome to look whether you buy or not. "Too early to buy winter clothing," you say. Not a bit! It's wonderful how many people seem to be planning ahead for winter. Isn't it nice, though, to have it over and done with and ready to enjoy winter when it comes. You can, just as well as not. You can buy safely—Money back if we can't please you.

MEN'S FALL AND WINTER SUITS.

Our stock of Men's Fall and Winter garments is all in. All garments are of the dependable kind, the only sort we sell. Don't measure us by our prices alone. Judge us by the clothes and the prices—no matter how low the prices are. The right kind of goods are here. The prices are as proper as the goods. The people have found that we are really the store that sells the best clothing for the smallest amount of money.

At \$5.00,

We offer single breasted suits, made of all-wool Canadian Tweeds, in plain colors. A good suit for the money.

At \$6.00,

Blue and black serges, single and double-breasted; also all-wool Canadian tweeds in fine grey pin checks and brown plaids in double breasted coats.

At \$8.00,

Newest patterns and effects in tweeds, in browns, greys and bronzes, double breasted coats. Blue serges, single and double breasted; also a fine black Vicuna, double breasted, finished with silk facings; good value at \$12.00.



Men's Covert Overcoats

In English whipcoats, in fawns of the various shades, box back, the proper cut and length—\$10.00, \$12.00, \$13.00.



Men's Ulsters

Big, warm, roomy coats that you can wrap yourself in and laugh at zero weather, and they don't bear down on your shoulders and make you feel as if you carried a load of wood on your back—comfortable as well as warm.

At \$9.00,

A large assortment of double breasted suits, in tweeds, in grey and browns of medium check. Can't get them in other stores under \$12.00—here for \$9.00.

At \$10.00,

Men's Sack Suits, single or double breasted, in tweeds in green mixtures, greys and browns, light and dark shades, in checks, plaids and over-plaids, a suit that would do credit to any tailor at double.

Blue and black serges, single and double breasted; also fine black cheviot worsted single and double breasted suits and cutaway style. Nowhere else will such suits be shown for less than \$15.00.

At \$12.00,

Men's Stylish Suits, single and double breasted suits, in all-wool tweeds, in browns, greys and mixtures. Looks just as well as a custom made suit that costs twice as much.

Plenty of Choice in Patterns at \$12.

At this price we are also showing a fine black cheviot, double breasted with silk facings, and black clay worsteds in double breasted and cutaway.

At \$13.50,

Men's Single Breasted Sack Suits, in Irish tweed, in the popular green heringbone effect. For value cannot be matched hereabouts.



Men's Fall and Winter Overcoats.

An overcoat with a right hang makes a man stand out among his fellows. Costs money to get that hang—good tailors are scarce. Our overcoats for fall have the right hang to them and contain all the snap and style of the custom made article.

At \$5.00 and \$6.00

Single Breasted Overcoat of blue beaver, with velvet collar, blue check lining, seam in back, full length.

At \$7,

Single Breasted Blue Beaver Overcoat, with velvet collar, black Italian body linings, mohair sleeve linings—a \$17.00 coat in other stores.

At \$8.50,

Men's Single Breasted Overcoats in blue beaver, grey twill and grey melton, with velvet collars, Italian body linings and mohair sleeve linings. A \$12.00 coat in other stores.

At \$10,

Men's Single Breasted Overcoats, in fine English blue beaver; also a very fine grey twill, with velvet collar, full facings, Italian body linings and mohair sleeve linings. You might match them at \$15.00, but we doubt it.



AT \$12.00
AT \$13.50
AT \$15.00
AT \$18.00

Now at these prices we have Men's Overcoats in beavers, twills, so rich in fabric, cut and tailored effects as will stand as the highest development of the ready-to-wear idea. There are few stores where coats of this high quality are carried.

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GREAT OAK HALL

Kilt Suits

We are showing a nice range of kilt suits, having blouse and skirt for the little fellows of 2 to 5 years, in navy and green costume cloth, also navy serge, assorted trimmings, \$2.00, \$2.50, \$3.00.



Boys' Ulsters

If you want the boys to be warm during the cold winter months get him out of these ulsters. They are great long coats, with storm collars and hand warmers. \$3.00 to \$8.00.

