

QUEENS COUNTY GAZETTE.

VOL. III.

Published Every Wednesday Morning.

GAGETOWN, N. B., WEDNESDAY, JULY 5, 1899.

JAS. A. STEWART, Publisher.

NO. 21.

Groceries, Provisions and Meats.

J. E. COWAN,
BOOTS AND SHOES

Full line of best quality of Flour, Oats, Feed and Seeds at lowest Cash Prices.
Country Produce taken in Exchange for Goods. Bring it along.

95 TO 109 MAIN ST., ST. JOHN.

A. W. EBBETT, — H. H. PICKETT, R.C.L.

EBBETT & PICKETT,
BARRISTERS-AT-LAW, ETC.,

CHURCH'S CORNER, - ST. JOHN, N. B.

Money to Loan, Loans Negotiated, Estates Managed, Collections Promptly Made in any Part of the Maritime Provinces.

PROBATE COURT QUEENS CO

SECOND WEDNESDAY IN EACH MONTH.

Nerve Energy and Eye Glasses

The constant dropping of water will wear away stone. A slight eye strain impairs the health, because it is constant. The strain which first manifests itself as a slight discomfort should be promptly remedied by the use of glasses.

THIS IS THE ONLY CURE.

D. BOYANER, Optician,

606 MAIN STREET, ST. JOHN, N. B.

HOTELS.

Hotel Dingee,

MAIN STREET, GAGETOWN, N. B.

The above Hotel is located in close proximity to all public buildings and principal places of business. It is within five minutes walk from the steam boat landing and post office. Spacious Sample Rooms on the premises. Permanent and transient guests accommodated at reasonable rates. Livery and Boarding Stable in connection. Passengers conveyed to all points in charge of competent drivers.

TERMS MODERATE.

WM. B. DINGEE, — Proprietor.

CAFE ROYAL,

Bank of Montreal Building.

MEALS AT ALL HOURS. DINNER A SPECIALTY.

TERMS MODERATE.

56 Prince William Street, St. John, N. B.

WM. CLARK, Prop.

Victoria Hotel,

81 to 87 King Street, ST. JOHN, N. B.

Electric Passenger Elevator and all Modern Improvements

W. D. McCormack, — Proprietor

Queen Hotel,

FREDERICTON, - N. B.

J. A. EDWARDS, Prop.

First Class Livery

IN CONNECTION.

RE-FITTED. — RE-FURNISHED.

Queen Hotel,

111 and 113 Princess Street, ST. JOHN, N. B.

WM. AGATE, — PROPRIETOR.

Electric Cars Pass the Door.

Rates \$1.50 and \$2.00 Per Day.

Special Rates by the Week.

John R. Dunn,

Barrister, Notary, Etc.

GAGETOWN, N. B.

DR. H. E. BELYEA,

DENTIST.

Corner King and Charlotte Streets, ST. JOHN, N. B.

Office Hours: 9-1 and 2-6.

A Child's Suffering.

MR. WM. McKAY, CLIFFORD, N. S., TELLS OF HIS DAUGHTER'S CURE.

She Was First Attacked With Acute Rheumatism, Followed by St. Vitus' Dance in a Severe Form—Her Parents Thought She Could Not Recover.

From the enterprise, Bridgewater, N. S.

Wm. McKay, Esq., a well known and much respected farmer and mill man, at Clifford, Lunenburg Co., N. S., relates the following wonderful cure effected in his family by the use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills:—"About three years ago my little daughter Ella, then a child of ten years, was attacked with acute rheumatism. It was a terribly bad case; for over a month she was confined to her bed, and during most of the time was utterly helpless, being unable to turn in bed, or in fact to move at all without help. She could not even hold anything in her hand. All power or use of her limbs had entirely gone and the pain she suffered was fearful. By constant attention after a month or so she began to gain a little strength, and after a while improved enough to be taken out of bed and even walked around a bit after a fashion by means of a support. But now she appeared completely shattered. Her nervous system gave way, appeared completely shattered. She shook violently all the time, would tumble down in trying to walk. In attempting to drink from a cup her hand shook so as to spill the contents all over herself. She was a pitiable object. The doctors were called to her again and said she had St. Vitus' dance in the worst form. She took the medicine prescribed and followed the instructions of her physician for some time, but without apparent benefit. She wasted away almost to a skeleton and we gave her up for lost. About this time I read in a paper an account of a great cure of nervousness effected by Dr. Williams' Pink Pills and resolved to try them. I bought six boxes and the little girl began using them. The good effects of the first box were quite apparent and when four boxes were used, she seemed so much improved that the pills were discontinued. She kept on improving and after a few weeks was as well as ever. We were told that the cure would not last, that it was only some powerful ingredients in the pills which was deceiving us, and that after a time the child would be worse than ever. All this has proved false, for now nearly three years she has had unbroken good health, nerves as strong as they are made, and stands school work and household work as well as a mature person. We have no doubt about Dr. Williams' Pink Pills restoring to us our little girl, whom we looked upon as doomed to an early grave."

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are a specific for diseases arising from an impoverished condition of the blood or shattered nerves, such as St. Vitus' dance, locomotor ataxia, rheumatism, paralysis, sciatica, the after effects of lagrippe, headache, dizziness, erysipelas, scrofula, etc. They are also a specific for the troubles peculiar to the female system, building anew the blood and restoring the glow of health to pale and sallow cheeks. Protect yourself against imitations by insisting that every box bear the full name Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People. If your dealer does not have them they will be sent, postpaid, at 50 cents a box or six boxes for \$2.50, by addressing the Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

Gover Sentenced.

FREDERICTON, June 26.—The case for the crown in the Stanley murder trial was finished Saturday. Dr. Wainwright testified that there was no basis for Governor's suspicion as to improper intimacy between McLean and Mrs. Gover.

The trial took on fresh interest to-day when it became known that the prisoner was to take the stand in his own behalf.

Mr. Gover in opening, after outlining briefly what the prisoner would relate, said that Gover did just what any other man of human feeling would have done under similar circumstances.

Major Howe gave some evidence in rebuttal of James Humble's testimony as to what the latter had reported that Gover had told him.

James Forber gave Gover a good character as a quiet peaceable man when not interfered with.

When the prisoner stepped up to the witness box he appeared as unconcerned as anybody in the court room, but he had not got far with his testimony when his voice began to break, and when he reached that part of his statement telling of the discovery of McLean in his wife's bedroom, tears came to his eyes and ran down his cheek quite copiously.

The prisoner said McLean awoke him early in the morning and told him that it was time to get up.

He did so and went to the barn to feed

his stock. He was there about half an hour, came back and built a fire in the kitchen stove and then went up stairs to get his pipe. He went into his room and saw that McLean was not in bed. He looked into his wife's bedroom and saw McLean and his wife in bed.

McLean threw the clothes off and raising upon his elbow said: "All right, Mr. Gover, come and have a drink."

He made no reply but immediately went into his bedroom to get his gun. Not finding his gun he went down stairs and got his knife.

He met McLean coming along the hall. Just as he got three or four steps from the top of the stairs McLean reached over and touched him and said: "Have a drink."

"He then turned," said the prisoner, "to go towards the bedroom, and I let him have the knife."

He did not say anything and went into the bedroom and witness turned and went down stairs and put away his knife. He heard some one on the roof of the porch and went out to see. His wife was sitting on the ground and he went up near to her, but he did not remember what he said.

Prisoner said that he struck McLean across the rail an did not know how badly he had hurt him. McLean did not speak; neither did witness. "I did not," he said, "know or think what I was doing, and did not know I had hurt him."

FREDERICTON, June 28.—The Governor terminated yesterday afternoon in a verdict of manslaughter after an absence by the jury of about one hour.

Judge Vanarsdall occupied about twenty minutes in his charge to the jury and when the verdict of manslaughter was returned and after listening to an appeal for leniency from Mr. Gregory, counsel for the prisoner, His Honor proceeded to impose sentence.

His Honor's remarks were replete with good advice to the prisoner and the expression of earnest hopes for his future good conduct. His Honor then sentenced the prisoner to imprisonment in the county jail for a period of ten days.

That the story of the unfortunate man was believed and that he had the sympathy of all in the Court room, was manifested by the applause that resounded after the sentence was imposed.

Robbed the Grave.

A startling incident, of which Mr. John Oliver of Philadelphia, was the subject, is narrated by him as follows:—"I was in a most dreadful condition. My skin was almost white, eyes sunken, tongue coated, pain continually in back and sides, no appetite—gradually growing weaker day by day. Three physicians had given me up. Fortunately, a friend advised trying 'Electric Bitters' and my great joy and surprise, the first bottle made a decided improvement. I continued their use for three weeks, and am now a well man. I know they saved my life, and robbed the grave of another victim." No one should fail to try them. Only 50 cents a bottle, every bottle guaranteed at any Drug Store.

Sunbury County Council.

The semi-annual session of the Sunbury County Council met at the Court House, Burton, on Tuesday, June 27th. — Warden Perley in the chair.

All the Councilors were present, viz.: Blissville—Couns. F. C. Taylor, W. T. Hoyt.

Burton—Couns. Geo. E. Armstrong, Clement McLean.

Gladstone—Couns. Jeremiah Tracey, W. D. Nason.

Lincoln—Couns. L. H. Bliss, Abner Smith.

Maungerville—Couns. Geo. A. Perley, Geo. F. Banks.

Northfield—Couns. Jas. Power, Wm. Egars.

Sheffield—Couns. Chas. J. Burpee, T. P. Taylor.

The Sec.-Treas. read the minutes of the January session, which were approved. Frank Haley was appointed Constable to attend the present session of the Council.

Coun. Bliss presented a resolution to the effect that in the opinion of this Council the revisors appointed at the January session of the County Council were the proper persons to revise the lists for the year 1900 and not the revisors appointed by the local government.

Mr. Bliss stated that the reason for taking this matter up was because the Council allowed fifteen dollars to the Councilors for revising and two dollars for the extra review and that under the new law the third revisors were to receive the same as the other revisors and if they were appointed according to the government act the county would lose \$78.00.

That is that the Council appointees would receive \$14.00 while the government appointees would demand \$90.00.

Mr. Bliss cited Mr. Black of York county as one who had given the subject a thorough consideration, and he read a letter from Dr. Stockton in answer to an enquiry made by him, in regard to the subject which was as follows:

"I am in receipt of your enquiry as to the legal standing of revisors appointed at the last January meetings of the municipal councils, in view of the Act 62 Vic., chapter 24, assented to April 28th, 1899."

"The act of last session professes to amend section 26 of the New Brunswick Elections Act, 1889, by directing that one of the revisors for every parish shall annually on or before the first day of July in every year, be appointed by the lieutenant governor in council."

"As already stated the revisors for the

year 1899 were appointed in January last by the proper authority, and this fact must have been present to the legislature when it passed the law in April last.

"It has been the intention of the legislature to interfere with or displace the officials then lawfully appointed, it would have been a very simple matter to embody such intention in the law. That no such intention is expressed in any section of the act raises an almost irresistible inference that the legislature had no such intention."

"I have considered this question in connection with the act, cap 120, sections 7 and 10, of the act of 1898, cap. 3, sec. 26, and the act of 1898, sections 65 and 78, cap. 24, and am of opinion that the revisors appointed last January are the proper officers to revise the lists for next year."

"In case you desire me to state my reasons at length, citing authorities upon which I base my opinion, please let me know when I will at an early day comply with your request."

The resolution was under discussion when the Council adjourned for dinner.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

The Council re-assembled at 1 o'clock after noon recess. The Warden in the chair. All the Councilors were present.

The resolution of Coun. Bliss was again taken up, and after considerable discussion was passed by the following division:

Yea—Couns. Bliss, Smith, T. P. Taylor, Egars, Nason, Tracey, Warden Perley.—7.

Nay—Couns. McLean, Hoyt, F. C. Taylor, Powers, Banks and Burpee.—6.

Coun. Armstrong did not vote.

Coun. Taylor from the Lands Committee reported that he had received from the Crown Land Office a copy of the original grant of the Court House Block, which he presented to the Council. The block contained 19 acres of land. The report was received.

The following bills were passed:

Sheriff Holden for preparing lists, etc., \$7.50.

J. A. Stewart, for printing, Bye-Laws, \$30.00.

Dr. Peak for examining prisoner Day, \$5.00.

Dr. Peak for examining prisoner Hudlin, \$5.00.

J. S. Raymond, J. P., in Hudlin case, \$1.50.

J. S. Raymond, J. P., in Day case, \$1.50.

The fees for the assessors in the Parish of Sheffield were brought up by Coun. Burpee who moved that they be placed at 50 per cent, instead of 25 per cent as passed at the January session. The motion was lost.

Coun. Bliss from a committee appointed at the January session to examine the accounts of the Sec.-Treas., in regard to the indebtedness of the several parishes to the County, presented a detailed statement of the same. He also reported that he had found the Sec.-Treas.' books in a first class condition, with the exception of a slight error in regard to the credit of 20 per cent that had been added to the assessments of those parishes which had been in debt to the County. The Sec.-Treas. had credited the parishes with the amounts when in some cases they were not collected.

On motion it was ordered that 400 copies of the Auditor's Report be printed and distributed in the usual way.

Moved by Coun. Armstrong, seconded by Coun. T. P. Taylor, that the Councilors receive \$3.00 per day for attendance at the Council. Carried.

On motion of the same seconded by the same that the revisors receive the sum of \$2.00 each for making the revision. Carried.

The Council adjourned sine die.

I. O. F. Picnic.

The Picnic and Excursion under the auspices of Court Aloha, I. O. F. of Gagetown, held on the 29th June, was well attended and proved a great success.

