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HARMONY HALL.

The Schoolmaster Puts in a Plea for Plain English.

The Idea of a Lending Department Considered and Abandoned.

Fellow John L. and Fellow Madada Take the Trail—Hardening Their Throats for Today.

"Mr. President," said the Schoolmaster, "I trust it will not be considered presumptuous on my part if I point out an error in the construction of a sentence in Mr. Blair's speech at Fredericton Junction. He is reported to have said: 'A good deal has occurred since the 23rd of June last.' It is not correct to say that a deal occurred. A deal does not happen. It is made or consummated. Then, if I might be permitted to make a suggestion, I would change the qualifying adjective. As a friend of Fellow John V. and others left out in the cold by that deal, I could not honestly say it was a 'good' deal. To my mind the correct expression is not 'good,' but 'infamous.' The sentence should therefore read: 'An infamous deal has been consummated since the 23rd of June last.' I trust the correction will be duly noted."

There was a murmur of applause from the friends of Fellow John V., but Fellow Andrew G. and his friends glared angrily at the Schoolmaster, and several hairy fists were thrust out in his direction. Fortunately for the cause of Harmony another Fellow arose.

"Mr. President" he said, "I think the speech of Blair's opens up great possibilities. I would like to ask if Fellow Laurier intends to establish a Lending Department as a feature of the New Era. Mr. Blair says a friend in the senate offered to lend him \$5,000, but as soon as they got into office they used the same promises. As Mr. Wilnot had truly stated, the conservatives had already voted a subsidy for the river valley railway. It was the liberals and not the conservatives who appealed to Quebec in the last election. The French people were told, here you have one of your own race at the head of the liberal party. If they are successful we will have a French premier. The very circumstances of the wariness of the liberals told, Mr. Blair would have the people believe that the call for him to enter the government started in the west and spread this way. If the demand was so loud it was strange it did not invade the sanctum of the editor of the Globe. It never struck Col. Tucker or Col. Domville. It was said that something like an operation had to be performed to get it into the head of the chairman, who hurried off to Grand Lake to tell Mr. King what it all meant. Still it reached Mr. Blair. Mr. Blair had a right to tell the electors now before election day what the policy of the government was. The liberals fought the N. P. for years, but were at sea as their policy. Mr. Laurier said let him in and he would declare his policy. He was in now, but had not yet disclosed his policy. Mr. Laurier said he was going to cut the head off that monster protection and trample upon the body. On reaching power Mr. Laurier assured the people that he was not going to touch the tariff for some six or nine months. This was an instance unparalleled in history for a minister to come before the people without giving an account of his policy. New Brunswick lost a minister through the change in the government, and the Northwest and British Columbia would be worse off too.

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WALTHAM ORANGEMEN.

A Story About an Initiation Ceremony Brought Into a Law Court.

Waltham, Mass., Aug. 19.—John J. Graham, J. C. Vickerson, Edward O'Neill, Daniel Tracy, L. Weatherbee and Wilfred Mayhew, the officers of an Orange lodge here, were arraigned before Judge Luce this morning, charged with assault and battery on F. A. Prebble and Edward Arch at a meeting of the lodge a short time ago. The plaintiffs testified that they were candidates for initiation into the lodge and that during the ceremonies they were branded over the heart with a searing iron, and that they were cruelly beaten with rattans over the naked limbs and bodies. After hearing the testimony the court found the defendants guilty and imposed a fine of \$5 each.

THE DECISION MADE.

A Boston Man Gets First Prize for the Montreal Bridge Design.

Montreal, Aug. 19.—Some time ago the Montreal Bridge company invited designs of a bridge to be built from Montreal across to the south shore, offering a prize of \$10,000 and a second of \$500. Walter Shanley, the well known engineer, was appointed to decide as to the merits of the several plans, and no less than twenty-four were sent in to the office of the company, of which Henry Hogan is the president. Seven designs came from Europe, one from India, sixteen from the United States, yet strange to say none came from our own dominion. The award has now been made and the first prize goes to E. S. Shaw, C.E., of Boston, while A. L. Bowman, C.E., of Roxanoke, Vt., gets the second.

The bank and most of the shops in Wolfville will now only take American silver at 20 per cent discount and bills at 5 per cent.

MONCTON.

Cold Storage Company to be Exempt from Taxes—Escaped from the Lock-up.

Moncton, Aug. 19.—The committee of citizens and the city council has recommended that the city donate \$1,000 to the Johnson cold storage company for a site for a building, give free water and light and exempt from taxation. The city council has not yet taken action on the report.

Matters have not been going very straight in police circles of late. There have been numerous escapes from the lock-up, male and female. The police magistrate is to take testimony under oath in regard to the latest escape, that of the prisoner Budd, who had escaped before any was re-arrested. The second escape from the street railway has arrived and the round trip will be made in future. The passengers will transfer at the I. C. R. crossing, pending the making of arrangements with the department to have the cars brought to the station. A man named McCarron, a mill saw hammer, on his way from St. John to Bathurst, was taken in charge by the police yesterday. He had in his possession \$40.50 and judging by the company he was in the police than he was in the hands of the law. He was very long. He went on his way rejoicing today.

AMHERST.

Marriage of Miss Hattie Black and Harry M. Fride.

Amherst, N. S., Aug. 18.—The body of Moses Erien, one of the victims of Saturday afternoon's boating fatality in Chignecto channel here, has been recovered, a short distance from where the accident happened, and was taken to the morgue. The deceased was only married about one year ago. The body of Daming Cormier has not yet been recovered.

Over one million feet of manufactured lumber at Joggins Mines wharf was destroyed by fire last night. The fire is supposed to have been the work of an incendiary. The lumber was owned by J. W. Hunter of Leamington and was being shipped to South America. It was cut last fall off the Cumberland River and Coal company's property. The loss is estimated at ten thousand dollars.

Amherst, Aug. 19.—The marriage took place this afternoon at 4 o'clock at the residence of Galus L. Black, of Cumberland River and Coal company, the bride, Miss Hattie Black, daughter of J. W. Hunter, and the groom, Harry M. Fride, son of M. D. Fride, manager of the Amherst boot and shoe factory. The bride, prettily attired in yellow crepon trimmed with white lace and cream satin, was given away by her father, the bridegroom, dressed in cream crepon with lace and ribbon trimmings, acting as bridesmaid, Bernard B. Black, brother of the bride, was groomsmen. The nuptial knot was tied by Dr. Steer, the ceremony being performed by the Rev. C. P. R. for Halifax on their honeymoon.

SHORT TALKS ON ADVERTISING.

No. 27.

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Advertising by circulars and such things undoubtedly is sometimes profitable. In the manufacturing or jobbing business this is more likely to be true than not.

The retail merchant needs a quicker, surer, less expensive method of getting it in daily and weekly newspapers. There is no method of advertising which costs so much and so little at the same time. While the expenditure may be to be greater in the long run, it is more likely to be profitable. In the manufacturing or jobbing business this is more likely to be true than not.

An exact example will do more to make it clear and to prove it true than columns of text. A show dealer on 81st street, New York, wished to advertise his store. He proposed sending out a series of circulars, one each month for nine months. There were 5,000 circulars sent out, and he received for the series of nine, including postage, was about \$600. For this sum he reached 5,000 people nine times.

For the same amount of money he could have placed a five-inch ad. in the columns of a paper having a guaranteed sworn circulation of over 1,000,000 copies every issue for 33 issues, covering the same period that the distribution of his circulars did.

Contrast the 45,000 circulation secured by the circulars with the 4,000,000 circulation he could have had in the paper, and you'll see at once how great a mistake he made. There is no question about the fact that he would have received ten times the benefit from the newspaper advertising that he did from the circular. It is the only logical conclusion.

Sometimes circulars are good, but whenever you are contemplating sending one out, sit down and figure up the possibilities. How much space and how much circulation the cost of the circular would buy in the SUN.

You will find in every case that reason and common sense will be in favor of using the paper. By doing so you will reach nine-tenths of the very people to whom you would address circulars, and you will reach ten times as many more other people to whom your circular would not have gone at all.

J. M. Johnson's local creditors met a few days ago to consider his affairs. Mr. Johnson is a partner of the firm of H. C. Grant & Co., Calais, whose failure has been brought about through the Eaton & Co. failure in Boston. Mr. Johnson's liabilities in this city are not heavy.—Globe.

KOOTENAY, A SURE CURE.

Her Cup Overflows with God's Mercy.

Wonderful Story Told by a Truly Thankful Woman.

No more reasonable proof of the great virtues of Ryceman's Kootenay Cure could be imagined than one which has just been furnished in Hamilton, Miss Ferguson, who resides in rear of No. 38 James street, South, the first door south of James street Baptist church, after an illness of over twenty years, has been cured of complication of diseases which followed a stroke of paralysis. Her letter, which follows, is worth careful consideration:

Hamilton, October 21, 1895.

S. S. Ryceman, Esq., Proprietor Ryceman's Kootenay Cure:

Dear Sir—Having been an invalid for many years, and having given up all hope of ever being anything but a cripple, I feel that it is my duty as well as my great privilege to let the public know that I have been made an entirely new woman solely by the use of your Kootenay remedy.

At the age of fifteen I was smitten with paralysis, which effected the whole of my right side, and for more than twenty years my life has been one long affliction. The pains in my head have been very severe, and I was subject to dizziness and fainting spells which came upon me so suddenly that I might be pretty well one moment and apparently at death's door the next. So bad were these pains that I feared I would lose my reason. At almost all times I had excruciating internal pains, in fact my whole system was full of pains. Some times for days I could not retain one morsel of the food eaten, and at last grew so bad that I felt my time on earth must be very short.

A few months ago I began taking your Kootenay Cure, and now I am better than I have ever been in all my life; so much better that I thank the Lord every day on my knees for the good your medicine has done me.

I feel that I owe my life to you, and I feel that I owe my life to God's hands of bringing about the great change. It came to me in God's appointed time, and I cannot thank Him and you too much for the deliverance.

My family physician had doctored me for many long years, giving only temporary relief, and I have consulted, I am sure, at least a dozen other doctors, who tried to do me good, but could not. At last they told my sister that all they could hope for me was to make me comfortable for the time being. It is so different now that I have been given new life by your medicine. My cup is running over with God's mercy. The warmth of life I can feel coming into my arm, which has been cold as if dead. All the pains have left my head, my back and my body. I have no more dizziness or fainting. The indigestion which has troubled me is gone, and I can now eat and enjoy my food, and I have gained in strength and weight. Your medicine has done for me what other human agencies failed to do.

With the best of wishes for you and the success of your medicine, I remain, most thankfully yours,

(Signed) ANNIE FERGUSON.

For sale by Geo. A. Moore, Samuel Waters, G. W. Hoben, Druggists, Canadian Drug Co., Wholesale Agents.

THE CANADIAN WEST.

Winnipeg, Man., Aug. 18.—Arthur Jerrold, who lived with the murdered man, has been arrested and charged with the murder of Joseph Henry at Rapid City, reported yesterday. Jerrold, who is a young Englishman, had quarreled with Henry, and there is strong circumstantial evidence that he thus revenged himself. Jerrold, who is from this country by one of the English benevolent organizations, is as stoical as an Indian and refuses to open his mouth on the subject of the murder.

From the headquarters of the department at both Regina and Prince Albert prompt denials are given to the story of a mutiny among the police. Prince Albert despatches say: There is no foundation for the reports as to the mutiny in the police here, but leader complaining from the men in general, at the alleged severe and unfair punishment of men by the officers commanding and threats of retaliation are freely made under the department holds an investigation.

General Superintendent Whyte of the Canadian Pacific Railway and His Hon. Governor Patterson have returned from a trip to the Kootenay gold mining country. They speak in the highest terms of the possibilities of the Kootenay district and predict a prosperous future for it. "There is great activity displayed on every hand," said Mr. Whyte. "The whole country is filled with miners and prospectors. Most of the latter are Americans, although many English capitalists have their men at work locating claims. One has to visit the country to fully appreciate what is being done there. A million dollars of American money has been invested in permanent machinery. Asked what was the greatest need of the Kootenay country, Mr. Whyte said: "Undoubtedly the greatest need and the one which will have to be supplied if Canada is to be benefited by the investment in the district, is the construction of a railway through Crown's Nest Pass. There are six thousand people in Rossland now and ten thousand scattered throughout the country. Ninety per cent. of these are Americans, and as a consequence, nearly all the supplies are brought from across the line. The absence of a Canadian road leading to Rossland makes such a delay in getting supplies in from this side that the Americans get nearly the whole benefit of the money spent in this way. It is estimated that a miner requires four times as much to sustain him as an ordinary citizen in England. They are very hard on clothes and boots and have appetites that take a great deal to appease. Canadian supplies are, therefore, losing a very valuable trade on account of the inability to get goods in speedily.

MILLIONS IN BEER.

This year, as far as it has gone, has been exceptionally prosperous for the English brewers. The number of barrels on which duty was paid was 14,466,011, an increase of over 1,000,000 compared with the same period last year. The United States has not been taking as much as formerly, but Egypt is rapidly developing a taste for English beer. In South Africa the same growth is noticeable, and the export of ales to Australia is augmenting.

Winnipeg, Man., Aug. 19.—Premier Greenway is at his country residence out of the reach of curious newspaper correspondents, and all his ministers being also out of town nothing definite can be learned regarding the Ottawa report that at last the troublesome school question has been settled, but these best posted are not inclined to take much stock in the report of a settlement. It is all very well to declare that Greenway's ministers and the Laurier government have reached a basis of settlement. No doubt there have been some differences between the friends and allies, but politicians ask what about the Catholics. What about the agrieved parties, where do they come in? The settlement may be satisfactory to Laurier and Greenway, but is it satisfactory to the Catholics? If it is not then the knotty question stands just where it did before.

Several Winnipeg politicians have gone to Owen Sound to be present at the reception of the Conservative to Hugh John Macdonald on Friday. This reception, so reports from Owen Sound say, will be on a large scale.

MARINE MATTERS.

Judgment was given in the admiralty court, Halifax, on Tuesday, in the capture of the schooner Frederick Gerring, Jr. The vessel was captured by the cutter within the three mile limit, for which she was held liable. The schooner was fore, confiscated, with all her sails and contents, to the Canadian government. A survey of the injuries received by the schooner was made Monday at Quebec. It was found that the forward part of the vessel is out down to the keel, the mainmast is broken and the vessel is in a very bad state of repair. The schooner is to be sold as early as possible. The owners of the schooner have taken out a writ of seizure on the schooner.

A Philadelphia despatch states that private revenue received Monday say that out of the crew of twenty-one men on the schooner, five were killed, and the vessel was burned at sea on June 8, while on a voyage from Newcastle, N.S.W., for the schooner. The schooner was owned and crewed by the schooner. The schooner was owned and crewed by the schooner.

THE DIFFICULTY SETTLED.

The differences between the representatives of the Ship Laborers' Union and the Donaldson line steamers have been satisfactorily adjusted and an agreement arrived at. The union's committee, Michael J. Kelly, president; Thos. Kilian, secretary; and W. Daley, Thos. Burns and P. E. Tighe, met Mr. Nairn yesterday in S. Schofield & Co.'s office. The objectionable features of the proposed agreement were modified to the satisfaction of both parties, and harmony will therefore prevail next winter. This is a matter for general congratulation. The Donaldson line people expect to have fortnightly sailings to Glasgow. The Eder-Dempster line people say the prospect for their steamers coming here this winter are also excellent.