Boys' Odd Pants

Our stock of boys' odd pants is exceptionally large and varied, comprising tweeds, serges and worsteds. For small boys, 50c. to \$1.00. For large boys, 60c. to \$1.50.

"FIT REFORM" CLOTHING.

We are the sole agents for "Fit-Reform" Clothing in the city of St. John and vicinity. It is the only really high class ready-made clothing for men made in Canada, and has attained a reputation in the short time it has been on the market that is enviable. "Fit-Reform" garments are cut to five different shapes of men, and in variations of each—the regular, the short-stout, the tall-stout, the slim,

and the stout man. The cloths are such as high-grade custom tailors use, and comprise English, Scotch and Canadian weaves. The cutting and the making are done by the best workmen that money can obtain. This clothing is not like any other ready-made in Canada, and is just what its name implies—a reform in fit. Suits and overcoats, \$10, \$12, \$15, \$18, \$20. Trousers, \$3, \$4, \$5, \$6.

Fall and Winter Underwear.

Canadian Lamb's Wool Shirts and Drawers, ribbed ends, full fashioned garment. Double breasted, 50c. a garment.
Canadian Lamb's Wool Shirts and Drawers, heavy and closely knit, with ribbed ends, made to resemble the Scotch underwear, just as durable and much cheaper. 75c., \$1.00 per garment.
Pure Scotch Lamb's Wool Shirts and Drawers, double breasted shirts, drawers spliced in seats. All sizes, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$2.25, \$2.50 per garment.
Heavy Lamb's Wool Shirts and Drawers, with double backs and breasts in shirts, \$1.00 per garment.
Heavy Ribbed Wool Shirts and Drawers, in all sizes; 40c., 50c., 65c. per garment.

Fleece Lined Shirts and Drawers, all-wool fleeces, 50c. per garment.
Fleece Lined Shirts and Drawers, closely knitted and soft fleeces, very warm, plain grey and fancy stripes, 75c. per garment.
Llama Wool Fleece Lined Shirts and Drawers, with satin facings, pearl buttons, \$1.00 per garment.
Silk and Wool Fleece Lined Shirts and Drawers, full fashioned and trimmed in the latest style, \$1.25 per garment.
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SHORT STORY OF THE DAY.

TOMMY'S VISIT.

There was plenty of sunshine outside but somehow it did not find its way into the great house. The master cared nothing for the sunshine. A little light to read by was all he asked. The master's wants were few. Today when the housekeeper had paused in the library doorway and deferentially asked what he desired for luncheon he had abruptly replied, "Nothing," and then had turned back to his book. Now the housekeeper paused in the doorway again. "Mr. Ashton," she said, with a little quaver in her voice, "if you please, sir, there is a small boy at the door who says he must see you."

Besides he's most too busy to teach anybody anything. He has to work so hard all the time. You know how it is your self. There's the rent, an' the life insurance, an' the meat bill, an' the clothes, an' the doctor's bill, an' the gas, an' the ice. I tell you it keeps him hustlin'. He wanted mamma to go away somewhere this summer, 'cause she needed a change. It's like old Mrs. Ballard, the lady that lives next door, says—mamma ain't been her old self since sister Alice died. But she wouldn't go unless papa could go too. Said he needed a rest more than she did. An' papa couldn't get away nobow, an' so that made me all the more anxious to have somebody in the family go a-visitin', an' when I'd made up my mind, an' saved up my money, I just started away—leavin' a note on the bureau in my room that said, 'Don't worry. I've got a clean nightgown, an' a return ticket, an' I'll soon be back. An' then I hurried away so fast that I forgot my nightgown—but may be you could let me wear one that mamma wore when she was as little as me.'

HYPNOTIC MIRACLES

Performed at Yale by Rev. Geo. B. Cutten,

A Native of Amherst, N. S., and Formerly Centre Rush of the Yale Football Team.

Has Been Curing Inebriates and Victims of the Cigarette Habit in His Psychological Laboratory—Invited Clergymen Witness a Remarkable Demonstration.

