The "Sardine" Trust May Fail. ermen of the islands and the factory at Eastport. The latter have formed ng to pay no more than \$5 a hogshead herring, whereas formerly the price has ged from \$2 to \$60. The fishermen reto accept these terms and will not t of the factories. The odds are ngly in favor of the fishermen if they backbone enough to hold the strike, it is believed they will do so as they been very prosperous for a few years are "well fixed."

cAlpine's Directory for 1888-89 has received by Progress. It is the only St. John has, and will, of course, be hased by every one who needs such a rs render the book less valuable than ght be. Mr. McAlpine, no doubt, erous possible ways the errors have a themselves conspicuous.

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PRICE THREE CENTS

EVENINGS OF ORATORIO. AND A MATINEE OF MORE POPU-LAR MUSIC.

Meritorious Productions of "Judas Macca-beus" and "The Seasons," Which Were Not Patronized as They Should Have Been—How the Numbers Were Sung.

Violin Solo, "Slavonic Fantasie".....Vieu
Herr Listemann. ong, "The Biind Girl's Song".....
Miss G. Bowen. Miss Bowden and Orchestra. 

Such a feast of orchestral music has ence as that given at this matinee. Not content with gratifying the hearers with their own concerted pieces, the Listemann sextette accompanied the song and duet. The only number they did not play was Herr Sailer's cello solo (a capital per-formance), which was accompanied by the piano, played by one of the sextette.

Herr Listemann shows what a really good musician he is, not only by his splendid playing, but also by the fact that he always seem to gather round him men of talent, who are perfectly in sympathy

The most noticeable numbers were undoubtedly No. 1, "Hungarian Rhapsodie No. 2," by Liszt, and No. 4, (b) "Turk-"

Mr. Parker naturally held his audience of the Senses." ish March," Beethoven, the first being pression of crescendo and diminuendo. Of Herren Listemann and Heindl, it is simply "Distressful Nature Fainting Sinks." necessary to say that they have neither of it were possible, advanced. Such fine players will always meet with an enthusistic reception wherever they appear, and though St. John audiences may sometimes not be large, yet they will make up for the lack of numbers by the heartiness of their

applause, as on Tuesday last.

Miss Bowden showed a distinct advance by her playing of the Weber Concerto. this being clearly the best performance this talented young lady has given in this city.

Miss G. Bowen (Signor Ronconi's pupil) made her debut, singing "The Blind Girl's Song," and also a duet with the signor. This young lady gives promise of a fine mezzo-soprano voice, when it has fully

Signor Ronconi's fine voice appeared to advantage in Schumann's "The Two Grenadvantage in Scientific at home with addiers," and he seemed fairly at home with scribe to the Oratorio Fund.

Steady and patient work must tell, and this was amply proven when the Oratorio society gave the most complete performance, on Tuesday evening, that it has

answered bravely, however, throughout the evening, but it must have been a heavy tax on them to sing against such a great array of the work done by the chorus and he can also feel proud of the great strides that the society has made under his able tuition and guidance. The best chorus was decidedly, "Hear us, O Lord," at the end of the first part, being given throughout with hardly a fault. The others most worthy of mention were, "We Never will Bow Down," "See the Conquering Hero Comes" and the last,

As to the soloists, the society has never resented a stronger array of talent.

Mrs. Houston-West sang all her numbers beautifully, but was specially successful in "From Mighty Kings" and "Wise Men Flatt'ring May Deceive You." This lady's charming voice may not have all the beauty and freshness of youth, but the tone is full and not impaired and her execution

s very perfect in every way.

Mrs. Perley sang better than she has for some time and the two duets, "Come Over Smiling Liberty" and "O Lovely Peace" were a rich treat, the two ladies' voices

where a rich treat, the two ladies' voices blending most sympathetically.

It is a long time since St. John heard a tenor in oratorio like Mr. G. W. Parker. He fairly captured the audience, from the first note he sang, by his splendidly rich toned voice, finely trained, beautifully distinct enunciation and good method; his A's being all taken with as much ease as the nories of the lowest register. All his numbers were a distinct triumph, but of course where a rich treat, the two ladies' voices blending most sympathetically.

A. Big Coal Order.

R. P. & W. F. Starr had a great coal order to fill last week. A Spanish steamer arrived in the harbor and gave the firm an order for 450 tens Springbill coal. Some difficulty was experienced getting enough schooners and lighters to carry the coal difficulty was experienced getting enough schooners, and lighters to carry the coal office, and instead of getting its quotations office, and instead of getting its quotations office, and instead of getting its quotations direct from the New York office they get then from a "ticker," which serves scores of the Mer's New York office they get then from a "ticker," which serves scores of the Mer's photographer, musician and a first-class writer.

The local editors are much better known that the political editors. William Dennis of the Herald is the "hustler" in these cursion to carry it off in first class sticy this summer. The local editors are much better known of the features of the Echo. Mr. Get dere to fill last week. A Spanish steamer arrived in the harbor and gave the firm an order for 450 tens Springbill coal. Some difficulty was experienced getting enough schooners and lighters to carry the coal intertion that the political editors. The local editors. William Dennis of the Herald is the "hustler" in these cursion to carry it off in first class sticy this summer. Where are the thirteen branch offices in the same way.

The band will furnish splendid music, the courselves of the Echo. Mr. Get them from a "ticker," which serve

more spontaneous and hearty applause than greeted this gentleman on the conclusion of

Rev. J. M. Davenport sang all his numbers with that careful execution and finish for which he is noted and merited the hearty applause he received. He was at his best in "So Rapid Thy Course Is" and "Father

The great range of Signor Ronconi's powerful voice was well adapted for the alloted music, his best number being "The

Of the accompaniments, when it is said that Miss Bowden was at the piano, Mr. Morley at the organ and the Listemann sextette as orchestra, nothing more need be said. All did their parts admirably, tending to enhance the perfect success of the whole performance. There was but one .. Nartini thing to mar the evening's enjoyment and that was-empty seats. The Seasons

The second concert, Wednesday evening, was the performance of Haydn's Seasons, was given in an excellent manner, but was not so perfect as the Judas Maccabæus. There was a lack of attack in the chorus and the soloists all did their work finely, yet the music seemed scarcely to suit them

so well as on the previous evening.

The best chorus was "Hark! the Deep®
Tremendous Voice," in the second part, which gave the singers full opportunity to show power and tone. Mr. Gubb had his chorus again well in hand, though there was not quite such a rapid response as was

so apparent previously.

Mrs. West again sang her music beautifully, her best number being the recitation. "O Welcome Now," and the aria, "Oh,

specially fine in power and tone, and the latter being played with a beautiful exhibiting his magnificent vocal powers, his during the whole time he sang, and though

Signor Ronconi, for whom an apology them gone back in their art, but rather, if was made on account of cold and hoarseness, after singing a few bars seemed to recover his voice, and sang even better than on the previous evening.

and were much enjoyed.

The accompaniments left nothing to be desired, Mr. Morley making his influence at the organ much felt

The management of the society is to be congratulated on having advanced in its ual concerts, both in soloists, chorus, orchestra and accompaniments—the performance of the Judas Maccabæus being probably the best performance of oratorio that has ever been given in this city.

Smoke "Morton's Choice."

TO THE PUBLIC.

With much greater regret than can be or has been expressed the public has heard

they known there was a chance of such a financial result. Can they not do something now to help meet the indebtedness? Lovers of good music would regret very much any disorganization of such a worthy society; but the facts point to the plain truth that it cannot go on getting deeper into debt and giving the public rare musical

Progress is willing to do its share in contributing to meet this indebtedness, and with the consent of the managing committee of the Oratorio Society, will open the tee of the Oratorio Society, will open the it closed for want of business. Let St. list with \$10. If any citizens are willing to come forward, let them send their names to

Who will contribute? The Shamrocks' Moonlight Excursion. where give the particulars of what promises

### LOCKED IN THE SHOP.

TWENTY THOUSAND DOLLARS OF ST. JOHN MONEY.

No Person Responsible to the Investors for It—They Cannot Get Security, Yet They Continue to Play With the Tiger—Drive it Out of Town. About \$20,000 of St. John money locked

up in the "bucket shop"!

Twenty thousand dollars in the hands of an irresponsible party who, if he wishes, locked up in this way. can close up shop tomorrow and leave its owners in the lurch, with nothing but worthless slips of paper to show for their "in-

vestments!"

The story of the "bucket shop," published in last week's Progress, caused quite a sensation among the local dealers, who are anxious to get out of the clutche of the concern before any exposure takes place. They are not quite certain, either, whether the dealers do not come under the provisions of the new law.

But Progress has been asked to state how the dealing is carried on in the "bucket shop" and will try to answer the question as best it can.

It may be stated, first, that the system has been changed recently to avoid the new law passed at the last session of the domin ion house. The concern on King street has

been run by
Davidson, Ledden & Black, Davidson & Ledden Bros., Ledden Bros.,

Correspondent of Ledden Bros.

It is under the latter name that orders are being received at the present time and the result of the change is that all deals, instead of being made by Ledden Bros., are made through them and they are in no de-

But to explain how the "investments" are made: A person who wishes to patronize he shop fills out an order requesting the 'correspondent" to buy or sell at least 20 shares of a certain stock, handing in with it \$20, which margins the stock three-quarters of a point, the other quarter being the commission of the shop, viz., you pay \$5 for the privilege of investing \$20.

This order is handed to the operator and is wired to Ledden Bros'. office in Boston and no further. The latter contend that they place the order upon the New York market, but as they have no New York office-though they say they have-and the firm is not a member of the stock exchange, this would have to be done through a resident broker, who would require at least 10 per cent. of the purchase money of the sense to say that this is done and the fact lies bare that every deal made in St. John s reported at Boston but no further.

Every deal made in St. John is known there. All the business is reported every atternoon, the cash balanced and tallied That gentleman's little scheme was to have close every man is running to his margin and they have the power very often, if he is in progress. It is interesting to note in reckless, to "wipe" him out.

For example, when a stock is active, and a man is carrying but a slight margin, the Dunlap always did; and as he drew the ance, on Tuesday evening, that it has as yet given.

Mr. Gubb never had his chorus in better control and they, the chorus, never put more light and shade in their singing or answered the controlling beat of the baton in

whole concern is. Ledden Bros. advertise seventeer have only four, at St. John, Bangor, Portland and Lewiston, and their reports show that the business done in St. John is equal in amount to that done in all three other PROGRESS is willing to do its share in Union, but the real reason was that Hali-

this office, stating what they will give, and the society will see that the contribution is the Boston office who do nothing but attend to repeating and forwarding deals from their branches to New York and send the quotations to St. John and elswhere. It is Full and complete announcements else-where give the particulars of what promises cern has but one operator in its Boston

Who is responsible to the dealers for their margins? Mr. McKenzie, the correspondent, or Ledden Bros. If the former, what extent is he responsible?

For a few months, stocks have been

what is there to prevent the "bucket shop" from being closed today and the dealers left in the lurch?

Look out for Exmouth St. Picnic on

UNDER WAY AT LAST!

A Meeting of Those Interested in Building the New Opera House.

the New Opera House.

By announcement in the advertising is known by very few.

It will be my endeavor to give Proested in the plan for an opera house are requested to meet at the warerooms of requested to meet at the warerooms of President A. O. Skinner, next Thursday evening.

of the really able men who occupy positions on the Halifax press. But first let evening.

Progress has no doubt that the response

o this call will be hearty and unanimous.

workers, rather than figureheads. once, and take steps to complete the canvas ness, and afterwards worked for subscriptions. Until all the stock has been taken, they should meet twice a week.

The subscriptions and take steps to complete the call and meets, and anterwards more than and in the sanctum. Hon. W. S. Fielding, the presentation of the sanctum.

centage of the stock subscribed, contracts, should be let and the work of construction

If Thursday night's meeting accomplishes as much as it should, and as Progress be lieves it will, the opera house will be open

It Looks Like a Job. never heard of, or if they have heard of it have overlooked, the fact that Ald. Murwith the accounts kept at Boston, where a set of books exactly similar to that in St. John is kept. Ledden Bros. know just how and he succeeded. Mr. Sullivan will receive a salary of \$2 a day while the work is this connection that roadmaster Brown was understood to be perfectly able and willing Mr. Henry D

and Wednesday evenings.