BENT RETURNS.

Digby, Aug. 18.—Harry Bent, the Digby boat black, turned up all right today and feels very much annoyed that the The-Register correspondent should take the trouble of circulating the groundless report that he was drowned. Hardy says he was merely enjoying a few days' recreation at Granville.

VICTORIA CO.

Three Brooks Aug. 13.—On the 12th inst. a picnic was held on the grounds of A. Turner. A match game was played between the St. Almo base ball team and the Sison Ridge team. The St. Almo boys held the day, the scores standing 37 to 61. The horse trot was the most exciting thing of the afternoon. The prize of \$5 was awarded to J. Fraser's horse.

The schools along the river are beginning to reopen for the fall term. The trustees of school district No. 7 had rather an exciting time of it Wednesday morning. Two teachers, one of each sex, it seems were hired by the trustees, the strange part being that all three had assented to each contract. As the district had never before needed two teachers and the school is small, it was reasonable to suppose a blunder of some kind had been made. The young gentleman held out tepidly, while the young lady, though her case was just as good and her claim on the general wishes of the people a strong one, appeared to be a blunder. After a pleasant face and the downcast look of the trustees showed plainly that it is expensive work to fool with professional.

During the last two days over two teams have passed The blueberry fields. Mr. Green of Perth is buying berries for the Boston market. The berries in the plains about Blue Mountain are reported to be an excellent crop.

Perrie Perkins of Centreville has returned to his school at Long Island. The school on the Ridge is taken by Mr. Shaw of Bath.

Truant officer Webster of Halifax has been taking a census and estimates that there are 8,000 children in that city between 8 and 16 years of age.

AN IDEAL FAMILY MEDICINE

WATERBURY'S TABLETS

WATERBURY'S TABLETS are a new and powerful medicine for the cure of all the diseases of the stomach, liver, and bowels. They are especially adapted for the cure of indigestion, constipation, and all the ailments of the digestive system. They are sold by all druggists and chemists.

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The undersigned, Messrs of forming a Limited Partnership under the laws of the Province of New Brunswick, hereby certify: (1) That the general nature of the business in which the said partnership is to be conducted is J. H. Whiteaker & Co. (2) That the general nature of the business intended to be transacted by the said partnership is the manufacturing, buying and selling of hardware and retail of hardware, stoves, stoves, house furnishing hardware and other goods of a like nature as are usually bought and sold by dealers in such wares and goods. (3) That the names of the general and special partners interested in the said partnership are as follows:—James Ernest Whiteaker, who resides at Hamilton, in the County of Kings, is the general partner, and Charles A. Palmer, who resides at 22 St. John's Street, in the Province of New Brunswick, is the special partner. (4) That the amount of capital to be contributed to the said partnership is \$10,000. (5) That the period at which the said partnership is to commence is the first day of June, A. D. 1896, and that the said partnership is to terminate on the first day of June, A. D. 1898. (6) That the name of the firm to be conducted by the said partnership is J. H. Whiteaker & Co. (7) That the name of the firm to be conducted by the said partnership is J. H. Whiteaker & Co. (8) That the name of the firm to be conducted by the said partnership is J. H. Whiteaker & Co. (9) That the name of the firm to be conducted by the said partnership is J. H. Whiteaker & Co. (10) That the name of the firm to be conducted by the said partnership is J. H. Whiteaker & Co.

INTERCOLONIAL RAILWAY

On and after MONDAY, the 22nd June, 1896, the trains of this Railway will run daily (Sunday excepted) as follows:

TRAINS WILL LEAVE ST. JOHN.

Express for Campbellton, Fugwash, Pictou and Halifax..... 7.00
Express for Moncton and Point du Chene..... 11.00
Express for St. John's, N.S., and Halifax..... 11.00
Express for Bathurst, Moncton, Halifax and Sydney..... 11.00

Buffet sleeping cars for Montreal, Lewis, St. John and Halifax will be attached to Express for St. John at 2.30 o'clock and Halifax at 3.00 o'clock.

TRAINS WILL ARRIVE AT ST. JOHN.

Accommodation from Sydney, Halifax and Moncton (Monday excepted)..... 6.00
Express from Moncton..... 6.00
Express from Sydney..... 6.00
Express from Halifax, Pictou and Campbellton..... 11.00
Express from Bathurst..... 11.00

The trains of the Intercolonial Railway are heated by steam from the locomotive and those between Halifax and Montreal via Lewis are heated by electricity. All trains are run by Eastern Standard time.

D. POTTINGER, General Manager.
Railway Office, Moncton, N. B., 19th June, 1896.

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THE WEEKLY SUN.

ST. JOHN, N. B., AUGUST 26, 1896.

THE SESSION.

The first session of the eighth parliament of Canada will be under way this week.

THE SPEAKER.

Mr. J. D. Edgar is a clear headed man, well versed in the rules of the house.

WHY THESE TEARS.

There is a humorous side to the complaint that the election of Mr. G. G. King...

also disputed. But in any case the petition speaks for itself in alleging that the agreement was not kept.

SILVER AND GOLD PARTIES.

The democrats, who are not free silver men, are called to meet in convention early in September...

THE OTTAWA CORRESPONDENT OF THE TELEGRAPH SAYS:

I now say that I am in a position to state that the subject question will be settled to the satisfaction of the country...

THE LAURIER QUEBEC ORGAN, L'ELECTEUR, A JOURNAL PRINTED IN THE FRENCH LANGUAGE...

The Laurier Quebec organ, L'Electeur, a journal printed in the French language, is still in full cry...

DR. NANSEN DID NOT REACH THE POLE...

Dr. Nansen did not reach the pole, but he got nearer to it than St. John is to Halifax.

GAIL HAMILTON WAS A LADY WHO HAD MANY FRIENDS AND A FEW ENEMIES.

Gail Hamilton was a lady who had many friends and a few enemies. But she was beyond question one of the brightest of American women.

EDWARD ATKINSON POINTS OUT THAT THE UNITED STATES IS SERIOUSLY DEPENDENT ON THE BRITISH EMPIRE FOR A MARKET...

Edward Atkinson points out that the United States is seriously dependent on the British empire for a market, and is growing more dependent all the time.

POSTMASTER-GENERAL MULOCK SHOULD LOOK AFTER THE OFFICIALS IN HIS DEPARTMENT...

Postmaster-General Mulock should look after the officials in his department. The postmaster of Marsh Hill, Ontario, addressed the electors at Gagetown yesterday.

WANTED TO KNOW: THE NAME OF THE SENATOR WHO OFFERED MR. BLAIR THE LOAN OF HIS SEAT.

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THE NAME OF THE SENATOR WHO KINDLY OFFERED MR. BLAIR THE LOAN OF A SEAT HAS NOT YET BEEN DISCLOSED.

The name of the senator who kindly offered Mr. Blair the loan of a seat has not yet been disclosed.

VISIBLE WHEAT SUPPLY.

Table with 4 columns: Visible supply U.S. and Can., U.K., On passage to U.K., On passage to continent.

DOMINION PARLIAMENT.

Informal Opening and Election of J. D. Edgar as Speaker.

At the Conservative Caucus Sir Charles Tupper Was Elected Leader.

Col. Domville After the Militia and Railways Departments.

Ottawa, Aug. 19.—The informal opening of parliament took place today. The full ceremonial will take place tomorrow...



JAMES D. EDGAR.

The Ottawa correspondent of the Telegraph says: I now say that I am in a position to state that the subject question will be settled to the satisfaction of the country...

Col. Domville has given notice of an address to the governor general for the appointment of a royal commission to enquire into the militia of Canada...

Mr. Wood of Brockville will inquire of the government whether it is intended to adopt the metric system of weights and measures in lieu of the system now in force.

Mr. Taylor gives his annual notice of a bill respecting a lien on labor, and Mr. Casey a bill concerning drainage across railways, and a bill to secure the safety of railway passengers and employees.

On returning to the commons the speaker informed the house that the governor general had been pleased to accord the customary privileges.

The speaker informed the house that "to prevent mistakes" he had secured a copy of the speech which his excellency had delivered.

Mr. Masson—Then what has happened in the papers, that the question has been settled, is not the case?

Mr. Oliver Mowat—The question is not settled, but we have no doubt it will be finally settled.

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Some careful experiments which have been made in England prove that the life of a locomotive is about 500,000 "train miles." In other words, that a locomotive of the latest approved pattern will run 500,000 miles before wearing out so as to be useless.

Luther's Bible.

A museum in Berlin has secured possession of Luther's Bible which he used in his study. Its margins are covered with notes in the great master's handwriting. It was printed in Basle in 1540, and is in excellent state of preservation.

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ALBERT CO.

Hopewell Hill, Aug. 18.—A large amount of hay of excellent quality was housed last week, the weather being exceptionally favorable for the work. The crop is fair. Grain is ripening fast.

Schooners Seattle and Maggie Lynde are loading deals here for the s. s. Huntecliff. The Huntecliff is the largest steam vessel that has yet been at the head of the bay, and it is said will carry three millions of lumber.

Wm. L. Prince of the audit office, Moncton, one of the best known residents of the railway town, is visiting relatives at this village. For some time Mr. Prince has been making inquiries in regard to the descendants of the original owner of the Prince grant in Hopewell, which tract of land, it was at one time supposed, had never been regularly transferred to the occupants. Mr. Prince states that he had taken legal steps to establish his claim to an interest in the property that was once the Prince grant, were in error, and that his mission was merely one of investigation. He has recently ascertained that the records show that a transfer was made. Mr. Prince, also, does not claim to be a descendant of the owner of the grant, but he considered the facts brought to his notice warranted an investigation. Miss Myrtle Foster of Alma has gone on an extended visit to Scotland, with her uncle, a retired sea captain, who is now residing there. Miss Foster's many friends here hope she may have an enjoyable sojourn among the heather and the gowan.

James Doherty, first officer of the bark W. W. McLaughlin, now loading at Hillsboro, spent a few days at his old home here this week. The bark will sail in a few days for Preston, Eng.

Miss Mamie Chapman, who has been residing for some months with her brother, Dr. L. Chapman, at Albert, returned on Tuesday from a brief visit to her home in Hillsboro.

H. G. Reid of Boston and Fred P. Reid of Moncton were visiting relatives here this week.

CARLETON CO.

Hartland, Aug. 17.—Frank W. Dickinson and Miss Nettie Dyer, both of Hartland, were married Saturday afternoon.

Interviewing the farmers, the Sun correspondent finds that crops, generally speaking, are about an average. Wheat is excellent. Oats are fair, though the heat of last week gave a tendency to ripen too soon. Early corn is in the field, but coming later will be only fair. Turnips are fair crop. Potatoes are "small and light in a hill." Beans are very light. Harvesting came on very early and rain is greatly needed to promote the growth of grain and corn. Potatoes are ripening before the kernels fill.

W. W. Ross is finishing the upper stories of his meat shop into a double tenement.

The Church of England services will begin on September 2nd and will be held regularly every two weeks thereafter by the Rev. W. Benson Bellis, curate of Woodstock. The hour of meeting is 7.30.

Woodstock, Aug. 17.—Rev. Mr. Bellis, curate at Archdeacon Neale's has arrived, and with Mrs. Bellis taken up his quarters here. Mr. Bellis has made a favorable impression on all who have heard him read and preach, and it is expected that he will be of great service in Woodstock and the extensive surrounding mission.

Rev. Mr. Watson, pastor of Greenwood church, St. Andrews, exchanged duty yesterday with Rev. Mr. Whiteside.

Woodstock, Aug. 15.—While Mrs. Thos. Winchester and her 14 years old son, Eddie, were out driving on Monday, the horse took fright and became unmanageable, both occupants were thrown from the wagon. Mrs. Winchester escaped without injury. The boy held on to the reins and was dragged some distance. His face was badly cut and four teeth were knocked out. He was picked up in an unconscious condition. Dr. Turner being called found it necessary to sew up the wound. He received other injuries, but at present is doing well.

David Pervis lost a fine horse a few days ago under rather peculiar circumstances. While at work cutting hay some part of the mowing machine ran over the horse's legs and he was dragged some distance. His face was badly cut and four teeth were knocked out. He was picked up in an unconscious condition. Dr. Turner being called found it necessary to sew up the wound. He received other injuries, but at present is doing well.

The schools re-opened on Monday. The old teachers will continue in charge, Frank Kelly in the advanced department and Mrs. Wm. Murchie in the primary.

Special religious services, conducted by John Buck of Woodstock, have been held in Springfield church for the past two weeks. The meetings are well attended and a general interest awakened.

Quite an exciting game of base ball was played here yesterday afternoon between Woodstock and Benton. The Benton boys were defeated.

A road sale took place under the supervision of Robert Sharp, commissioner, which will open a road that has long been much needed. It is known as the Lewin road, and will place a number of farmers where they can reach a village by a distance of one mile. They were formerly obliged to travel four miles. It is to be completed by September 10th.

It is much feared the intense heat of the past week will shorten the grain crop as it is rapidly ripening before the heads are filled.

Frank McNelly and Miss May Austin were united in marriage on Thursday. Miss May Mills has been very ill, having had over five hundred convulsions during twelve days. Her friends are now very hopeful of her recovery.

The Methodist mission band held their annual picnic this week. A pleasant time was enjoyed. Receipts, \$14.75.

Newburg Junction, Aug. 15.—Father Bradley's picnic was off pleasantly on the 4th inst. The next was a large representation from Woodstock. Fr. Bradley holds a picnic at his club near River DuChate, on the 25th inst.

Preparations are being made to erect one or two bars on the Brown place, in lieu of those consumed by fire the other night by lightning. The farmers here nearly finished having the majority finished some days ago. Oats are ready to cut on several farms.

CHARLOTTÉ CO. Meadham Junction, Aug. 17.—Mrs. Amelia Brownell has purchased the large building occupied and used as a store and hotel by the late E. W. Brownell. She has had the house raised and a new store built on top of the main building. The hotel business will be continued.

The three and a half story building belonging to James Logue of St. Croix is nearly completed. The brick part will be used as a tenement. The lower part will contain a grocery store, oyster, saloon and pool room.

Owing to lack of work, sixteen employees of the C. P. R. machine shops have been lately discharged. The Union Protestant church has been newly painted, and is very much improved in appearance. The work was done by George Acheson of St. Stephen.

Blueberries have been a very good crop near Meadham this year. A very large quantity has been picked within the last three or four weeks.

An interesting and successful social was held in Vanceboro, Saturday night, by the I. O. G. Templar lodge there.

The Knights of Pythias will hold an excursion from Vanceboro to the Chiputnetook Lakes next Thursday.

The Vanceboro Junior League of the Methodist Episcopal church held a picnic last week. The Methodists will hold their regular Sunday school picnic on Wednesday next week.

The Meadham school opened on the 13th. Both teachers of last term, H. E. Stuart and Miss Susie Fraser, still have charge. Miss Monaghan of Fredericton returns to St. Croix school for her fifth term. A new teacher takes charge of Woodstock Road, five miles from here. Miss Lizzie Dougherty of Fredericton teaches at Prince Edward school. Miss Maggie G. Sutherland of St. Croix will attend Normal school this year, having passed the entrance examination for second class.