Rev. George B. Cutten, now of New Haven, Connecticut, and formerly of Amherst, Nova Scotia, at one time centre rush of the Yale football team, is trying experiments in hypnotism to cure drunkenness in his parish. Mr. Cutten spent the three years following his graduation in special study in psychology, theoretical and experimental. Hypnotism and magnetic influence took up much of his time when he was not busy preaching. The New York Herald of August 30 gives the following account of some of Rev. Mr. Cutten's hypnotic miracles: NEW HAVEN, Conn., Aug. 28.—Strange sights were seen this morning in the psychological laboratory of Yale, where the Rev. George B. Cutten has been carrying on a remarkable series of experiments in hypnotism. Amazedly a group of clergymen gazed at miracles of modern times. Wonderingly they listened to a short sermon preached to hypnotized hearers. They marvelled as they saw a command given to a sleeping subject arrived at the temporarily suspended faculties of the brain. Ordinarily the operating room made use of by the Rev. Mr. Cutten is a small cell-like place, fitted with electric lights and double padded doors. Today, however, the demonstrations were given in the lecture room of Professor Scripture, head of the department of experimental psychology, the change being made to accommodate the invited clergymen and to permit a Herald photographer to take some views of the experiments. TWO SUBJECTS AT HAND. Two subjects had been provided beforehand, but even if they had not there need have been no delay. Several times during the morning the demonstrator was interrupted by the arrival of persons who besought him to accept them as patients. One man who had read in the Herald of Mr. Cutten's wonderful hypnotic cures had come from Bridgeport, hoping that he might induce the clergyman to try to cure chronic neuralgia by hypnosis. None of the volunteers, however, was accepted, the two subjects selected already being deemed sufficient. Both were inebriates, one of the middle aged, the other somewhat younger. The latter had used liquor since he was fourteen and had chewed and smoked tobacco for about the same length of time. He was hypnotized first, August 10, and now is nauseated by tobacco, though he still has a slight taste for liquor. Both patients look what they were said to be—physical wrecks, but each declared he felt better than for years. "You men are warm and perspiring from your walk, but after your sleep you'll be refreshed. Now, J., take the chair," said Mr. Cutten. SERMON BY HYPNOTISM. The elder man, lame and weak, mounted the platform and seated himself in a cushioned chair. The experimenter held a watch in one hand and with the other stroked the eyelids of the patient gently. "Go to sleep," said the right; you're pretty tired, I guess. One! Two! Three! You're dozing. Now then, don't wake up until you're called," was repeated several times, and in less than thirty seconds the man sat sleeping in the chair. "Move to this chair by the wall," was the next command, obeyed as speedily as the patient could. Mr. Cutten guiding him. The younger man was next summoned to the seat where he had seen his companion dose off. It took only a few more seconds to put him asleep. The sermon began thus: "You men have seen the seamy side of life. You are tired of the life of sin and dissipation. You want to turn from it and be clean men. There must be no more drinking, no more using of tobacco. "Do you hear that (calling each man by name), and do you realize what it means? Stop! Stop! You're not men at all—unless you cut off the terribly destructive habit. "Now, if you stop using it, the fumes of whiskey and beer will make you ill, the smell of tobacco will cause you nausea. "You are through with whiskey and rum for good! They'll make you sick, sure," said the athlete preacher, with emphasis, repeating and repeating it. Addressing the older man, Mr. Cutten asked: "How did you get along yesterday? Did you take strong drink?" "No, sir; not once." "Did you see me?" "Once, on the street only." "Did you have any invitation to drink?" "An old toolmaker who used to work with me asked me in." "Did you drink anything at all yesterday?" "Yes; I went to the pump on the green several times for water."

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FLASHLIGHT IMPRESSIONS.