The day previous the Stmr. Aberdeen was engaged taking an excursion from Chipman to Fredericton, and on account of the heavy fog on the lake, arrived at Gagetown about two hours later than the hour set for her arrival. This, no doubt, caused quite a loss to the Foresters as many people down river thought the picnic would not be held that day—the morning being quite dark and threatening rain.

The day proved to be a fine one, however, and was all that could be desired. The sail down the St. John river and up the Kennebecasis was thoroughly enjoyed by all who attended the picnic. The Stmr. Aberdeen arrived at The Willows at 2 p. m., where the excursionists enjoyed two and one half hours on shore. Numerous games were indulged in and the party had an opportunity of viewing the damage done by the recent electric storm on "The Willows" hotel.

The Court takes this opportunity of thanking all who patronized the excursion and also Mr. H. McCormack, of The Willows for his kindness in putting his grounds at the disposal of the excursionists.

The steamers left at 4.30 o'clock and arrived at Gagetown at 9.15. All speak in the highest terms of the picnic. The

Morrell & Sutherland,
29 Charlotte Street, Opposite Y. M. C. A.,
ONLY A FEW DOORS FROM CITY MARKET.

DRY GOODS, GENT'S FURNISHINGS, & C.

New Store! New Goods! Lowest Prices!
During the Summer, our first season in business, we will allow to persons mentioning this advertisement

5% DISCOUNT 5%

for cash of their entire purchase, "nothing old or shopworn." Special attention given to out of town customers. Parcels delivered to any part of the city free of charge.

Buy Your New Dress at the New Store
and get the Latest Style. Note the following prices:
FANCY MIXTURES, PLAIDS, ETC.
at 15c, 17c, 18c, 22c, 25c, 27c, 30c, to 85c per yard.
PLAIN COLORS
at 20c, 22c, 25c, 30c, to \$1.00 per yard.

BLACK DRESS GOODS
This is one of our special departments, we can show you a very large variety of Crepons, Figured Laines, Plain Laines, Poplins, Cords, Twills, Serges, Henrietta, Cashmere, Merino, Etc., at 20c, 22c, 25c, 30c, 35c, 40c, 45c, 55c, 75c, to \$2.50 per yard.

LININGS AND TRIMMINGS TO MATCH ALL DRESSES.

SPECIAL SALE
of Prints, Ginghams, Muslins, Etc., now on ranging in price from 5c. to 30c. per yard.

STAPLE OF ALL KINDS AT LOWEST PRICES

MORRELL & SUTHERLAND,
(LATE WITH MANCHESTER, ROBERTSON & ALLISON.)

AMERICAN DYE WORKS CO.

Redyers of Ladies' Dresses and Gent's Wear.

Works 27 and 29 Elm St. Office 10 King Square.
ST. JOHN, N. B.

The world is challenged to produce four grades of TEA of equal value at the price.

UNION BLEND TEA
IN LEAD PACKAGES.

25 cents,
30 cents,
35 cents,
40 cents,
Per Pound.

Geo. S. deForest & Sons,
Proprietors, St. John, N. B.

following is the list of prize winners:

Gentlemen's Archery—Pipe—H. McCormack.
Ladies Archery—purse—Miss Hattie Purdy.
Bean Bags—ladies hat pins—1st Miss Georgia Gannon; 2nd, Miss Carrie Cooper.
Rifle Shooting—Fountain Pen—Dr. Casswell.
Bean Bottle—Gentlemen's Watch—H. Osborne.
Bean Bottle—ladies manicure set—Mrs. Fred Purvis.
Hop, Skip and Jump—knife—Fred Corey.
100 yard dash—Necktie Case—Shepherd Gossman.
Three Leg Race—Match Safe and Ink Stand—Fred Corey and N. Hopewell.
The receipts of the picnic, after all expenses are paid, will be in the vicinity of \$50.00.

Cambridge.
July 4.—Stmr. Star brought a large number of pleasure seekers to this place on the first inst.
Mr. Henry A. Harvey, manager of bank of B. N. A., Mrs. Harvey and family are boarding at White's Point Hotel.
Misses Gertrude Wilson and Pessie Black, of St. John, were the guests of their aunt, Mrs. James Robinson, on the 2nd inst.
Mr. Fred Nevins, of Lower Jemseg, spent Sunday at James S. Robinson's.
Mr. W. H. White and wife of Sussex, spent Sunday at the home of W. H. White.
Amos A. Wilson, Barrister of St. John, accompanied by his wife and family spent Sunday at the "Balmgileads." Mrs. Wilson and family will remain here for two months.
John E. Irvine and family of St. John came up to White's Point Hotel on the 1st inst and remained over Sunday.
Dr. H. E. Rulyea and Miss Fannie Mason, of St. John, spent Sunday with the Doctor's mother, Mrs. Rachel Belyea.
Miss Alberta Black, of Bangor, is paying a visit to her mother, Mrs. Eleanor Black.
Mrs. R. Belyea had new potatoes and green peas, that were raised on her farm, for dinner on the 2nd inst. Mrs. Belyea has a very fair crop of early potatoes.
Thomas L. McLean has his new residence about completed. The building reflects great credit on the master builder, T. Willis Sutherland.
The scholars of the public school were glad and joyful on Friday the 30th when they realized the fact that they were free from school for six weeks. But with their joy words of sorrow were heard from every one of the pupils, on account of the fact that their teacher who had been their instructor for three years and

PAILS!

QUARTER } One Half
HALF } Regular
LARGE } Price.

Upwards of fifty dozen to sell—above offer only as long as the lot lasts.

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL.
Prices and Quality Guaranteed.
Geo. F. Mott, agent for Chas. Bros.
Yours sincerely,
P. Nase & Son,
Indiantown, St. John, N. B.
P. S.—Paris Green and Land Plaster.

AUCTION.

There will be offered at public auction on SATURDAY, JULY 29, at 2.30 p. m., the grass on Little Musquash Island, generally known as "Leonard property," in lots or in blocks as preferred.

H. D. MOTT.
St. John, June 21st 1899.

Barbed Wire Fencing,
4 POINTS—6 INCHES APART.
Plain Wire Fencing,
Woven Wire Fencing,
Poultry Netting, Etc.




Pumps for all Purposes
WATERING STOCK,
WASHING CARRIAGES,
WELL PUMPS,
HOUSE PUMPS, &C.

Send for our Pump Catalogue.
T. McAVITY & SONS.
ST. JOHN, N. B.

THE BEST PLACE TO BUY
Farm Machinery and Carriages

ALSO
Bicycles a Full Line always in stock
AT
A. MYERS,
82 Germain St., Saint John.

They banish pain
and prolong life.



ONE GIVES
RELIEF.

RIPANS

No matter what the matter is, one will do you good, and you can get ten for five cents.

A new style packet containing the RIPANS tablets in a paper envelope (without glass) is now for sale at five cents per dozen. This is intended as a convenience for the poor and the woman. All these styles of the Ripans are made by the Ripans Co., New York, and are made under the supervision of the Ripans Co., New York. The Ripans Co., New York, is the only manufacturer of Ripans in the world. The Ripans Co., New York, is the only manufacturer of Ripans in the world. The Ripans Co., New York, is the only manufacturer of Ripans in the world.

Do You Think of Building
I manufacture every
description of
Building
Materials,
and will furnish prices
and estimates.

Give Me a Trial Order.
A. A. MABEE,
212 and 214 Main St.,
ST. JOHN N. B.

CUT THIS OUT

And return it to us with a year's subscription to The Queens County Gazette.

The Queens County Gazette,
Gagetown, N. B.

Enclosed find \$1.00 for which send me for one year The Queens County Gazette.

Name.....

Post Office address.....

ADDRESS,
JAS. A. STEWART,
Gagetown, N. B.

TEMPERANCE COLUMN.

Contributed by the Woman's Christian Temperance Union of Hampton, N. B.

Rise up ye Women that are at Ease
"THE LAW SAITH SO."
Thus saith the law, by Legislature made,
For so much gold we license thee to trade
In human woe.
Thou mayest lure the husband from the wife,
Thou mayest fill the peaceful home with strife,
And make a hell for hapless childhood life;
The law saith so.

For so much gold we license thee to sell
Chains for the free, and sickness for the well;
Thou mayest go
Into the fairest street, and lay a snare
For virtue, or break woman's heart with care,
Or teach the vilest, vilest deeds to dare,
The law saith so.

For so much gold we license thee to wage
War upon man—make home a hell—
Change peace to rage,
And joy to woe;
To loose the latent demon in the soul,
And wed it with the demon in the bowl,
That madness may be born and take control;
The law saith so.

For so much gold we license thee to fire
The fiercest passion known to human ire;
And then to blow
With breath drawn from the deepest
cave of hell,
The flames of hate and lust, until the
kneel
Of countless souls forever lost shall swell;
The law saith so.

For so much gold we license thee, Oh
God!
Who are the wretches Am I by deed or
word
A party to
Such crime as that? Who votes the
license card
Is guilty partner in each hellish deed
With him who murders precious souls for
 greed.

GOD'S LAW SAITH SO.
—REV. H. E. JOHNSON, D. D.
NOT TO-NIGHT.

Though the summer had been warm
and pleasant, the winter, which made its
appearance early, was cold and severe.

The little village of — was wearing
a thick, white robe. The river, which
added to the summer scenery, was now
frozen. The hill, which had stood in all
its glory for so many years, still afforded
a pasture for the boys. From early
morn until late eve all the sleds in the
village were constantly making their way
up and down its steep slope.

Though many homes were comfortable
and happy, there were yet to be found
those of hardship and sorrow. If you
would cross the bridge by the mill and
walk a short distance your eyes would
suddenly fall upon an old building located
at the lower slope of the hill. You
would need no tongue to explain its purpose.
Above the door there hangs these
words: "Saloon—James Dwarf.

Could you know of the many hearts
that have ached, the many mothers lorn
to rest, the family circle broken, in short,
all happiness destroyed, your eyes would
fall to the ground and you would murmur
regret for the little town thus disgraced.

Passing on and turning the bend in the
road, you find a neat little cottage. It
was once a home of peace; but for the
saloon it would not have changed. You
ask why? Let me tell you a story, and
you need never ask again. Some
years ago a mother sat by the fireplace,
and near her was a lad of sixteen
summers. His every word and action
proved he was restless and longed to take
his leave.

"Mother," he at length said, "I'm going
to the village. I'll not stay long."
"Dick," said the woman, turning a
pleading face, "not to-night."
"What pleasure is there here?" he answered,
pulling on his coat and taking a
cap from the wall.

Tears filled the eyes of the unhappy
mother, and as Dick was closing the door
she murmured, "Not to-night, my boy;
not to-night."

It was midnight. The moon shone
from the heavens and the stars played
merrily.

A woman with a shawl around her
shoulders slowly walked toward the hill.
As she neared the saloon her heart beat
rapidly and she trembled. Reaching the
door she placed a hand on the knob
and with some hesitation, opened it. Her
eyes fell upon a dingy old room, with low
ceiling and broken furniture. Pictures
not worthy of view were hanging about
the walls. Beer kegs were strewn around
and several glasses lay on the floor. A
man with a red face and sleepy eyes stood
at the bar. She went to him and cried
in her dismay:
"Is my boy here?"
The barkeeper pointed to a corner near
the door, and said:
"Look there."
She obeyed, but turned her eyes away.
It was a scene never to be forgotten. On

the floor lay a man whose clothes were
covered in blood. By his side stood a
number of men.

"That is not my boy!" she cried.
"No," laughed the other, "but Dick
killed him. I reckon he's far from here
now. They are after him, but I allow
he's all right."
"My boy, my Dick; he did it!" asked
the mother.

The barkeeper nodded and she turned
to the door and passed out. Her boy
had committed a crime. She knew not
why he did it nor where he had gone. It
was liquor—liquor that did all. She
would go home now—home to bear her
shame and disgrace.

Ten years had passed, during which
time the mother had never seen her boy.
One evening in May a note was handed
to her, and she read these lines:
"I have given up. Come to the prison."
Dick.

Some hours later she entered the room
of her son and kissed the pale face on the
couch.

"Oh, my darling boy," she cried,
"I came back, mother," Dick said,
raising himself from the bed. "I couldn't
stay away. I am going to die, mother.
There's a pain in my head, my lips burn,
but the greatest pain is here," and he
pointed to his heart. "It has been here
for so long. My life has been a burden.
Every day the pain grew deeper. I couldn't
face the world longer. Yes, I killed
him, mother, but it was the saloon with
all its temptations that caused the awful
deed. If I—had only listened when you
said 'Not to-night,' and oh, mother, if I
—could only live again I would do all in
my power to crush the saloon. Don't be
hard on me, mother, for I—"

Here the woman knelt by her son and
cried:
"Don't cry," said Dick, "I'm going to
leave you, but God—is merciful—God—is
love. Let me kiss you, there—just
once more. Mother, tell—my story to
other boys, for they—may learn a lesson.
Good-bye—mother—good-bye. I can
not see—you. Good-bye—good-bye—"

The lead fell upon the pillow, the lips
closed. Dick was dead.—Letha F.
Smith, in N. T. Advocate.

HEROES.

The following verses were read by Mr.
Thomas O'Hagen, at the annual banquet
of the Canadian Club of Hamilton:

Our land is dower'd with glory
From the east unto the west,
With rays of ripen'd splendor
That cluster on her breast.

But the stars that beam the brightest
And shall burn to the last,
Are the deeds that light our father's
graves
The heroes of the past.

O brothers, ye who gather round
This festive board to-night,
Whose hearts are timed to patriot words
That glow with love and light,
Recall with me the years gone by—
Full well ye know their life—
When patriots stood to guard our homes,
In dark and deadly strife.

When through the land a psalm of grief
Smoote every heart and door,
With tidings from each battle-field
Rocked by dread Canon's roar,
And mothers prayed and gisters wept
With love and faith divin',
Beseeching God to guard our hosts
Along the frontier line.