There is great excitement in Vanceboro over the attempt made by the new Congregational pastor, Rev. Morrison Meriam, to put down the illegal sale of intoxicants. It appears that the reverend gentleman employed a detective in getting evidence. And Mr. Meriam has been threatened with prosecution under the contract labor law. However, the townspeople have been roused to take a part in enforcing the temperance law, and the case against the latter has been dropped. A few days ago papers were have strong support. As the Fredericton man did not appear to give evidence against Mr. Gordon, who was charged with unlawfully selling liquor, the case against the latter has been dropped. A few days ago papers were served on James Logue, Bartley Searse and Mrs. Mary Hod of St. Croix for alleged violation of the Canadian Temperance Act. Information in these cases, also, was given by the agent from Fredericton. Logue has been fined \$250 and costs. He is on the American side now.

Last Tuesday the thermometer in Meadham registered 100 degrees F. in the shade.

Mrs. M. J. Spaulding, wife of the C. P. R. superintendent, who was not expected to live some months ago, is now very much improved in health.

Grand Manan, Aug. 18.—The steamer Viking, of Eastport, Me., with an excellent crew, is expected to arrive on the 18th inst.

Miss Gertrude Meredith of St. Stephen is the guest of Mrs. Jos. McLaughlin at Seal Cove. Mr. and Mrs. Jos. B. Weeks and family are at Mrs. M. McLaughlin's at Seal Cove. Miss Ellen McLaughlin of the same city is also a guest of Mrs. McLaughlin.

Capt. Warren Cheney and W. A. Fraser, Esq., have been on a cruise to the coast and vessels taking three and four hundred fine fish in day's fishing.

A goodly number of tourists are taking in the beauties of our island lately. Large herrings were taken at the Pond Point wharf, two islands, on the 17th inst., for the first time this season. Our fishermen will now begin their season's work. With the present low prices of medium herrings the prospect for marketing these fish is not at all hopeful for the future. Boaters at present are doing fairly well, but will all be cleaned up this month, which will leave a bare market for the new fish of this season's catch.

MILLSTREAM, Aug. 17.—Haying is in full blast now in this section, and the crop is turning out better than was expected. The showers and dull weather of the past few weeks had thickened it wonderfully, and the men are correspondingly good tempered, making it almost safe for the female part of the establishment to ask for a day off to go to the blueberry plains.

The bridge near the McAfee place, which was sold for repairs, is now completed. Messrs. Parlee and McAfee were engaged in the work.

A revival is being held at the head of the stream conducted by Rev. Mr. McLeod. Large numbers attend the service every evening.

Oats are looking well and so is buckwheat. Root crops are very poor owing to the grubs and dry weather.

John Keirstead, blacksmith at Centerville, is at work remodeling his dwelling house. He has a new Susex, Aug. 20.—Rev. Father Finigan of Boston and Rev. Father O'Neill of St. John spent the past week with Rev. Father Savage at the R. C. rectory, Ward's Creek Road. The Count deBury of St. John and Rev. Father Carson of Riverside and Rev. Father Byrne of Norton were the guests of James and Mrs. Byrne at their residence near the railway station yesterday, and returned home last evening.

It is said that owing to some legal technicality there is a hitch in the sale of the Gallagher property, which took place here on Saturday last by order of the probate court, and that another sale to make all clear will have to be gone through.

Miss Annie Dodge, the popular telegraph operator here, had the misfortune to badly sprain the fingers of her left hand a few days since. She however attends to her work as usual, much to the satisfaction of the people having business at the station.

A dance was indulged in by a large number of ladies and gentlemen after the concert in Oddfellows' hall on Tuesday evening and kept up with much spirit until the wee small hours, notwithstanding the very sultry weather.

James P. Byrne, barrister, whose office was destroyed with the Deboe building by the recent fire, has moved into the office adjoining the old Scott store opposite the railway station.

The gentlemen and praiseworthy conduct of the members of the Provincial Rifle association has been very pleasantly discussed here. Come again boys, Susex always glad to welcome you in getting ready.

The gentlemen and praiseworthy conduct of the members of the Provincial Rifle association during the present week have much to be commended. They were very much praised for the simplicity and beauty of the garments worn by our young ladies. Though many of our young ladies have gotten up with commendable taste and look well.

KENT COUNTY. Richibucto, Aug. 17.—The death of the late Hugh McDermott of Boston, brother of Fred E. Eastman, merchant of this town, and which was announced in the Sun a few days ago, was caused by sunstroke.

Father Michaud of Buctouche held his annual picnic on Tuesday and Wednesday. Fred E. Eastman, merchant of this town, and which was announced in the Sun a few days ago, was caused by sunstroke.

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W. C. T. U. ORGANIZING TRIP. Having been asked by the executive of the New Brunswick W. C. T. U. to try and see if any societies of our order could be started in the river country in the heart of our province, I started one lovely summer afternoon from my home in one of the upper counties, and after a somewhat tedious journey found myself in the capital.

From Fredericton I travelled down the river, and at Musquodiville my first organizing meeting. The ladies of the place came in a fair number, and we organized a union, with Mrs. Walley president, Miss Mary Harrison recording secretary, Mrs. Charles corresponding secretary, Miss Edith Vanwart, and Mrs. Archibald Harrison vice-president.

At Shediac the women have a number of societies in active operation, such as I. O. G. T., missionary and literary societies. At Musquodiville, the W. C. T. U. is at present.

From Musquodiville I was rowed over the river to Oromocto, the capital of New Brunswick.

Next we came down the river to Upper Gasquetown, a thriving place in Queens Co. Here we organized a union, with Mrs. T. A. Turney president, Miss Maud Crothers recording secretary, Miss Bessie Estabrooks corresponding secretary, and Mrs. Henry Estabrooks treasurer. Mrs. James Weston and Mrs. Wm. Estabrooks vice-presidents.

From Upper Gasquetown to Gagetown is a short distance by steamer. Here I found that the sentiment in favor of temperance was strong, no liquor being allowed to be sold in the place. The women whom I saw could not undertake another society, being few in numbers as workers in any society.

Hampstead, on the river, is a pretty place, and we organized a union there. The women are enthusiastic, and I do well, I think. Mrs. Isaac Vanwart, president; Miss Edith Vanwart, recording secretary; Miss Augusta Slipp, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Wilfred Vanwart, treasurer. Had a drive into the country to Journal, a lovely farming country. Here I found the people well supplied with churches and societies. The I. O. G. T.'s with a membership of 45; also missionary societies in every church (there are three churches), and the Foresters also are there, so they could not see their way clear to taking up more work.

Wickham, on the east side of the river, came next, and McDonald's Point. Had a good meeting, but women were very few. Mr. McDonald's Corner, and near the Narrows, also on the Washademoak lake, were visited. Had good meetings, but women all inclined to wait a while before taking up W. C. T. U. work. Five ladies at the Narrows took the "Temperance pledge" card, which makes them passive members of W. C. T. U. This auxiliary to W. C. T. U. is intended to meet a long felt want, viz., to bring into membership women who are in places where they are not enough to carry on an organized society. After "doing" the Washademoak Lake I was driven across to the Grand Lake. Held meeting at MIM Cove, but failed to interest the women in our society. From Gasquetown went up the lake to Chipman, an interesting town on the Salmon River. Here I met with an enthusiastic reception. A well filled hall, both men and women, good temperance speeches from the gentlemen, and a talk on our W. C. T. U. and its methods of work by myself. At the close of the meeting the ladies remained, and we organized a good union of eighteen members, with Mrs. D. F. D. Clark president, Miss Maud Crothers recording secretary, Miss Hatfield corresponding secretary, Miss J. Darrah treasurer, Mrs. W. C. King vice-president, Mrs. L. R. Wilson 2nd vice-president, and Mrs. W. E. McIntyre county superintendent.

Fredericton, Aug. 20.—The sports to be held by the Fredericton Bicycling Club, under the patronage of the Province, promise to be a great success. There are a number of local men out in hard training for the events, and a good list of entries are expected from St. John and St. Stephen. All entries required to be forwarded to Dr. W. A. Currie, the secretary, at 24th inst. The following is a list of the events and prizes:

Quarter mile open race—1st prize, gold medal; 2nd, \$5, given by Carwell's laundry; 3rd, \$3, given by the Province. Half mile open race—1st, gold medal; 2nd, \$10, given by the Province; 3rd, \$5, given by the Province. 1 mile race—1st, gold medal; 2nd, \$20, given by the Province; 3rd, \$10, given by the Province. 2 mile open race—1st, gold medal; 2nd, \$30, given by the Province; 3rd, \$15, given by the Province. 3 mile open race—1st, silver plate; 2nd, \$40, given by the Province; 3rd, \$20, given by the Province. 4 mile open race—1st, silver plate; 2nd, \$50, given by the Province; 3rd, \$25, given by the Province. 5 mile open race—1st, silver plate; 2nd, \$60, given by the Province; 3rd, \$30, given by the Province. 6 mile open race—1st, silver plate; 2nd, \$70, given by the Province; 3rd, \$35, given by the Province. 7 mile open race—1st, silver plate; 2nd, \$80, given by the Province; 3rd, \$40, given by the Province. 8 mile open race—1st, silver plate; 2nd, \$90, given by the Province; 3rd, \$45, given by the Province. 9 mile open race—1st, silver plate; 2nd, \$100, given by the Province; 3rd, \$50, given by the Province. 10 mile open race—1st, silver plate; 2nd, \$110, given by the Province; 3rd, \$55, given by the Province. 11 mile open race—1st, silver plate; 2nd, \$120, given by the Province; 3rd, \$60, given by the Province. 12 mile open race—1st, silver plate; 2nd, \$130, given by the Province; 3rd, \$65, given by the Province. 13 mile open race—1st, silver plate; 2nd, \$140, given by the Province; 3rd, \$70, given by the Province. 14 mile open race—1st, silver plate; 2nd, \$150, given by the Province; 3rd, \$75, given by the Province. 15 mile open race—1st, silver plate; 2nd, \$160, given by the Province; 3rd, \$80, given by the Province. 16 mile open race—1st, silver plate; 2nd, \$170, given by the Province; 3rd, \$85, given by the Province. 17 mile open race—1st, silver plate; 2nd, \$180, given by the Province; 3rd, \$90, given by the Province. 18 mile open race—1st, silver plate; 2nd, \$190, given by the Province; 3rd, \$95, given by the Province. 19 mile open race—1st, silver plate; 2nd, \$200, given by the Province; 3rd, \$100, given by the Province. 20 mile open race—1st, silver plate; 2nd, \$210, given by the Province; 3rd, \$105, given by the Province. 21 mile open race—1st, silver plate; 2nd, \$220, given by the Province; 3rd, \$110, given by the Province. 22 mile open race—1st, silver plate; 2nd, \$230, given by the Province; 3rd, \$115, given by the Province. 23 mile open race—1st, silver plate; 2nd, \$240, given by the Province; 3rd, \$120, given by the Province. 24 mile open race—1st, silver plate; 2nd, \$250, given by the Province; 3rd, \$125, given by the Province. 25 mile open race—1st, silver plate; 2nd, \$260, given by the Province; 3rd, \$130, given by the Province. 26 mile open race—1st, silver plate; 2nd, \$270, given by the Province; 3rd, \$135, given by the Province. 27 mile open race—1st, silver plate; 2nd, \$280, given by the Province; 3rd, \$140, given by the Province. 28 mile open race—1st, silver plate; 2nd, \$290, given by the Province; 3rd, \$145, given by the Province. 29 mile open race—1st, silver plate; 2nd, \$300, given by the Province; 3rd, \$150, given by the Province. 30 mile open race—1st, silver plate; 2nd, \$310, given by the Province; 3rd, \$155, given by the Province. 31 mile open race—1st, silver plate; 2nd, \$320, given by the Province; 3rd, \$160, given by the Province. 32 mile open race—1st, silver plate; 2nd, \$330, given by the Province; 3rd, \$165, given by the Province. 33 mile open race—1st, silver plate; 2nd, \$340, given by the Province; 3rd, \$170, given by the Province. 34 mile open race—1st, silver plate; 2nd, \$350, given by the Province; 3rd, \$175, given by the Province. 35 mile open race—1st, silver plate; 2nd, \$360, given by the Province; 3rd, \$180, given by the Province. 36 mile open race—1st, silver plate; 2nd, \$370, given by the Province; 3rd, \$185, given by the Province. 37 mile open race—1st, silver plate; 2nd, \$380, given by the Province; 3rd, \$190, given by the Province. 38 mile open race—1st, silver plate; 2nd, \$390, given by the Province; 3rd, \$195, given by the Province. 39 mile open race—1st, silver plate; 2nd, \$400, given by the Province; 3rd, \$200, given by the Province. 40 mile open race—1st, silver plate; 2nd, \$410, given by the Province; 3rd, \$205, given by the Province. 41 mile open race—1st, silver plate; 2nd, \$420, given by the Province; 3rd, \$210, given by the Province. 42 mile open race—1st, silver plate; 2nd, \$430, given by the Province; 3rd, \$215, given by the Province. 43 mile open race—1st, silver plate; 2nd, \$440, given by the Province; 3rd, \$220, given by the Province. 44 mile open race—1st, silver plate; 2nd, \$450, given by the Province; 3rd, \$225, given by the Province. 45 mile open race—1st, silver plate; 2nd, \$460, given by the Province; 3rd, \$230, given by the Province. 46 mile open race—1st, silver plate; 2nd, \$470, given by the Province; 3rd, \$235, given by the Province. 47 mile open race—1st, silver plate; 2nd, \$480, given by the Province; 3rd, \$240, given by the Province. 48 mile open race—1st, silver plate; 2nd, \$490, given by the Province; 3rd, \$245, given by the Province. 49 mile open race—1st, silver plate; 2nd, \$500, given by the Province; 3rd, \$250, given by the Province. 50 mile open race—1st, silver plate; 2nd, \$510, given by the Province; 3rd, \$255, given by the Province. 51 mile open race—1st, silver plate; 2nd, \$520, given by the Province; 3rd, \$260, given by the Province. 52 mile open race—1st, silver plate; 2nd, \$530, given by the Province; 3rd, \$265, given by the Province. 53 mile open race—1st, silver plate; 2nd, \$540, given by the Province; 3rd, \$270, given by the Province. 54 mile open race—1st, silver plate; 2nd, \$550, given by the Province; 3rd, \$275, given by the Province. 55 mile open race—1st, silver plate; 2nd, \$560, given by the Province; 3rd, \$280, given by the Province. 56 mile open race—1st, silver plate; 2nd, \$570, given by the Province; 3rd, \$285, given by the Province. 57 mile open race—1st, silver plate; 2nd, \$580, given by the Province; 3rd, \$290, given by the Province. 58 mile open race—1st, silver plate; 2nd, \$590, given by the Province; 3rd, \$295, given by the Province. 59 mile open race—1st, silver plate; 2nd, \$600, given by the Province; 3rd, \$300, given by the Province. 60 mile open race—1st, silver plate; 2nd, \$610, given by the Province; 3rd, \$305, given by the Province. 61 mile open race—1st, silver plate; 2nd, \$620, given by the Province; 3rd, \$310, given by the Province. 62 mile open race—1st, silver plate; 2nd, \$630, given by the Province; 3rd, \$315, given by the Province. 63 mile open race—1st, silver plate; 2nd, \$640, given by the Province; 3rd, \$320, given by the Province. 64 mile open race—1st, silver plate; 2nd, \$650, given by the Province; 3rd, \$325, given by the Province. 65 mile open race—1st, silver plate; 2nd, \$660, given by the Province; 3rd, \$330, given by the Province. 66 mile open race—1st, silver plate; 2nd, \$670, given by the Province; 3rd, \$335, given by the Province. 67 mile open race—1st, silver plate; 2nd, \$680, given by the Province; 3rd, \$340, given by the Province. 68 mile open race—1st, silver plate; 2nd, \$690, given by the Province; 3rd, \$345, given by the Province. 69 mile open race—1st, silver plate; 2nd, \$700, given by the Province; 3rd, \$350, given by the Province. 70 mile open race—1st, silver plate; 2nd, \$710, given by the Province; 3rd, \$355, given by the Province. 71 mile open race—1st, silver plate; 2nd, \$720, given by the Province; 3rd, \$360, given by the Province. 72 mile open race—1st, silver plate; 2nd, \$730, given by the Province; 3rd, \$365, given by the Province. 73 mile open race—1st, silver plate; 2nd, \$740, given by the Province; 3rd, \$370, given by the Province. 74 mile open race—1st, silver plate; 2nd, \$750, given by the Province; 3rd, \$375, given by the Province. 75 mile open race—1st, silver plate; 2nd, \$760, given by the Province; 3rd, \$380, given by the Province. 76 mile open race—1st, silver plate; 2nd, \$770, given by the Province; 3rd, \$385, given by the Province. 77 mile open race—1st, silver plate; 2nd, \$780, given by the Province; 3rd, \$390, given by the Province. 78 mile open race—1st, silver plate; 2nd, \$790, given by the Province; 3rd, \$395, given by the Province. 79 mile open race—1st, silver plate; 2nd, \$800, given by the Province; 3rd, \$400, given by the Province. 80 mile open race—1st, silver plate; 2nd, \$810, given by the Province; 3rd, \$405, given by the Province. 81 mile open race—1st, silver plate; 2nd, \$820, given by the Province; 3rd, \$410, given by the Province. 82 mile open race—1st, silver plate; 2nd, \$830, given by the Province; 3rd, \$415, given by the Province. 83 mile open race—1st, silver plate; 2nd, \$840, given by the Province; 3rd, \$420, given by the Province. 84 mile open race—1st, silver plate; 2nd, \$850, given by the Province; 3rd, \$425, given by the Province. 85 mile open race—1st, silver plate; 2nd, \$860, given by the Province; 3rd, \$430, given by the Province. 86 mile open race—1st, silver plate; 2nd, \$870, given by the Province; 3rd, \$435, given by the Province. 87 mile open race—1st, silver plate; 2nd, \$880, given by the Province; 3rd, \$440, given by the Province. 88 mile open race—1st, silver plate; 2nd, \$890, given by the Province; 3rd, \$445, given by the Province. 89 mile open race—1st, silver plate; 2nd, \$900, given by the Province; 3rd, \$450, given by the Province. 90 mile open race—1st, silver plate; 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2nd, \$1010, given by the Province; 3rd, \$505, given by the Province. 101 mile open race—1st, silver plate; 2nd, \$1020, given by the Province; 3rd, \$510, given by the Province. 102 mile open race—1st, silver plate; 2nd, \$1030, given by the Province; 3rd, \$515, given by the Province. 103 mile open race—1st, silver plate; 2nd, \$1040, given by the Province; 3rd, \$520, given by the Province. 104 mile open race—1st, silver plate; 2nd, \$1050, given by the Province; 3rd, \$525, given by the Province.