The deficit, it is understood, will amount to about \$300, a sum which the members of the society are bound in honor to pay, with the movements of the stock. But with the movements of the stock. But the society are bound in honor to pay, with the movements of the stock. But the society are bound in honor to pay, with the movements of the stock. But the society are bound in honor to pay, with the movements of the stock. But the society are bound in honor to pay, with the movements of the stock. But the society are bound in honor to pay, with the movements of the stock. But the society are bound in honor to pay, with the movements of the stock. But the society are bound in honor to pay, with the movements of the stock. But the society are bound in honor to pay, with the movements of the stock. But the society are bound in honor to pay, with the movements of the stock. But the society are bound in honor to pay, with the movements of the stock. But the society are bound in honor to pay, with the movements of the stock. But the society are bound in honor to pay, with the movements of the stock. But the society are bound in honor to pay, with the movements of the stock. But the society are bound in honor to pay, with the movements of the stock. But the society are bound in honor to pay, with the movements of the stock. But the society are bound in honor to pay, with the movements of the stock. But the society are bound in honor to pay, with the movements of the stock is In defect, it is understood, will amount to about \$300, a sum which the members and be has reason to be proud by the chorus and he can if the great strides that the large in the great strides that the large in the chorus and he can bundreds who would have attended had large in Boston, the dealer here would be able to margin lower or higher, as was necessary with the movements of the stock. But this shows how palpably fraudulent the whole concern is. the prize-winners to over 1,000 copies. In addition to this, the usual throng of newsboys disposed of nearly as many more copies. The street sale of Priogress, this week, will be nearly 2,000 copies, provided the usual increase arrives, and there is no

Why is it that the Street Railway company, which sells a round-trip ticket from Market square to the Marsh road (including transfer) for 5 cents, charges 10 cents to Fairville and 10 cents more from Fair-ville and 10 cents more from Fair-ville to the Bridge road corner? Since the fare is doubled, why not include transfer in one case as well as in the other? The answer will be, of course, that, in the latter case, the company is obliged to use 'busses instead of cars—but why should that make a difference ?

THE PRESS OF HALIFAX | the credit for formulating the scheme that AND THE MEN ENGAGED IN MOULD-ING OPINION

In Nova Scotia—Who They Are and Some Idea of Their Work—A Good Lot of Fel-lows Engaged in Newspaper Work—Hali-fax Papers.

down, and most dealers, having bought them at higher prices than they are at present, have been compelled to remargin, and at least two-thirds of the money now in the control of the "bucket shop" was in the control of the "bucket shop" was lead up in this way.

HALIFAX, N. S., July 12.—Like their brethren of St. John, the Halifax journalists are a modest, unassuming lot of young men. They take great pleasure in writing the history or good work of any prominent It is not a comforting suggestion, but the history or good work of any prominent what is there to prevent the "bucket shop" man in the law, medicine or theology, but when one of their own number makes a hit —by a brilliant stroke gives to the public a clear view of a perplexing question, or divides his time between the office of the throws out a suggestion that will become of benefit to the country—the Halifax journalist does not think it his duty to tell the William public the name of the benefactor. Therefore, although he moulds the opinions of

GRESS' readers a quiet introduction to some me call your attention to the fact that nearly every shining light in Acadian histo this call will be hearty and unanimous.

The business before the meeting, in the opinion of some of the gentlemen most deeply interested, is to re organize the directorate.

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The new directors should organize at both to assist Howe in the newspaper busi-On these occasions, let them go through the directory from A to Z, and provide that every citizen shall be solicited for a subscription by that director who can best Then a call should be made for a per-

one of the Halifax dailies. Those who hold the reins and fight the foot of bricks will go further than a mile of Mr. J. J. Stewart, of the Herald. Mr. issue. James McGowan looks after the Stewart is not more than 48 years of age, and besides being political editor, he is the leading government organ in the pro-vince. Mr. Stewart is a lawyer, at one city, but his opinions are the key note for Toryism throughout the country. He is an enthusiastic Nova Scotian, takes a great interest in the history and literature of our province, and is at present engaged in coins, relics, etc., relating to local history His two papers on "The History of the Press in Nova Scotia" read before the Historical society, last winter, are the only published record of that interesting portion

Mr. Henry D. Blackadar, senior member of the firm of Blackadar Bros., is the political editor of the Recorder. He is a son of the late Hugh Blackadar and has spent his whole life in the office of the Recorder and, whole life in the office of the Recorder and, tion and commodious, fleet boats and cheap if rumor speaks correctly, that time has not tickets should require no other inducement a better manner. The parts were well balanced in tone, though the six tenors were heavily handicapped as to numbers. They answered bravely, however, throughout the saw that the institute is margin point or below, loses him all his more placed on it, then rises to its original figure; whereas, if the quotations are the champion newsboys in town at present. The former eclipsed all previous records last Saturday and sold 427 control or the stock sinks to his margin point or below, loses him all his money placed on it, then rises to its original figure; whereas, if the quotations are the champion newsboys in town at present. The former eclipsed all previous records last Saturday and sold 427 control or the stock sinks to his margin point or below, loses him all his money placed on it, then rises to its original figure; whereas, if the quotations are the champion newsboys in town at present. The former eclipsed all previous records last Saturday and sold 427 control or the stock sinks to his margin point or below, loses him all his money placed on it, then rises to its original figure; whereas, if the quotations are the champion newsboys in town at present. The former eclipsed all previous records last Saturday and sold 427 control or the stock sinks to his margin point or below, loses him all his money placed on it, then rises to its original figure; whereas, if the quotations are the champion newsboys in town at present. The former eclipsed all previous records last Saturday and sold 427 control or the stock sinks to his margin point or below, loses him all his money placed on it, then rises to its original figure; whereas, if the quotations are the champion newsboys in town at present. of the school board and has had a standing invitation for a number of years past for aldermanic honors from one of the largest ment of the Recorder he has the assistance of Mr. Charles P. McLennan, a Dalhousie student and a young man who is making quite a name for himself in local news-

Chronicle is not officially known, but general opinion gives the attorney-general, Hon. J. W. Longley, credit for the majority of the "leaders" and we think public opinion is not very far wrong. Mr. Longley is too well known to need any sketch in this article. Suffice it to say that he is a conscientious of the state of the shoot of the shoo Chronicle is not officially known, but gen-

The Echo—the new evening venture—claims to be independent. Its editor is not announced, either, but I think Mr.

That enterprising firm, Bell & Higgins, will open its factory doors every afternoon next week and allow the people to see how J. M. Geldert, jr., the efficient reporter of the house of assembly, writes the most of the crisp little editorial paragraphs that are one of the features of the Echo. Mr. Gel-

gave us a flourishing society representing the journalists of the three lower prov

William D. F. Smith of the Recorder is also one of the old hands. Smith is a clever cartoonist, a racy descriptive writer and the credit him with that great parody, "The Queertown Council," but I know be 'Twas one much younger and very httle

known;—but don't say I told you.

James McQuinn of the Chronicle handles the local department of the leading Liberal Chronicle and a snug little farm at Shuben.

William Dunn, son of the manager of the Chronicle, has made a great success of his a few months old, this little paper is one the brightest and best written of the five dailies that compete for public patronage in Halifax.

Hiram Wier, of the Mail, is the local knowledge in this particular line of journalistic work is enabled to give the public the best dramatic criticism published. He is

Power, and sporting editor of the Recorder, There is no question that this should be done. That body ought to be composed of men who would be willing to serve as of men who would be formulated the first that the midst of public duties found time to the midst of public duties found time and it was through his single-handed effort that Halifax now divides her horse races between running and trotting instead of all ceived many compliments from the New Brunswick papers for his admirable and ac

The rest of the boys all deserve particular mention, but I think I have already inshould be let and the work of construction
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the Chronicle and Harry Harvey. sporting for the Echo, and J. Watson Fraser for the Mail. William Seabrooke president and controlling stockholder of does court and general reporting for the position on the Chronicle. So much for time partner of the present deputy minister of justice. He is very little known in the vorto tell you something about the weeklies vor to tell you something about the weeklies and those who edit them.

The old people and the young people of Brussels Street Baptist church will emigrate for one day this week to Watters' landing and forget the city and enjoy the country. May Tuesday be a fine day! Everybody should go to this the prettiest and most convenient spot on the river and help each other have a good time. The an-

to draw a grand crowd. St. John Presbyterian church Sunday school will hold its annual picnic, this year, school will hold its annual picnic, this year, on the beautiful grounds of Mr. J. D. M. Keator, at Nauwigewauk, Tuesday, the 17th. The excursion is in charge of an efficient committee, who have arranged a rare programme of sports, for which suitment table will be under the supervision of the ladies of the church. Many other attractions will provided, which will make

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### IT STANDS AT THE HEAD, THE OLD BUT PROGRESSIVE FIRM OF J. AND A. M'MILLAN.

Publishers, Printers, Bookbinders, Station-ers and Wholesale and Retail Booksellers, and Successful in Every Capacity—The History of Sixty Years of Growth.

If a score of the business houses of St John could by any means attain to the rank and standing of that of Messrs. J. & A. McMillan, the city would at once become a metropolis, by virtue of the impetus which their mere existence would

illustration of the truth that, when ability, energy and integrity direct a business, it is sure to grow. In 1822, 66 years ago, John McMillan opened a modest bookstore on the western side of Prince William street, where the store of Henderson, Burns & Co. now stands. In 1839, removal was made to a larger store, on the site of the present building. The earlier of these establishments was a bookstore and nothing more, though the first head of the firm began, in a small way, what has since developed into an important industry—the publication of school-books. In course of time, a bindery was added to the departments. Shortly after the house had attained its majority, so to speak-in 1845-another important extension was made, and the firm opened its printing office. At this time, the firm-name, origi nally John McMillan and afterwards David McMillan, was changed to that which is familiar the world over, J. & A. McMillan. Most of the readers of Progress will know without being told that the parties to this partnership were Messrs. James and Alexander McMillan—father and uncle of this present head-than whom no more enterprising and sagacious business men were ever established in St. John.

In view of this steady development which has been such as one would expect from such direction, it would be natural to suppose that the house has met with few reverses. This is not altogether the fact for the firm has been burned out, "clear and clean," no less than five times! The last baptism of flame was that of 1877. At that time, workmen were busy before the bricks had cooled and the present handsome and commodious structure, though most substantially built, rose very quickly over the ruins of the last. It is oubtful if there is in all Canada a building better adapted to its uses. Every inch of every floor is occupied, but the perfect system which prevails does away with any appearance of crowding, Light is provided by large windows at either end of the building and by an enclosed skylight which is carried from top to bottom-and serves the additional purpose of supplying cool air in summer. An elevator, with speaking tubes and bells, assist communication be tween the floors and ingenious contrivances for economizing time and space are found in every department.

Fifty employes find work to do in this nent, and it is interesting to se how quietly, but effectively, the far-reaching operations of the house are carried on.