The responses were given in nearly inaudible whispers. One needed to be close to the platform to understand. The other patient went through a course of questioning also. He said he had no strong craving for liquor today, and that tobacco nauseated him. The Herald's photographer touched off the flashlight during the conversation between Mr. Cutten and the sleeping man. The experimenter was asked the younger man, as Mr. Cutten had said it would, but he was promptly put to sleep again. As neither of the men had seen the photographic apparatus, nor had known that a photographer was present, the experimenter was asked to question the man on what awakened him, to determine the genuineness of the surprise. "A flash of lightning," was his reply. To make sure that the men would not wake up while Mr. Cutten was vincted the victim of neuralgia, who had come from Bridgeport, that he could not treat him, Mr. Cutten stroked both men's eyes again, telling them to "sleep soundly." The spectators in the room were cautioned to keep quiet. In order to demonstrate how powerfully the men were under the hypnotic spell, upon his return to the room Mr. Cutten bade them in succession to make a number of movements of hands and fingers and a variety of other motions. A SUGGESTED SUNFLOWER. But most interesting was the exhibition of "post-hypnotic suggestion" in the case of the older patient. Mr. Cutten said to the spectators: "You see I am wearing neither coat nor waistcoat in this warm room. I shall tell this man that on the coat which I am supposed to wear is a great sunflower, covering half my shoulder. When he wakes he'll see it and speak of it." This is what followed: "On my coat is a great, bright sunflower. It's a fine, big sunflower. When I call you to awaken tell me what you know about such flowers. Come, wake up." The man stretched out his arms and yawned. His eyes were brighter than when he came into the room and he seemed happier. He glanced at Mr. Cutten as the latter took a chair facing him. A smile grew about his lips and he walked over to the clergyman. "Gee whiz, there's a whooping sunflower. Do you like 'em? When I was a kid I used to dry 'em, big ones, you know, and pull out the seeds to make my initials. That's a fine one you've got, sure enough." The other patient, who saw no sunflower, looked at his companion in amazement. Learning over to him he asked: "Say, mister, what's he talking about? He's got no sunflower." The men were dismissed with the admonition that they were expected to return on Saturday morning. METHODS OF HYPNOTISM. Mr. Cutten was asked by a spectator why he used the same method of inducing the hypnotic spell on both men, and what were other methods. He replied: "These men are comparatively easy to work with. It took forty minutes with the younger man the first time and briefer periods at each successive trial. "I try to study the patient's mental and physical makeup at first. Now, with you, for instance, I should try the bright head harness, a paste diamond set on the end of a curved wire that fits about the head so that the glass brilliantly sparkles in plain sight of both eyes. Steadily looking at that in front of this light, and being told that you are sleepy, would induce that state. That was the method used by Dr. James Braid of England, years ago. Another method is to have the patient listen to monotonous tones or to the ticking of a watch, keeping the attention fixed on that noise only. "But with whatever method is used the will must be surrendered to the operator. One must do as the hypnotist commands. True enough, I have hypnotized men who did not wish to be influenced, but my will had to tire them out. "Is hypnotism a boon or an evil? Stripped of the occult and as a matter of usefulness, what does it avail? were queries propounded to Mr. Cutten by his clerical audience. "I have been studying psychology at Yale for four years, under Professors George T. Ladd, E. Hershey Sneath, George M. Duncan and Edward W. Scripture. For my thesis for the degree of doctor of philosophy I chose the subject, 'The Psychology of Inebriates,' having become deeply interested in men whom I met in my pastoral work. "Previous to this I had but infrequently used hypnotism. The first time was to try to aid a classmate who was ill with a peculiar malady. I cannot state further what that was. Never have I made use of hypnotism for any purpose save to benefit some one physically or as a matter of scientific research. "One grave danger of hypnotism in

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THE MARKETS.

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(Wholesale Prices.)

Table of market prices for various goods including beef, mutton, pork, butter, and oil.

Table of market prices for fish and other commodities.

Table of market prices for flour, sugar, and other provisions.

Table of market prices for fruits and other goods.

Table of oil prices including various grades of oil.

Table of freight prices for various destinations.

SHIP NEWS.

PORT OF ST. JOHN.

Arrived: Aug 31-St. Helena, 1,531, Kidd, from London via Halifax, Furness, Withy and Co.