THE PRESIDENTIAL FIGHT.

The Second Notable Demonstration of the Campaign in New York.

McKinley and Hobart Clubs Being Organized - Debs on the Situation.

Madison Square, New York, Aug. 15.—The second notable demonstration of the political campaign in New York city was held tonight, under the auspices of the Democratic honest money league of America, in Madison square garden, where Hon. W. Bourke Cockran addressed an immense audience with a speech entitled "In opposition to repudiation." Mr. Cockran had been selected to answer Candidate Mr. Bryan's speech because of his opposition to the Chicago platform and because of the reputation as an orator which he had earned by his participation in the tariff debates of two congresses and by his famous protest against the nomination of Cleveland delivered at a break in the Chicago convention of four years ago. The elements were kinder to Mr. Cockran than they had been to Mr. Bryan, for an afternoon shower had cooled the air and made the night an ideal one, in pleasant contrast to the sweltering atmosphere which oppressed the Bryan shouters. The police arrangements were better also, and ticket holders found no difficulty in securing admission.

At 6 o'clock the doors were opened, two hours and a half before the meeting was to begin, and as the people filed in it was noticeable that ladies composed a large proportion of the crowd. They found the hall elaborately decorated, the ceiling and draped about the four tiers of galleries. In place of the small platform from which Mr. Bryan had spoken, was erected a big stage, whereon were seated many of the vice-presidents of the meeting, whose names are on a list a hundred strong, including prominent business men, financiers and railway presidents of New York and other cities. Among them were Chas. S. Fairchild, ex-governor of New York, the first Cleveland administration; Congressman John K. Cowan of Baltimore, the president of the B. & O. railway; ex-Governor Flower, Senator Gray of Delaware, ex-Congressman John Dewitt Warren of New York, Tracy of Albany, Everett of Massachusetts, Carl Schurz, Abram S. Hewitt, Jas. C. Carter, President N. E. Ingalls of the Big Four railway, Wm. M. Singler, A. K. McClure, B. L. Godkin, Chas. McElwain and Oswald Ottendorfer.

Eighteen thousand seats had been placed in the garden and all of them were filled when Mr. Cockran advanced to the front of the platform and was greeted by a tremendous cheer, men climbing upon their chairs and waving little American flags which had been strewn through the hall. Three cheers were given for McKinley and there were hisses when a gallery god yelled "What's the matter with Bryan?" Major John E. Debs, the president of the league, called the meeting to order and addressing his hearers as democrats who love their country above party, and exhorting them to save the country from the perils of anarchy and socialism and then presented Hon. Perry Belmont, who made a short speech by way of ovation to Mr. Cockran's effort.

There was a second outbreak of cheering and waving of flags when Mr. Cockran was introduced, which lasted several minutes, and while it was in progress sixty singers, chosen from among the city banks, and entitled the New York Bankers Glee Club, singing the Star Spangled Banner, the vast audience swelling the chorus with thundering effect. Mr. Cockran was smooth shaven when he confronted the audience, and his first words rolled to the further ends of the hall.

Can. Brice, United States consul at Belfast, reports to the state department at Washington as follows: For several years his attention has been attracted to the large influx of horses for the market from the United States and Canada, the majority coming from the latter country. The stock was bought up in small lots and the horses were usually arrived via Liverpool or Glasgow, in consignments of some twenty to thirty head, some from New York or Montreal, principally by the latter route. After arriving in Belfast, the horses were taken to a house to be sold by auction. This auction is well advertised several days in advance and the horses are quite numerous. At a recent sale at the residence of the Hon. Robert Home Esq., there were offered twenty-three horses, consisting of matched pairs, broughams, traps, cabs and coaches, and some of the lot was consigned to Messrs. J. & J. O'Connell, a Chicago firm, and arrived per steamer from Glasgow, and from there direct to Belfast. The attendance was unusually large and the bidding brisk, although no unusually large price were offered. Appended is a complete list of consignments, all of which, with exception, were sold. (The prices ranged from \$125 to \$250. All property subject to public sale, payable by the purchaser.) The consignments were as follows: Bay, light brown, or chestnut gelding of five to seven years, good looking, sound, and the bidding brisk, although no unusually large price were offered. Appended is a complete list of consignments, all of which, with exception, were sold. (The prices ranged from \$125 to \$250. All property subject to public sale, payable by the purchaser.)

Omaha, Neb., Aug. 18.—A special to the Bee says: Eugene V. Debs has written under date of August 6th a letter to George P. Garrison of Chardon, Neb., setting forth his views on silver and fusion between the democrats and populists. Mr. Debs says, referring to the fusion and the present condition of the national ticket: "Without the support of the populists the democratic party could not win. The populists, animated by patriotic motives, accorded honors to the democrats and the democrats, animated by similar motives, will now accord the populists second place by placing Mr. Watson on the ticket with Mr. Bryan. Mr. Sewall can well afford to step aside."

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The Popular Master Mariner Goes Over a Wharf at St. Stephen.

St. Stephen, N. B., Aug. 18.—Yesterday morning a party of nine gentlemen belonging to St. Stephen started down river in the small steam yacht Annie for a day's outing. The day was pleasantly passed around the Bocabec shore and the party returned to St. Stephen shortly before eleven o'clock. They landed at O. H. Clerk's wharf at low tide and had to cross the deck of the steamer Arbutus to reach the face of the wharf. The Arbutus stood upon the wharf about three feet and the landing was quite difficult. Captain David A. Melvin was one of the party, and when all the others were on the wharf he was missing. It was supposed that he was off to come ashore. He did not return all day and it was known that he was anxious to reach his home. No one had seen him leave the wharf and his companions became anxious. He was with the party as they approached the wharf but no later trace of him could be found. Fears of a drowning accident were forced upon the party. Men and boats were procured and a search made of all the wharves and docks during the night. As the tide

lowered this forenoon grappling irons were put in use and the search continued. Just after noon today some boys found the body on the shore half a mile below Clerk's wharf and covered by about three feet of water. Though no one saw the unfortunate gentleman fall into the water, it is the general opinion that in hurrying ashore he miscalculated the distance from the Arbutus to the wharf, fell backward and was stunned by contact with some projection. Steam escaping from the Annie made any other noise unnoticeable, and the lowered awnings prevented him being seen almost within the reach of friends, but unobserved by them as passed out upon the ocean of eternity. Captain Melvin was about fifty-two years of age and sailed over the world for many years in ships of Thompson & Co. of St. John. He leaves a widow, a daughter, and a sister of C. H. Clerk. He had retired from the sea several years ago, and like many a deep water captain after travelling the world, met death in a few feet of water near his own home. He was well informed, a man of social disposition, a pleasant companion, who leaves very many friends to mourn his untimely death. Coroner Ross formed a jury, who viewed the remains.

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RATAL YACHTING ACCIDENT.

A Collision During a Race, Resulting in the Death of Baron Von Zedlitz.

The Prince of Wales' Yacht Britannia Comes in Contact With the Isolds.

Southsea, Aug. 18.—An accident resulting in the dismantling of Baron Von Zedlitz's American-built yacht, Isolds, and the death of her proprietor, occurred today during the regatta of the Royal Albert Yacht club. A Barclay Walker's Alisa, the Prince of Wales's Britannia, A. D. Clarke's Saramita, and Emperor William's Meteor started at 10 a. m. in the order given in the race for the vice-commodore's cup and 250 prizes. The Isolds, captained by her proprietor, Nab Littlehale, and crewed by two boys of Ryde Middle, and back to and around the starting point, twice over, this course to complete the total distance of 46 miles, for yachts over 100 tons. The smaller yachts were sent away over the same course, but only once around, in a contest for prizes of £20 (£100 and £10 (£50) for yachts not exceeding 20-tonnage. Frank Jameson's The Salmon, Howard Gould's The Comet, the Queen's Sapphire, Lord Dunraven's Audrey, Charles Day's Rose's Penitent and Baron Von Zedlitz's Isolds started in the order mentioned.

The big yachts were ending the second half of the first round and the smaller craft were beginning the first half of their course, the Meteor and Isolds collided, and a scene of confusion and excitement followed. The Britannia and Meteor were almost abreast of the Isolds, and the two first mentioned narrowly escaped coming into collision. Then the Isolds suddenly shifted her helm in order to avoid the Meteor, but not having room enough, fouled the Isolds, almost bows on, and swept her from stem to stern. The Isolds was wrecked. The mast, with its cloud of white sails, collapsed as if struck by lightning, and every member of her crew and passengers on deck, the latter including Baron Von Zedlitz and his brother, were swept overboard and more or less seriously injured.

The Britannia and Meteor immediately got their boats overboard to rescue the drowning men, and a British gunboat, the Howay, and the smaller sailing yachts put about and headed for the same spot. Baron Von Zedlitz and his brother and all the crew of the Isolds were rescued, but the former was taken from the water by the Howay, and his forehead was bleeding from the ears. He was conveyed on board a steam yacht, which headed for Ryde, where the nearest hospital is located, but the Baron died before reaching shore. One of the crew of the Isolds displayed great gallantry in jumping overboard and rescuing one of the Isolds's crew, who was nearly dead.

The accident cast the deepest gloom over the yachting world here. The Isolds was well known and much liked. All the races were abandoned and the regatta scheduled for tomorrow has been indefinitely postponed and all flags are at half mast. The Isolds was not forty years old and was with a bad cut on his forehead and was considered one of the leading men of the younger generation of German steamers. He was a privy councillor and a member of both the Reichstag and the Prussian diet, and was leader of the Ant and conservative party. He had been in parliament about twenty years. The Baron leaves a wife and an infant child.

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THE Y. M. C. A.'S AND GOLD BUGS.

(Silver Knight Watchman.) Some of the bankers who devote a small percentage of their ill-gotten gains to the Y. M. C. A. and the Y. W. C. A. are using those organizations as a means for disseminating lying goldbug literature. The reading rooms of these associations are daily thronged with men who are in the care of our railways, and the goldbug standard has forced out of work, and it is a bitter mockery, an insult to those sufferers to give them such stuff to read.

IN HIS OWN CASTLE.

(Hullfax Mail.) A Dartmouth man put his wife on the street Wednesday night and looked her out and himself in. The wife invoked the aid of the police, and the husband was not making any noise and doing nothing which would warrant the dog-biting broken in. The husband would not open the door when asked by the police to do so. He was in his castle and there matter had to rest. The excluded wife stayed for the night at her sister's house and returned home yesterday.

DISMISSAL OF SECTIONMEN.

(Charlottetown Examiner.) The government of Mr. Laurier is taking upon itself a serious responsibility. It is dismissing the men charged with the care of our railways, men who have made it safe and free from accident, and putting green hands in their stead. We have not heard and do not believe that it can be proven that the men discharged took an active part in politics, but it is a fact that their competency has been proved by long years of good work. But apart

from this point, it is above all things important that the road-bed shall be well maintained. A fatal accident might cause the government to regret its hasty dismissal of efficient men and the appointment of men in their place who know nothing about railroad work.

HERE IS MR. LAURIER'S OPPORTUNITY.

(Fredericton Gleaner.) It appears that a newspaper in Nova Scotia has Mr. Laurier's sanction to make public letters which he has written to a political friend, and in which he stated, in effect, that all federal government officials who had abstained from taking an active part in political campaigns had nothing to fear at his hands, but he could not answer for those who had gone actively into the fight and made themselves obnoxious. There are none who will dissent from the doctrine expressed in Mr. Laurier's statement on this matter. People generally do not care to brook interference in political contests from government officials, whose duty, as a rule, requires them to be at their posts. In this connection we call the attention of Premier Laurier to the action of a government official, recently appointed by his cabinet to a position in Ontario, after full and due consideration of that gentleman's qualifications and the urgent needs of the province, to which he was called to labor. We refer, of course, to the active and obnoxious party which one G. G. King, postmaster of Marsh Hill, in the parish of Reach, Ontario, is taking in a private capacity in Sunbury and Queens in this province. It is reported in the government organ this morning that he addressed a public meeting last night at Fredericton Junction, and fairly electrified the audience by his remarks. This certainly falls within the category of the premier named by Mr. Laurier. The premier should do his duty.

LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE.

Rimouski Hotel Prices.

To the Editor of the Sun: Sir—As several passengers from the Maritime provinces, taking the mail steamers at Rimouski, have recently complained of the exorbitant rates charged for meals, etc., by a certain hotel, I beg to state for the information of passengers in the future that good meals can be had in Rimouski for 25 cents at two of the hotels, so that if passengers are victimized it is their own fault. There is no English hotel in Rimouski, but by French Canadians. By enquiring at the depot passengers can be accommodated at the most reasonable rates.

To the Editor of the Sun.

Sir—I cite the following very interesting passage from the leading editorial in the Telegraph of Saturday last, in re the Queens and Sunbury election and the great patriotic conduct of Messrs. King and Blair: "Mr. King's motive for his noble act of self-sacrifice was that he might thereby secure the return of Mr. Blair, who he so faithfully and conscientiously endeavored to build up a strong government for the benefit of the people. Mr. Blair had been seeking to obtain his seat. Mr. King, who was a member of the House of Commons, had been brought to bear upon him by Mr. Blair, who had expected that Mr. King would remain in the House of Commons, and that Mr. Blair would be elected. Mr. King's seat and Mr. Blair's seat were in the same constituency. Mr. Blair had been elected, and it was Mr. Blair who had been brought to bear upon him by Mr. Blair, who had expected that Mr. King would remain in the House of Commons, and that Mr. Blair would be elected. 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SPORTING MATTERS.

The Belyea Boys Give the St. John Crew a Close Race.

The McLeod-Sullivan Crew Considered the Water Too Rough and Did Not Row.

Katrina Wins in the 255 Class at Amherst.

AQUATIC.

There is a strong feeling among the citizens that the race between the St. John and McLeod-Sullivan crews on Labor day should be rowed in the harbor. It is understood one of the leading city bands is willing to furnish music during the race on a steamer or on one of the wharves.

The grocers' picnic held at the Isle of Pines on 18th inst. was one of the largest affairs of the kind that this town has ever witnessed. Fully two thousand people were in attendance. The day was a glorious one, not too warm, enough wind to make a good sailing breeze, and yet not strong enough to prevent canoe and boat races.

CROSS THE BAY.

Preparations Being Made for Labor Day Celebration.

Preparations for the Labor Day celebration at Amherst are being made with a view to making it a day of fresh halibut.

Aug. 19.—Messrs. William and Joshua Ward of St. John today completed an excursion to the A. O. H. excursion city by the Prince Rupert day. All who come to Digby will never regret it as a ramble of sports is being arranged every effort will be put to excel the Dominion day.

Yarmouth yesterday with a fresh halibut and sold to Eakins & Co., who shipped to Boston same day.

Mr. Longstaff, who has been to his residence for some time on account of illness, was able to be seen at his residence.

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EMIGRATION TO BRAZIL.

British Colonial Office Circular of Warning.

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WORK AS BEST WE CAN.

We would have inward peace, yet will not look within; We will not cease from sin, yet will not cease from sin.

What was the wise man's plan? To work as best he can, and to have advanced true friends, and to have advanced true friends.

Is it so small a thing, to have light in the spring, to have loved, to have thought, to have advanced true friends, and to have advanced true friends.

I say: Fear not life will be short, but life will be long, if you have advanced true friends, and to have advanced true friends.

But since life seems with you, nurse an extravagant hope, because you will not wait, you need not then despair.

Personal Mention.

About \$500 has been subscribed to the fund for the erection of a memorial to the late Mr. J. J. McLeod.

The Bishop of Peterborough has published a monograph on Queen Elizabeth on which he has been engaged for some time.

Lord Richard Nevill, aid-de-camp to Lord Brassey, Governor of Victoria, has had a marvellous escape from death in the hunting field.

Within the year there have died in Massachusetts four ex-Governors and one Governor, namely: Ex-Gov. Alexander Rice, died July 22, 1896; Ex-Gov. Oliver Ames, died Oct. 22, 1896; Ex-Gov. George D. Robinson, Feb. 22, 1896; Gov. Frederick T. Greenhalge, March 5, 1896, and ex-Gov. William H. Russell, July 15, 1896.

Matthew Lee, who died the other day at Washington, Ind., was State Treasurer of Indiana during the war. He refused to turn over the State funds to Gov. Morton to be used for war purposes, whereupon the Governor made a corresponding order, holding himself responsible for their payment until a loyal legislature should appropriate funds.

They Wear Lighted Lanterns.

The last new craze in Paris is said to be the wearing of lighted lanterns as a personal ornament. The fashion originated with a speculative manufacturer, whose "petites lanternes" were bought by tens of thousands at the sale of the furniture of the late Emperor.

The lantern is very small and neat, and made in a Gothic form after an ancient model; it is only of tin, but is sufficiently solid; it has well-fitted glass plates, is about the size of a walnut, burns for some hours, and is sold at the price of six sous. Almost everybody who returned from the Neuilly fair to Paris, as a correspondent tells us, looked as if he were outwardly symbolizing the Midsummer Saint, John the Baptist, "a burning and a shining light."

The men and boys had the little lanterns in their hats, and the ladies carried them in their bouquets.

Sweeping an Invalid's Room.

We all know how untidy a sick room becomes, and how annoying the dust of the sweeping is to the patient. "To remedy this," said a trained and capable nurse recently: "I put a little ammonia in a pail of warm water, and with my mop wrung dry as possible go over the room, and sweep the dust all the dust and much of the loose dirt. A broom will take what is too large to adhere to the mop and raise no dust. With my dust cloth well sprinkled I go over the furniture, and the room is fairly clean."—Troy Times.

A Betrothal in Germany.

One of those days when Gretchen, with the very reddest cheeks, engaged, it is not a quiet happiness, a secret whispered with private congratulations and happy blushes. Cards are sent at once to all the friends and acquaintances making the great announcement. Gretchen is a good housekeeper and Fritz has money. Let us congratulate them and offer flowers.—Chamber's Journal.

Even Non-Cyclers Can Do This.

Avoid all sweetened drinks when riding, as they only serve to increase your thirst. If you want a stimulating and refreshing beverage, take a bottle of ginger ale, the imported or obtainable, empty the contents into a large glass, have a fresh egg broken in it and the whole well shaken until thoroughly frothy. The result is entirely satisfactory.

Dufferin as an Arctic Explorer.

Among the arctic explorers is Lord Dufferin, who more than fifty years ago was in the northern seas in the "Hesperus" at Reykjavik, the capital of Iceland, he made the acquaintance of Prince Napoleon, who was also yachting off the coast of Iceland. Lord Dufferin pushed up to the dangerous sea off the island of Spitzbergen.

Queen Victoria's Friend.

The Dowager Duchess of Atholl has the distinction of being Queen Victoria's most intimate friend. She has held important posts in the royal household for a period of some fifty years. Her Majesty finds in the Duchess a wise counsellor and a thoroughly congenial companion.

A Statue For Victor Hugo.

Victor Hugo was born as Besancon in 1802. He died at Paris eleven years ago. Now, as his centenary approaches, the citizens of Besancon are bestirring themselves, and a statue is to be erected next year.

The Most Prolific Kingdom.

The little kingdom of Saxony, in Germany, is increasing faster in population than any other part of the empire. It is now 2,753,200 people on a territory not much larger than Rhode Island.

A Chance in Africa.

Enormous tracts of Africa, especially the region between the Congo and the Niger, remains unexplored. The player's outlook is a serious one. He is temporarily a nervous wreck.

A Nervous Wreck.

Padrewski's physical collapse is so complete as to lead to the cessation of all the planet's engagements for at least the earlier part of next season. The player's outlook is a serious one. He is temporarily a nervous wreck.

The Largest Circulation.

France has more money in circulation in proportion to its population than any other country. And France is the most prosperous country in the world.

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BREATHE THROUGH YOUR NOSE.

Reasons Why You Shouldn't Sleep on Your Back.

The health and the lives of hundreds of thousands of people in this country says the New York Journal, are injured and destroyed by the position in which they are permitted to sleep.

This dangerous position is sleeping on the back. It will be found that the majority of the population are lying on their sides.

The injuries arising from lying on the back are of several kinds. One is the pressure of the body on the chest, which prevents the free expansion of the lungs.

Another is the pressure of the body on the stomach, which prevents the free action of the digestive organs.

A third is the pressure of the body on the neck, which prevents the free circulation of the blood.

These three injuries are sufficient to prevent the free action of the organs of the body, and to produce a general weakening of the system.

The remedy is a very simple one. It is to sleep on the side, with the head resting on a pillow, and the feet resting on a stool.

When the head is in an upright position there is a considerable space between the palate, or uvula, and the back of the throat.

When the head is in a recumbent position, the uvula falls back, and the space between it and the back of the throat is closed.

Put a child to sleep on its back, and the palate tends by its own weight to fall toward the back of the throat.

It may go so far as to make breathing impossible. Then the child is forced to open its mouth and breathe through it, which, as every one should know, is wholly and unwholesome.

When the child lies on its side the palate has no tendency to fall backward, and remains in nearly the same position as when the head is upright.

The position on the side also tends to increase the effects of injurious secretions. If during sleep the nose secretes mucus it is permitted to flow into the throat; whereas, if the position on the side had been taken, the mucus would have remained in the nose.

A person who has a severe cold in his head finds his lips red, swollen and cracked on account of the passage of mucus from his nose. In the same way, but to a higher degree, does this injurious secretion affect the delicate skin of the throat when it is allowed to enter there.

Affections of the ear, the internal passage of which opens in this region, are also facilitated by the same cause. Dr. Madeiro noticed that diseases of the nose, ears and throat, so common in Europe, are very rare in Algeria.

The reason of this is attributed to the fact that the Arab mother put her child to sleep on a mat, with one or two light coverings. The hard couch was made necessary by the climate, but it also served a valuable purpose in obliging the child to sleep on its side, and not on its back. Thus it stood a better chance of growing up without any disease of the ear, nose, throat, ears and nose.

The American child is in this respect less well off than the half civilized Arab. It is usually put to bed on a pillow, and its feet are held up by a blanket, so that it is obliged to sleep on its back.

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WHIMSICAL NOTIONS.

MOST OF WHICH ARE INDUCED BY IGNORANT SUPERSTITION.

Some Popular Ideas Regarding Familiar Actions and Things—An Alphabetical List That is Valuable as Representative of Some Human Follies.

ANT—Kill an ant and the day will be rainy.

APRON—If it falls off your sweetheart is flirting at the moment with a rival.

BABIES—Cut their nails and they will be light-fingered. Never let a child look into a mirror until it is a year old. Carry it upstairs before dawn to insure success in life. The sex of the next child is determined by whether the one in the cradle learns to say papa or mamma first.

BARRELS—If you see a load of empty barrels, walk under while a train is passing is bad luck. In the case of "M" roads damage to clothing may follow.

BUTTONS—A woman who finds a button on the floor will be lucky for two days. To find a collar button is lucky. To lose a dress button is ill-fortune.

CALLERS—If a woman calls first on Monday prepare for bad luck all the week. If it is a man you will find things pleasant for seven days.

CATS—A black cat locking in the window is bad luck. If the black cat follows you is good luck. If a cat leaves it is bad luck.

CHAIR—To oscillate an empty rocking chair will result in the death within the year of the next one who sits in it. To upset a chair is bad luck.

CHURCH—To insure good luck enter with the right foot first.

COMB—To drop it signifies disappointment. To break a comb means a loss of money. To break a comb in two means death, which may be averted by burning the parts in an open fire.

CRICKET—To have one in the house is good luck. To see one in the street you kill it.

CROSS-EYES met in the morning bring bad luck all day. Turn around three times to break the spell.

CROWS—A flock of crows flying over your head is a bad omen and you "had better watch out."

DISH CLOTH—To drop it signifies that a stranger will call.

DOVE—A white dove flying into a room is a messenger of death.

DRESSING—To accidentally put on any article of clothing which is not yours is unexpected good luck. If under a malignant spell a sack or undergarment turned inside out will cause fortune to smile. To dress the right foot first with stockings and shoe, good luck all day.

EAR—If the right ear burns some one is talking good of you. If the left ear burns, some one is being slandered by one you think is your friend.

FORK—To drop one, a woman caller. If it sticks in the floor she will bring bad news. To sit your coffee pot on a fork is to stir up trouble.

FRIDAY—A journey undertaken on any enterprise embarked upon on this day will come to grief. A marriage on this day is a marriage for sorrow, but those who are born on Friday are accounted as gods by the gentry.

FUNERAL—To cross through a train to insure a funeral in your own house is a bad omen.

GARTERS—To lose the left garter means marriage within the year. The loss of the right garter dooms the loser to old maidenhood.

HAIR—If it works out of your hair your sweetheart is thinking of you.

HAT—Upon meeting a load of hay make a wish and it will come true, especially if you follow it repeating the wish.

HUNCHBACK—Rub the hump of a hunchback, and if he does not detect you you will succeed in your undertaking. If he feels it and tells you, you will be disappointed.

KNIVES—To drop one is a sign of a gentleman caller. To accidentally put an extra knife, fork or spoon at a plate will bring good fortune to the one who is to sit there.

LADDER—To walk under is bad luck, and dangerous if a hodcarrier is ascending. If it goes out before being used it is a sign of disappointment. If held upright and burns your sweetheart is true. If it goes out before being used it is a sign of disappointment.

MENDING—To repair a garment or sew on buttons on clothing which the owner is wearing is a sign that he or she will tell lies about you.

MOON—To break seven years' good luck will tell. To see the new moon in it means disgrace.

MOON—Seen over right shoulder good luck. Any wish then made will come true. The charm is made additionally potent by bowing nine times at the luminary. Seen over left shoulder bad luck; also, the receipt of money under unpleasant circumstances. Seen full in the face, you face your fortune for the month, and it is to your caution whether it be good or bad.

MOVING—If you leave anything in the old house you will return to live in it again.

MUD—If it is splashed on you money is on the way for you.

NOSE—If it itches, you will hear news. To sneeze at a friend is to quarrel with him. "You will get angry, kiss a fool, see a stranger, be in danger, or hear some news."

PALMS—Right hand itching means you will shake hands with a stranger, or old friend long absent. Left hand, the receipt of money. "Rub it on wood, it is sure to come good," provided the wood is unspiced.

PEPPER—Use a pepper box and you will receive money in the mail.

PIGEON BLOOD—If it is sprinkled on you you will die in an accident.

REDEARED GIRL—Meet a re-deared girl and you will see a white horse in sight. In the morning she is good luck.

SAULT—To hand to anyone is a sign of good luck.

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SAUNDERS—If they spread open when they fall expect a stranger. If they fall into a crack good luck.

SCHOOLGIRLS—If they walk four abreast they will fall in their lessons.

SEAT—To change your seat at table after being seated brings bad luck.

SHOELACE—If it comes untied your sweetheart is thinking of you.

SHOE—To wear on the ball you spend all; to wear at the toe you spend a good deal, and to wear at the side you'll be a rich man's wife.

SPOON—To put in a cup is a sign of a wedding.

STAIRS—To fall upstairs means a speedy marriage.

SPIDER—If found in your room in the morning, with bad luck all day. A little unpleasantness; at night, good luck. If it gets on your clothes you will get something new to wear. To kill it is very bad luck.

STRAW—To bow and money will be paid you long since due.

THIRTEEN—To sit thirteen at table means the death of some one of the party within a year. The number is unlucky in every instance, except that the thirteenth child born is sure of long life and fortune.