From Lundy's Lane and Queenston
Heights
The message speedily came
That filled each heart and home with
joy,
And tired the wings of fame.
At Chateaugay brave sons of France
Drove back the stubborn foe
With loyal heart and weapon strong,
Just eighty years ago.

But not alone in battle-field
Did heroes staunch and brave,
Yield up their lives in honor's cause
Our country's flag to save.
In savage forests deep and drear,
Beset with hardships fell;
Our fathers toiled then sank to sleep
Within each lonely dell.

Their memory lives upon our streams
Their deeds upon our plains,
They need no shaft nor monument
Nor gold-embellish'd fane.
In virtues link'd through ages
Shall their great, strong lives flow on
Inspiring souls to nobler deeds
From patriot sire to son.

Theirs be the glory ours the love
In this great cherish'd land,
Bearing the impress of heaven,
And fashion'd by His hand.
Whose victory is the ark of peace
Guarded by love not fear;
Strong as the faith that consecrates
Our heroes with a tear.

A nation's hope a nation's life,
Be ours from east to west;
A nation's hope a nation's life,
To fire each patriot breast.
That in the blossoming years to come
Our proudest boast as men,
When bound by ties of nationhood,
To hail this land—Canadian!

"You used to say that I was all the
world to you."
"Yes; and since I married you I can
appreciate exactly how old man aches felt."
—Brooklyn Life.

1899 Moncton Woolen Mills 1899.

I wish to inform my customers and the public generally that I will have the pleasure of again calling on them with a full assortment of goods from the above Mills, consisting of:

**FLANNELS, FLANNELS, FLANNELS,
SHIRTINGS, BLANKETINGS,
DRESS GOODS, RUGGINGS,
HOMESPUNS, TWEEDS,
OVERCOATINGS, ETC., ETC.**

The highest recommendation for these goods and the best proof of their adaptability to the consumer is that each season finds them in greater demand. Thus adding new customers and increasing my sales which last year was ahead of all previous years, and now with new ranges of the latest colorings and designs and the generous co-operation of the public I hope to make this the banner year. Thanking you for your liberal patronage in the past and soliciting a continuance for the present year, I am,

Yours very truly,
ALFRED P. SLIPP.
Upper Hamstead April 26th, 1899.

NOTICE.

The subscriber having purchased from Mr. Henry Akerey, of Indian town, the handsome dark bay stallion "Hermans," wishes to inform the public that the above horse will stand at the owner's barns for service during the present season.

FRED EBBETT,
Lower Gagetown, N. B.

WANTED.

Hides, Calf Skins, Sheep Skins, Lamb Skins. Highest market prices paid for the above.

FRED W. COOPER,
Gagetown, N. B.

FOR SALE.

The Subscriber offers for Sale a very handsome new Top Buggy, will be sold at a bargain. Any person wanting one will do well to examine it at once, as it will be picked up quickly.

T. S. PETERS,
Gagetown, May 23rd, 1899.

No Summer Vacations.

St. John's delicious summer weather, and our superior ventilating facilities, make summer study just as pleasant as at any other time. In fact, there is no better time for entering our college now.

THE ISAAC PITMAN SHORTHAND
and the New Business Practice (for use of which we hold exclusive right) are great assistance promoters.

Send for Catalogues.
S. KER & SON.

ASK YOUR GROCER FOR
EDDY'S

Purest Macaroni 3000,
do. do. 1000,
do. do. 500,
do. do. 250.

THE LITTLE COMMERCE,
do. do. 100,
do. do. 50.

THE FINEST IN THE WORLD—50 PER CENT PURE.

THE E. E. EDDY CO., LIMITED, HULL, QUE.

THE GLOBE,
TORONTO, CANADA.

The Leading Newspaper of the Dominion.

THE DAILY
—Has over 12,000 more regular circulation—
—than any other daily in 1897, and
—nearly 4,000 more than one year ago.
—IT GROWS WEAKER BY THE WEEK.
—IT HAS ALL THE NEWS
EVERY DAY.

The Saturday Illustrated.
With its 24 or 26 pages every Saturday
its illustrated supplement, its many
special features—Short Stories and Sketchy
Articles—besides having the current news
of the day, has become a strong rival to
the monthly magazines.

**IT IS CANADA'S
GREATEST NEWSPAPER.**
You can have THE GLOBE every day
and the SATURDAY ILLUSTRATED for
about the same price as you have to pay
for many of the smaller dailies.

THE WEEKLY GLOBE
Has had several new features added,
has all the news of the week in concise
form, and keeps its readers in close touch
with every part of the world, and more
especially our own country.

Subscription rates and full particulars
can be had at the office of this paper, any
newsdealer or postmaster, or send direct
to
THE GLOBE,
Toronto, Canada.

NOTICE!

Take notice that the firm of CHEYNE & PALMER, of Hibernia, Queens County, have dissolved partnership, and that all debts due said firm are to be paid to T. W. PALMER, who will still continue the business.

Dated at Hibernia, Queens Co., October 24th, 1898.

PASTURAGE.

The Subscriber will take on pasturage a limited number of horses and cattle. The pasture is one of the very best on the St. John River. Terms reasonable.

T. S. PETERS,
Gagetown, Q. C., June 6th, 1899.

FREDERICTON
The Business
COLLEGE.
W. J. OSBORNE
PRINCIPAL.

No Vacations!

As we have no vacations, students may enter at any time, and remain until the completion of the course, without interruption.

Send for a Catalogue, if for no other reason than to learn how a first-class institution is conducted.

Address,
W. J. OSBORNE,
Principal.
Fredericton, N. B.

Seeds Seeds!

JUST IN AT
G. T. Whelpleys'

1 Carload Timothy and Clover Seed.
1 Carload Ontario Seed Oats, (Assorted Kinds) Banner, White Russian, Rosedale, Early Gothard.

ALSO
The Usual Large Stock of Fine Groceries, Flour, Corn Meal, Oat Meal, &c.

TEA A SPECIALITY.

G. T. Whelpley,
310 Queen St., Fredericton.

R. WOTTRICH,
Gun Maker,
MANUFACTURER OF
All Kinds of Sporting Goods.

Special attention given to Winchester Rifles and Revolvers. Also repairing of all kinds of Bicycles and manufacturer of Surgical Instruments and Trusses. Made to order.

254 UNION STREET, ST. JOHN.

THIS SPACE RESERVED FOR
DR. CASE,
SAINT JOHN, N. B.

St. John Semi-Weekly Sun.

Cash in Advance, 75 cents a Year.
The Cheapest and Best Newspaper for Old and Young in the Maritime Provinces
Twice a Week—Wednesday & Saturday

Reliable market reports.
Full shipping news.
Sermons by Dr. Talmage and other Eminent Divines.
Stories by eminent Authors.
Despatches and correspondents from all parts of the world.

Call and see our Type-setting Machines in operation. The greatest invention of the age.

St. John Daily Sun
IS A NEWSPAPER
First, Last and all the Time.
2 CENTS PER COPY FIVE DOLLARS PER YEAR
In quantity, variety and reliability of its despatches and correspondence, it has a rival.

Using Mergenthaler Type-casting Machines THE SUN is printed from new type every morning.

Established in 1878, it has increased in circulation and popularity each year. Advertising rates furnished on application.

ADDRESS:
SUN PUBLISHING COMPANY, L.T.D.
St. John, N. B.

NOTICE.

Mrs. Joseph Rubin wishes to thank the customers of her late husband for their patronage during the three years he was engaged in general merchandise business in this place; and also solicits the continuation of the patronage of the general public, as she intends to carry on the business in future in her own name. She also requests those who are indebted to the estate to kindly settle their accounts at earliest convenience.

WM. PETERS,
—DEALER IN—
Leather, Hides, Tallow,
Furriers and Tanners' Tools,
Shoemakers' Findings, etc.
Manufacturer of the Famed Bluenose—
Buffalo Steigh Robe.
266 Union St., St. John, N. B.

Everything from a NEE DLE to an ANCHOR

Call on a see one of the most complete and well selected line of Goods kept by any general store in the province.

STAPLE & FANCY DRY GOOD, Groceries and Provisions, Hats, Caps and Furs,

Hardware and Tinware, Boots, Shoes and Oil Tanned Goods, Ready Made Clothing and Gents' Furnishings,

BOTTOM PRICES.

King Lumber Co. (Ltd.), Chipman, N. B.,

J. W. KEAST,

GENERAL DEALER IN Flour, Meal, Feed, Oats, General Groceries, Hardware, &c.

Fresh Meats:

Game, Poultry and Fresh Fish A SPECIALTY.

Orders for Fresh Meats from customers on the river solicited.

Consignments of fat cattle, sheep, poultry, etc., solicited.

Bridge Street, Indiantown, St. John, N. B.

NOTICE!

Having made arrangements with Messrs. Wallace & Fraser to sell

ALBERTS' THOMAS PHOSPHATE POWDER

IN HAMPSHIRE AND VICINITY, I will call on all farmers as soon as possible.

Phosphate the Best, Prices the Lowest, Terms Easy.

GEO. J. RATHBURN, Agent, Hibernia, Queens Co., March 4.

Jas. V. Russell,

SUCCESSOR TO MRS. T. A. VINCENT. Wholesale and Retail Dealer in

BOOTS, SHOES AND SLIPPERS of every description at Lowest Prices.

Special Attention given To the Country Trade.

477 MAIN ST., NORTH END, ST. JOHN. AGENT FOR THE

and D. and Phonix Bicycles.

BOARDERS.

The subscriber can accommodate visitors with pleasantly situated rooms.

Telephone and post office convenient and only a few minutes walk from the steam boat wharves.

MRS. E. SIMPSON.

Removal Sale!

We are offering our entire stock at greatly

Reduced Prices At our present stand prior to our removal on May 1st to

25 King Street. L. L. SHARPE,

Watchmaker and Optician, 24 Dock Street, St. John, N. B.

Horses for Sale.

Two Horses for sale cheap for cash. Also, 10 barrels of Flour to clear out at \$4.00 per barrel.

Apply to THOS. H. GILBERT, Gagetown, April 14th, 1899.

Farm for Sale!

Farm containing 170 acres of upland cutting about 40 tons of upland hay, situated in Jerusalem settlement in the Parish of Hampshire, three miles from the St. John River.

Also, 1 horse rake, plows and other farming implements.

This is a good chance to get a farm on easy terms as the owner is in no hurry for the money.

For terms, etc., write to MRS. H. L. DUFFIE, Glassville, Carleton Co., N.

FOR SALE.

Two lots of land situated in Speight Settlement, Peterborough, owned by the Bank of Montreal, formerly owned by Andrew Corbett.

JOHN R. DUFFY, Barrister, Gagetown, Nov. 20th, 1898.

NOTICE.

I have decided to go out of the horse shoeing business, but will continue to do wagon and sleigh work for the public at the usual low prices.

WM. McKEE, Armstrong's Corner, Queens Co., N. B., Dec. 2nd, 1898.

FOR SALE.

One Single Horse Deering Ideal Mower, 34 Foot Cut. Mowed twelve tons of hay last season, almost as good as new.

Also one second hand Farm Wagon, in good repair. Terms on application.

S. J. KINNEY, Oromocto, N. B.

FOR SALE!

A House and Lot at Young's Cove Station. House new, partially finished, 30x38. Lot about 1 1/2 acres.

Will be sold at a bargain. Possession given any time.

Address, B. W. PARKER, Highfield, Queens Co., N. B.

Farm for Sale.

The subscriber offers for sale his farm situated at Otnabog, Parish of Hampshire, Queens Co., containing 40 acres of upland and 20 acres of intervale, about 40 acres under cultivation.

For further information apply to R. S. MAYES, Otnabog, or J. W. DICKIE, Gagetown.

FOR SALE.

For sale or will exchange for cattle, a second hand Covered Buggy, in good condition.

Apply to E. C. LOCKETT, Young's Cove Corner.

NOTICE.

A Note of Hand, given to L. D. Ferris which he has sold, no value received, which I will not pay, which is dated Dec. 22nd, 1897.

WILLIAM E. FERRIS, St. John, N. B.

FOR SALE.

I offer for sale a piece of Land situated on Big Musquash Island containing about twenty acres.

Good Barn. Also Jersey cattle different ages and Guernsey Bull Calf. Cattle all are Registered.

H. D. MOTT, St. John, N. B.

FOR SALE!

30,000 Dry Planed Hemlock Boards. A quantity of Dry Planed Spruce and Pine Boards.

Spruce and Pine Sheathing; Pine, Spruce, and Hemlock Plank and Deal. Pickets, Scantling Shingles, etc., etc.

PRICES LOW. T. E. BABBITT & SON, GIBSON N. B.

BOARDING.

Pleasant Rooms, with Board, for either permanent or transient Boarders, at 57 St. James street, in the Soars Terrace, St. John.

STYLISH, RELIABLE ARTISTIC

McCALL PATTERNS

NONE BETTER AT ANY PRICE

THE McCALL COMPANY, 138 to 146 W. 14th Street, New York

Agents wanted for the magazine in every locality. Beautiful patterns for a little money.

Write for terms and other particulars. Write for terms and other particulars. Write for terms and other particulars.

Address THE McCALL CO., 138 to 146 W. 14th St., New York

Gagetown, April 14th, 1899.

Poetry.

MIDNIGHT AT THE HELM. "What seeest thou, friend? The frail masts bend."

The ship reels wildly on the tossing deep; Thy fearless eyes Regard the skies,

And this broad waste where through white chargers leap; Seest thou the foam?"

Helmsman:—"I see my home, And children in a white soft couch asleep."

"What seeest thou, friend? Thou graspest safely in the firm, strong grip:

Thine eyes are strange They seem to range Beyond sea, sky and clouds, and struggling ship.

Beyond the foam." Helmsman:—"I see my home— Brown cottage-eaves round which the swallows dip."