The basement and the conit were, the reservoirs from which they all draw. In the former is stored the heavy stock, inks, common printing paper, etc. On the latter are the wholesale department, in charge of Mr. Sain. Blaine, and the stock-room, superintended by Mr. Golding. At the Prince William street end of th building, Mr. Blaine presides over books, pens, pencils, etc., enough to stock a halfdozen ordinary shops, and attends to the mail orders, which are many. At the other end, Mr. Golding keeps a watchful eye upon great cases of stationery, from retail and wholesale departments are all supplied. It may not be generally known that paper comes to McMillan's in "flat" -that is, unruled and in sheets of all sizes-and that there it is ruled, cut into note, letter and foolscap, blank books, exercise books, memorandum books, etc. Such is the fact, however. The ruling machines owned by the firm are as perfect as can be procured, and they find a good deal to do; how much, one realizes best when he ascends to the third

McMillan's bindery is an institution of which St. John has a right to be proud, since, under the capable management of Col. Blaine, it turns out work that few es tablishments can equal and fewer still excel. The best test of the quality of a binding is its elasticity. For example, to hold open the average book requires quite an effort, and if a book thus tightly bound is volume that has passed through Col Blaine's hands is above criticism in this particular; it will lie open anywhere. With all that, every book is a work of art. Even business men who seldom recognize beauty in anything but a column of figures, are ready purchasers of the neat and durable nt books which come from this house No one could help admiring the workmanship of the great ledgers used in the banks of the city, which are made here. In more artistic attempts, Col. Blaine's assistants are no less skillful. Those who saw the beautiful edition of the poets, which Col. Blaine introduced Christmas, will be ready to last Christmas, will be ready to join Progress in the very highest commandation of his perfect taste. In the retail store are many other gems of books, in it might attain.

calf, morocco and tree-calf, which have passed through his hands. More than this however, almost every book-buyer and especially every professional man—in St. John, has specimens of the work of the bindery, in the form of volumes of magamusic, law-books, etc.; and this work is its own best advertisement.

Of the printing department, which is under the capable superintendence of Mr. Charles Lawson, the same may be said. This branch of the business occupies the entire fourth floor, and here a printer might spend a pleasant and profitable day in examining the thorough equipment of type The history of this firm is a striking and machinery, and observing the methods by which so much good work of the very highest quality is done. The head of the department, Mr. Lawson, is one of the best job printers in Canada-so good, indeed, that men trained by him take the highest places in other offices-and every order, small or great, receives his consci entious attention. A stranger may best measure the force of this statement by a glance at some of the productions that bear McMillan's imprint. To the citizens of St John it will stand without proof.

From what has been said, it will be taken for granted that when the printers and binders of this establishment join hands, the result is an enduring monument to the honor of both. Such a work was the magnificent Jubilee Memorial prepared last year for presentation to her majestythan which, PROGRESS feels confident, she received no more beautiful gift of the kind. Less pretentious works are all the time attesting the same truth. The firm publishes many books, few of which are not of enduring value, and all of which are as perfect mechanically as care and taste can make them. Of recent issues that have attracted favorable notice, may be mentioned Mr. Hunter Duvar's DeRoberval Mr. Montague Chamberlain's Canadian Birds, and Maj. E. T. Sturdee's History of the 62d Battalion, St. John Fusiliers. Somewhat earlier, in point of date, came Hannay's History of Acadia, Lawrence's Footprints, Archer's School History of Canada, The Loyalist Centennial Son Bailey's Elementary Natural Historyand scores of others. Indeed, to name the works which have come from the Mc-Millan press would be almost to catalogue the Canadian literature of the last 60 years.

Mention of books recalls the retail de-

partment, which owes no little of its popularity to its genial and capable manager, Mr. Alfred M. Smith. The store itself is the largest, handsomest and most convenient in Canada, and, more than that, is not equalled by any this side of Boston. Of the stock, it is enough to say that the firm receives every book issued by every America publisher of standing and that it has extensive dealings with all the leading English ouses. The feature of the place which most strongly marks its superiority, however, is, perhaps, the facilities offered to Much of the floor space is taken up by counters, of course, but every visitor is able-and welcome-to remove and examine the books which, classified by subjects, are ranged along the shelves either side. The advantage which this method offers to the patron who has no special work in mind but can easily suit hi when he has freedom of choice, are obvious. Of late years, American booksellers have fallen into this style of arrangement; but, as in other matters, McMillan's was the first-and for a long time, the only-Canalian store in which it was pursued. In another matter, the firm established, some years ago, a desirable precedent, tending to promote the comfort of customers: 'stranger's desk," in the private office, well provided with stationery, of which all visitors are cordially invited to avail themselves.

uch trifles is success. The head of the book-keeping and cash lepartments is Mr. H. H. Godard, whose officiency and promptness are fully recognized by the many customers of the firm

This is a trifle, to be sure—but the sum of

A book-lover could nowhere spend a happier day than in McMillan's store. All around him lie the best works of the best authors -- an exhaustive assortment, covering every subject, appealing to every taste, from which he might select the text-books for a college, provide light literature for his summer reading, renew his treasured store of standard works or-supply a Sunday school library! Whatever his inclinations, he might wander at will between the ong shelves and no one would weary him with importunities to buy; but if he wanted help he would meet the ready and painstaking assistance of those capable of directing him to the best book on any subject; and it is safe to say that if he entered the store, a stranger, he would return to it, a

The teachers who honor St. John with their presence at this time will find entertainment and instruction for themselves in this vast repository of books. They may draw many useful lessons for their pupils from the history of this firm which rewards fidelity in the persons of the many employees who have grown gray in its service; which combines enterprise and fair-dealing so fully that it ranks among the first in Canada and easily first in the maritime provinces; and which advances with the age, by means of the energy, foresight, and business ability of its head; daily strength-

OUR EDUCATIONISTS MEN AT THE HEAD OF OUR COL-LEGES AND SCHOOLS:

the New Brunswick University, Supt. Allison, of Nova Scotia, Supt. Montgomery and Principal Anderson of P. E. Island and Mesars. H. C. Creed, A. M., I. B. Oakes and Wm. McLean.

Some educational leaders of the mari-

time provinces are portrayed in this issue, ir several careers slightly touched pon. It is difficult in many cases to obin the information essential to a good iography of professional gentlemen, and this drawback makes itself painfully apparent in this series. A fear of egotism is always uppermost in the minds of the subject, con sequently a newspaper neither does itself But little need be said of the work of

these men. It speaks for itself. The faces of our own university presidents, Drs. Inch and Harrison, are familiar to all. Their work has made itself felt, first in the public schools of our province, then in the college class-room, and now at the head of our two leading and bonored institutions. Their influence is a power for good. Both of these gentlemen have popularized and dernized their colleges. Every year sees Mount Allison strengthened in department, and with a marked increase in attendance. Since President Harrison has been head of the New Brunswick university the changes have been many and beneficial and today no institution has better or more

In Nova Scotia the name of David Allison, chief superintendent of our sister province's schools, is synonymous for energy and ability. Respected and honored by the teachers in his jurisdiction he is consulted by the principals of the higher institutions of learning and his opinion on matters of educational importance carries greater weight than any other we know of. Dr Allison is an eloquent and forcible speaker and his presence at educational gatherings s anticipated with pleasure.

Principal Anderson of Prince of Wales

college and Superintendent Montgomery are to Prince Edward Island what Pro dents Harrison and Inch and Superintend ent Crockett are to New Brunswick. Their educational system is peculiarly well adapted for the wants of the people, the population and wealth of the province. With resources more limited than either Nova Scotia or New Brunswick, they have a system which is admirably complete.

The three other gentlemen, Inspector B. Oakes, H. C. Creed, A. M. and W. M McLean are all prominent in their respective positions. Mr. Oakes has been the inspector of the higher schools of the provce. Mr. Creed is secretary of the Educa tional institute of New Brunswick and Mr. McLean is principal of the St. John Gram-

James R. Inch, M.A., LL.D., president of the university of Mount Allison, Sack-ville, N. B., is of Scotch-Irish descent, his parents, Nathaniel Inch and Anne Arm trong, having emigrated from Enniskille to New Brunswick in 1824. They settled in Petersville, Queen's county, where Dr Inch was born, April 29, 1835



PRESIDENT INCH

His earlier education was received at the district school and at the High school of Gagetown. After attending the training school, in St. John, he received a licen as a first-class teacher in 1850. In 1854. he accepted a position at Mount Allison academy, and when Mount Allison college was organized with university powers, in 1862, Dr. Inch entered the junior class, and took his degree of B.A. in 1864 and M.A. three years later. In 1864, he took charge of the Ladies' academy, which was then heavily burdened with debt and without resources. He held that position for fourteen years, during which time the institu-tion, through his efforts, was placed on a firm basis

In 1878 Dr. Inch was called to the presi dency of the college, but before he took he was honored by his alma mater with the degree of LL. D. Since he as sumed the position a handsome stone uni versity building has been erected at a cost of \$35,000, and the endowment fund has been increased by about \$100,000. Dur ing the existence of the University of Halifax Dr. Inch, who was appointed a Fellow of University by the government of Nova Scotia, rendered the institution valuable service as a member of the senate and ex-

aminer in mental science and logic. Conference special committee, and has represented his district at the general conference sessions on all occasions except four. England States. During his travels he viscoint the first scholarship at the annual concessions on all occasions except four. Ited many schools and colleges. In 1873 competition in that city. Moray House

He is also a member of the board of m ent of the Church Educational society lay treasurer of the Supernumerary isters' fund. In 1886 Dr. Inch was elected vice president for New Brunswick of the American Institute of Christian Phil-

In 1854 he married Mary Alice Dunn of Keswick, York county, and has one daughter, now the wife of Prof. Sidney Hunter of Mount Allison university.

Thomas Harrison, LL. D. Trinity college, Dublin, president of the University of New Brunswick, was born at Sheffield, B., on the 24th of October, 1839. He had the good fortune in early life to be taught by T. B. Barker, Esq., of St. John, and by



Mr. George T. Taylor, of Sheffield, teachers of the most thorough and efficient kind. At the age of 16 he was sent to Sackville academy and studied there for two years under the able tuition of the Rev. H. Pickard, D.D., and Prof. Thomas Pickard. M. A. At the age of 18 he was appointed master of the New Glasgow Grammar school. In 1869 he entered the University of Dublin, and spent five years of patient study under the tutorship of that distinguished mathematician and theologian, the Rev. George Salmon, F.R. S., now provost of Trinity college. Dr. Salmon's have for many years been the standard treatises for advanced students in some of the highest branches of modern mathemati

Having frequently obtained first honor at the term examinations, Mr. Harrison, after four years of hard study, became candidate for and won one of the five mathematical scholarships vacant in the year 1863. After the scholarship examina tion, he attended law lectures, and took the degrees of B.A. and LL.B. in 1864. He has since proceeded to the degrees of M.A. and LL.D. in the University of

vinces, few men have had a wider circle of pupils. Mr. Harrison has in his possession many proofs of the affection of pupils in New Glasgow, Lower Horton, Sackville and Sheffield. It was in this latter place that, in conjunction with Mr. Burpee and Mr. (now professor) Bridges, he put forth his best efforts as a schoolmaster. The result of their united efforts was that, for several years in succession some 45 of the finest boys from St. John Fredericton, St. Stephen and other part of the province entered as pupils at the Sunbury grammar scho

In June, 1870, Dr. Harrison was ap pointed professor of the English language and literature, and of mental and moral philosophy, in the University of New Bruns wick. In 1885, on the retirement of Dr W. Brydone-Jack, the present provincial government showed their confide Harrison by offering him, unsolicited, the presidency of the university-taking, in his, a step never to be regretted by them selves or the friends of the university

Annapolis county, N. S., in November 1848. After a common school course h studied at Horton Collegiate academy. He matriculated in 1866, and graduated at Acadia college with honors in 1871, cap turing the alumni essay prize of \$40 in hi senior year. The subject of Mr. Oakes



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graduating oration was "The Teacher," showing the bent of his mind. He taught the high school of Hantsport for one year after graduating. He then went on a six Dr. Inch is a member of the Methodist months tour to England and the continent, and returning spent two months in the New

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In 1885, Mr. Oakes iraugurated the Arbor day movement at St. Stephen, when several hundred trees were planted upon the school grounds of that town. In 1886, he appointed an Arbor day throughout his own inspectorate, when over 1,600 trees were planted. Many schools in other places followed the good example. In 1887, the Board of Education, under the influence of the movement, introduced a regulation making provision for an Arbon day throughout the province of New Brunswick. Under this regulation, during the past two years, the day has been very generally and enthusiastically observed in the planting of thousands of trees, shrubs and flowers upon the school premises throughout the province.