TOWEL—For two people to wipe their hands at the same time presages a quarrel between them.

UMBRELLA—To open in house, dire domestic disaster; to lay on a bed brings disappointment to the owner.

WEDDING RING—To remove it is considered unlucky. To put it on is sure to bring good fortune, unless, to lose it means divorce.

A Word About Prices to Our Out of Town Customers.

Orders mailed to us on and before Saturday Aug 29th, with post office order or stamps \$2.90, will get a Boys three piece School Suit, which we guarantee is the best value for and away ahead of anything ever offered before. This sale is for the week only.

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TELEGRAPHIC.

QUEBEC.

Quebec, Aug. 21.—The steamer Labrador passed Father Point inward at 8.30 o'clock this morning flying four flags at half mast. This news created some excitement in town this morning, and particularly when it became known the flag were flying out of respect for Sir David Macpherson, who died on the Labrador on Sunday last. Deceased was the father of Wm. Macpherson, agent in this city of the Dominion line; father-in-law of Hon. R. Dobbell and Hon. Geo. Kirkpatrick, lieutenant governor of Ontario. The death was unexpected and took place on Sunday afternoon when the Labrador was in mid-ocean. Dr. White at Ottawa, who was also in passenger, aided the ship's surgeon and did all that was possible, but without avail. The body was preserved in ice and was landed here at 8 o'clock this evening.

Montreal, Aug. 21.—Admiral Dunlop, formerly of the Chinese service, is here en route for home. He has a very poor opinion of Li Hung Chang and says the ex-vice-roi is a confirmed boomer, having made all of his immense fortune in China. He is in the opinion of those who are familiar with the man that he is a semi-dishonest man when he left China and will probably not be restored to favor, as a great many think he has made money enough and should now give others a chance.

Montreal, Aug. 21.—D. L. Palmer, an employee of the assessors department at the City hall, was found dead in his room today. He had shot himself while temporarily insane.

A brakeman named Ed. Tourgeon fell from a train today at St. Martin Junction and was killed.

Montreal, Aug. 24.—Li Hung Chang will not, according to present appearance, visit Ottawa or Montreal. The Canadian Pacific special will meet his excellency at Niagara Falls and take him to Toronto, North Bay and on to Vancouver, where he will take the steamer for home on Sept. 14th.

Montreal, Aug. 24.—It will be pleasing to the policy holders of the Equitable Life Assurance Co. of New York to hear that the company has decided to pay all maturing policies in Canadian funds. The company intimates that it is intended to accumulate premiums paid in Canada and deposit them with their bankers instead of remitting them to New York in future. This is a good move on the part of the company, but a great many people are of the opinion that the Canadian government should secure all policy holders the payment of their claims against American companies in the currency in which the premiums were paid, and that Canadian legislation should reserve this for the policy holders in American companies.

Officials of the Canadian Pacific railway are working in conjunction with the detectives of the Canadian secret service bureau to recover a package containing \$6,000, which together with other money belonging to the railway company, mysteriously disappeared from the safe at Joliette station between the hours of 10 o'clock on Friday evening and 7 o'clock on Saturday morning.

Montreal, Aug. 24.—The sale of the Canadian Pacific station at Joliette, Que., was broken into Friday night and a package containing \$6,000 stolen.

ONTARIO. Owen Sound, Ont., Aug. 21.—The fight in North Grey is at fever heat. Hon. Hugh John Macdonald spoke here today and the old man's son is creating great enthusiasm throughout the riding. The liberals admit Mr. Patterson chose a hard constituency, when he made his choice and there is some prospect of his being again beaten. There is a very strong sentiment throughout the riding against bringing in an outsider which will lose the liberals many of their supporters in the by-election as they stand with the loss of the good majority of the late R. A. Clarke's township. Keppel, gave him, which was heretofore conservative, is relied upon to cause Mr. Patterson's defeat.

Montreal, Aug. 23.—Lieut. Governor Dewdney of British Columbia, who arrived by the Lucania, says that Capt. Stephens of the Manchester canal came over on the same boat and will confer with Prof. Robertson, dominion dairy commissioner, as well as the Canadian government, with a view to making Manchester a distributing point for Canadian products. His honor says a great many syndicates are being formed in London and are sending out engineers and experts to report on the mines in British Columbia.

The steamship interests of this port are booming and never before has so much freight been offered by the St. Lawrence route. Mr. Torrance of the Dominion line took your correspondent today that he could go out and secure freight enough to load two boats every week till the close of navigation. Chicago and even New York shippers are using this port very extensively. Stevedores were carrying now get last year for \$2.15 shillings now get \$2.12, and grain rates have risen from one to two shillings per quarter.

Owen Sound, Ont., Aug. 24.—The greatest electoral fight North Grey ever witnessed will be brought to a close tomorrow. The conservatives appear more confident of carrying the county than their opponents. Thirty meetings were held on Saturday in the interest of Mr. McLaughlin, including one at Chateaufort, addressed by Hon. John Macdonald. Only two meetings besides the one in Owen Sound were held by Mr. Patterson.

Court's great goldfish is in the central fountain, 10 pounds, and was presented by the oldest specimen in England.

England excursion to be on Friday, in celebration of the second anniversary of a complete success in the Storm King contest, and from good shape. A list of the prize various sports: Frank Toose, 1st; Master Mabel Ledford, 2nd; Althea H. J. H. Tonge, 2nd; W. C. and for members over 40 years of age: Mrs. Maxwell, 1st; Mrs. G. Maxwell, 2nd; Mrs. G. Maxwell, 3rd; Mrs. G. Maxwell, 4th; Mrs. G. Maxwell, 5th; Mrs. G. Maxwell, 6th; Mrs. G. Maxwell, 7th; Mrs. G. Maxwell, 8th; Mrs. G. Maxwell, 9th; Mrs. G. Maxwell, 10th; Mrs. G. Maxwell, 11th; Mrs. G. Maxwell, 12th; Mrs. G. Maxwell, 13th; Mrs. G. Maxwell, 14th; Mrs. G. Maxwell, 15th; Mrs. G. Maxwell, 16th; Mrs. G. Maxwell, 17th; Mrs. G. Maxwell, 18th; Mrs. G. Maxwell, 19th; Mrs. G. Maxwell, 20th; Mrs. G. Maxwell, 21st; Mrs. G. Maxwell, 22nd; Mrs. G. Maxwell, 23rd; Mrs. G. Maxwell, 24th; Mrs. G. Maxwell, 25th; Mrs. G. Maxwell, 26th; Mrs. G. Maxwell, 27th; Mrs. G. Maxwell, 28th; Mrs. G. Maxwell, 29th; Mrs. G. Maxwell, 30th; Mrs. G. 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The Moncton schools re-open on Wednesday next. The first train between Shediac and Moncton was run over the line thirty-nine years ago yesterday.

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The premier replied that the correspondence between the resignation would be laid on the table of the house as soon as the address in reply to the speech of the hon. member was passed.

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The premier replied that the correspondence might have been submitted in itself, but it should not be mixed up with the matters referred to in the speech.

Sir Charles retorted that the correspondence has a direct bearing on the speech, and he believed it would aid the despatch of the business of the house to have incidental matters disposed of at the same time as the speech itself.

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She says the steamer Caledonia was
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Marjory is now housed at the W. C.
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left for Halifax, to fill a position in the
quarters of the institution.

SUNDAY SCHOOL WORKERS.

Convention of the Fredericton City
Association.
Fredericton, N. B., Aug. 20.—The
Annual Meeting of the Victoria County As-
sociation—Good Work Being Done.

The Fredericton city Association
held its first convention since organiza-
tion in the Baptist Sunday school
room on August 21st at 3 p. m. Dr.
Barbour was in the chair and called
Rev. F. Hartley to lead the devotional
part. Mr. Hartley asked all to
use their Bibles and read the Scrip-
ture selection in unison. The presi-
dent's brief opening address referred
to their beginnings of work and the
good which he believed would result,
and said one theme has been selected
for this afternoon session, namely, The
Discussion of ways of work for our
city association. The field secretary
opened this conference, and was fol-
lowed by Messrs. Hartley, Robertson
and others. Miss Annie McKay read
the minutes of the organization meet-
ing.

At 7.30 Rev. J. J. Teasdale led the
devotional opening, making helpful
comments on the Scripture reading.
Minutes of afternoon meeting were
read by Miss McKay. The first
subject of the evening was "Ways of
work in the Sunday school." This
was opened by the field secretary and
followed by others.

After a hymn Mr. Spurden was called
to open a Conference of Grading
Sunday Schools. It was very instruc-
tive and a brief address by the
subject from T. S. Simms of St. John,
explaining their system. Several per-
sons spoke on this subject and Mr.
Robertson suggested that as Frederic-
ton was the light house to the provin-
ce, it should lead in the way of
improvement, while in some places
it might be such as in the Sunday
school work.

The third subject was opened by
James Inch, LL. D., in place of Rev.
Mr. Freeman, who was away. The
Spiritual Aim of Sunday School Work
was the subject. It was thoroughly
discussed and others followed.

The president said that the next
meeting would be in November. A
hymn was sung and the president closed
with prayer.

VICTORIA COUNTY SUNDAY
SCHOOLS.

The annual meeting of the Victoria
County Sunday school association was
held in the Presbyterian church at
Three Brooks on Wednesday, August
23rd. President D. Innis was in the
chair, and Secretary W. Lowe
promptly in his place. The young
student pastor, J. H. Clarke, much
loved by his people, led the opening
devotions. A brief address by the
president extolled the work for which
they met, and gave a high tribute to
the International Evangel, which in-
creases their fitness for work by the
knowledge it imparts.

The reports by some parish officers
were well filled from the opening. Mr.
Innis spoke a few words on the growth
of the work. She recalled the organ-
ization, eleven years ago, when but
nine people were present in Andover,
a central place. At that time no one
would have ventured to predict the
growth of the work. The Brooks, 25 miles up
the Tobique. She had watched the
work right through and that which
is done through the year, the large
number and deep interest here shown
proves to any complainer that the
work is well grown.

The afternoon session opened
promptly at 2 o'clock, and Rev. G. C.
Pringle conducted devotions. After
reading of minutes the field secretary
was heartily welcomed, and gave a
normal lesson on Securing Attention
of Scholars. Teachers showed deep
interest and notebooks were generally
used. The county secretary read his
report, which showed that in some
parishes there had been encouraging
improvement, while in some places the
work languished till deeply interested
workers could be discovered and trained.
In adoption of this clear report
earnest words were said of Mr. Lowe's
zeal as a county secretary.

The subject of training workers was
opened by Mrs. Clark, and followed by
Mr. Jenkins, the field secretary, and
others. Mr. Jenkins said that by earnest
conversation of the field secretary he
became a student and teacher of the
normal lesson. It was given a great
blessing to him, and increased his
usefulness to his young people. He
strongly urged it upon young people
and upon pastors.

The written questions were answered
by Mr. Lucas. The nominating
committee reported and the following
were elected for the ensuing year:
G. L. Corey, president; Wm. Lowe,
sec. treasurer; Mrs. M. Edgar, secre-
tary for home department through the
county; vice president—Lorne, C. W.
Wincey; Gordon, B. Briggs; Perth,
James Stewart and D. Innis; Andover
and Grand Falls, F. H. Manzer; Drum-
mond, Mrs. Grant. On executive—
Amasa Pease, Mrs. P. Anderson, Miss
Wright, Mrs. A. Beveridge, B. Currie
and E. Kilburn.

For the second session extra seats
were brought in. Aisles and corners
were filled to utmost capacity. At 7
p. m. the last session was opened. A
consecration service of much profit was
led by Mr. Lucas; others joined in the
Scripture readings and prayer. This
expressed the sentiment of "another
year qualification for the work of another
year."

Rev. Mr. Grant read the report of
resolution. It omitted nobody, but
specially thanked the proprietor of the
Tobique railway for his excursion
trains and holding the train till close of
evening session.

A paper from Rev. D. Fiske to the
convention was read and the secretary
was requested to thank him for same.
The credential committee's report
showed a large registration of dele-
gates.

Addresses were given by Rev. E.
Jenkins and others; solos, duets and
choruses were rendered at intervals.
The next convention is to be in the
F. C. Baptist church, Lower Perth.
Near 10 p. m. this very profitable
meeting was brought to a close with
the benediction by Rev. Mr. Currier.

P. E. ISLAND NEWS.

Bedford, Aug. 17.—Last week was
marked by the unexpected death of
one of Bedford's best known men,
Hon. Alex. Laird. For a number of
years his health had not been robust,
and during the last few months he
had noticeably declined, but his death
was a surprise to all. The funeral
took place on Tuesday and was prob-
ably the largest ever seen in this
section. The service was conducted
by Rev. J. S. McArthur, assisted by
Rev. E. M. Dunn and Rev. H. Dickie.
When he was a comparatively young
man Mr. Laird entered the political
arena, and soon distinguished himself
by his executive ability, and down to
the day of his death he was almost
continually actively engaged in polit-
ical matters. Notwithstanding the
pressure of public business he found
time to manage his large farm and
made it a model for many others. Mr.
Laird's first wife was Rebecca, daugh-
ter of the late Ephraim Read, by whom
he had a large family. His second
wife was Annie, daughter of the late
Samuel Caruthers, by whom he leaves
three little children.

Following closely on this was the
death of Murdoch Ross of North Be-
deque, which occurred last evening
(Sunday) at six o'clock. For about a
year Mr. Ross had been in ill health,
but the immediate cause of his death
was enlargement of the liver. Mr.
Ross was a well known and successful
farmer. Starting with very little, he
gradually increased his real estate till
he was in an independent position
among his fellow men. He leaves a
wife and five children, two boys and
three girls, to mourn his severe loss.

Rev. W. H. Warren and wife leave
today for Bedford, N. S., to attend
the maritime Y. P. B. U. convention.
For eleven years Mr. Warren was
pastor of the Baptist congregation at
Bedford, and he will make it stay
there about two weeks, meeting
again their old friends and acquaint-
ances.

A very enjoyable picnic was held
last Thursday in Thomas Moore's
grove. It was a gathering of the dif-
ferent branches of the Laird family,
with numerous friends, and relatives,
numbering in all about 300. The day
was all that could be desired, and
games of different kinds were indulged
in. A very interesting amusement was
archery. Temporary tables were
erected and laden with good
things. Swings, hammocks and rustic
seats were placed in shady retreats,
and much were they enjoyed. Those
who had driven long distances, as
from Tryon, Augustine, Coye and
Summerside, to leave earlier than
the rest, but all were satisfied that
they had spent a happy afternoon.

The Centreville school opened today
after the summer holidays. During
the vacation considerable repairs were
made in the school house, including new
side windows.

FAIRVILLE NEWS.

To the Rev. James Ross MacDonald:
Rev. and Dear Sir—At a meeting of
the Orangemen of St. John county
held in the Orange hall at Fairville
July the twelfth, A. D. 1896, the
following resolution was adopted with
enthusiastic cheers. Moved by Wor-
shipful Brother Henry P. Allingham,
seconded by Worshipful Brother Sam-
uel Ferguson:

"Resolved, That the thanks of the
Orangemen of St. John county be
conveyed to the Rev. James Ross
MacDonald for the excellent and in-
structive sermon preached to the Or-
angemen this afternoon in the Pres-
byterian church hall at Fairville.