"What seeest thou, friend? Black leagues extend On all sides round about thy bark and thee:

Not one star speck Above the deck Abates the darkness of the midnight sea; The waves' throats roar—

Helmsman:—"I see the shore, And eyes that plead with God for mine and me!"

TRE WOMAN ACROSS THE WAY. My windows open to southward, And the sun shines in all the day;

Her windows all look northward, My neighbor's across the way.

My windows are draped with curtains Of lace, like a filmy spray;

She has only shades of linen, The lady across the way.

There are diamond rings on my fingers That over the casement stray;

I have never noticed any On my neighbor's across the way.

But what cares she for sunlight, This lady over the way, When a baby face illumines the place, Like the light of a summer's day.

What need has she for curtains Of rare and costly lace

When the light shines through a golden mesh Of curls round a baby's face.

Jewels are plenty for money, But cold to the light that lies Reflecting the image of souls that meet In the heaven of baby's eyes.

And I sit alone in the darkness When night comes down, and pray That God will keep her treasure safe For the woman across the way.

A FIG FOR PROVERBS.

At every turn of "life's dull round" (I've heard good people say),

A wholesome proverb may be found To light one on the way,

But though I've often sought the aid Of maxims old and trite

In application I'm afraid, They've seldom worked out right.

"Faint heart fair lady never, never won—"

What courage in the thought, 'Till some one adds and not in fun, "O' confidence wins naught!"

To "weed in haste," says the old song, Is to "repent at leisure."

While others sing, "Engagements long, Ne'er end in wedded pleasure."

Thus "absence makes hearts fonder" might seem clear and well defined,

Until we're told that "out of sight" Means also "out of mind."

"Fine feathers make fine birds" 'tis urged, Yet that we, too, must ban,

In "clothes don't make the man."

"Home, home, sweet home! No place like home!"

"What joy those words impart! Though some confess who sadly roam, "Home is where rests the heart,"

"Tis money makes the mare go," Of course you all know that,

Yes, 'tis the "root of evil," too, So what would you be at?

"Silence is golden" may be true Where wordy warfare spreads,

Yet, there's another adage, too—"Still tongues lie in calves' head."

Again, "Time will for no man stay." To suit his loves or hates,

But "All things come," they also say, "To him who calmly waits."

When proverbs thus in puzzling maze Each other contravene,

Where lies the wisdom that we praise? What do their teachings mean?

Where's so much choice there must be flaw, Or 'tis a senseless elf,

'Tis therefore best to simply draw The one that suits yourself.

"So Alice has decided finally to marry an officer"

"Yes; she captured him in what she positively declares to be her last engagement."

COOK'S ANODYNE LINIMENT.

Parrott Hanged.

HAMILTON, Ont., June 23.—Benjamin Parrott was hanged in Hamilton gaol

yard this morning at 7.43 for the murder of his mother on February 8, last. He was pronounced dead in fourteen seconds,

his neck having been broken. He said not a word until after he had been pined and the black cap adjusted, and then he expressed sorrow that he could not get at the hangman. He also said he was sorry he had not finished the constable who had arrested him. Radcliffe, the official hangman, did not arrive, and an Englishman named Thompson, who had done similar work in the old country, officiated. The plea of insanity failed to save him. While awaiting execution the prisoner had little desire for anything except plenty to eat and whiskey to drink. Many clergymen, Protestants and Catholics, visited him. At times he expressed sorrow, but in every case contradicted himself immediately afterwards.

Hard to Explain Away. "I gave you that parrot as a birthday present, did I not, Matilda?" he asked.

"Yes; but surely, Albert, you are not going to speak of your gifts as if—"

"It was young and speechless at the time?"

"Yes," with increasing wonder, "and it has never been out of this parlor."

"There are no other young ladies in this house?"

"No, there are not."

"Then why—why when I kissed your photograph in yonder album, while waiting for you, did that wretched bird imitate your voice, and say, 'Don't do that, Charlie; please don't.'—Tid-Bits.

His Reward. "You have been very good this morning Willie," said the fond mamma. "Now what reward would you like?"

"I would like to be allowed to be naughty all the afternoon."

"I admit I am troubled," said the fashion editor.

"What's the matter," asked the society editor.

"Why, I can't quite make up my mind whether it is all right, in view of prevailing conditions, to speak of five pairs of bloomers, a dozen shirt waists and two dozen pairs of golf stockings as a trousseau."—Chicago Post.

"My boy Johnny has such a cheerful disposition."

"Of?"

"Oh, yes. When I make him wash his neck, instead of grubbling, he just says he is glad he is not a giraffe."

COOK'S NEW BLOOD PILLS.

Weather has arrived and we have placed prices on each Hammock in our line

TO SUIT THE BUYER, 65c., 97c., 99c., \$1.00, \$1.51, \$1.59, \$1.62, \$1.63, \$2.99.

All Beautiful Colors and Styles, WITH OR WITHOUT PILLOWS.

ALSO HAVE ON HAND A BEAUTIFUL LINE OF Baby Carriages, Carts, Go-Carts.

FURNITURE of all kinds.

Crockery, China Lamps, Spring Mattresses, Glassware, Fruit Jars, Butter Crocks, Etc., Etc.

LEMONT & SON'S,

Fredericton, N. B.

Orders Promptly Filled.

The People's Favorite Store B. MYERS, 695 MAIN ST. NORTH END.

Our Customers have found out that we always give what we advertise. Now we are offering

Special Prices for The Country Trade

It will pay you to visit our store when in St. John as we purchased a large stock from

The Fire Sale in Montreal,

and will give our Customers the benefit. Notice a Few of Our Low Prices.

HEMP CARPETS, 36 INCHES WIDE, ONLY 11c. PER YARD.

TAPETRY CARPET, 50c. VALUE FOR 33c.

JAPANESE STRAW MATTING (1 yard wide), ONLY 14c.

LINEN WINDOW PLINDS, (Springs warranted) 35c. EACH.

CURTAIN POLES, Wooden Ends, Wooden Baskets, Wooden Rings, ONLY 25c. EACH.

50 PIECES BLACK FIGURED DRESS GOODS, 29c. PER YARD.

AMERICAN PLAID DRESS GOODS, (double width), 10c.

WHITE COTTON, 36 inches wide, 55c.

AFRON GINGHAM, with Border, 8c.

OXFORD SHIRTING, 50 pieces to select from, 8 1/2c.

MEN'S INSIDE SHIRTS, 23c.

MEN'S AND BOYS' SWEATERS, 25c.

MEN'S 4 PLY LINEN COLLARS, 3 PAIR FOR 25c.

BARGAINS FOR MEN

A MAN'S SUIT, Canadian Tweed, ONLY \$3 75

PANTS, made of good cloth, 85c.

PANTS, made of Canadian Tweed, 1 25

BLACK VENETIAN COAT AND VEST, 4 50

MEN'S SHAKER SHIRTS, 20

MEN'S INSIDE SHIRTS, 17

MEN'S AND BOYS' SWEATERS, 25

MEN'S 4 PLY LINEN COLLARS, 3 PAIR FOR 25c.



Often in the morning there comes a feeling of weariness, indescribable; not exactly ill, nor fit to work, but too near well to remain idle.

A Ripans Tabule taken at night, before retiring, or just after dinner, has been known to drive away that weariness for months.

WANTED—A man of bad health that RIPPAN'S will not benefit. Send five cents to Ripans Co. 24, Hirsch Street, New York, for a sample and 100 testimonials. RIPPAN'S, 10 for 6 cents, or 1 dozen for 50 cents, may be had of all druggists who are willing to sell a standard medicine at a moderate price and prompt service. One price only. Note the word RIPPAN'S on the wrapper. Accepts

THAT JOB OF PRINTING

You may need soon can be neatly and promptly executed at the office

QUEENS COUNTY GAZETTE.

Good Type Plenty of It, and Skilled Workmen to handle it

QUEENS COUNTY GAZETTE, JAS. A. STEWART, Publisher, GAGETOWN, N. B.

THE GAZETTE will be published every Wednesday morning in time for despatch by the earliest mails of the day.

NOTICES OF BIRTHS, MARRIAGES AND DEATHS inserted free. Lines accompanying the latter, 5 cents per line.

Queens County Gazette, GAGETOWN, N. B., JULY 5, 1899.

OUR ROADS.

A great deal has been said lately about good roads and those who are interested in the making of the roads in this locality would do well to study the principles laid down by experienced road makers.

If ever there were two classes of people that had a good cause in common they are the bicyclists and the farmers. The question on which their interests agree is that of the need for good roads.

In order to compare the roads of the United States with those of Europe the Bureau through its consuls made careful inquiry on the subject of hauling in England, France, Germany, Belgium, Italy, and Switzerland.

ST. JOHN LETTER. A man living in a New York suburb had been annoyed by his neighbors' cats which made a sort of club room of his back yard.

shipped from this port—2,120 standards. About 6,000 tons of rock and earth have been removed from the site of the Cushing Pulp mill.

Custom receipts at this port during the fiscal year ending last Friday were \$13,775.68 larger than in the previous year. Millers quote Ontario flour five cents per barrel lower than last week.

The fever-stricken officers of steamer Chervina, in quarantine at Partridge Island, are recovering. Four women were fined in the Police Court last Thursday for drunkenness.

Resolution of the Methodist Conference. The committee on temperance submitted the following resolution Monday morning:

Resolved, That though the Dominion government hold out no hope that a prohibitory law will now be enacted this conference reaffirms that it cannot be satisfied with anything less than total prohibition for the whole Dominion.

Further Resolved, That this conference is of the opinion that meantime the most stringent methods available should be employed to suppress the evils of intemperance.

Sad Drowning Accident.

By the upsetting of a row boat in the river just above the highway bridge on Monday evening, shortly after 9 o'clock, two young lives were lost.

The news of the accident quickly spread around town and St. Marys, and hundreds of people flocked to the bridge. Boats were manned, and willing hands with grappling irons were soon at work searching for the bodies.

The body of Roy Jennings was taken to his mother's residence on Westmorland street soon after being recovered, and the remains of Miss Currie were taken to the residence of Mr. William Lambert.

The funeral will take place to-morrow at 2:30 o'clock. The services will be conducted by Rev. E. C. Hartley, and the remains will be taken to Springfield for interment.

Hampstead. July 3.—John Holden and wife are guests at the Woodville House. John Pool general agent for Wilkinson Plough Co. was the guest of the Woodville House last week.

The Danger Season.

At this time we desire earnestly to appeal to men and women who are ailing and in a low condition of health.

An Appeal to the Suffering and Diseased.

There are thousands of sick people—disappointed and now almost hopeless—who have ceased to think of their danger.

Paine's Celery Compound

At this time we desire earnestly to appeal to men and women who are ailing and in a low condition of health. There are thousands of sick people.

Freedom from disease and suffering, and a new and happy life will be your portion if you have faith enough to make trial of that life giving and disease banisher.

Agents Wanted—For "The Life and Achievements of Admiral Boscawen," the world's greatest naval hero.

1899. INTERNATIONAL EXHIBITION, ST JOHN, N B. Opens Sept. 11th, Closes Sept. 20th. EXHIBITS IN ALL THE USUAL CLASSES. \$13,000 IN PRIZES.

Special Amusements on Grounds and Hall. BAND MUSIC Day and Evening. OPEN FROM 9 A. M. TO 10 P. M.

NOTICE. TAKE NOTICE that a General Meeting of the Shareholders of "THE STAR LINE STEAMSHIP COMPANY," will be held at the office of the Company.

OXFORD WOOLEN MILLS. Queens County has our special attention for the wool season of 1899 and the goods shown by our representatives will prove to you, both upon examination and usage that they still merit your confidence.

THE PLACE IN SAINT JOHN TO GET ANY ARTICLE IN Jewellery, Watches, Clocks and Silverware, PIANOS AND FANCY GOODS IS AT T. L. COUGHLAN'S Jewellers Hall, 28 King St.

COVER YOUR HEAD CANVAS CAPS, 25c. With our Hats. Just opened 3 cases of Straw Hats, Men's and Boy's, prices from 20c. up, all the leading shapes.

RECEIVED BY FIRST BOAT! Boots and Shoes of all Kinds. ALSO THE FOLLOWING CANNED GOODS: TOMATOES, APPLES, FINAN-HADDIE, OYSTERS, CORN BEEF, PEACHES, PEAS, SARDINES, PUMPKINS, BEANS, LOBSTERS, PLUMS, CORN, SALMON, ETC., ETC.

JOHN W. DICKIE, GAGETOWN, N. B. BARGAINS IN BOOTS AND SHOES. We are offering our customers the following lines at Reduced Prices.

PHILLIPS BROS., 541 MAIN ST., SAINT JOHN, N. B. — NORTH END. The Cheapest and Best Place in the City.

S. C. PORTER, 11 Charlotte Street, St. John, N. B. The Keeping Up of Quality. The Keeping Down of Price. This is our one and only business aim and business method.

BEST OIL.
American Kerosene

Will not blacken chimney. A Trial Conviction. Notice

Porto Rico Molasses

At Bottom Prices for Cash. Ladies' Gents' and Children's Neck Ties, Gloves, Hosiery, etc.

TEAS and SUGARS.

Country Produce Taken in Exchange. I have received the Agency for the Globe Laundry, St. John

JOS. RUBINS,
Gagetown, N. B.

First Store from Steamboat Landing. I have received the Agency for the Globe Laundry, St. John

Boots and Shoes
AT GREAT BARGAINS.

All Children should be well shod. Our Shoes for Boys and Girls, big and little, are just as strong as can be made

JOS. IRVINE,

Three Doors Below St. Luke's Church. 397 MAIN STREET, ST. JOHN, N. B.

NOTICE!