Mr. Oakes has at different times been invited to other important positions in the educational field, but he has steadily adhered to his chosen work among the com

The present Superintendent of Education for Nova Scotia, David Allison, M.A., LL. D., is a native of that province, having been born at Newport, Hants county, July 3. 1836. His father, James W. Allison and his mother, Margaret Elder, were Nova Scotians, but their parents were North of Ireland people who had settled in the province. Dr. Allison's father and father were both members of the local egislature.

Dr. Allison received his preliminary edueation at the Halifax Academy and the Wesleyan Academy at Sackville, N. B., spending four years at the latter institution when he entered the Wesleyan University at Middleton, Conn., from which he gradnated in 1859. He was then appointed classical teacher at Sackville academy and



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Dr. Allison received the degree of B. A. in 1859; M. A., 1862, and LL. D., from Victoria college, Cobourg, Ont., 1873. He was appointed a tellow of the senate of Halifax university in 1876. Dr. Allison is a member of the Methodist church and vent to London in 1881 as a delegate to the congress of Methodists held in that city. On June 18, 1862, he married Elizabeth Powell, a Richibucto lady whose descendents were Loyalists. Halifax. He resides in

Dr. Alexander Anderson has, for the past 26 years, been one of Prince Edward Island's leading educationists, and during that time has been foremost in every move ment that would tend to advance th of education. For 20 years he has been principal of Prince of Wales college, at

Dr. Anderson was born at Aberdeen Scotland, September 30, 1836, his parents Alexander Anderson and Margaret Murray, coming from the adjacent parishes of Banchory Ternan and Midmar. He received his earlier education from William Rattray, a teacher widely and favorably known in the north of Scotland, and one of the first in that part of the country to hail the system of government grants and inspection, which was then being brought for ward, and which was to develop into a na-

tional system of education. In 1854 Mr. Anderson went from Aber deen and entered the training college at Moray House, Edinburgh, having gained

was at that time reputed the best college of its kind in Great Britain, being under the rectorship of James Sime, one of Scot land's greatest scholars, and a most enthusiastic teacher. Mr. Anderson remained here two years, and, on finishing his course, was selected as an assistant teacher in the public school in connection with the training college. After about two years he resigned this position to resume his studies at the University of Edinburgh. During his attendance of four years at the university he took first place in the classes in mathe was bracketed with another for the Straton gold medals, at that time the highest athematical honors conferred by the uniersity.



PRINCIPAL ANDERSON.

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Dr. Anderson has done much to arouse nterest in the public schools of the province, and his influence and devotion has been felt, and is being made apparent in the schools of Prince Edward Island. Students from his classes generally gain high honors throughout the maritime provinces, and two of his pupils have won sucessively the Gilchrist scholarship. In December last, his former students tendered him a banquet to signalize the comoletion of a quarter century's educational work on the island, accompanying it by an address and a handsome present. Just previous to that, he had been invited to ecome one of the editors of the Educa tional Review. He is at present the president of the Prince Edward Island Teachers

At the annual convocation, April 30, 1888, McGill university honored itself and Dr. Anderson by conferring upon him the degree of LL.D.

Mr. D. Montgomery, chief superintendent of education for Prince Edward Island, was born at Valleyfield, P. E. I., May 3, 1848. He received his primary education at the school in his native district and at the Provincial Normal school. He then taught school for a few years, after which he attended Prince of Wales college, where he completed the course of education usually given in that institution in 1873. At the ose of the college term in that year, he stood first in all the English subjects, first in classics, first in chemistry, first in mathematics, and a close second in all the other mathematical subjects, taking the highest place in general standing. He was then appointed master of the Harrington Grammar school, to fill the place of D. G. Schurman (now Dr. Schurman of Cornell), who had



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THE ONLY REMEDY.

What a spectacle that was in the Portland council, Monday night! A scene of disgrace and disorder, the principal figures in which were the mouthing bombasts who reflect on the name of "aldermen." We wonder that the sensible, honest citizens of Portland have not long ere this assumed the control of civic affairs and prevented an outburst such as was reported in the

daily papers Tuesday morning.

Recrimination and abuse, hatred and jealousy in every line! Language unused in any other deliberative body was bandied across the floor, and a fitting finale to the whole discussion was the bitter and uncalled for attack of the chairman, who vented his spleen upon his predecessor and circu lated his opinion of two aldermen at the same time, using expressions as unwarranted as they were undignified and ungentle

Composed as it is at present, the town council of Portland can neither command the respect nor the interest of the citizens They carry things with a high and extravagant hand, caring nothing for the opinion of the public or the welfare of the city. The disgraceful and uncared for condition of the streets, and the recent actions for damages arising from injury to pedestrians, prove this statement

There can be but one opinion on this If Portland would be a city, respected by other cities, if she would have her credit restored, she must get rid of the majority of her present board of aldermen. The assertion can safely be ventured that, should such a course be adopted, and hon-est and business-like methods introduced into the management of civic affairs, Portland would regain all she has lost-and that can hardly be measured.

### THE SYSTEM OF TENDERS.

Superintendent Glasgow of the ferry has explained to us that by getting the they did, they saved 30 cents a ton on the cost, landing it for \$3.10 per ton instead of \$3.40. This is very good, Mr. GLASGOW: it means, in this instance, quite a saving for the city and shows that in some cases coal may be procured at private contract cheaper than by tender. Nevertheless, we are glad to learn that the ferry coal will probably be put out to tender hereafter. It does seem a little absurd that the corporation should get its coal for the city ha!l, the po lice buildings, the schools and the fire de partment by tender and allow the ferry consumed in all the other services, to be procured by private contract! And further, apart from anything else, it does not look right for a vessel owned largely by the ferry chairman to carry the ferry coal!

### COMPULSORY EDUCATION

largest and most representative gathering of educationists ever held in the maritime provinces. While each province has held

It may be confidently asserted that such an assembly is the outcome of our free common school system and as the exponent of such, it may be worthy of its attention whether the system is yet as perfect as it should be and whether we are profiting by it to so great an extent as we might. boast that our schools are free to all who desire to enjoy their advantages and more than that, they are non-sectarian, without excluding the Bible or the teachings of morality. So far our system is based on the most solid foundation and on no other could a free school system, as such, permanently exist.

The only question that remains is, Have we gone far enough? Are our people at large, and more particularly those for whose benefit free schools were inaugurated, availing themselves of their advantages to the fullest extent? Are we not a step behind the most progressive and enlightened countries in the world in that we have not introduced a compulsory clause into ou school system as they have in theirs?

The education of the youth is the most important concern of the state, and the instructors of the young are its standing

That knowledge is power is becoming more and more apparent. in this age of in-vention and development. The cry that tion must have got the better of your perity. Mr. Kelly ought to remember, if

eldom or never heard. If there are more awyers, doctors, teachers and other pronore farmers than can always find profitable markets for their produce, and more laboring men than can at all times find emappliance of science, furnishes a broader field for the laboring man. If he is intelli-gent, so much the better for himself and employer. Fortunate is the country that gets the start in any new department of industry. We want thinking men and women in all the walks of life, and we can do much to make them such.

It is not only the duty of the state to provide schools equipped in the most modern manner for all the children, but to see that the people avail themselves of their advantages. This can only be done by the ent of a compulsory clause in our free school system-moderate or stringent, as the case may require.

We believe that a comparison of the ensus and the present school attendance, in the province of New Brunswick, at least, will reveal a very unsatisfactory state of affairs, however rapidly we may have advanced in these later years

### HAVE FAITH IN OURSELVES.

We are glad to find such an influential ournal as the World, of Toronto, speaking its mind upon the question of "professional mportations." Commenting upon the apintment of J. W. ASHLEY, M. A., of Lincoln college, Oxford, to the new chair in Toronto university, it says:

Toronto university, it says:

We think the goresment have made a mistake in passing Canadians over. We believe as good a man eould be got for the post right here in Canada.

We believe that other things being equal Canadians should have the preference. To be in touch with our people, to be a Canadian in sentiment, to have an enthusian for the training of Canadian youth, to take delight in working up a subject, whether scientific, mental or historical, from a Canadian standpoint, are qualities much more likely to be found in the graduate of a Canadian university than in the graduate of Oxford who never had a tittle of interest in Canada until he heard of a vacant chair with a salary there.

Canada until he heard of a vacant chair with a salary there.

We are importing too many professors and too many bishops from England and Ireland. We believe in the native article for both offices. But Maynooth fills our episcopal and Oxford our academical chairs.

chairs.

The gentlemen who came direct from the old country to fill chairs in our provincial university will not, we are sure, take it that we question their scholarship or their loyalty; we are endeavoring to vindicate a principle that Canadian universities ought loyaty; we are entered in principle that Canadian universities ought to be able, and are, we believe, able, to produce their own professors. If they cannot, they are a failure; if they can, and their graduates are not given a show, they are discouraged and go elsewhere.

We echo every sentence in the above to supply her colleges with professors and her churches with ministers. So long as Canadians have no confidence in themselves, so long will our people be devoid of

national pride and feeling.

The brightest and ablest men of our doninion are crushed and disheartened by the fact that college governors look to the old country to fill any professional vacancy. They have nothing to stimulate them, nothing to look forward to, when the plums of the profession are given to outsiders.

The existence of such a condition of things cannot be denied. It may have been necessary in the past, but let us look to the tuture, have faith in ourselves and give the rising generations something to work for, something to live for.

### THEY DESERVE HELP.

We agree with everything that has been said in praise of the Oratorio society and its objects and regret that their commend-Next week will witness perhaps the able efforts to give the people of St. John the best music has not met with the financial success they deserved. This organization has been of such benefit to musical St. its annual institutes, never before have all John and is capable of so much more good their visit and the sports in which they will other. May it live long and prosper. united in holding a grand central meeting such as will meet in this city on the 15th crushed by the heavy financial liability incurred in its public efforts. We see but one way out of the difficulty and that is outlined in another column. Our subscription may be small, but if 50 or 100 persons will each promise half that amount the Oratorio society will be given renewed life which, we hope, will never be imperilled in the future as in the past.

### IS MR. CHESLEY CONSISTENT?

Mayor Chesley made a remarkable statement at the last meeting of the Portland council. He said, according to the Telegraph's report, that during the past couple of years that Ald. Busby has been sitting at the board he has received from the city the sum of \$500 or \$600 for coal furnished to the city; it was against the law for a mem- which he is noted. ber of the board to receive money from the city and yet Mayor Sturdee winked at these proceedings for two years.

Truly a remarkable statement! men are, according to Mayor Chesley. aw-breakers, and in consequence unfit for well contented in St. John-which is the

their civic positions. To begin with yourself, Mayor CHESLEY: you are a member of the Union commission for which you will receive a certain sum

education unfits a man for hard work is now memory and prudence Mr. Mayor, when his capacity in this direction is limited, that

Again, according to you, there are tew aldermen who are not amenable to the law. In what position stands Ald. Price, who every now and then repairs the city hose carts? and Ald. JONES, who supplies some of the departments with oil? and Ald. Murphy, who occasionally is employed as civic carpenter? and Ald. Mc-GOLDRICK, who has supplied city employes with coats? and so on to the end of the list.

Again, Mayor Chesley, is it not true that the late Mr. S. Holly, while chairman of the city, sold it supplies, and Mr. HENRY MAHER, when he was in a similar position?

We believe with the law that no aldernan or civic employee should enter into a contract with the city, and it will be a finday for Portland and St. John when the law is carried out, but let us in the meantime, Mayor Chesley, recommend to fyou the consideration of the good old adage, "Those who live in glass houses should

It is easy to understand why Leinster street Baptist church should hesitate to part with its able and excellent pastor, Rev. J. A. GORDON:, nor can we wonder that he should regret to say farewell to an united, appreciative and zealous people. To those who view the situation from the outside. nowever, it appears that the welfare-even, perhaps, the success-of the Union Baptist seminary waits upon his action in this emergency: and we trust and believe that he vill heed the more urgent call and that his church will relinquish him to the greater work with good grace and a Gop speed.

at the Portland Council, Monday evening, danger of their charge. A curve was Alderman WALLACE said that, "If some of the members of the board had seen Alderman Forrest in the state he had seen him their opinion of him would not have been so igh." What a contemptible statement! If it could be proved that Ald. FORREST was intoxicated, as Ald. WALLACE insinuated, we have no hesitation in declaring that the public would have a better opinion of him than of the individual who violated the privacy of a social party to drag the fact before the public.