"Further resolved, That the Rev-
erend county master of St. John
county west, together with the wor-
shipful master of each private lodge
under the jurisdiction of the aforesaid
county lodge, set on the committee to
convey the resolution to the Rev.
James Ross MacDonald, and to add
each his signature thereto."

In full accordance with the spirit
of the foregoing resolution, we, the
combined masters of the private
lodge under the jurisdiction of the
said county lodge, do most cordially
and cheerfully, each for himself, sub-
scribe his signature thereto.

In doing so we pray that your life
and health may be long spared by the
Divine Father of all blessings, so that
the future may hear you speak sev-
eral sermons to the Orangemen as-
sembled on the twelfth of July.

Signed and transmitted in the bonds
of Christian love and fellowship by
Matthew C. Macfarland, St. John Co.
West; Worshipful Master Geo. Ross,
L. O. L. No. 5; Worshipful Master
Samuel Ferguson, L. O. L. No. 28;
Worshipful Master Wellington Turn-
bull, L. O. L. No. 6; Worshipful
Master Henry P. Allingham, L. O.
L. No. 70.

Done at Fairville, N. B., July 12th,
A. D. 1896.

To the Worshipful County Master,
Worshipful Macfarland, St. John Co.
West; Worshipful Master Geo. Ross,
L. O. L. No. 5; Worshipful Master
Samuel Ferguson, L. O. L. No. 28;
Worshipful Master Wellington Turn-
bull, L. O. L. No. 6; Worshipful
Master Henry P. Allingham, L. O.
L. No. 70:

Gentlemen—It affords me great plea-
sure to acknowledge the thanks of the
brethren of your respective lodges,
so enthusiastically passed and so cor-
dially conveyed to me by you, their
committee. I regret exceedingly that
my physical condition at the time ren-
dered me unfit to do justice to my-
self, the occasion that brought us to-
gether, much more the magnificent
address that greeted me. It is ap-
propriate highly praiseworthy senti-
ments and good wishes expressed,
and if at any time in the future it
shall be my good fortune to meet with
you on a similar occasion, I shall al-
ways strive to remember you, whose
ambassadors you are at the same time
feeling honored in being privileged to
speak for the Master to such a noble
looking organization of men and breth-
ren, for, after all, are we not all
brethren?

Yours for the Master,
J. R. MACDONALD.
Fairville, N. B., Aug. 1st, 1896.

Worshipful L. O. L. No. 28, which was col-
lected with steamer Vancouver on the 20th
inst., passed Quebec on Wednesday, bound
for Montreal, where she received hono-
rary replies, for Liverpool. Permission re-
pairs will be made at Liverpool.

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MR. BROWN AND THE TELE-
GRAPH.
He Has Supported Blair but Can Tell
The Truth.
Season Ridge, Aug. 18th.
To the Editor of the Sun:
Sir—I saw a piece in the Weekly
Telegraph under date of August 12th
that I cannot let pass unnoted. It
says, among other items, that the de-
monition fishery guardians violate their
oath of office by unlawful fishing
themselves, or words to that effect,
and they are aware of unlawful fish-
ing and will not report. Now I am
prepared to give that statement a flat
denial, under oath if necessary, as I
have had the honor of being one of those
reputed persons. I myself never
caught or killed a salmon in any way,
shape or manner in my life, and
about guardians knowing about il-
legal fishing and not reporting, that
is not so on the Tobique as regards the
club wardens or me. If the Telegraph
doubts my statement, let it take a
visit to Victoria county jail, and I
think tonight you will find somewhere
between five and eight persons behind
the bars for illegal fishing, some
awaiting trial, others serving their
term of imprisonment for fishing
with the spear. Other cases are pen-
ding, notable among others a dynam-
ite case that your humble servant
reported last fall, and I was informed
of this summer by a man of high
business standing, belonging to Fred-
erickton, that with what information
I could give last fall that the guilty
parties would be convicted soon. I
have had the honor of acting as

THE WEEKLY SUN. ST. JOHN, N. B., AUGUST 26, 1896.

A MINORITY GOVERNMENT.

A sharp depression has taken place concerning the statistics of the popular vote cast in the late general election. The conservative compilers claim with absolute and admitted correctness that while in the house of commons the liberal members exceed in numbers the conservatives and independents combined, they do not represent nearly as many votes. This fact cannot be questioned, for the returns prove beyond doubt that the conservatives, McCarthyites, Patrons and independent candidates polled more votes by several thousands than the liberals. But the government press insists that many of the votes cast for the independents were liberal votes and ought to be so counted. There is no question that many liberals voted for independent candidates, but this does not seem to affect the question, seeing that their votes may be supposed to be represented in the persons for whom they voted. For the purpose of the contest they were McCarthyites or Patrons, or independent conservatives when they voted for candidates of these persuasions. The statisticians cannot be expected to read the heart of the voter. They can only judge him by his vote. And judging by the official return of the votes, Mr. Laurier and his colleagues do not represent a majority of the people of Canada. In Ontario, New Brunswick, Nova Scotia, Manitoba and the Northwest the liberal conservative vote alone was far in excess of the liberal vote alone, having the independents out of the case altogether. The only province which gave Mr. Laurier's party any considerable majority over the conservative party was Quebec. And it must be admitted that Quebec did the business handsomely.

OLD TIMES.

Sensational reports have reached London of the results of recent explorations and excavations among the remains of ancient Babylon. The uniform inscriptions unearthed are said to go back to the year 7,000 B.C., or anywhere about three thousand years back to the orthodox date of the creation of Adam. The classification of the inscriptions will be made at the Imperial museum in Constantinople as fast as possible. Meanwhile scholars will probably keep their minds open to conviction. There remains among other possibilities a chance that a uniform inscription may be even as some do which are carved in plain alphabetical characters. But if it should be made clear that the Babylonian people were civilized and kept records say 5,000 years ago, the Egyptian Meneas and the Hebrew Abraham were but people of yesterday.

THE MANITOBA QUESTION.

It turns out that the announcement of the settlement of the Manitoba question is premature to say the least. The most that the government can say is that it hopes for a settlement which will be satisfactory to everybody. Such an agreement is obviously impossible. The most that can be looked for is an adjustment that will be accepted willingly or unwillingly by all the parties concerned in the matter. For the last two or three years there have been signs that the Greenway government was playing with the question for political purposes. If Mr. Greenway, Mr. Sifton and their colleagues make concessions to Mr. Laurier which they refused to the late government as fatal to a sound school system, the suspicion will be confirmed. If on the other hand the Laurier government after the pledges made by the party in Quebec and the statements of Mr. Laurier and Mr. Geoffroy has secured no concessions, then the hypocrisy of all the leaders will be manifest to all the world. We need hardly expect an announcement of the terms of settlement to be made if it can be avoided until next winter after the by-elections following the protest. Mr. Laurier has still a weakness for Torres Vedras. But he is confronted by an opposition which has power to bring him into the open, and the premier will be fortunate if he gets his supplies without defining his position on some questions of interest.

Sir David Macpherson, whose sudden death on board a steamship bound for Canada is reported, was one of many Scotch Canadians who have attained to influential position in the business and political life of the Dominion. He came to this country in 1835, when not much more than a lad. Having the Scotch industry and aptitude for business, he was soon a member of one of the most enterprising and successful firms of contractors in Canada. In time he became a man of influence in financial circles. Before confederation Sir David was a member of the legislative council, and afterwards a member of the senate. For some time he was speaker of the senate and for two years he held the important post of minister of the interior. His pamphlets criticising the

financial policy and record of the Mackenzie government had a wide circulation.

Li Hung Chang is said to be the richest man in China. He is probably the ablest also. As every ruler in China is apparently authorized to speak rich out of his office, the European governments properly accept Li for what he is, the nearest approach to a great and patriotic statesman that China has produced in modern days. General Grant considered that Li was one of the four greatest men that he met in his journey round the world, and considering the limitations of his environment it is possible that the Chinese ex-victor is entitled to a high place among the four. It would be grossly unfair to measure Li by the same standard as one would measure Bismarck or Disraeli, or General Grant himself.

It can be no harm to remind our readers that the Telegraph was the first paper in Canada to publish the news of the settlement of the Manitoba school question. This highly important piece of information appeared in this paper on Tuesday last, one day in advance of any other Canadian paper. And on Tuesday Sir Oliver Mowat, speaking in the senate in reply to Sir Mackenzie Bowell's reference to what had appeared in the papers, said: "With regard to the Manitoba school question, I am glad that Sir Mackenzie read with such care what appeared in the reform press. In this instance he has read from me more carefully than I have, because I did not happen to read what Sir Mackenzie said has appeared there. The hon. gentleman is hurrying the matter a little too fast. The government did not undertake and did not expect to be able to have anything settled by this session, but it did hope that before another session the question would be removed out of the way. A proposal was made on Tuesday last, one day in advance of any other Canadian paper, to be ready this session to report."

The Montreal Herald and the Star of the same city showed a good deal of enterprise in giving their readers the day after the opening of the house half page pictures of scenes in the commons. The Herald's picture is a view of the chamber on the entrance of Mr. Laurier. The Star's presents the scene on the entrance of Sir Charles Tupper. In both pictures Mr. Foster is observed, and in the Star picture he is seen to be clapping his hands vigorously. Mr. Costigan is also conspicuous, and so is Mr. Mulock. The artist declined to notice the fact that Mr. Foster was in New Brunswick, Mr. Mulock in North Gray, and Mr. Costigan on the way to Ireland.

L'Electeur of Quebec gives a frankly cynical reason for the re-appointment of Sir Donald Smith to the high commissioner'ship by its friend and director, Mr. Laurier. Our French grit contemporary says: "Sir Donald Smith is the president of the bank of Montreal and the embodiment 'factotum' of the Canadian Pacific railway. It seems to us that to have thus rallied to his cause the two greatest influential institutions in Canada is a clever stroke of the liberal leader. Mr. Laurier evidently intends to consolidate the party, of which he is the head, on a firm basis."

The announcement that Turkey has agreed to grant autonomy to Crete may be premature, but the Cretans are reasonably sure to obtain a fair measure of self government before the present trouble is settled. Egypt, Samoa, Montenegro, Serbia, Roumania, Bulgaria and Eastern Roumelia have passed from Turkish control to practical independence. Bosnia and Herzegovina has gone over to Austria. Now Crete will be lost and soon Armenia must follow. The grand Turk by and by must be content to govern tesser Turks only.

The census of France taken this spring confirms the lesson of the previous enumerations. The population of the republic has made no increase in the past five years, and taking Whitaker's figures for the population of 1891 there has been a slight decrease. There has been practically no gain since 1891. During that period Great Britain has overtaken and passed France in population. At the present rate of progress the kingdom of Prussia will have as many people as France in twenty years and the empire of Germany twice as many.

Mr. A. B. Morine, who was formerly a Nova Scotian newspaper man, but has been for two years a Newfoundland lawyer, is now in a cloud of glory. He conducted the defence of the bank directors against a great array of government lawyers and has landed the prosecution out of court. It is believed that the crown will abandon the case.

If it is true that all the protests have been abandoned in Prince Edward Island, Senator Ferguson should be content. Three conservative members from the little province were protested and only one got. But then the grit member was threatened with disqualification.

Mr. Laurier cannot remember whether a year and a half ago he promised to make coal and iron free if he got the chance. It is evident that Mr. Laurier

does not take his own promises very seriously.

The valued Telegraph corrects the statement of this paper that Nansen got as near the north pole as St. John is to Halifax. The Telegraph says the distance to Halifax by an air line is only 125 geographical miles. The Sun travels by air line so seldom that it has fallen into the habit of reckoning the distance by railway.

The valued Telegraph still insists that the first candidature of Sir John Thompson in Antigonish and the nomination of Sir Charles Tupper in Cape Breton, were precedents for the candidature of Mr. Blair. Then the opposition to Thompson and Tupper in these contests were good precedents for the opposition to Mr. Blair. Both conservative ministers were strenuously opposed and they did not get mad about it, either.

There is nothing in the programme of the session about the prohibition plebiscite. It would appear that this part of the programme was for election purposes only.

KINGS CO.

Raised Funds Enough to Clear the Church From Debt. Waterford, Aug. 25.—Yesterday the weather was very favorable for the church parish picnic and it was indeed a gala day. With fully 700 persons present, not only from Sussex, but from all sections of the surrounding country, it taxed the energies of the promoters, but they were fully competent and everybody was satisfied with their outing. Among the amusements the most taking was the merry-go-round, which was kept on the move all day. Aunt Sally and all her family were there and was knocked about and everybody was bobbed up looking as serenely happy as possible. The shooting was done with a Snider rifle. In the running, jumping, putting the heavy weight and tug of war the competitors were scarce.

In the evening a dance was enjoyed in the Orange hall. Music was furnished by S. Chapman of Sussex. At 12 o'clock the largest gathering ever held in Waterford dispersed. The proceeds of the picnic are amply sufficient to clear the church of debt, and the rector, Rev. A. W. Smithers, is to be complimented.

MARINE MATTERS.

Ship Marathon, at Liverpool, is chartered to take coal from the steamer to the Orinoco at 16. 6d. Bark Amazon arrived at Stockton on Tuesday, San Francisco via Queen on Saturday. The bark May, which brought molasses here, will take in lumber above the falls for Barbados at 14. 0d. The bark Homecoming, Capt. Hansen, at Greenock, is chartered to take coal to the steamer Hepler, at Amber Lodge, off Pine Island, Lockport. Brig. Alden is loading a cargo of lumber at Montreal for Waterford, Ireland. It is said that the Alden is the first bark to sail from the Atlantic to the west coast of Europe. The bark Homecoming, Capt. Hansen, at Greenock, is chartered to take coal to the steamer Hepler, at Amber Lodge, off Pine Island, Lockport. Brig. Alden is loading a cargo of lumber at Montreal for Waterford, Ireland. It is said that the Alden is the first bark to sail from the Atlantic to the west coast of Europe.

It will be very welcome news to the citizens to learn that Charles Harris, who has been arrested on charges of kidnapping and America, has made definite arrangements for his performance with Madame Albani and the Canadian diva for a tour through Canada to Australia, and will be accompanied by his wife and two children. There is already a scramble among the sundry cities for the admission of the troupe. Some will be forwarded, but not all. It is therefore a matter of congratulation that St. John is to be included in the great singer will be heard. In the course of full performance of the troupe, which is to be launched at Parroboro today, will go into the Greenland trade. The bark Albatross, S. Spence, Capt. Lawrence, made the run down from Boston in 24 hours. The bark Albatross, S. Spence, Capt. Lawrence, made the run down from Boston in 24 hours. The bark Albatross, S. Spence, Capt. Lawrence, made the run down from Boston in 24 hours.

THE F. C. BAPTISTS.

The annual meeting of the seventh district in connection with the F. C. Baptist conference was held at Grand Harbor, Grand Manan, from Friday last up to and including Sunday. Rev. J. B. Daggett was in the chair for a time, and under his presidency Rev. W. H. Perry was elected moderator, Wm. Peters secretary and Wm. Whitaker treasurer.

DAILY RELEASE.

London, Aug. 23.—The health of John Daly, who was released from Portland prison last Friday, where he was incarcerated for life in 1883, having been sentenced to penal servitude for complicity in an alleged plot to blow up the house of commons, is said to be improving. He was released from Portland prison that he might be a hopeless invalid for the remainder of his life. Daly has now gone to Paris for treatment by a celebrated physician. He is said to be in good health, and will be able to make a small fortune in Australia, in which he will be able to care for him in the future.