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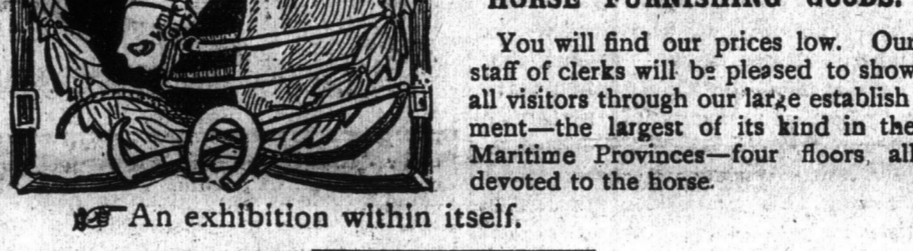
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Was an Eye Witness of the Death of Lieut. Borden—Beverly Armstrong Recovering from Effects of His Wound.

NEAR REITPONTEIN, July 18.—I take this opportunity to let you know I am all right. We are waiting for orders at the foot of the kopje where poor Borden was hit.

BRITISH PORTS. Arrived: At Horg Keng, Aug 30, previously, bark Hamburg, Caldwell, from New York.

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NOTICE TO MARINERS. TOMPKINSVILLE, N.Y. Aug 28—East bank of the river, No. 6, East Channel, New York lower bay, will be located this evening by a red and black horizontally striped spar...

CITY NEWS.

Recent Events in and Around St. John.

Together With Country Items from Correspondents and Exchanges.

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St. Dunstan's College, P. E. I., is to be lighted by electricity.

Yarmouth is now importing ice from St. John.

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There will be three chicken fattening stations on P. E. Island this fall, respectively located at Charlottetown, Alberton and Mount Stewart.

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Richard J. Walsh of Messrs. Waterbury & Rising has been awarded first prize for an article on store furnishings, etc., offered by the Boot and Shoe Record of Boston.

An interesting case was argued before Judge Forbes Saturday morning. A Mrs. Ruth Johnson was arrested at the instance of the Bank of Nova Scotia, and Scott E. Morrill applied to have the arrest set aside on the ground that a married woman is not liable to arrest on civil process. G. C. Coaster argued against the application.

John Norton, a carpenter, met with a severe accident yesterday while at work on Peter's new tannery building on Erin street. Mr. Norton, who is an elderly man, was overcome by the heat and fell from a scaffolding to the ground, a distance of about twenty-five feet. He was at once removed to his home on Union street.

A Charlottetown Guardian reporter was recently shown a collection of flakes, stone arrow-points and heads, belonging to Miss Duchemin, organist of Grace church. Miss Duchemin dug these specimens out of the soil at Indian Point Falls, near Musquodoboit, where the Indians of old had their camping ground and manufactured their weapons.

The burglars who broke into Daniel F. Tapley's house on Douglas avenue on Wednesday night have not yet been captured, although the police have taken every measure toward their apprehension. The loss of the family is estimated at about \$200, including about \$25 in cash, two silver watches, a lady's and a gentleman's, two gold chains, five bracelets and three rings.

The Detroit Free Press of Aug. 29th, among some notes referring to the Pythian parade, says: "After a trip of 2,000 miles, probably the longest made by any attending company of the same number, Victoria Company, No. 1, Canadian Division, of St. John, New Brunswick, who left home last Saturday evening, arrived in camp Monday evening. The fifty men present are in command of Lieut. S. H. Smith."

The P. E. Island team to take part in the maritime meet at Halifax on Saturday will be composed as follows: D. A. McKinnon, captain; H. W. Ritchie, C. J. MacMillan, Leslie Adams, C. A. Duffy, R. A. Donahoe, K. McPherson, A. Cameron, J. R. Darke, Byron Brown and W. Jones. P. C. Brown of the Dufferin Hotel, St. John, and Herbert Sprague of Amherst will also represent the Island. On their way home the Island boys will stop off at New Glasgow on Monday to take part in the sports at that place.

A report has been received by Hon. Sydney Fisher from the Canadian commissioner at Paris, stating that there have been numerous and particular enquiries made as to the nature and extent of Canada's coal deposits, and resources. Upon the information being given great surprise has been expressed that nothing has been done in the way of establishing an export trade. It is thought here that this may be the first step towards establishing an export trade in coal.

RED CHEEKS and bright eyes are often, alas, signs of lung disease. Better secure the beauty of true health by using Adamson's Botanic Cough Balsam for all lung troubles. 25c. All Druggists.

BIRTHS.