Where Christian science is concerned, the Toronto courts are plainly sceptical. One STRATTON, an apostle of the new creed or cult or fad, who had sold 50 cents' worth of faith cure to a Mrs. Thomas, has just been fined \$75 and costs, or three months' imprisonment. At the same time, his wife was mulcted in the sum of \$50. Unhappily, however, Justice was more blind sual, on this occasion, and entirely overlooked Mrs. Tuomas, who should have been sent to jail to keep her friends com-

The better enforcement of the Sunday iquor law in our sister city is a matter for ncere congratulation. We can say, with ont boasting, that much of the improved condition of affairs in Portland, Sundays, is due to the exposures made by PROGRESS. The best day in the week is now observed as Sunday. The next thing on the programme is to realize that there is law for the week day as well as for the Sabbath and to enforce it.

The great need of a wharf railway was fairly illustrated a few days ago, when the Spanish steamer Edguardo ordered 450 tons of coal from a local dealer and had to receive it in the stream. At Halifax, or at almost any port save St. John, the vessel might have come to the wharf and taken this amount of fuel in one day from the cars, but here it occupied four days. How long must the port be under this disadvan-

We would like to see the 16th, 17th and 18th proximos made gala days in St. John. Let us try to give the old countrymen a grand reception and at the same time make | Progress had thoroughly cooked on the not underrake the advantage of a crowd; it means money and that means prosperity.

The Grand Lodge of Good Templars meet at Moncton, Tuesday, and the session promises to be one of unusual interest. We are in sympathy with the order and its objects, and wish it increased membership and influence.

The great question of Imperial Federation will furnish material for a series of carefully prepared articles in this paper, the first of which will appear about August 1. The gentleman who will handle the subject has watched it from its inception, and has studied it so carefully that he is well fitted to handle it with all the critical force for

The Toronto Telegram quotes our remark, that "Mayor THORNE is a good pre-Truly a remarkable statement! siding officer. So far, no person has found any fault with his record, private or civic," let us see how many of the Portland aldermay be, but he seems to be reasonably next best place, to be sure.

It looks now as if, like that other great Bostonian, Mr. JOHN L. SULLIVAN, Mr. the public can take away his glory just as quickly as they gave it to him.

We trust that the meeting called by President SKINNER for next Tuesday even-ing will afford proof of PROGRESS' belief that those interested in the opera house plan are many in number and that their in-terest is of the kind which works as well as

We congratulate Rev. G. A. HARTLEY and the Carleton Baptist church upon the 30th anniversary of a pastorate which, because of its length and its results, might well serve as a precedent for all the

"Yes," said the Texas journalist, thoughtfully, "since Monday, I have been shot at three times and cowhided twice. My last number must have been very read-

Through an error "Principal" was associated with Mr. CREED'S name under his portrait. It should be H. C. CREED, Esq.,

Music at the Brink of Death.

The special train from the north, which carried a part of Camp Chatham home, passed Hampton station at a good rate of speed early Sunday morning. A box car and truck had been emptied of their living freight-horses-at Sussex, and about opposite the station jumped the track. The vere in the centre of a long train, and for more than a mile jumped from sleeper to sleeper, tearing up the timbers and crashing through every slighter obstacle. Still engineer alike unconscious of the deadly reached, and the resistance of the derailed trucks becoming apparent, the train was stopped upon an embankment, which was high enough to have done too much damage to life and property should the entire train have left the rails. When the stop was made jollity reigned supreme in the cars. the band was playing, the soldiers singing. and every man having a good time and not dreaming of their perilous situation. After a somewhat long delay the derailed cars were run upon the Hampton siding and the

## Independent Order of Foresters.

The officers of Court Carleton, No. 162. at Centreville, Carleton county, were pub icly installed Monday by the High Chief Ranger, who afterwards addressed audience on the objects and principles of The regular meeting of the court was then held, after which the brethren and their guest repaired to the neigh-boring hotel, where a bountiful supper was provided, ending with the customary

Court Carleton, though somewhat remote rom all others, is in a highly prosperous

The several encampments of Royal For sters in the province are holding their quarterly convocations this week and next. Six new courts were instituted during the month reported in the Independent Forester for June.

Good Enough to Keep.

If the publishers of Canada are half as enterprising as their brethren of the United States, they will turn a favorable eye upon the "Milicete Philosophy" of Mr. A. Belding, as it appears from week to week in the columns of the Sun. The sketches shine by contrast, of course: yet, allowing for this, it is still apparent that few Cans dian writers are doing work more worthy of preservation in permanent form.

Brighter and Better than Ever. Jury, which has changed its day of publication, to its own advantage and therefore for the benefit of the public, is roasting rascals in a way that warms an honest man's heart. In its last issue, it turns over and bastes on one side certain persons whom

A Queer Fancy.

What strange fancies come to one in a barber's chair! A gentleman in a King street shop looked up Germain street and after a few moments of deep study, evolved the following: "Now if that awning was removed two doors up street and the first let-ter changed from 'T' to 'D'—Drunks—it would be quite an appropriate sign.'

### From Europe to Asia

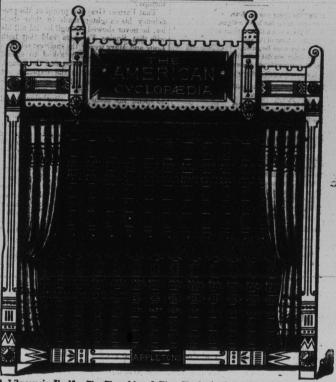
A lecture which is announced to be given in Centenary church lecture room, Tuesday evening, ought to be well patronized. It is to be illustrated with fine oxygen light views, and the lecturer, Mr. Arn strong, is said to be one of the most enter taining of Canadian platform speakers.

RHYMES FOR THE RECKLESS. To the Citizens of Portland

> Sing a song of aldermen With stomachs fuil of rye: Every man's supreme concern To match his neighbor's lie; When the council opens
> Each one yells and swears;
>
> Isn't that a pretty crowd
> To run the town's affairs?

To the Chief of Police. Drive a bay mare,
When Sundays are fair,
While Abraham sells lager at Kir
Reins in your fingers,
A ring through your nose,
You shall hear music whenever si

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Dr. Bailey, J. W. Bailey, W. McInnes and Master Lee Street left Saturday for the

ations of the geological survey.

Miss Susie Gregory will cross the bay to
Dighy on Friday, where she will spend a

residence of her brother, Mr. John Cam-Mrs. Dr. McLarren has returned hom

Miss Vavasour left this city, today, for St. John, en route for Digby. She will go over in Friday's boat, accompanied by Miss Maria Randolph, of Frogmoor. Rev. Mr. Spencer, of St. John, grand-

father of Mrs. Albert Gregory, of this city,

Miss Ella Hunter, of this city, has been

appointed lady principal of the Halifax school for the blind.

The ladies of St. Paul's Presbyterian

Mr. J. W. Bridges of Sheffield, who grad-

uated in arts from the University of N. B.

in 1884, has just graduated in medicine at

It is rumored that Sir John and Lady

Macdonald, while at Dalhousie, will make

Northern & Western railway and the new

other, has two brothers living there. The

Mr. A. B. Wilmot, of Belmont, son

was very much liked by all who knew him.

Many good wishes will go with him to his

Miss Fanny Parker, daughter of Hon. Dr. Parker of Dartmouth, N. S., is visit

Dr. Parker of Darmoun, ing Miss Nellie Randolph at Frogmore. STELLA.

MONCTON SOCIETY.

Progress, I was not able to send a letter

will make up for lost time in this epistle.

Well, this week is a busy one for our

Moncton ladies. The cricketers' bazaar opened Tuesday evening, in good style, I

was a veritable scene from wonderland

Harris and Mrs. Estey, president and vice-president of the bazaar, with the assistance

past and future, which were listened to

The ice cream and strawberry booths.

with their smiling attendants, formed a pretty picture, and were well patronized,

while a continuous stream of thirsty souls surrounded the well, where a charming

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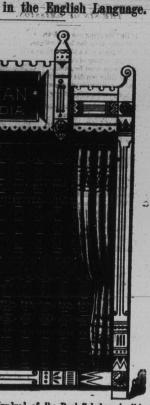
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EVENTS OF THE WEEK IN CITY SO-

a Summery of the Happenings Elec-tere in New Brunswick-Celestial Talk-moton Society-Fashion's Favorites Who we Gone to Inch. Arran.

CIETY CIRCLES

Miss Eleanor Powers and the Misser Thomas are visiting friends at Kingston, Kings county. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Burpee have selected

a handsome residence on Orange street, which they will occupy in a short time.

Miss Florence Wetmore, of St. George, but well known in St. John, and especially in Carleton, was married very quietly, at home. Tuesday morning, to Rev. Mr. Stewart, of Sussex. Mrs. Stewart will be

ing in London with her mother, who is re-

Miss Mabel Smith spent a few days, this

week, with Mrs. M. Mackay, at Rothesay. Miss Harrison and Miss Nellie Snider have also been at Rothesay with their friend, Miss Hazen.

By-the-way, I think Rothesay is becoming more and more attractive as a summer resort for town people. Pretty cottages are occupied in every direction, and for a few months it is quite a social centre—and there is no more charming place in New

EN ROUTE TO THE COUNTRY "Where are you going, my pretty fair maid?"
"This is my station," the pretty one said;
"Here is my parasol, this is my fan,
The check for my baggage I'll and if I can."
They looked in the rack, they looked under the seat.
The check it was lost, her distress was complete;
Then growled the conductor, "My pretty fair maid,
The check's in your hand." "Oh, thank you," she
said.

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d which is your trunk, my pretty fair maid?"
spring the check, the baggage man sayed.
hoble three-decker," she answered with pride.
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tall Saratogn," she sobbed; "how 'tis shrunk'
s the check and the handle, but where is the
trunk?"

"A lady to see you, Mrs. \_\_\_" "Oh! tell her I am not at home this afternoon, Maria."

"But you are at home!" "But tell her I am not."

"I cannot say that, Mrs. —

'Because it's wrong.' The result was that, after a somewhat tedious wait, the caller was honored by the lady's appearance, but the next morning Maria departed with a week's wages in advance. A victim to truth!

I honor that domestic for her act, and yet, no doubt, when the mistress gave the order she did not think she was telling a lie. One of society's white lies, you will would enjoy these at homes much better if say; but Maria was too uneducated to draw the color line of falsehood. I have often thought if we women knew just all that little phrass "white lie" covers with the ladies to decide among themselves.

The state of the week previous was too man to can not say, but will leave the question for the ladies to decide among themselves. jority. We say, "Not at home," to our jority. We say, "Not at home," to our servants; put the lie in their mouths, as it were, and are indignant if the reference when the same and are indignant if the reference when the same and are indignant if the reference when the same and servants; put the he in their motions, as it lew days.

were, and are indignant if she refuses to be the mouthpiece of our falsehoods. I wish fashion suffered women to tell the Mr. and Mrs. Heber Arnold of St. John, and Mrs. Heber Arnold of St. John, truth, and, for "not at home," give us some honest phrase which will be courteous, yet truthful. The incident noted occurred in Fredericton for a number of years, but now

ny others precisely similar. of many others precisely similar.

The "fishing" social is the latest style of amusement, which is quite a novelty. The ladies occupy one room, and the otherwhich is supposed to represent a fishing pond—is occupied by the gentlemen, each of whom has a string tied to his right hand. These strings are passed over the transom and tied to a chair. Each lady selects a string, and whoever happens to be on the end of it is entertained by her during the evening.—Exchange.

ment office, is here visiting his friends.