All persons having claims against the estate of the late Hazen Starkey, of Johnston, Queens County, are requested to present the same, duly attested

James Stirling,
Harnes Manufacturer,

NO. 9 CHARLOTTE ST., ST. JOHN. REMOVED OPPOSITE TO OLD STAND.

JAMES STIRLING,
9 Charlotte St., St. John, N. B.

When you are in St. John
DON'T FORGET

Jewellery Store of
A. POYAS,

545 MAIN STREET, N. E. Where you will SAVE MONEY by buying anything your want in the line of Jewellery.

House and Carriage
PAINING,

Paper Hanging, Graining, Tinting, and Whitewashing. S. A. CAMERON, Mill Cove, Queens Co.

FIRE! FIRE!! FIRE!!!
BARGAINS!

Burned But Not Conquered!
C. B. PIDGEON

wishes to announce that he is again doing business in Colwell Building, OPPOSITE STREET CAR SHEDS, NORTH END.

Boots and Shoes,
Hats and Caps,
Gent's Furnishings,
Dry Goods, Etc.

All goods sold from the Fire will be sold at a GREAT REDUCTION, and while they last there will be genuine bargains.

C. B. PIDGEON.

New Advertisements.

D. A. Kennedy, July Sale. P. N. & S. P. N. & S. Wm. Nevers, Notice. P. C. C., A Child's Surprises. P. C. C., The Danger Season.

Local Happenings.

Items of Local Interest Carefully Prepared by the Gazette's "Man About Town."

SCHOOL BLANKS.—Mr. Angus Daigle Chipman, has for sale District School Assessment Lists and School Tax Notices.

NOTICE.—Probate Court, Queens County, will be held on the 2nd Wednesday in each month until further notice.

SCOW BUILDING.—Mr. Robert Davis has a crew of men here preparing to build scows.

Many of the retail grocers have thrown out all other teas. They say the four grades of Union Blend supply every want.

NEW PASTOR.—The Rev. I. N. Parker of the Grand Lake circuit has been appointed to Gagetown and will enter upon his duties here next week.

BERRY PICKERS.—Those of our readers who do anything in the berry business or in fact all will find profitable reading in the advt. of Messrs. P. N. & S.

REDUCTION SALE.—We give every person visiting St. John an invitation to visit the Walter Scott store, King Square, and buy the cheapest dry goods in the city during this month.

HIGH COURT, I. O. F.—The annual session of the High Court of I. O. F., of New Brunswick, will meet at Sussex on July 12th, at 8 o'clock in the evening.

TO ATTEND CHURCH.—Court Aloha will attend the Methodist Church on Sunday evening next, in regalia. All Forrester's will please take notice and meet at Guild Hall at 6.15 o'clock sharp on Sunday evening next.

FAREWELL SERMON.—The Rev. Neil McLaughlin will preach his farewell sermon on Sunday next in the Methodist Church. Mr. McLaughlin goes from here to Summerside, P. E. I.

ORANGE CELEBRATION.—The New Brunswick Orangemen will celebrate the 12th at St. John this year. Great preparations are being made for the occasion at St. John. All the counties in the Province are expected to be represented.

NOTICE.—A meeting of Queens Central Agricultural Society will be held in the School House, Upper Hamstead, on Saturday the 8th day of July, at 7 o'clock p. m. A full attendance is requested as business of importance in relation to Society is to come before the meeting. By order of President.

A. W. EBBETT, Sec'y.

KILLED ON THE C. P. R.—A very sad accident occurred this morning at Spurr Cove railway crossing, near Fairville. An aged woman, Mrs. Catherine Murphy, a resident of Greenhead, was going to Fairville from St. Rose's church, where she had been attending early Mass.

As she neared the crossing the C. P. R. train from Fredericton came in sight. The old lady walked within a few feet of the crossing, then stopped as if confused, and again started on her way across the track. The engineer of the train saw her and endeavored by every means in his power to avert the impending tragedy.

His efforts, were, however, futile, and the poor frail old woman was struck by the buffer beam of the pilot and tossed high in the air, landing heavily beside the track a lifeless corpse. The train was brought to a standstill as soon as possible and the conductor, Mr. Milburn Burgess, went back with others, picked up the remains, laid them out on the bank and covered them with a sheet. He then notified the parish authorities and the train proceeded. Mrs. Murphy is very old. Her exact age is not known, but is thought to be about ninety-six years. She was a widow and leaves one daughter, Mrs. John Morris, of Fort Howe.

DEATH OF MRS. T. E. BABBITT.—Tuesday morning at 9 o'clock, Mrs. T. E. Babbitt passed peacefully away at her home in Gibson. She was born at Margerville in 1829, and was the youngest child of the late James Banks, who was lost in 1835 in the woods on the Tobique, and is supposed to have been killed by Indians. Of the family of fourteen, only two sisters survive Mrs. Babbitt, viz: Mrs. Benj. Morse, of Mitchell, South Dakota, and Miss Phoebe Banks, of Oromocto.

At the early age of twelve years, Mrs. Babbitt was baptized by Rev. Geo. Miles and united with the Baptist church of Margerville. She was married at the age of twenty to Deacon T. Babbitt of Gibson. Five children were born unto them, some of which died in infancy. Another Mrs. J. W. Tabor died in 1881. Two sons B. H. and T. D. Babbitt; and one daughter, Mrs. Chesley Moore survive their beloved mother. Mrs. Babbitt has been ill for over a year and now at the ripe age of seventy, after having lived a most exemplary life, she has passed away with the respect of all who knew her. The funeral will be held on Saturday afternoon at 2.30, and the memorial service on Sunday next at 11 a. m. in Gibson Baptist church.

THE BERRY SEASON.—A half pail and a quarter pail of wild strawberries came down river on the steamer Hamstead this morning and were sold to one of the leading grocery firms for \$1.50. However these are not the first wild berries of the season to reach the city. Generally speaking the crop of small fruits along the river will be extra large this year. Cultivated strawberries promise a rich yield as do also the native berry. The berry farms of Zebedes Richards at Greenwick and Thomas Thorne at Palmer's Point are going to be particularly fruitful, while in blueberries a harvest exceeding those of many years back is expected. Mr. Harry Woods, of Welsford, the "blueberry king" of New Brunswick, ships tons of the azure hued fruit to Uncle Sam every year. Berry picking and transporting throughout the river and C. P. R. countries is a fast growing industry comparatively little known of by the people at large.—Record.

SCHOOL CLOSING.
The closing exercises of the advanced department of the Grammar School were held Friday morning, beginning at 10 o'clock. About twenty visitors were present, including R. T. Babbit, John R. Dunn, Mr. Law, T. S. Peters, Rev. N. McLaughlin, Mr. Dinges.

The school was examined by Mr. Dunn with the assistance of Mr. Dinges and the teacher. Although the pupils had nearly all been to the Forrester's excursion the day before and were thoroughly tired out, general satisfaction was expressed with the work of the school.

At the close of the examination prizes were awarded for excellence in English Composition. Prizes had been offered by R. T. Babbit, D. L. Mitchell and Rev. N. C. Hanson for the best English Composition in the form of a letter of not less than 200 words. The examiners were Mr. Dunn, Mr. Scovil, and Dr. Casswell. They had much difficulty in deciding between four letters in Grade X. These letters were written by Arlie Dickey, Annie Dickey, Winifred Babbit, and John Palmer and were finally arranged in the above order. In Grade IX Miss Ruby Peters and Miss Pearl Peters gained first and second place. All these letters will appear in next week's "Gazette," and are as follows:—"Master Reginald Artyon," Arlie Dickey; "Daisy Deane," Annie Dickey; "Lois Fair," Winifred Babbit; James Jenkins, John Palmer; "Sobriquet," Ruby Peters; "Polymnia," Pearl Peters.

The primary department held its closing examination Wednesday morning. All the classes showed a high degree of proficiency in the work gone over. The subjects deserving special mention were spelling, geography, history, and mental arithmetic. Short addresses were made by Mrs. Dunn, Mrs. Peters, Mrs. Simpson and Mr. Mitchell. All seemed thoroughly satisfied that the school was in a good healthy condition and that the pupils were being well grounded in those subjects most essential in a primary department.

MARRIED.
FLEMING-KIMBALL.—At Ipswich, Mass., June 28th, by the Rev. A. E. Harriman, of Leominster, Mr. Chas. H. Fleming, of Manchester, formerly of Chipman, N. B., and Miss Abbie P. Kimball, of Ipswich.

PALMER-HANSELPACKER.—At the residence of Mrs. Herbert Lister, Acadia street, on June 28th, by Rev. J. E. Estey, brother-in-law of the bride, assisted by Rev. Geo. C. P. Palmer, cousin of the groom, Miss Annie L. Hanselpacker to Robert F. K. Palmer, both of St. John, N. B.

DIED.
WASSON.—At Cumberland Bay, N. B., June 25th, Hannah beloved wife of Thomas O. Wasson aged 42 years.

LONDON.—At Wickham, Queens Co., on June 10th, Elsie London, after a short illness, leaving a widow, six sons and one daughter to mourn their sad loss. (Religious Intelligence please copy.)

AGENTS WANTED.—FOR "THE Life and Achievements of Admiral Dewey," the world's greatest naval hero. By Marc Halescott, author of the life-long friend and admirer of the nation's idol. Biggest and best book; over 600 pages, 8x10 inches; nearly 100 pages of handsome illustrations. Only \$1.50. Enormous demand. Big Commissions. Outfit free. Chance of a lifetime. Write quick. The Dominion Company, 3rd Floor Oxtord Bldg., Chicago.

NOTICE.
The subscriber wishes to inform the public that he has opened a shoemaking, cobbling and harness repairing shop, in the building lately occupied by Wm. Barber, deceased. All kinds of work attended to at short notice. Terms strictly cash. WM. NEVERS, Gagetown, July 3, 1899.

Farm for Sale.
The Farm of the late J. J. Camp, situated on the Jemseg, in Queens County, containing one hundred acres, thirty acres under cultivation; house two barns, out-buildings, well, small orchard, together with single horse, farm wagon, (new), mowing machine, sleighs, sleds, etc. Price reasonable.
For further particulars apply to either of the undersigned.
GEO. R. CAMP, Upper Sheffield.
W. CAMP, Sussex, N. B.

Gentlemen's \$5.00 Watches.
Our line of Gentlemen's Watches at \$5.00 will attract probable buyers. The Cases are Solid Nickel and are dustproof. The Movements are Waltham, stem winding and setting. Every Watch is guaranteed a good timekeeper. Sent by Mail post paid on receipt of price. Your money back if on examination Watch is not satisfactory.

L. L. SHARPE,
WATCHMAKER AND OPTICIAN,
25 King Street, St. John, N. B.

Mr. Thos. Barton, of Armstrong's Corner, spent Sunday here, the guest of Mr. Thos. Allingham.

Messrs. J. F. Hoben, of Upper Gagetown, and C. D. Dykeman, of Jemseg, were in town on Tuesday, attending the meeting of the finance committee of the Queens County Council.

SCHOOL CLOSING.
The closing exercises of the advanced department of the Grammar School were held Friday morning, beginning at 10 o'clock. About twenty visitors were present, including R. T. Babbit, John R. Dunn, Mr. Law, T. S. Peters, Rev. N. McLaughlin, Mr. Dinges.

The school was examined by Mr. Dunn with the assistance of Mr. Dinges and the teacher. Although the pupils had nearly all been to the Forrester's excursion the day before and were thoroughly tired out, general satisfaction was expressed with the work of the school.

At the close of the examination prizes were awarded for excellence in English Composition. Prizes had been offered by R. T. Babbit, D. L. Mitchell and Rev. N. C. Hanson for the best English Composition in the form of a letter of not less than 200 words. The examiners were Mr. Dunn, Mr. Scovil, and Dr. Casswell. They had much difficulty in deciding between four letters in Grade X. These letters were written by Arlie Dickey, Annie Dickey, Winifred Babbit, and John Palmer and were finally arranged in the above order. In Grade IX Miss Ruby Peters and Miss Pearl Peters gained first and second place. All these letters will appear in next week's "Gazette," and are as follows:—"Master Reginald Artyon," Arlie Dickey; "Daisy Deane," Annie Dickey; "Lois Fair," Winifred Babbit; James Jenkins, John Palmer; "Sobriquet," Ruby Peters; "Polymnia," Pearl Peters.

The primary department held its closing examination Wednesday morning. All the classes showed a high degree of proficiency in the work gone over. The subjects deserving special mention were spelling, geography, history, and mental arithmetic. Short addresses were made by Mrs. Dunn, Mrs. Peters, Mrs. Simpson and Mr. Mitchell. All seemed thoroughly satisfied that the school was in a good healthy condition and that the pupils were being well grounded in those subjects most essential in a primary department.

MARRIED.
FLEMING-KIMBALL.—At Ipswich, Mass., June 28th, by the Rev. A. E. Harriman, of Leominster, Mr. Chas. H. Fleming, of Manchester, formerly of Chipman, N. B., and Miss Abbie P. Kimball, of Ipswich.

PALMER-HANSELPACKER.—At the residence of Mrs. Herbert Lister, Acadia street, on June 28th, by Rev. J. E. Estey, brother-in-law of the bride, assisted by Rev. Geo. C. P. Palmer, cousin of the groom, Miss Annie L. Hanselpacker to Robert F. K. Palmer, both of St. John, N. B.

DIED.
WASSON.—At Cumberland Bay, N. B., June 25th, Hannah beloved wife of Thomas O. Wasson aged 42 years.

LONDON.—At Wickham, Queens Co., on June 10th, Elsie London, after a short illness, leaving a widow, six sons and one daughter to mourn their sad loss. (Religious Intelligence please copy.)