MURCHISON—At Charlottetown, P. E. I., on the 27th August, to Captain and Mrs. John Murchison, a son.

SMITH—On this day, at Fredericton, to Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Slipp, a son.

MARRIAGES.

BELYEA-WORDEN—At the residence of the officiating clergyman, Greenwood, on Aug. 29th, by Rev. H. A. Bonnell, Frederick Belyea to Miss Shirley Worden, all of Greenwood, Kings, N. B.

MONGES-ANSLEY—On Thursday, Aug. 30th, 1900, at Philadelphia, Penn., U. S. A., in the Church of the Mediator, by Rev. Charles E. Milnor, D. D., Mary, daughter of the late Barzillai Ansley, Esq., of St. John, New Brunswick, Canada, to George Monges of Philadelphia.

PAUL SMITH—At St. Mary's church, Waterloo street, on Sept. 3rd, 1900, by the Rev. W. O. Raymond, M. A., James A. Paul of this city and Margaret L. Smith of Hampton, N. B.

WARING-BREEN—At the Methodist parsonage, Digby, on Sept. 3rd, by the Rev. W. J. Evans, Geo. Hart Waring, Jr., to Lily Edna Breen, both of St. John, N. B.

DEATHS.

ALLAN—At Danforth, Maine, on Sept. 1st, of consumption, Lyle Myrtle Allan, beloved daughter of Wm. and Elizabeth Allan, in the 21st year of her age.

DISBROW—Entered into rest, on Sunday morning, Sept. 2nd, Sophia E. widow of the late Barzillai Ansley, Esq., of St. John, New Brunswick, Canada, to George Monges of Philadelphia.

SMITH—In this city, Aug. 31st, Alfred James youngest son of Cornelius and Ellen Kane, aged 35 years.

MCCLAVERY—In this city, on Aug. 31, Mary Ann, beloved wife of Arthur McClavery, leaving a family of two sons and three daughters to mourn their loss.

MILBR—At his home at Newcastle Stream, Sarnsey, Co. N. E. Ireland, aged 76 years, John B. Milbr, a native of Tyrone, Ireland, aged 76 years.

SMITH—On Sept. 3rd, Arthur Stanley Smith, only son of Wm. and Agnes Smith, aged 10 years.

Notice to Subscribers.

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A quiet wedding took place at 5:30 Saturday morning at the Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception, when Miss Ella Kitcham, only daughter of Thomas Kitcham, and A. L. Palmer Waterbury of the clerical staff of Manchester, Robertson & Allison were united in matrimony by Rev. F. J. McMurray. The bride, who was attended by her cousin, Miss Annie Cripps, was charmingly gowned in a gown-away suit of grey with James Dunn of Misspec was groomsmen.

only relatives and intimate friends were present. After the ceremony a wedding breakfast was served at the bride's residence. Mr. and Mrs. Waterbury took the early train for a trip through the eastern states. On their return they will reside at 22 Charles street. Many handsome and costly presents were received.

QUOTED IN BOSTON. Thorndike Spaulding, a prominent Boston attorney-at-law, called at the police court this morning and introduced himself to Magistrate Ritchie. Mr. Spaulding said he had visited the police court in this city last year and had there heard and noted a decision given by the magistrate which had been since quoted in the Massachusetts sets police courts. The judgment given in reference to the arrest of drunks and what constitutes drunkenness, as given by Spaulding, says Magistrate Ritchie's judgment has proven of much service to the justices of Boston who have since then adopted it.—Gazette.

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CAPE TOWN, S. A. Major Hurdmann, writes: "I am glad to hear you are to go home with these only a few days. I am concerned, when you will be back, as the weather here is very hot, and the water is very bad."

THE FOLLOWING have been received from CAPE TOWN, S. A. Gillivray, missing Sept. 2nd, Sept. 28th, Whiteley; 23rd, Nicks, shot through the heart on the 14th July, 1900.

CORP. COOMBS. The St. John's Sun: "We are today of our mails from White there is a sensitive there is a report of F. W. Coombs has been some a very critical case, fever is now raging, he is pulling out, had hopes of return soon to return to Cape. This advice Aug. 8th. You to find space in the insertion of acquaintances in condition.

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