Mrs. Kerr, daughter of Mr. DeLancy Robinson, who was married about two years ago, is visiting her parents in Douglas. Senator W. H. Odell is spending the summer at his residence in this city.

Miss Jones, daughter of Mayor Jones of Woodstock, is visiting at the residence of Mr. Charles H. Lugrin.

Mrs. Anderson, widow of the late Wn.

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Miss Grey, of Annapolis, is visiting Miss Harrison, at Mount Pleasant.

The rain, last Saturday, interfered with the tennis playing, and prevented the en-joyment of a delightful tea, that was to

have been served on the grounds.

Rev. L. G. and Mrs. Macneill left the city, Tuesday, for a month's visit to Prince Edward Island.

Mrs. Dr. Donald goes to Woodstock

Mrs. D. Breeze is visiting her mother, in Newfoundland.

Evening calls are becoming quite fash-ionable, and many of the ladies are devoting an evening rather than an afternoon to receiving their friends. In place of Monor whatever day it may be-we now find Monday evening on the corner of

many of the visiting cards.

Mrs. J. Fairweather, of Ottawa, is visiting at Mr. Arthur Fairweather's, at Rothe-

Rothesay is the gayest little place imaginable. No wonder our young people delight in spending the summer there. Scarcely a day passes without some party, excursion or picnic being planned for. Their tennis and boating parties are charmage of the costumes were on ing, and some of the costumes worn on these occasions are really lovely.

Miss Janet Robertson and Mr. Blackwood, of Halifax, were married very quietly at the bride's home, Friday evening.

inson, who was married at that hour to in Carleton, was married very quietly, at home, Theeday morning, to Rev. Mr.
Stewart, of Sussex. Mrs. Stewart will be remembered by many as the accomplished organist of a Carleton church.

Mrs. Gardner is visiting her mother.

Mrs. Holden, at Mount Pleasant.

Miss Edna Jones returned home with her father, last week, Miss Jones remaining in London with her mother, who is re
Mr. C. DeW. McDonald of Pictou. Rev. Canon Brigstocke, assisted by Rev. Mr. James, performed the ceremony. The bride, who was beautifully attired in white satin with lace draperies, long bridal veil and carrying a lovely bouquet of white roses—looked very charming as she entered the church with her uncle, Mr. Morris Robinson, followed by her brother and sistem—who acted as groomsman and brides— Mr. C. DeW. McDonald of Pictou. Rev.

ter—who acted as groomsman and brides-maid—and little Miss Holden and Master Mr. Thomas Stodart, of St. John, N.B., is visiting friends on Franklin street.—

Portland Sunday Times.

Mrs. Massey and her two daughters, from Now York and h Mrs. Massey and her two daughters, from New York, are the guests of Dr.

pervades church weddings.

I know of another wedding that is to take

church are to have an ice cream social,
with music, on the evening of the 19th place on the 25th. If I am not present I hope some thoughtful and kindly person will send full particulars to the

THE GOSSIP.

compliments in glowing language the action of the ladies whose guests the visitors were. PROGRESS agrees, and regrets that want of space and the lateness of their receipt prevents their publication, but with the concluding comparisons between those charming hostesses and those who took part in Lalla Rookh agreement is impossible. The correspondent has possibly forgotten what is the fact, that many of those ind, to use her own words, "were dressed and painted up like common actresses." But such language does not apply to any of those who took part in those illustra-

CELESTIAL GOSSIP.

FREDERICTON, July 11.-Miss Richards has returned again to St. John. She will spend the summer at Riverside with her sister, Mrs. Girvan.

afternoon. Coffee, chocolate and different kinds of cake were served in the dining room at one time, and later, ice cream and fruit. I heard it remarked that the ladies the sterner sex were included in the invitations. Whether it would be so or not I of the week previous was too much for me.

Sir Leonard and Lady Tilley returned

can tell you. For a week all the friends of the association spent every possible mo-ment in decorating the rink, and the result were at the Barker House this week.

this city, and is, I presume, but a sample resides in Toronto, where he has a govern-The first thing that struck the eye on enterment office, is here visiting his friend

Anderson, who accompanied her husband prese to Scotland a year ago, has returned to her

mont and J. S. Neil have returned from their fishing trip. I caunot give you the correct number of salmon they caught, as I have heard so many different accounts,

for the time they were away.

Mr. Byron Winslow, T. Carlton Allen and Capt. T. G. Loggie leave Fredericton, Ching conversion.

Mrs. Tabor, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. C. H. B. Fisher, left, Tuesday

Plymouth, Mass., to spend her summer

Mr. Harry Beckwith and his family, acter, have gone to Grand Manan for a week

Mrs. David Hatt, with her two children tain professional gentleman seemed very useful, and looked remarkably happy. and Mrs. William Fowler, are at the "Beaches," Richibucto.

Mrs. George Miller has gone to St.

John to visit her friends in that city.

county, to spend the summer.

Mr. Hedley Edgecombe has on exhibition in the windows of F. B. Edgecombe's store

Shortly after the ceremony—which was performed by Rev. Dr. Macrae—Mr, and Mrs Blackwood took the Halifax train, followed by the best wishes of their may friends.

Rev. George Bruce and Mrs. Bruce emjoyed a brief visit to Grand Falls, this week.

Mr. Germain, of the Bank of Montreal, is in the city.

Mr. Germain, of the Bank of Montreal, is in the city.

Rev. Dr. Smith, former pastor of St. Andrews kirk, arrived in the city. Wednesday looking genial and blithe as ever.

About three o'clock Thursday afternoon, Trinity church threw open its doors to admit the hosts of friends of Miss Sophie Robinst the control of the

A correspondent sends Progress a good account of the entertainment of the visiting delegates and clergymen of the synod, and a short visit to Fredericton, coming via the bridge, the corner stone of which was laid by Lady Macdonald last August. With all of her remarks on this subject Mr. Bruce Winslow, eldest son of Mr. T. B. Winslow of this city, left Monday morning for Montana, where he intends trying his fortune. Mrs. Winslow, his many friends of Mr. Winslow wish him every success in his new home. she praises so highly for entertaining the R. D. Wilmot, jr., M. P. for Sunbury, clergymen also took part in Lalla Rookh, graduated this year from the Guelph Agricultural College.
Dr. C. P. Fletcher, formerly of Halifax and brother of Mrs. McNutt of this city, left Monday for San Paul, a city in Brazil.

There were about 60 ladies present at Mrs. C. H. B. Fisher's "at home" Friday

Mr. William McTavish, who lived in

ing was the flower grotto in charge of the Three Graces, well known to PROGRESS.

Attorney General Blair, Messrs. M. Le-

very handsome work being shown.

One of the most attractive features was the fortune-telling, by Miss Lynch, of but they are said to have done very well

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morning, for her home in New York.

Miss Porter, of this city, has gone to

mpanied by Mrs. Gadkin and her daugh-Rebecca dispensed cool lemonade. In or two to enjoy the sea air.

Mrs. George Miller has gone to St.
John to visit her friends in that city.
Mr. and Mrs. Stratton, and their daughter, Miss May, have gone to Clifton, Kings county, to spend the summer.
Mr. Hedley Edgecombe has on exhibition

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South America, where he will practice his profession, dentistry. Dr. Fletcher spent six weeks in Fredericton this summer, and The Entrance Examination, the Examinations for County Scholarships, and the Senior Matriculation Examination, will Begin on the First Day of October, 1888.

ned Counties will be open to co Restigouche, Gloucester, Northumberland, Westmorland, Albert, Charlotte, Kings, Sunbury, Carleton, Victoria.

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and outlined a bill for the legislature for and outlined a bill for the legislature for that purpose, which became law in 1879. The effect of this change has been to secure better academic training for teachers, and to concentrate the teaching force of both institutions. Mr. Montgomery also made the securing of high school privileges a matter of general competition amongst the school sections on such a basis as to remove jealousy and promote healthful rivalry. He also introduced and succeeded in carrying out a uniform system of provincial examination admitting pupils to the junior department of the Normal school, and the

which he was president for five successive

Herbert C. Creed, A. M., the mathematical and science master and instructor in industrial drawing in the Provincial Normal school of New Brunswick, is a Nova Scotian by birth. He was born in Halifax in 1843 and owes his education to the private schools in Halifax, Dalhousie and Acadia colleges, graduating a bachelor of arts and with honors in classics from the latter institution in 1865. Four years later





PRINCIPAL M'LEAN.

He afterwards taught in Portland. The principle of promotion in the teaching pro-fession is well exemplified in Mr. McLean's case, as he has steadily worked his way up in the ranks to his present prominent posi-tion in the service. Mr. McLean is much liked by his boys and enjoys the confidence of the St. John Board of School trustees.

Nothing has ever been more gratilying to myself than the letter of Rev. Mr. Davenport in the Sun of last Monday. It Davenport in the Sun of last Monday. It proved at once that the few notes that I write each week for this paper are thought not only worthy of perusal, but that they carry weight in the community. The reverend gentleman is a particular friend of mine, and is also, I think, ignorant who is writing over this nom de plume. Otherwise, I should have been forced to treat him with bare knuckles. I will simply say to him that his letter is a long defeace of a him with bare knuckles. I will simply say to him that his letter is a long defeace of a society which was never attacked in any diape or form, and of a professional man who has a record through the American and Canadian press which is not of the most flattering description, as regards oratorio singing, and who should be able to In conclusion, it may be stated that Mr.

Montgomery was largely instrumental in organizing a Provincial Teachers' institute,

> I have always been an earnest, supporter of the Oratorio society, and in my small way have done everything in my power to further its good objects, but that does not necessitate that I should hesitate in saying what I believe to be the truth. It seems to be the accepted theory here, that unless should be said, with regard to public per formers. I disagree with this notion alto-gether, and I shall never act upon it.

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Guiseppe Galessi is one of the best and most even tempered orchestra leaders alive. Recently on account of sickness, his cornet player was obliged to send a substitute. The "sub" was a mixture of conceit, double f and muscular activity. After the overture—a series of ear splitting blasts from the cornet and agonizing groans from the leader's chair—Guiseppe leaned over to the cornettist, and, with all the grace and politeness imaginable, remarked: "Sare, you play zee fine co-r-net; zee grand tone; zee magnificent expressione; but, sare, your pardone, please don't play!"

I cut this from the Clipper, as being too good to be lost.

mr. Creed's teaching career has been very successful. He was teacher of French in the academy and ladies seminary at Wolfville for four years and for the same length of time was head master of the county academy at Sydney, C. B., a position which he resigned to the regret of all connected with the school to accept the principalship of the English high school in Fredericton—afterwards the Collegiate school—where for some time he was associate with Dr. H. S. Bridges, now of the University of New Brunswick, in the principalship.

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person could fail to understand every word.
The number of student-teachers who have been under his instruction in the Normal school must aggregate somewhere between 2,700 and 3,000.

He has been a member of the board of governors of Acadia college since 1885, of the senate since 1882, secretary of the senate for several years, examiner of the college classes in several subjects, as well as vice-president and president of the Baptist convention of the maritime provinces, and was for eight years secretary of the Baptist convention of the maritime provinces, and was for eight years secretary of the Fredericton Auxiliary Bible society. He is secretary of the Educational Institute of New Brunswick, having been re-elected special and provinces, and years and Lave near the secretary and the provinces, and years, and James Anderson, of the Daily times, and by different grades of Oratorio singers, and I have neare the secretary and the provinces, and the provinces, and the provinces and the secretary of the Educational Institute of New Brunswick, having been re-elected special and provinces, and the provinces and the provinces and the provinces, and the provinces and the provinces and the provinces and the provinces and the provinces, and the provinces and the provinces, and the provinces and the

applause after his singing of "Sound An Alarm": in fact rather surprised; but he, no doubt, did not understand that we St. John folks seldom hear such a splendid note sung with such ease as that with which he finished his number.