AGENTS WANTED.—FOR "THE Life and Achievements of Admiral Dewey," the world's greatest naval hero. By Marc Halescott, author of the life-long friend and admirer of the nation's idol. Biggest and best book; over 600 pages, 8x10 inches; nearly 100 pages of handsome illustrations. Only \$1.50. Enormous demand. Big Commissions. Outfit free. Chance of a lifetime. Write quick. The Dominion Company, 3rd Floor Oxtord Bldg., Chicago.

NOTICE.
The subscriber wishes to inform the public that he has opened a shoemaking, cobbling and harness repairing shop, in the building lately occupied by Wm. Barber, deceased. All kinds of work attended to at short notice. Terms strictly cash. WM. NEVERS, Gagetown, July 3, 1899.

Farm for Sale.
The Farm of the late J. J. Camp, situated on the Jemseg, in Queens County, containing one hundred acres, thirty acres under cultivation; house two barns, out-buildings, well, small orchard, together with single horse, farm wagon, (new), mowing machine, sleighs, sleds, etc. Price reasonable.
For further particulars apply to either of the undersigned.
GEO. R. CAMP, Upper Sheffield.
W. CAMP, Sussex, N. B.

Gentlemen's \$5.00 Watches.
Our line of Gentlemen's Watches at \$5.00 will attract probable buyers. The Cases are Solid Nickel and are dustproof. The Movements are Waltham, stem winding and setting. Every Watch is guaranteed a good timekeeper. Sent by Mail post paid on receipt of price. Your money back if on examination Watch is not satisfactory.

L. L. SHARPE,
WATCHMAKER AND OPTICIAN,
25 King Street, St. John, N. B.

The Attractions of Our Store
ARE THEIR LOW PRICES!

D. A. KENNEDY,

(SUCCESSOR TO WALTER SCOTT).
32-36 KING SQUARE SOUTH SIDE,
SAINT JOHN, - - - N. B.

Don't Throw Your Money Away!
BY BUYING YOUR
DRY GOODS

At - High - Priced - Stores.

Listen what the People say. We give the best value in Dry Goods to be found in Saint John. When we say the best value we mean honest value for your money.

Tempting Bargains for July.

Bargains in Dress Goods
Every yard of Dress goods has been reduced, we do not intend to carry over a single yard of summer dress goods if low Prices will make them sell. From 15 cts. yd. up.

Dress Linings
We sell dress Linings cheaper than any store in the City. We are satisfied with a small profit. Waist linings 9 cts. yd., skirt lining 6c. up. Canvas 10c. yd.

Ladies' Vests
A Special Sale of ladies summer vests, long and short sleeves, from 10c. up.

Sale of Prints
An endless variety of Prints, all colors, and the prices we can say without hesitation the lowest in the City, from 6c. up.

Lace Curtains
If you wish anything in the way of Curtains to improve the home visit our store this month and save money, from 25 cts. pair up. Call early.

Cretonnes and Art Muslin
A large variety of these goods to be found here at very low prices, from 6c. up.

Carpét Rugs
50 Carpet Rugs to be offered at 40c. each; one and a half yds. long.

Men's Shirts and Drawers
One Case of Men's Shirts and Drawers to be offered at Bargain Prices. They won't last long. Only 27c. each.

Table Oil Cloth
These goods are sold everywhere at 25c. yd. Our Price only 20c. yd. White and Colored.

Floor Oil Cloth
The Balance of our Stock of Floor Oil Cloth at 25c. yd. This is the lowest in the City.

Ladies' Hosiery
A Special lot bought by us for Cash; 25 dozen in the lot; to be sold at 25c. for 2 pairs.

Grey Cotton
People ask us how we can sell Cotton so cheap. Our reason is small profits and small losses. See our yard wide, heavy, at 5c. yd.

Cottonade Sale
20 pieces strong and heavy Cottonade for Overalls and Jumpers, 15c. 18c., 20c. yd.

Cloth Sale
A large variety of Oxford Cloths for men and boys suits at 34c., 40c., 45c. yard.

Special Sale of Shirts only
10c. yard.

THIS SPACE IS RESERVED
FOR
A. McARTHUR,
DEALER IN
Wall Paper, Stationery, &c.
ST. JOHN, N. B.

YOU CAN

Profit by the experience of thousands of Farmers who have used
THOMAS PHOSPHATE POWDER,

and apply immediately after the snow melts. We are anxious that you should derive the greatest benefit from its use. We consequently urge upon you to apply it in the early spring. It cost money to prove this, but you can reap the benefit of this experience for nothing.

Don't Fail to Get it on Early and
Success Will Crown Your Efforts.

WALLACE & FRASER,
ST. JOHN, N. B.

A FATHER OF CONFEDERATION.

Interesting Reminiscences of the Hon. Peter Mitchell.

Periods, on his deathbed, reproached the Athenians with ingratitude; and the Hon. Peter Mitchell (if the momentary association be allowed), after a long life of public service, finds that the reward of the patriot "is—to be forgotten." "Sharper than a serpent's tooth," as Shakespeare has it, "is a thankless child," and it is possible that the supreme bitterness to a public man is the consciousness that the stage can be set and the drama of life enacted without him.

A new generation jetties greatness and knows it not. The harvest is carelessly gathered while the sower is forgotten. The name, the personality, diminishes—recedes from the view, although it made history; the new generation is superbly indifferent to ancient claims.

To feel that a hungry generation trends on the memory of past service, and that he who was once a commanding force now lingers superfluous on the stage—this expresses, perhaps, the utmost poignant of human experience.

Not that the Hon. Peter would for a moment acknowledge that he is embittered by the consciousness that the great work of his life—the making confederation possible—has not received that appreciative regard from his countrymen that it deserved. "Sir Peter," as those who know him intimately love to call him, is a bit of a cynic; but through his cynicism there runs a healthy sound of laughter. At seventy-five he is genial, lively, apt, while his characterizations—the verisimilitude of which is striking in the extreme—never exclude a certain large tolerance which sympathizes with limitation.

Sir Peter is pleased to think that a certain remembrance of his work is being stirred up in the public mind. At the same time the Father of Confederation has no illusions. The public has a short memory, and one of the most eloquent arguments in the world is a bank account.

After all, what is a monument—though it be of enduring brass—when you are dead? He who neglects his own interests to serve the public may be a patriot; will patriotic keep one warm and comfortable in his old age?

Sir Peter is apt, in his cynical way, which he purposely exaggerates, to strike a note like this; but he immediately says, "After all I have the consciousness that I served my country and the public are beginning to recognize what it meant to bring about confederation.

Sir Peter comes of a wholesome Scotch ancestry. He himself was born, in the year 1824, at Newcastle, Miramichi, New Brunswick. He early discovered a love for the legal profession, and went as a law clerk to Mr. George Kerr, then a prominent lawyer, in which capacity he served four years. After this he studied law for five years, and was called to the bar in due course as a barrister. Other interests, however, engaged his attention, and he gave attention to the lumbering and shipbuilding industries. Chiefly politics claimed the regard of the ardent and independent young man, and although in New Brunswick the people had only known the rule of the political oligarchies, here and there a spirit of independence was springing up, to which young Mr. Mitchell gave daring expression. He was asked to stand for the county of North Northumberland, while a very young man. He made his maiden speech in 1841; he entered the Legislature, which then knew no regular parties, and which was dominated by the family compact system. There was not much chance for distinction; there was no large questions at issue; the county was undeveloped; and, in the words of Mr. Mitchell, "we just drifted along until the question of confederation came up."

Mr. Mitchell became in due course Legislative Councillor, and in 1858 he entered the government of Mr. (afterwards Sir Leonard) Tilley.

"Who is responsible for the confederation idea? Who claimed original authorship?"

"I don't know that any man ever claimed to be the originator of the idea," the Hon. Peter will tell you, as he allows his mind to dwell upon the past. "It had been in the air for a great while. In the Lower Provinces there had been the thought that New Brunswick, Prince Edward Island and Nova Scotia should unite in one province. That was a good idea. It should have been carried out. The then governor, the Hon. Hamilton Gordon, uncle of the present Earl of Aberdeen, was in favor of this move. I do not inputs motives, but it would have been natural had the governor seen in such a union the chance of a great distinction, as the first Governor-General. Re that as it may, he supported the union of the three provinces, and representatives of these provinces had agreed to meet at Charlottetown to discuss the proposal, and it is curious that just as we were about to open the conference, Sir John MacDonald, Sir George Carter, the Hon. Mr. McDougall, the Hon. Mr. Langvin, and Hon. Mr. Chapsais, landed in the government steamer, came to our meeting, and made the suggestion that we should consider the larger question of confederation of all the parts of Canada. This proposal was made in an off-hand way, and it is curious to reflect what trifling circumstances are instrumental in bringing about large results. We con-

ferred to adjourn our conference and meet in Quebec.

The Quebec conference was held, and the larger idea mooted. We did not reach details; we dealt with general principles. The question was how stood public opinion? Neither Sir John Macdonald, for Ontario; Cartier, for Quebec; Tupper, for Nova Scotia; dare bring the issue before the public. They were all afraid of defeat. I then boldly said that I was not afraid to go to the people of New Brunswick upon the confederation issue. The test was to be made in my province. It was made, and although the people, as a whole, were favorable to the idea, still, through local circumstances, the question was defeated. The Tilley Government retired from power, and Albert J. Smith became premier.

"Well, that was a slap in the face, or looked like it. I still remained a member of the Legislature. The governor and I were great friends. I had often given him advice, and helped him all in my power. He was about to leave for England to get married, and before he left he said to me, 'Well, Mr. Mitchell, I suppose it will be a long time before we see you again among us,' meaning that I would not be a member of any government for a good while. 'Oh, I don't know that,' I replied. 'I believe confederation can still be carried.' 'Are you in earnest?' 'I certainly am,' I answered, 'and the last has not been heard of the question.' 'Well, that alters the complexion of the question,' was the governor's reply.

When the governor returned he sent for Mr. Mitchell, and reverted to the confederation question. The latter was strongly of opinion that confederation could be carried—if a chance were given. 'Suppose I give you a chance,' said the governor, significantly.

"Well, the man to carry it is Mr. Tilley. I will work under him and do all in my power, but he must lead."

"Do you wish for the opportunity?" asked the governor.

"Certainly."

"See Mr. Tilley, make your arrangements, let me know, and I will find a way."

Mr. Tilley had been defeated upon the question by a majority of two to one. He said to Mr. Mitchell: "You can try again, if you like; you don't care what the people think of you."

"Not two straws."

"Very well; go ahead; I will support you; but I could not lead; or the people would say I was a fool."

In the end, Mr. Mitchell undertook to lead the campaign. The governor was communicated with; an occasion of disagreement with the ministry was found. "You know these things are simple when you understand," said Mr. Mitchell significantly. Mr. Mitchell was sent for to form a ministry, which he did, and the new administration went to his people with the cry of confederation for the whole of Canada.

Mr. Mitchell was Premier, of course; Tilley was made Secretary; Fisher, Attorney-General; Johnson, Solicitor-General; R. D. Wilnot, minister without portfolio. Mr. Mitchell held five of the seats in the Cabinet vacant, putting a proper regard upon the temptations of office to influence the doubting.

Well, Mr. Mitchell was a young man; he was full of courage and daring; he made speeches all day and all night; he aroused the country; and he was returned by an overwhelming majority—a majority of four to one—completely reversing in four months, the popular decision.

"The sole issue was confederation. Mr. Tilley gave me the warmest support, but it was my own personality. It was not politics; it was a person. I thus made confederation possible, for, as I tell you, not one of the men concerned dared go before the other provinces with the question. New Brunswick came up to the test, and the vote made confederation a reality."

The Quebec conference met a second time, when the plan was elaborated, and the New Federal Cabinet formed.

Curiously enough, Mr. Mitchell's name was left out—or, rather,—before Mr. Mitchell was thought of, Sir John Macdonald had given all the Cabinet seats away.

"I am sorry, Mr. Mitchell," he said, "but I had to promise the fellows all the positions; but I have created two new positions—the Ministry of Marine and Fisheries and the Secretary of State for the provinces. I offer you the latter."

"I would rather have marine and fisheries," Mr. Mitchell said.

"But I tell you there is nothing to do in it; take the secretaryship," Sir John urged.

"No I prefer the other."

"Do you insist upon it?"

"I do."

"Very well, you shall have it."

"Now, why was I rather neglected by Sir John?" Mr. Mitchell asks, musingly.

"Because I was not so plastic as the other men in the first place: because, in the second, I had done something which Sir John, with all his prestige in Ontario, could not do. I had carried confederation in the only province in the Dominion in which a test has been made. Sir John was jealous of me. He showed it then; he showed it afterwards. I did not wait till he died to say so, either.

The scheme was carried by the several legislatures; the Imperial act was passed, and the new Cabinet entered upon office in July, 1867.

Mr. Mitchell refers with pride to the

fact that he made his portfolio useful and valuable, working hard and effectually, while he remained minister, and introducing the system of lights which make the navigation of our lakes and rivers safe. The Pacific scandal caused the downfall of the government.

"It was said that I had become a Tory to enter the coalition government. Nothing of the sort. I was a Liberal, an Independent Liberal—a radical, in short. But I remained loyal to the coalition principle. At the same time, while I did not denounce Macdonald, in connection with the Pacific deal, I did not support him, and for this he never forgave me. I stood aloof from that scandal. No man can say that I was besmirched then. Of course, I made enemies, and while the titles were flying about I was forgotten, remaining simple Peter Mitchell. I never asked for favors, but Sir John knifed me because I had done what he could not do. By carrying Confederation I have proved myself to be the strongest man in the country."

Mr. Mitchell remained a member of parliament during the Mackenzie regime. It was then that Widow Murphy's cow crossed to the dignity of an event; occupying Hansard, bulking monstrously before the affrighted vision of the ministers and threatening to wreck government.