THE BAPTISTS.

Proceedings of Maritime Provinces Convention at Berwick.

Annual Meeting of the W. B. M. U. and the Reports Submitted.

Report on the State of the Denomination—Subscriptions in Aid of Foreign Mission Work.

(Continued from Page Fourteen.) Berwick, Aug. 22.—At the convention of the W. B. M. U. today, after a meeting of the county secretaries, led by Miss Johnson of Dartmouth, Mrs. Manning called the convention to order. After devotional exercises the minutes of the last meeting were read and approved. The names of the delegates were then called, which embraced many of the prominent women of the maritime provinces.

The delegates were asked to report on the state of the work in their respective societies. A North Sydney report for that society. She suggested that the missing link in our aid societies is the young married women from twenty to thirty years of age. These women are the ones who have never been trained to mission bands and are therefore not interested in aid societies.

Mrs. John Masters of St. John spoke for the societies of St. John, which seem to be in a flourishing condition. Considerable home mission work seems to be accomplished by the societies of St. John city. Other societies reported and the outlook seems encouraging. An obituary service was held. Miss Johnson read the names of those who had been promoted to higher service during the year. Special mention was made of Sister Porter of Fredericton, of Mrs. James Masters of St. John and of Mrs. A. Higgins of Wolfville and others.

A mass mission meeting took place in the Methodist church at 3 p. m. Mrs. T. E. Eaton, a former missionary, engaged in prayer. Miss Harrison, missionary elect, gave a Bible reading. The 23rd Psalm was chosen. Miss Harrison spoke in a sweet, clear voice and was listened to with rapt attention. Mrs. Nelder of Windsor gave a few words of warning to those who are about to start for India. She spoke of the trials and difficulties of the work in foreign lands. There are so many trials in the work in India, that if it were not for the joy of seeing a soul converted, no missionary would stay in India one month. Still her love for the heathen is much stronger than it was eleven years ago, when she went to the Telegoos. In closing Miss Gray said: "You are doing a glorious work, and in due season 'Ye shall reap if ye sown not.'"

Mrs. W. V. Higgins was then called to the platform and spoke words of trust and faith. Mrs. La Flamme being called for, Mrs. La Flamme came to the platform and gave the greetings of his wife to the convention. Mr. La Flamme spoke in his own pleasing manner, captivating the audience at once. "Be faithful; be faithful to God, to the church, to the harvest will come."

Mrs. Gullison, missionary elect, now spoke a few words and touched tenderly on the parting scene to take place and her hope to be a co-laborer with the sisters at home. Miss Newcome, another young girl about to go out this fall to the foreign field, gave a very interesting and touching address and there were few dry eyes in the large audience. Such a tender and sympathetic address we believe was never before listened to by an audience in Nova Scotia.

Miss Harrison gave the account of her call to the foreign field. Her impressions among the heathen, such as she has gathered, were read. She came while attending a convention at Moncton. Her address was full of power and feeling and thrilled the whole audience. Surely these young missionaries are endued by the Spirit from on high.

Miss Newcome and Miss Harrison have both attended the missionary school at Chicago. Miss Johnson addressed the missionaries elect on behalf of the union in an earnest and heartfelt manner. The verse she would give to them as a comfort and support in the trials before them was, "Lo, I am with you always." In closing she said not good-bye, but "God with you," as a more fitting salutation.

The fifty-first annual convention of the maritime provinces opened at 10 a. m. on Saturday, with the president, J. F. Parsons of Halifax, in the chair. An unusual number of delegates have assembled in the beautiful town of Berwick. The prominent men of the three provinces outside of the clergy who attend the meetings of the convention are a large and influential number and add much to the interest in these gatherings.

Rev. G. O. Gates was elected president of the convention for the ensuing year. Mr. Parsons, the retiring president, presented the Rev. G. O. Gates to the session. Mr. Gates in a few touching words thanked the body for the honor conferred upon him. Meeting adjourned. Saturday afternoon's session. C. Creed reported on the state of the denomination. Total membership, 48,200; added during the year, 2,511; ordained during the year, 1,400.

Number of churches in N. S., 171; number of churches in P. E. I., 25; total, 496. Expended for church support in N. S., \$23,552; contributed for denominational work, \$14,379; returns for the other provinces not in. The ex-president, J. Parsons, gave his retiring address, a bright, inspiring and practical speech on live topics full of valuable advice to the laity and clergy.

Rev. W. H. Warren and Wm. Cummings were appointed presidents. H. C. Creed was appointed secretary for three years; Rev. C. Haverstock, D. Price, assistant secretaries; treasurer, R. M. Beckwith. Report on obituaries read giving an account of the following ministers who have died during the year: Rev. P. F. Murray, Milton, N. S.; I. E. Phillips, N. B.; Rev. Benjamin Jewett, Kent, N. B.; Rev. T. J. Skinner, Milton, N. S.

Saturday evening the institute resumed its session and Mr. Hughes read a strikingly original and thoughtful paper on the interpretation of the Apocalypse. Convention resumed by prayer by Rev. A. C. Chute. A foreign mission meeting was held, but the attendance was so large that an overflow meeting was organized out of doors, conducted by Mr. Dykeman, Mr. Simpson, Geo. McDonald and others.

A brief but inspiring address of welcome was given to returned missionaries by the president, Rev. G. O. Gates. These were Rev. W. V. Higgins and Miss Gray. With these were Miss Harrison and Miss Newcome, missionaries elect. Rev. W. V. Higgins then spoke, giving a graphic picture of the heathen of India and of the work there. Rev. J. W. Manning spoke on incentives to foreign mission work. First incentive duty, then, compassion, and absolute certainty of victory.

Rev. E. J. C. White read a letter from a sister giving a gold ring to the foreign mission cause. A proposal to pledge \$5 a year to the support of Mr. Gullison met with a sympathetic response. A large number pledged themselves for \$5 a year for life. Rev. Ralph Gullison gave a very feeling address, showing how he was led to devote himself to the foreign mission work. Miss Gray, who went out eleven years ago to Telegoos, spoke of her work and her joy at meeting so many sympathetic friends.

Miss Newcome and Miss Harrison also spoke briefly, after which Rev. J. A. Gordon spoke farewell words to the missionaries. On Sunday large audiences assembled in the morning and evening. Rev. Mr. Chute in the morning and Rev. Mr. Chute in the evening. Mr. Camp's subject: "The Love of Christ sustained me"; was eloquently treated under two divisions: 1st. The incentive of Paul's life; 2nd. The life produced by this motive.

The report of the board of governors was read: The board have held three meetings. Associated alumni held 26th annual meeting in June. Though the membership has increased, and renewed interest is taken in the society in New England, yet they are not supporting the chair and means should be taken to supply the deficit. The usual work in the college has gone on satisfactorily; 28 students graduated full and 10 received the degree of M. A. Bible study is a recognized part of college work, and is being prosecuted with success. The law department started last year has prospered beyond expectation, through the assistance of W. E. Roscoe, Esq., and Prof. F. Tuttle. Dr. Weldon congratulated the students on the excellence of the work. While no special revival has been enjoyed during the year, the religious life of the college is fairly good. The board have been reluctantly compelled to accept President Sawyer's resignation on account of his health, but he will continue chairman of the faculty and honorary president of the seminary, and will remain in charge of philosophical and ethical subjects.

The board has received \$4,700 in cash from the M. Cursey estate. The bequest of \$100,000 from the late Godfrey Payzant was notified and in connection the names of past donors, such as J. W. Barrs, A. C. Robbins, C. B. Whidden, W. Cummings, A. F. Randolph and Dr. Parker, Horton academy and Horton seminary underwent a favorable review with especial commendation of their present advantages and equipment.

Berwick, Aug. 24.—Monday afternoon the debate on the annuity fund was resumed, J. F. Parsons defending the administration of the fund. It was assailed by Rev. E. E. Locke and B. H. Hemans. Manifesto received at the Digby custom house today show that nearly 2,000 quintals of dry fish were shipped last week from the out-ports of Sandy Cove and Tiverton to St. John, Yarmouth and Halifax; total value, \$2,800. Bright, Yarmouth, engaged in the coasting trade, has been laid up at Yarmouth for want of a charter.

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VETERINARY DEPARTMENT.

Conducted by J. W. Manchester, V. S., St. John, N. B.

THE WEEKLY SUN takes pleasure in notifying its readers that it has perfected arrangements with J. W. Manchester, V. S., whereby all questions with respect to diseases of the lower animals will be answered by him, and treatment prescribed in those cases where it is asked for through the columns of THE SUN. All enquiries must be addressed: VETERINARY DEPARTMENT, Weekly Sun, St. John, N. B.

J. A. M.—A fine colt has a lump on abdomen, near umbilicus. It is the size of a hen's egg and runs a yellow matter and blood. It scales over and then breaks out again. What is the trouble and treatment? A cow was taken with a cough, dry and hacking; three days after commenced to spit her teeth, refused food and water; bowels constive. Please prescribe. Ans.—Treat with your colt is septile infection, through the medium of the tubercular cord. Treatment: Dress the sore two or three times daily with carbolic acid lotion; also occasionally dress with weak solution of silver nitrate.

Ans.—The principal treatment, however, will be constitutional; feed well, milk, oats, bran, etc.; also give daily two dessert spoons full of Parrish's Chemical Food; will also find phosphate of lime useful in doses of two drams daily. The cow has no doubt pneumonic fibre. A light purgative of sulphate of Magnesia, also drams doses of Aconite Tincture, three times daily; Potash Nitrate, 1-2 oz. doses twice daily is often useful. Follow with general tonic: Meden, Gentian, Ferri Sulphate, etc.

J. Jackson—Have a mare that has a chronic cough, with occasional discharge from nose; wind all right. Please advise. Ans.—Yours is a case of chronic colic. Treatment—Bleed three times with strong liniment. Give daily the following in doses as directed: Lupul Sulphate pulv. oz. 4; Cartharides, 1/2; Gentian, oz. 4; Arsenic, drams 4. Divide into 20 doses and give one dose daily in food.

Subscriber—Please tell me through the columns of the Sun how to remove a large wart from horse's fore leg. It has not a very large base. Is there any danger of bleeding? Ans.—Ligature base of wart tightly with piece of waxed thread. J. Donnelly—A four-year-old colt has enlargement on side of face just above molar tooth; does not feed well. Ans.—Examine teeth. You will probably find trouble there. Consult a veterinary surgeon or dentist personally. M. B.—Will answer your question next week.

ACROSS THE BAY.

A Brooklyn Lady, Attired in Bloomers, Appears in Digby Streets on a Bicycle.

Two Thousand Quintals of Dry Fish Shipped—Burglars at Work. (Special to the Sun.) Digby, Aug. 24.—Although there are scores of lady bicyclists here at this season of the year, Mrs. H. P. de Forest of Brooklyn, N. Y., can claim the honor of being the first lady to appear on the streets of Digby in Bloomers. Mrs. de Forest is a very graceful rider, and needless to say attracts no little amount of attention when on her wheel. She is accompanied by her husband, Dr. de Forest. They reached Digby on Sunday, having rode all the way from Yarmouth. They registered at the Royal. Boutlier & Morhouse, the dealer, have purchased the little Yarmouth steamer Island Gem, and will use her for buying up fish along the bay shore. Stanley Bent will be the firm's buyer.

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WHY UPSET THE YACHT.

Two of the sailors belonging to the ship Yarnoo had quite an experience in broad-brimmed black slouch hats of the same pattern. Baron Rosmead of Rosmead, of the County of Westmeath, and of Tafelberg, in South Africa, is the title that Sir Hercules Robinson selected on his elevation to peerage. When Sir Hercules was in his late father's service in the East, he was in the service of the Russian, British, German, and French governments that he proposed to visit their capitals before long.

Electors of the Province:

for Black Dress Suits and is at hand. You can see a list of them at the Deane Store, 48 Mill Street.

W. J. YOUNGLAS.

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party of wheelmen came from Hurd's to see the candidate and used by one of their mem-

he said, "this is the be-cause that will continue day of election. Probably at the south is this going on

MARINE MATTERS.

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HARMONY HALL.

The President Discovers an Epoch-Marking Man.

And Ranks Him Only a Little Lower Than the Angels.

Foster Cornered Once More—The Colonel Started a Little Too Late.

"Fellows," said the President, "it is more than ever necessary that Blair should be elected. His speech at Gagetown on Tuesday shows that clearly.

"Well," queried the President. "Well, sir, we went there for that purpose. But when Blair made those speeches and Foster got up—we had to let him go ahead. There wasn't any mud left."

"Mr. Blair is a great man," said the President. "When I contemplate the breadth of statesmanship, the lofty patriotism, the modesty, the dignity, the self-entrancement, the chivalrous regard for others, the noble charity, the elevated and inspiring tone and spirit of that Gagetown speech, I seem to exist in an atmosphere permeated with the sweetness and light of all that was best and purest and most ennobling in all the ages of the world."

"The work of the election is a grand and noble thing, and the quiet right in the hands of the candidate would speak unless invited."

Great cheering greeted the President's address. And when Fellow Andrew G. arose, with an effigy of Foster in his hands, and proceeded to beat his head against the wall, mashed its nose, gouged its eyes out, make faces at it, and finally threw it down and trampled on it, the enthusiasm became tremendous.

"The need of our party in Queens county at present," said the President, "is not more men, but more of the resources of civilization."

"Mr. President," said one of the St. John fellows, on Saturday evening, "I want to know if it's true that instructions have been issued to promise every third man in Queens and Sunbury a position on the I. C. R., and to promise to build enough railway in those counties to supply jobs for the other two-thirds."

"I was further to remark," said Fellow Andrew G., "that the bitterest pill I had to swallow at Gagetown last Tuesday was to see a lot of the friends of Fellow John V. standing around there grinning while Foster laid on the lash. I will remember it."

SPORTING MATTERS.

Joe Patchen Lowers the World's Stallion Record at Rigby Park.

The Closing Day of the Maritime Colt Stake Races at Amherst.

THE TURF.

Amherst, N. S., Aug. 21.—There was no increase in attendance at the races here this afternoon. The day was beautifully fine, but a slight breeze stirred the dust a little. The 2:30 class was the first race called. A fine field started—eighteen, as follows:

Second heat—Nellee Bly went to the front, chased the whole mile by Provider, Banahse and Sir Richard repeatedly and came up in the rear, the others close behind.

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IN BULAWAYO.

Cecil Rhodes' Mission to the Matabele a Complete Success.

Bulawayo, Aug. 22.—The mission of Hon. Cecil Rhodes to the Matabele is reported to be a pronounced success. The natives have yielded and the war is considered at an end.

COURT NEWS.

In the equity court on the 18th, in Connolly v. Connolly, a suit for partition of land at St. Andrews, an order was made that the bill be taken pro confesso, on motion of W. Pugsley, Q. C.

In Jack v. Everett, on motion of A. W. Macrae, the referee's report was confirmed. A similar order was made in Smith v. McCullough on motion of Bowyer S. Smith.

Morris v. Sturdee was set down for 21st August on motion of A. W. Macrae for plaintiff; J. R. Armstrong, Q. C., for defendant.

Fox v. Carter was postponed to next court, on motion of Geo. R. Vincent.

In Fawcett v. Crossdale, on motion of W. B. Chandler, an order was made for writ of possession.

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