Rev. Mr. Davenport is, it was only necessary for him to be placed as he was Wedesday night with Mr. Parker to sing against. Few if any amateurs would have acq themselves so admirably. He errs, I think, slightly in over-anxiety for the distinctness of the words and so sacrificing his notes. His voice, I am afraid, has lost some of its brightness and tone within the last year or so, but that is hardly to be wondered at with the tremendously hard work the reverend gentleman has to contend with.

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LODGE-ROOM ECHES.

Independent Order of Old Fellows.

The last week in this month will be nothing to be desired. The two ladies were evidently so well in accord that the ducts to my mind were among the gems of the evening.

Shake hands, friend Gubb—you who have had the untiring energy to bring the choruses to such a splendid condition. The only palpable errors that could be mentioned were in "See the Conquering Hero Comes," where the sopranos forgot the speets, in "We Hear," at the end of which chorus there was a lack of attack, and in "Fall'n is the Foe," where the sopranos again failed, especially on one high note.

The six tenors who withstood the attack of eighteen basses, should be crowned with chaplets of laurel for their work. They did nobly, and evidently all knew their music well. I was quite surprised to find that, though the numbers were numerically so unequal, the balance of power in sound was so good.

The above remarks all apply to the Judas Maccabaus music, of which I had a score, and was able to follow more closely. Of the second evening's concert, The Seasons, parts I and II., I shall say but few words. To any mind, none of the performers seemed so well up to their work as on the previous night, and the music did not seem to suit the soloists so well. The best mumbers were the trio and chorus, "Be Propitious, Bounteous Heaven"; the chorus, "God of Light"; the cavatina, "Distressful Nature Fainting Sinks," sung with splendid expression by Mr. Parker; the chorus, "God of Light"; the cavatina, "Distressful Nature Fainting Sinks," sung with splendid expression by Mr. Parker; the chorus, "God of Light"; the cavatina, "Distressful Nature Fainting Sinks," sung with splendid expression by Mr. Parker; the chorus, "God of Light"; the cavatina, "Distressful Nature Fainting Sinks," sung with splendid expression by Mr. Parker; the chorus, "God of Light"; the cavatina, "Distressful Nature Fainting Sinks," sung with splendid expression by Mr. Parker; the chorus, "God of Light"; the cavatina, "Distressful Natu

There seems to be a misunderstanding as to what I mean, with regard to Signor Ronconi's singing. I do not object to his Italian pronunciation. My point is that the enunciation of his words, whether English, French, German or Italian, is defective. I would not mind wagering a fair sum that nine-tenths of the audience did not know what language the signor was Why such high prices for seats?—clearly, the cause, to a great extent, of empty ones. Better to have full balconies at 25 cents,

The above injunction is PROGRESS' own and will, it knows, be followed out to the letter. Progress never booms anything which does not deserve it, but from what it has heard of the preparations being made To show what a really thorough musician for the public on Tuesday and Wednesday afternoons and evenings, in the schoolroom of St. Paul's, it can recommend the bazaar to the public. If the names of the people engaged in trying to surprise the people could only be given, the audience and patronage would be assured.

First Class in Every Way. Patrons of Mr. D. J. McIntyre's barber saloon are being treated to a renovated room, the painters and whitewashers having been there for some time. A clean, bright Mrs. Houston West has one of the best "Mac" owes much of his large run of cuscultivated voices that has been heard here tom to this fact.

LODGE-ROOM ECHOES.

He is secretary of the Educational Institute of New Brunswick, having been re-elected at every annual meeting since the organization in 1877.

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Au contraire, Mr. Parker is the beaudidal of an oratorio singer, having a rich toned voice/splendidly trained, very distinct enunciation and an extreme appreciation of both words and music. He seemed more than pleased, I thought, at the tumult of applause after his singing of "Sound An Alarm": in fact rather surprised; but he, no doubt did not understand they concluded to do the borrowing act and stopped their subscriptions. Don't misunderstand me; I'm not growling, since I lose nothing. I saw how the thing was working and raised the price of the book to \$2.50, and the consequence is that every man who lends his directory to his mercantile brother pays so much more for his own copy and puts a premium on meanness. If you want to give the merchants who will, in nine cases out of ten, not only borsom the view of the food with the time in force and every loage in Queens county had a full representation, from Welias and the consequence is that every man who lends his direc ford to Salmon river. Oh, we had a grand time! Every house was one of entertainment, and such entertainment! Then 'Billy' Nedham was the orator of the day and he addressed a great crowd from a small hill near Gagetown. He made a speech worthy of himselt and the occasion. I wish I could get all the boys together again and start for the same place. Thursday will be a great day with them."

Independent Order of Good Templars.

Independent Order of Good Templars. Sirion Juvenile Templars held a very successful strawberry festival in Good Templar hall, last evening.
Grand Secretary Tufts and D. T. Law addressed a gospel temperance meeting at Perry Point, Kings county, Sunday.
All the lodges in this jurisdiction have had committees appointed, to act in conjunction with the committees of the other temperance organizations in the receptor of the great temperance reformer, Francis Murphy. The Lansdowne rink has been secured for a six nights' campaign.
The annual session of the Grand Lodge of New Brunswick convenes at Moncton

on Tuesday next. The session promises to be one of much activity. It will open at 2 p. m. and the general business will close Wednesday evening, after which a public temperance mass meeting will be held.

Mr. A. D. M. Boyne, treasurer of Sirion lodge, has recently been the recipient of a beautiful red silk velvet regalia, in recognition of his services during the past seven years. Mr. S. Tufts, grand secretary, made the presentation in an appropriate speech, and Mr. Boyne fittingly replied.

Finch lodge, for the past three months failing to hold their regular meeting—owing to attractions outside the lodge over which the officers had no control—have decided to resume their nights of meeting, and will assemble at their hall, Germain street, on Wednesday evening next. A number of new candidates will at once associate themselves with Finch lodge.

City of Portland lodge fraternized with the lodge at Silver Falls, Wednesday evening last. An amusing and interesting programme of musical and literary exercises were indulged in.

Tuesday next Bayswater lodge will hold a strawberry festival in thier new hall at Milkish.

Sons of Temperance.

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The National division, in session at Toronto, elected the following officers, Thursday: M. W. Patriarch—Rev. R. Alder Temple, Halifax, N. S; M. W. Associate—A. A. Baldwin, Connecticut; M. W. Scribe—B. R. Jewell, Massachusetts; M. W. Treasurer—F. H. Roberts, Massachusetts; M. W. Chaplain—Rev. E. R. Young, Ontario; M. W. Conductor—S. B. Paterson, New Brunswick; M. W. Sentinel—E. B. Cauldwell, Tennessee. Saratogo has been selected as next place of meeting.

THE WORLD OF BOOKS.

A Book Above the Common Quite as remarkable in its way as any thing Rider Haggard has written, rlough decidedly more healthful, is Edward Bellamy's romance, Looking Backward. After one has read it—turning back a score of times, to re-read passages which impress him most strongly—he ceases to wonder that the critics of the United States have hardly been able to find fitting words with which to praise it. The scene is laid in the co-operative commonwealth, America, in the 20th century, and the environment of the author's personages will not seem at all novel to any reformer who is more or less a theorist; but Mr. Bellamy has invested the details of social science with such a human interest, and has pictured the doings of his "new world, which is the old," with such consummate art, that his and the general public. In brief, it has a freshness and force which will hardly allow it to pall upon any taste, and thoughtful they seek to argue against its presentation of the possibilities of a socialistic state. Published by Ticknor & Co., Boston. For sale by

The Magazines.

Invaluable advice and hints for literary workers are given in the July number of The Writer. "The Evolution of a Plot." "The Author of The Leavemoorth Case." "The Filing of Clippings," "Type-Writer Commonplacing," and "New York as a Literary Field," are the titles of a few of the bright and sensible articles in the magazine. The Writer is edited by William H. Hills and Robert Luce, two practical and experienced Boston newspaper men, and the price of the magazine is only 10 cents a copy, or \$1 a year. Address: The Writer, P. O. Box 1905, Boston, Mass. An exquisite portrait of Helen Keller,

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An exquisite portrait of Helen Keller, the wonderful little deaf and dumb blind girl of Alabama, is the frontispiece of July Wide Awake; and Sallie Joy White, in an illustrated article, "The Story of Helen Keller," gives details about this marvelous child that will interest old and young, school-children and metaphysicians. Another very delightful piece of biography is the Monroe chapter in "The Children of the White House," the fine Presidential series which has been so long preparing for Wide Awake. Susan Coolidge has a fine old-world story, "Etelka's Choice." John Burroughs, in "How to Observe Nature," tells some of her charming secrets. Edward Everett Hale in "The Story of Boston Common" gives an account of the artillery elections when he was a boy. Other delightful sketches, stories and poems, "too numerous to mention," are by Geraldine Butts, Mrs. Humphrey, Oscar Fay Adams, Mrs. Leonowens, Mrs. Sherwood, Mrs. Crowninshield and others.—Price 20 cents, Mrs. Leonowens, Mrs. Sherwood, Mrs. Crowninshield and others.—Price 20 cents, \$2.40 a year. D. Lothrop Co., publishers, Boston, Mass.

Notes and Announce Amelie Rives' novel, The Quick or the Dead, has been dramatized by Pearl Eytinge and will be seen next season.

Tom Burton is a Virginia story of the days of '61, by Mr. I. Y. W. LeCato, and published by Belford, Clark & Co.

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Prof. Charles Eliot Norton is to edit the second sories of Carlyle's letters for Macmillan & Co. It will embrace those written between 1826 and 1835.

The demand for personalities is so great and the writers of personalities are so numerous that there is rumored a new magazine called The Mirror to be devoted to them.

them.

The Spectator thinks there might be some fitness in a Horace society, as there are Browning and Shelley societies. It would stimulate many a man to revive his love and interest in the poet.

The friends of Walt Whitman, the poet, are beginning to despair of his recovery. He is now too weak to leave his bed, and his physicians say that if a rally does not

his physicians say that if a rally does not come very soon death is inevitable. James Russell Lowell has joined the com-

James Russell Lowell has Joined the committee in charge of the commemoration of the bi-centenary of Alexander Pope. Queen Victoria has consented to lend three portraits of the poet in pencil, formerly belonging to Horace Walpole.

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Young Husband—"Tell her if she'll get on her things I'll take her down this morning."—San Francisco Call.

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will go to the beautiful grounds of J. D. M. KEATOR, Esq., Nauwigewauk, TUESDAY, July 17.

There will be prizes for archery and other games.

Trains leave the I. C. R. station at 9.20 a. m. and
1.45 p. m. Local time. Tickets 40 Cents.

On the River.

SHAMROCK Base Ball and Athletic Club's MOONLIGHT EXCURSION. WEDNESDAY, JULY 25TH.

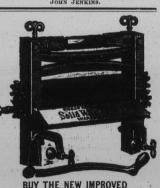
An efficient committee of the above Club has chartered the splendid Union Line steamer DAVID WESTON for WEDNESDAY EVENING, July 25, and will run a MOONLIGHT EXCURSION from Indiantown up the St. John river. The trip will be about four hours long. THE CITY CORNET BAND will be on board and

A Concert on the river will be a feature of the vening, the best local talent having consented to

Committee.

The street cars will leave Market Square at 7.30 for Indiantown, and will be in waiting when the loat returns for Indiantowin, and will be in waiting when the boat returns.

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SPORTS OF THE SEASON.

game, Monday, I would imagine that all the Lansdownes understand each other. The changes of
positions made in the nine for the last two games
have been well advised.

By the Thistles' defeat of the Emeralds, Wednesday, 17 to 2, the former chub ties the Lansdownes
for first place in the league. They have but two
games each to play, and it is likely that there will
be blood on the moon, those days.

this latter addition will be as profitable to the society as the cricket citib has found theirs to be.

Appropos of this, fee me tell the lattice of St. John that our sports are being carried on under entirely different management, this year. I refer more particularly to the races. In the olden times, so lady was afraid or sahamed to go and see a good horse not wonder that the gentle sex left the track with its tone. Eace tracks must have a good name to be popular, and I can imagine no better hands for Moosepath to be in than those who control it at present.