The Widow Murphy had a little farm in the neighborhood of Barnaby's river in the Lower Provinces, close to the line of the Intercolonial. The fence was supposed to be fenced in so that cattle could not cross it, to destroy crops. The fence got pulled down, and stray cattle destroyed fifty dollars' worth of the Widow's produce.

It was really the cow and not the cow, but history knows the incident as Widow Murphy's cow. Mr. Mitchell had been asked to see justice done to the widow. He entered the office of the Premier, Mr. Mackenzie, who was also Minister of Public Works. The latter was sitting at his desk. He did not look up. Mr. Mitchell advanced and stated his business. Mr. Mackenzie, in a Scotch accent, which it would delight you to hear

Mr. Mitchell mimick, said that it seemed to him everybody there was putting their cattle across the tracks that they might make claims against the government. He did not believe there was any foundation in half the claims. Mr. Mitchell insisted upon the justice of the case. The Minister said he would not entertain it.

"You won't!" said Mitchell, doggedly.

"I won't," said the Minister. "Then I'll be at your side. I'll show you that when Peter Mitchell takes up a case he never drops it till he wins his point."

What happened? Mr. Mitchell blocked the business of the country. He made speeches by the hour. When it came to committee of supply he refused to allow the most trifling item to pass. The ministers were in despair. Then there came the million dollar item for the militia.

Mr. Mitchell made an hour speech against it. The minister of militia, the Hon. Mr. Vail, came over to the speakers and asked him, in the name of heaven, what he meant? Were they not good friends? Was he going to destroy the militia service? Was he going to make chaos of the public business? "Don't you know what I'm doing?" Mr. Mitchell asked. Oh, no; he knew nothing about the case. Well, it was Widow Murphy's cow. That cow must be paid for. The session would last till July but that cow would be paid for. He had promised to take it out of the Mackenzie's hide, and he rather thought he was doing it. "I'll fix that cow business," said the minister desperately. There was a ministerial consultation. Mr. Vail returned. "The cow will be paid for in the morning." Mr. Mitchell rose to a great height, announced at the triumph to the house, and begged to apologize for the time he had taken up in the cause of justice. That ended the matter, but 'Hansard' has the record of Widow Murphy's cow.

Mr. Mitchell formed the Third Party in parliament, which was mockingly said to be contained under his own hat. It is the opinion of the old veteran that there is no room for a third party in our system. "I tried it and it did not succeed. We can have only two parties. It is perhaps a pity, but there would be intolerable confusion with a third party. 'I never was plastic, you know; I had my own opinions and I suppose I suffered for them.'"

"Is there not danger, through the impossibility of forming an independent party, of the slavery of the party machines? A man, whatever he feels, must vote with his party, or be lost."

"That is the difficulty, no doubt; but he need not sacrifice his conscience; he can make protest; but he will not get place or power."

Mr. Mitchell is inclined to think that the men nowadays are not quite so big (intellectually) as the men of the early Confederation times. The ability of Sir John Macdonald, Sir Charles Tupper, Sir Hector Langevin, Sir George Carter, William Macdonnell and George Brown and others reached a high point. Mackenzie, too, was an exceedingly able man. The men of today seemed to him to be of smaller calibre. Nor was parliamentary debating to-day equal to what it was in his younger days.

The Hon. Peter is alive to what is going on in the outside world, and he hastened, upon the arrival of General Agoncillo, to present him with a copy of the

Canadian constitution—offering, at the same time, to act as intermediary between the Philippines and the American Government, in case there was possibility of an amicable settlement. This Sir Peter strongly recommended, pointing out that the American people were the most progressive in the world, and that friendly relations with them would be in the best interests of the Philippines. He reminded General Agoncillo that while it might seem ridiculous for him to offer his good offices in the connection, he was sneered at thirty-three years ago when he took the stand he did in connection with Confederation—every one saying that he would never carry it; but those who sneered lived to confess that the work he then did built up the Dominion.

"Having then, General, some experience in nation-building, you can command me in case I can ever be of service to your cause." The Hon. Peter thinks this was rather neatly done, and stands ready to give the Philippines pointers upon constitution-making when the propitious moment arrives.

The position, he thinks, is perfectly congruous, seeing that whereas before Confederation we had an undeveloped country which had no markets, and which could not borrow, we have now, by the consummation of confederation, which he brought about, a nation, with resources developed, the open markets of the world and the ability to borrow money upon the best terms. As all this was made possible by his act, in carrying Confederation in New Brunswick, the Hon. Peter thinks it would be quite in the nature of things that he should give wrinkles to the Filipinos.

"And now, Sir Peter, if you had your life to live over again, would you serve the public interest?"

"No, sir; I would serve my own interest. What does a man gain by serving his country?"

"Well, there is, first of all, the consciousness of having done his duty."

"And then it is something to be upon the public lip as a man who has done a great thing."

"And what will that do for you? Will it keep you warm or comfortable?"

"But the patriot never expects reward."

"No, but the best argument in the world is a bank account. If I had devoted as much energy to my own private affairs as I have devoted to the public interest the material results would have been very different."

It was suggested that it might be a sweet thought to contemplate a monument after death.

"Look here, none of that stuff. What does a monument matter when you are dead? Does it do you any good? You are talking nonsense, you know. Still," said Sir Peter, breaking into a smile, "the people are remembering that I did a notable thing for the country when I carried Confederation."

Dreyfus at St. Vincent.

PARIS, June 20.—The French second-class cruiser Sfax which is bringing Capt. Dreyfus to France, anchored off St. Vincent, Cape Verd Islands at 3 o'clock Sunday afternoon. Her commander cable-d, "All well on board."

After coaling the cruiser will proceed for the Azores, where another short stoppage will be made. It is said that M. Dugay has refused the request of Madame Dreyfus to see her husband on his arrival.

Committed for Trial.

DREYFUS, June 20.—Hattie Sweeney, the woman under arrest for concealing remains of her dead child in a house subsequently burned at Marshfield, was to-day sent up for trial by Justice White. The parties implicated in the murder of the child found in Robinson's woods some ten days ago have not yet been apprehended, but suspects are under surveillance.

The Alaskan Boundary Question.

TORONTO, June 23.—The Globe's London cable says: Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman, leader of the opposition in the British House of Commons, authorizes me to state that despatches cabled from London to American newspapers earlier in the month alleging that an understanding has been arrived at between the two great parties in the House regarding a British policy upon the question of the Alaskan boundary, this understanding involving a decision favorable to the United States, are utterly untrue. Sir Henry has not even expressed an opinion regarding the question and has made no agreement with anybody.

They speak of an elaborate banquet as being so much a plate because it is so much a bottle.

You can Save Money by buying your

GROCERIES,
HARDWARE,
and CROCKERY

—FROM—

W. H. Dunham,
115 MAIN STREET, ST. JOHN.
Orders promptly filled.

THE QUEENS COUNTY GAZETTE.

The Queens County Gazette will be issued from the office of Jas. A. Stewart,

Main Street, Gagetown, N. B.

EVERY

WEDNESDAY MORNING,

In time for Despatch by the earliest mails of the day

The Subscription price will be

\$1.00 PER YEAR IN ADVANCE.

THE GAZETTE

Job Printing

Department

is equipped with good press, new type and a complete stock of material. We keep on hand a large and well assorted stock of all kinds of Stationery. We are in a position to do all kinds of Job Printing, such as

Letter Heads,
Note Heads,
Bill Heads,
Statements,
Envelopes,
Business Cards,
Visiting Cards,
Pamphlets,

Dodgers,
Posters,
Circulars,
Lables,
Tickets,
Tags,
Books,
Etc., Etc

MAIL ORDERS PROMPTLY ATTENDED TO.

Address all communications to

Jas. A. Stewart,
Publisher,
Gagetown, N. B

BIGGLE BOOKS

A Farm Library of unequalled value—Practical, Up-to-date, Concise and Comprehensive—Hand-somely Printed and Beautifully Illustrated.

By JACOB BIGGLE

No. 1—BIGGLE HORSE BOOK
All about Horses—A Common-Sense Treatise, with over 70 illustrations: a standard work. Price, 50 Cents.

No. 2—BIGGLE BERRY BOOK
All about growing Small Fruits—read and learn how to cultivate them. Contains 100 colored life-like reproductions of all leading varieties and 100 other illustrations. Price, 50 Cents.

No. 3—BIGGLE POULTRY BOOK
All about Poultry: the best Poultry Book in existence—tells everything; with colored life-like reproductions of all the principal breeds; with 100 other illustrations. Price, 50 Cents.

No. 4—BIGGLE COW BOOK
All about Cows and the Dairy Business: having a great sale; contains 8 colored life-like reproductions of each breed, with 120 other illustrations. Price, 50 Cents.

No. 5—BIGGLE SWINE BOOK
Just out. All about Hogs—Breeding, Feeding, Butchering, Slaughtering, etc. Contains over 20 beautiful illustrations and other engravings. Price, 50 Cents.

The BIGGLE BOOKS are unique, original, useful—you never saw anything like them—so practical, so sensible. They will bring you enormous sales—East, West, North and South. Every one who keeps a Horse, Cow, Hog or Chickens will find it worth his while to send right away for the BIGGLE BOOKS.

FARM JOURNAL

Is your paper, made for you and not a copy. It is 22 years old; it is the great booted-down, hit-the-nail-on-the-head, quill pen, the most reliable, the most interesting paper in the world—the biggest paper of its size in the United States of America—having over a million and a-half regular readers.

Any ONE of the BIGGLE BOOKS, and the FARM JOURNAL 1 YEAR, (with a year's trial of the FARM JOURNAL, 1900, 1901 and 1902) will be sent by mail to any address for a DOLLAR BILL.

Sample of FARM JOURNAL, and circular describing BIGGLE BOOKS free.

WILKINS & COMPANY, Address, FARM JOURNAL, PHILADELPHIA.

CHAS. F. JENKINS.

Great Clubbing Offer.

The "Queens County Gazette" has made arrangements with the publishers of the "Vermont Farm Journal," which enables us to make the most remarkable clubbing offer ever before heard of in this section. Here it is:

- QUEENS COUNTY GAZETTE 1 YEAR.
- VERMONT FARM JOURNAL 1 YEAR.
- TORONTO WEEKLY GLOBE 1 YEAR.
- AMERICAN POULTRY ADVOCATE 1 YEAR.
- THE GENTLEWOMAN 1 YEAR.
- MARION HARLAND'S COOK BOOK.
- TEN NIGHTS IN A BAR ROOM.

All for \$1.75 Regular Price \$5.00

This great combination meets the wants of the entire household. The Queens County Gazette gives all the local and county news; it is your home paper and no member of the household can do without it. The Vermont Farm Journal and American Poultry Advocate should be in the hands of every up-to-date farmer or poultry raiser. The "Gentlewoman" is the best paper we know of for the ladies, being very similar in size, make up and quality to the "Ladies Home Journal." The Toronto Weekly Globe gives you the condensed news of the world in good, clean, readable form, the market reports and lots of other interesting matter. It will be eagerly read each week by every member of the family. Marion Harland's Cook Book contains over 300 well printed pages and more than 1,000 practical recipes; there is no better cook book in print for practical, every day use among the common people than this; it advocates economy in cooking. "Ten Nights in a Bar Room" by N. S. Arthur is the greatest temperance novel of the age and the most intensely interesting book you ever read; the work is complete and unabridged, printed from new plates on good paper and well bound—alone worth our price for the combination. Sample copies of papers for a two cent stamp.

Address with the cash.

QUEENS COUNTY GAZETTE,
GAGETOWN, N. B.

MANKS & CO.,
85 Charlotte St.

WE BUY RAW SKINS
Wanted now—Bear, Raccoon and Skunk.

WE SELL
All kinds of Hats.
All kinds of Caps!
All kinds of Furs!

COME AND TRY US.

John McCann,
INDIANTOWN, N. B.
Still keeps up his stock of
FANCY GROCERIES
.....CONSISTING OF.....
FLOUR,
MEAL,
FISH,
SALT,
MOLASSES,
PORK,
Other articles too numerous to mention.
Oils American and Canadian.
CREAM TARTAR LOW AS USUAL
Prices to suit the times

MONCTON
1899 Woolen Mills 1899

I have much pleasure in announcing to my customers and the general public that I will make them my annual call with a full line of goods from the above mills which will consist of

YARNS, SHIRTINGS, FLANNELS,
BLANKETING, RUGGING, HOME-
SPUNS, TWEEDS, OVERCOAT-
INGS, AND DRESS GOODS.

These goods need no introduction to you as for the past ten years I have called upon you. You have seen that great improvements have been made each year in the style, coloring and finish and this year is no exception. I am confident that I can offer you goods not excelled by any mill in the maritime provinces, and as this will be the last season I will call on you in this century. I trust you will continue to give me the patronage you have so generously bestowed in the past and assist me to make my sales the largest of any year I have had the pleasure of dealing with you. I am,

Yours very truly,
A. D. McLEAN.
CAMBRIDGE, April 7th, 1899.

Farm and Household.

Buckwheat for Low Grounds.

The buckwheat crop is peculiar in the fact that it can be put in after July and still make a crop of grain that furnishes excellent food for man. It is almost always sown on low, wet land that could not be tilled earlier in the season. In fact, it is more often a failure than not if sown on high, dry land, even in the East, where there is usually plenty of moisture. It cannot be grown with profit beyond the region of the great lakes, and the two States of Pennsylvania and New York produce yearly more buckwheat than all the other States in the Union.

Restoring an Old Orchard.

It is sometimes thought to restore an old orchard that to plant a new one and wait for the young trees to grow. This may be done by judiciously pruning and removing all of the dead wood, then manuring the ground in the fall and applying fertilizers in the spring. The manure must be used liberal, first lightly stirring the surface soil and then applying the manure, which should be well worked in when spring opens.

Wonders of the Bee.