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Therefore, I can with sincerity recommend to you Moosepath for an enjoyable afternoon, when a programme is announced. The society of Halifax would miss a ball as soon as a race, and yet what little interest St. John ladies manifest! They have had a reason in the past, they have none now, for, in addition to the track being controlled by gentlemen, they have provided suitable accommodations for everyone who may patronize them.

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I am a lover of running contests, inyself, and I congratulate the society upon the meet announced for August 16, when the thouroughbreds, provincial breds and ponies will have a chance.

First of all the date is well fixed, coming right before the great cricket match with the Irishmen. Excursions from every point will run into the city and the races the day before the great match should be a great drawing card.

Another advantage they have is the fact that Hallfax horsemen will have a chance to accompany her cricketers to St. John, and if they can whip the St. John horses and give the old country visitors some fine sport, I imagine the presence of the Irish cricketers upon the track would be no small attraction for a crowd. I give the committee this hint gratis.

But to come down to particulars: The open race will be a dash, mile and a half, purse \$100, divided as usual; the provincial bred will be run in heats, best 2 in 3, for a purse of \$50; the pony dash race for a purse of \$50; and the pony hurdle race for the same amount.

The protest against Jack Mack was not put in writing and of course went by the board. Apropos of this I quote an interesting paragraph from the Recorder which asserts that "Jack Mack, the winner of the 2.50 class at St. John, and when made a record of 2.45%, was formerly owned by Mr. N. H. Meagher, of this city, when he was known as Hanlam."

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J. R. Lamy, Amherst, N. S., names bay colly in the competitors of Grace, Nfid. Clay (2,831), dam Winifred by Beacon (60).

Thomas Clark, Saint John, N. B., names chestnut filly, Dairy, foaled May, 1886, sired by Allegons Chestnut filly, Sagria, foaled 24th May, 1886, sired by Olympas, he by Almont (33); dam Beanty (dam of Helena, 2,33) by Flying Frenchman, g. d., thoroughred.

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present appearances, these sports, footracing and wheeling will be the order of the day in the Celestial city for next summer.

Things at present indicate a tie at the end of the Junior league season, provided the tail-enders continue to lose as they have been doing. But I would not be surprised to see them win some of the games which the leadgers are now coluntage on: It must be remembered that the Landsownes were pretty far down on the list a few weeks ago. The game between the Thisties and Clippers will probably decide which clubs will tie.

There are teams in the league very much better than others, but I would warn the imanagers of the leading clubs that they cannot afford to fool with the tail-enders; but want their best men in the field every time, as some games that have been played this season showed.

I must congratulate Stewart, Hatfield and Alward—for they all had a hand in is—on the way they fooled their opponents at second base, Monday, Most of the Clippers are poor base runners, which probably gave the tric time to make the play successfully, but Alward seldom failed to tag his man.

If the Lausdownes are going to win the cup, Stewart alphe can dai for; thera. He is the brainiest pitcher in the league, and, Hatfield, and, hunderstand such other ways in the stands and the United States won by 34 miss.

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There is probably no section of country

which devotes so much land to strawberry culture as Kings county. The spot from which the growth spread, Clitton, as yet holds the lead against all rivals, but there are important culture centres springing up in every direction, along the banks of the St. John and in and near Sussex on the line of the Intercolonial.

It is a most important industry and brings thousands of dollars to the farmers at a season of the year when other produce is scarce and time is more plentiful than cash. City people will have such luxuries and so long as they remain in this frame of mind, the countrymen will reap what profit they can from their sale.

The industry has grown to such an extent that in certain neighborhoods in almost every county in the province a farmer is behind the times unless he has in some choice portion of his garden a "patch" devoted to strawberry culture. Not always for sale! Our rustic friend in many instances has as fastidious taste as his town brother, and morning, noon and night for one month of the year, strawberries and cream is the great dish.

There is one difference in the country and city strawberry feasts; the former have cream, the latter milk or its substitutechalk and water! It is a mistake to suppose the farmer and his hands attend to the strawberries. Beyond a little hoeing in the spring they take no care of them, but leave their wives and daughters to see the fruit ripen which fills their pockets with spending money and the mammoth jars with preserves for use in the long winter.

Early and late during the month of July, the women and children are in the strawberry field, in some cases picking them for their own consumption, in others to send to market on their own account, and in others for some one engaged extensively in the culture, who gives from one and a half to two cents a quart for picking them.

The average pick of a smart man or woman will range from 40 to 75 quarts per day. The writer once saw a picking contest, in which the contestants were two brothers. One of them picked 80 quarts and the other 75, from daylight to dark.

The great strawberry fields are, as stated above, in Clifton, about fifteen miles from this city. Last year there were 29,000 quarts of strawberries sent out from this place alone; this year the yield will be about 25,000 quarts. This is why the was as hard on the plants as it was be found anywhere. on the timothy fields, and you have only to ask a farmer about the probable hay July 24 crop, to get lots of information on the effect of last winter's "kill."

In Clifton the area was so large that the somewhat protected from winter's the fruit is remarkably plentiful in the upriver counties, where it is cultivated, but the farmers having indulged in this lighter farm work to but a slight extent the loss

In conclusion, a word to those who buy berries. The writer likes to get the worth of his money and in this instance will give his friends some advice. Strawberries are sold in octagonal boxes which are supposed to be of equal size, but which are not. The Clifton strawberry box has never varied; it always contains an imperial quart and is stamped with the inventor's name, but there are others who make boxes and the people they make them for knowing how gullible the public is have the circumference of the box decreased and the bottom elevated so that the quantity of berries is about one-third less than in the Clifton box. The latter in every case weighs from nine teen to twenty-two ounces, but the former only fourteen or at the most sixte 2 ounces, only fourteen or at the most sixte 2 ounces, yet they being the same price! Now the advice amounts to this: the Clifton box is worth 16 cents any time while the smaller box is selling at 12; besides in nine cases out of ten the berries are fresher and better and the purchaser can would that the or she has good measure as well as the best fruit. Then by all means when buying berries ask for the Clifton box, and if any other is fro-duced insist upon it being weighed, which is the only true test of the comparative

not only for St. John but for the rest of the province. By going to press a few hours earlier than it would otherwise, the publisher is able to send the paper to the large towns and cities in the province by the late trains Friday evening and arriving in those places through the night, the news agents are able to give the papers to their custom-ers and the public as early Saturday morning as St. John people can get them. The citizens of Fredericton, Woodstock, St. Stephen and Moncton and many other laces appreciate this advantage and are bound to have Progress Saturday morning at their breakfast tables

Exmouth St. S. S. Picnic at Wat Landing, Tuesday, July 24.

Worth All He Costs

The latest stroke of enterprise on the part of the Bell cigar factory is the engagement of a Cuban as superintendent. Julio T. Ordetx, Messrs. Bell & Higgins' Havana correspondent, writes them that the gentlemen he has selected for them is not only one of the best cigar-makers in Cuba but fully competent to take entire charge of a large factory like theirs. The salary the new manager is to receive is something startling, but he will earn it without doubt

"They Sell Trash." When a man speaks hastily he often says what he doesn't intend. An amusing story is going the rounds, this week, of a St. John drummer who asked an Annapolis hotel man where he bought his cigars and, horrified by the information, stammere and stuttered the warning, "Buy from us!

They buy our goods! They sell trash!" It is surmised that if the drummer had taken time to think, he would have omitted the For an Idle Hour. Bootle's Baby and A Siege Baby, two at

Lovell's Library, which is for sale at McMil-Robert Louis Stevenson's latest work The Black Arrow, "a tale of the Two Roses," is published by the Scribners in a neat paper edition, appropriately illustrated. It is for sale by J. & A. McMillan.

tractive novelettes by John Strange Win-

ter, have been issued in one number in

Messrs. John W. Gilmor, mana the Daily Telegraph; Thomas McMillan, of Seely & McMillan, and S. Hayward are enjoying themselves on the banks of the Tabusintac, seeking the lordly salmon. These gentlemen are members of the Tabusintac club, and those who know the men and the place predict that several hay ropes wouldn't draw them into civilization again under a fortnight.

A Step in Advance

That enterprising and reliable merchant, Mr. Thomas Dean, has added another constall in the city market. It is not needed to attract custom, for Mr. Dean has plenty of that. But it will be much appreciated by assertion is made that people will probably the scores of patrons who look to him for have to pay for their berries this year. The the best meats, poultry, etc., that are to

Messrs. T. McAvity & Sons have as strawberry plants suffered less than in handsome offices as can be found almost other places. Added to this, the spot is anywhere. Quite recently a commodious cold annex, composed more of glass than of winds, and the warm spring sun has a bet- wood, was added to the rear of their King ter effect upon its gently sloping hillsides. street establishment and their counting In Sussex, on the contrary, the effect of room employes have as light and airy an the hard winter is such that the crop will office as can be found anywhere. The adbe very small, and many other places can ditional light also improves the appearance ner hand, of the interior of the store.

Enlarging His Premise

Mr. T. H. Hall, of the Colonial bookfarm work to but a slight extent the loss of the lower counties' crop is not made up.

After all, everything depends on the foreign market. If it is good, berries will be dear; if poor, cheap. The season has begun, and in a few days they will be as plentiful as they will ever be this year. store, is about to enlarge his premises and

A Good Place to Build.

Mr. S. F. Hatfield is having a handso residence erected on Princess street below Wentworth street. The building will be of wood with brick basement, and will be suited for two families. The carpenter work is being done by Mr. George Calnan and the mason work by Mr. C. A. Hatfield. It is expected that the building will be finished this fall.

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Back of the stage was a mass of evergr ng at one side in a clump of trees. Startat the back of these, was a beautifu rainbow, made of tarlatan, of every rainbow hue, most artistically blended. It crossed the stage, and, bow down on the side, was lost to view. Back of the trees was an engine headlight, placed so the rays fell directly on the bow. The effect wa most realistic. It was the exact representation of the sun shining after a sun shower. Under the rainbow stood a living row of young girls (dressed in white, with rainbow sashes crossing the breast and tied at the side), who sang several choruses very sweetly. It made such a hit that, by quest, they repeat it this evening

Wednesday night the feature of the evening was a pantomime, "A Bachelor in Search of a Wife." Mr. Butcher as the bachelor was remarkably good. He had, after various trials at sock darning, adverised for a wife. To each of the applicant or the position he showed a dreadfully dilapidated sock, and endeavored to enlist their sympathies, but without success, until at last a young widow with two children appeared on the scene. The widow proved erself equal to the occasion (widows generally do, I notice), and in spite of the bstacle of the two children, carried off the bachelor in triumph, to the intense disgust of the other applicants. Butcher played well. Mrs. Estey was prounced a very charming widow. All the pport was good, but Miss Cook and Miss Weldon were particularly so.

The bazaar closed Saturday night; so far it has been a great financial success The doctor is a host in himself, while for George, words fail to express my admiration of his efforts.

happy these days. I know the reason, but I'll never tell. And the interest taken in the bazaar by Messrs. Wallace and Metzler is beautiful to behold. I would like awfully well to tell you about the flirtation Mr. Pethick is having, but you would put it in print and so incur the righteous displeasu

SOCIETY AT "INCH-ARRAN."

DALHOUSIE, N. B., July 11.—This popular sea-side resort is rapidly filling, each train bringing additional guests, who lose no time in laying all business and city thoughts aside and enjoying the many little amusements arranged for their benefit, coupled with the cool sea breeze. Applications for accommodation still come in and ere many days the hotel will be placed upon its basis of full capacity.

The arrivals at the Inch-Arran to date

are as follows: A. J. McAlary, Moneton.

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Mrs. Brantley, St. Louis, Mo.
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Montreal.

Alfred Follin and wife, New York.

II. P. Warren, England.

W. Dexter and sister, Chicago.

S. J. Mixter, Boston.

Mrs. Collingwood Schrieber, Ottawa.

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