Every bee carries his market basket around his hind legs. Any one examining the body of the bee through a microscope will observe that on the hind legs of the creature there is a fringe of stiff hairs on the surface, the hair approaching each other at the tips, so as to form a sort of a cage. This is the bee's basket, and into it, after a successful journey, he will cram enough pollen to last him for two or three days.

Rather the Opposite.

Indignant Mother—How dare you suffer for him to kiss you, Marguerite?
Sweet Seventeen—Oh! there wasn't any suffering about it, ma dear.—Tit-Bits.

Floor Paint, Home-Mixed.

A very nice floor paint is made by mixing a half gallon of boiled linseed oil and pint of Japan with three ounces of ochre, one of red and two of yellow; mix well together and apply two coats. This makes a very pretty color and a smooth, glossy paint. It is very much cheaper and will wear a great deal longer than any ready mixed floor paint that you can buy in the market. When sweeping a painted floor wet the broom often in a pail of water and shake off all the water you can, then sweep; this will take up all the dust and make the floor look clean, and will save a great deal of scrubbing.

Orchard and Garden.

The quince can readily be propagated by cuttings.
Give the house plants as much light as possible during the day and darkness with a low temperature at night.
Wounds on trees that are likely to rot should have the air excluded in some way. Shellac or white lead may be used.
Scatter wood ashes in the orchard. They contain the elements mostly needed to make healthy trees and good fruit.
In sowing beets, carrots and parsnips it is a good plan to mix a few radish seed with them so that the rows may be seen.
Young and thrifty trees of moderate size are always better than overgrown ones, but always avoid a small, stunted tree.
Shrubs that bloom early on wood of the previous year should not be pruned in early spring, if abundant blossoms are wanted.
Old bones and old shoes contain a large per cent of plant food and can be used to a good advantage by burying them among the roots of fruit trees.

Pine Tar For Insects.

By distilling pine knots, a very promising insecticide has been secured. The Alabama Experiment Station has tested it for leaf eating insects, and finds that it both kills and repels them. It has a slight burning effect upon the foliage, but Mr. Koch, who introduces it, hopes to succeed in overcoming this another season. It mixes quite readily with water, and its slightly gummy and sticky properties make it more enduring than the ordinary insecticide. The undiluted material has been used on young elms and found excellent for repelling borers and insects by smearing it over the trunks. For this purpose the fact that it washes off easily during wet weather is an objection.

Success means work—with poultry it means a practical knowledge of and close attention of all the small details of the business. Good luck comes to the man with knowledge who applies it; bad luck to those who don't know and won't learn.
Stock is shipped nowadays on approval by most breeders; there is no need for any one to buy something inferior. If you cannot go and see the stock, have it sent on approval, but don't expect the shipper to foot all the bills; he has rights, too.
Take all the selfish people out of the world and the city directory wouldn't be near so bulky.
It's no wonder barbers get in lots of "scrapes," since they pull the nose of every man they shave.

Burial of the Victims.

HALIFAX, June 18.—The story of the victims of the Caledonia mine explosion is pathetic. Glouce Bay was crowded with people and flags are at half mast in all the churches in which special services were held. Of weeping women and children there were many. "The saddest day the island ever saw," were the words that fell from the stricken people. The mine is still on fire despite the volumes of water pumped down and huge clouds of white smoke arise from the funnel of the air shaft. An attempt was made today to go down but forty feet from the shaft the workmen's lights went out and they had to return.
Various theories are held as to the origin of the fire, the most probable being that it started near the base of the air shaft in the east deep, where a constant fire is kept in a large stove, the air being chilly in that vicinity. A spark from this may have caused the conflagration. It is feared that the fire has reached a point underneath the residence of Mr. Donkin, the resident manager. A cave-in occurred there last fall, necessitating extensive propping of the roof, so a large quantity of lumber is there for the fire to feed on. Out of the eleven men killed five were married, having each from three to eight children.
Latest reports are that the fire is very difficult to control and grave fears are entertained.

HALIFAX, June 19.—There is grave danger of further explosions in the Caledonia mine of the Dominion Coal Company. The roof of the pit is falling in and houses on the surface are in danger. The currents in the mine have been changed and are now on the fire, which has been making rapid progress. The pit will be flooded, the only possible way to save it.
Martin's body, the only one of the eleven men not recovered yesterday, has not yet been found.
Don't expect to get remarkable egg yields without working for them. The professional poultryman who gets three times as many eggs a year as does your farmer neighbor, is reaping the benefit of knowing how. That is he breeds for eggs beginning with his grandmothers—and he has not only bred for eggs, but he hatches for eggs, and he feeds for eggs until, like the farmer who makes two blades of grass to grow where one grew before, the egg man makes his hen lay two eggs where the other fellow's lays but one—or maybe none at all.

Workmen Badly Injured.

MORROX, June 20.—Yesterday afternoon two men named James Lesman and H. Cannon were removing staging from Humphreys & Co.'s new store, Humphreys' mills, when the staging broke, and they were precipitated 25 feet. They were both picked up in an unconscious state and conveyed to the hospital.
Medical examination could not find any broken bones, but the men are in a serious state, and it is not yet known to how serious an extent. Another man named Steadman, seized the edge of a flat roof and kept himself suspended with one hand until the ladder was secured.

The Deadly Yukon Trail.

CIRCLE CITY, Ala., May 29. (via San Francisco, June 19.)—A story of possible cannibalism and death on the Yukon trail has just reached here. Three men who left Dahl river were not heard from again, and they were supposed to have been lost. Nothing was heard of them here till the steamer Riddout which arrived to-day brought a tale of suffering and horror.
The men were Thomas Daly, William Provost and Mitchell. They were from Providence, R. I.; Woonsocket, R. I., and Brockton, Mass., respectively. Their bodies were discovered 17 miles from the mouth of Old Man Creek, they having lost the trail and become bewildered. Having left Dahl river with only three weeks food, but which was amply sufficient for the 150 miles to Jinto, they were soon reduced to starvation.
Daly's body was found partly eaten, on the stove in the tent, just as it was left when death overtook the others. Some scraps of moose hide and mocassins were found, of which they were endeavoring to make a stew. Daly's body was identified by his clothes, the other two men were found dead five miles away from the tent.
I. C. R. Trackmen's Wages.

Why is it

that of all the preparations of Cod Liver Oil in the market

WILEY'S EMUSION.

is the most satisfactory and getting the largest sale

Because

it is one half Pure Cod Liver Oil, full dose of Hypophosphites, readily taken by children as well as adults.

Cures Coughs, Colds, and Builds up the System. Made from the Most approved formula after years of experience.

For Sale by Dealers Everywhere.

C. L. SCOTT,

MANUFACTURER AND DEALER IN
GARRIAGE, CARTS AND SLEIGHS.
—ALSO HEAD QUARTERS FOR—
Massey-Harris Farm Machinery.
—SUCH AS—
PLOW, HARROWS, REAPERS,
MOWERS, SOWERS, CULTIVATORS, ETC., ETC.
NOTICE.—All persons desiring to have their sleighs or carriages repaired, painted or upholstered will kindly send same by boat. Orders will receive prompt attention.
Orders by mail promptly attended to
C. L. SCOTT,
MAIN ST. GAGETOWN N. B.

Farming in the Maritime Provinces

Differs materially from farming in Ontario and the West. Conditions are different and our markets not the same. A product profitable in those sections would not pay the tillage here, and a suggestion valuable to a westerner, would prove disastrous if followed by our farmers. In subscribing for a agricultural publication it is well to bear this in mind. There's only one paper that treats of farming from a Maritime Province standpoint. It is the
Co-operative Farmer
PUBLISHED SEMI-MONTHLY AT
SUSSEX, N. B.
Sixteen handsomely printed pages every issue, with frequent illustrations of local interest, and oftentimes with several additional pages. Free sample copies from the publishers.
R. D. ROBINSON & CO.,
SUSSEX, N. B.

NOTICE.

All persons having claims against the estate of the late William Bates, of Cambridge, Queens County, are requested to present the same, duly attested, to the undersigned within one month of the date hereof and all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment.
ROBERT F. DAVIS,
Administrator.
Dated at Gagetown, Queens County, this 15th day of May, A. D. 1899.

NOTICE.

All persons having claims against the estate of the late Henry J. DuVernet, of Gagetown, Queens County, are requested to present the same, duly attested, to the undersigned within one month of the date hereof, and all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment.
ROBERT F. DAVIS,
Administrator.
Dated at Gagetown, Queens County, this 15th day of May, A. D. 1899.

FOR SALE.

THE EFFECTS OF RICHARD HAMILTON.
Including 1 Barber Chair, 1 beveled edged plate glass Mirror 32x30 inches, 1 Cooking Range, Chairs, Tables, Ice Cream Freezers, Oil Stove, Set of Dishes and many other articles. Apply to
J. W. DICKIE,
Gagetown, May 1st 1899.

FOR SALE.

Wilkinson's Ploughs, Nos. 2, 5 and 8; Little Giant Cultivators, Wheelbarrows, Bowker's Phosphate, and all kind of Plough Fittings, &c.
ROBERT DAVIS,
Agent for the Parish of Gagetown for the Wilkinson Ploughs.
Upper Gagetown, May 10th, 1899.

FOR SALE.

The subscriber offers for sale the lot adjoining the one occupied by his residence known as the Stockport Lot.
WM. HAMILTON,
Gagetown, April 26

50 YEARS
EXPER
PATENTS
TRADE MARKS & DESIGNS
COPYRIGHTS &c.
Anyone sending a sketch and description may receive several opinions free of charge. Considerable success is usually obtained. Complete and satisfactory results guaranteed. Handbooks on Patents sent free. Oldest agency for securing patents. Patents taken through Henry & Co receive special notice, without charge. In the U. S. & Europe.
A handsomely illustrated weekly. Largest circulation of any scientific journal. Terms, \$2 a year; four months, \$1. Sold by all newsdealers.
HENRY & CO. 248 Broadway, New York
Branch Office, 45 F. St., Washington, D. C.

T. F. Granville,

IMPORTER AND DEALER IN
General Groceries and provisions,
Flour, Meal, Tea, Sugar, Mo. ssen,
Pork, Fish, Farming Implements, &c.
Country Produce consigned to me sold at highest market prices and quick returns made. Consignments solicited. Produce of all kinds taken in exchange for goods.
Robertson's Wharf, Indiantown.
ESTABLISHED 1791.

A. Chipman Smith & Co.,

Druggists and Apothecaries,
No. 1 City Market Building, Charlotte St.,
Saint John, N. B.
KEEP CONSTANTLY ON HAND
Fine Drugs and Chemicals, Materia Medica, Druggists' Sundries,
Dye Stuffs, Perfumery,
Soaps, Brushes Combs, Etc., Etc.

CROTHERS BROS.

STEAM SAW MILL,
Upper Gagetown.
Local Sawing done in First Class Shape and at Reasonable Rates.
150 CORDS 4-FOOT SLAB WOOD FOR SALE VERY LOW.
Special Prices for Country Orders.

Under taker,

N. W. Brennan,
F. A. YOUNG,
IMPORTER AND DEALER IN
General Hardware.
Agent for Sherwin-Williams' Paint

Wm. Hillman,

GOLD AND SILVER PLATER
All kinds of Old Silver Ware replated and repaired and made to look as good as new at reasonable prices. Orders by mail promptly attended to. All kinds of Carriage Irons plated with Gold or Silver.
NO. 11 GERMAIN STREET,
ST. JOHN, N. B.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that I have been appointed Executor of the estate of Jane Hamilton, late of the Parish of Hampstead deceased, and all parties indebted to said estate are requested to make payment to me forthwith and all creditors to render their accounts, duly attested, within one month from date.
ANDREW DONALD, Executor.
Dated at Hampstead, this 9th Jan. 1899.

Farm for Sale.

The Farm on Maquapit Lake, Queens County, known as Denton's Point, containing 80 acres, more or less, good dwelling House, barns and outhouses. Never failing well of water, good orchard and other fruit, farm well fenced with Cedar. For particulars apply to,
JACOB BALMAIN,
Scotchtown, Queens Co., N. B.

SHARP & McMACKIN,

**335 MAIN STREET,
ST. JOHN, N. B., NORTH END.
THE LOWEST PRICED
DRY GOODS STORE IN ST. JOHN.**

ARE NOW SHOWING

DRESS GOODS

Two tone double width, something nice for children's wear, 15c., 18c., 25c.
Fancy Mixtures, 28c., 40c., 45c.
Colored Fancy Lustre, 22c.
Black Fancy Lustre, 25c. to 50c.
Plain Black Lustre, 25c. to 45c., splendid value.
Colored All-Wool Cashmere, 35c.
Black All-Wool Cashmere, 35c., 40c., 55c., 75c.

WHITE COTTONS

36 in. wide, 6c., 7c., 8c., 9c. and 10c. yard, the best value in the City.

GREY COTTONS

Having made a special purchase of 100 pieces beyond the advance in price, we are giving our customers the full benefit and are offering **30 yards of 36 inch Cotton for \$1.00.**

CURTAINS

We have them at all prices the very best value in the City.

It will be to the advantage of people living in the country to buy from us and save time and money as our PRICES ARE THE LOWEST.
DON'T FORGET THE PLACE!
335 MAIN STREET, NORTH END.

HOSIERY

Ladies', Misses' and Children's Cotton and Cashmere Hose from 5c. up.
A special ribbed Boy's Fast Black Hose 5 to 8 1-2 inch, from 8c. to 14c. per pair.
See our Ladies Cotton Hose at 10c.

MEN'S READY-MADE PANTS

Made of the best Canadian and English Tweeds from 98c. up.
Also Cloth for Men's wear, all wool, from 25c. per yard up.

HEMP CARPETS

50 pieces of the above which we are offering at very low prices.

FLOOR OILCLOTHS

1 yd. 11-2 yds and 2 yds wide at Lowest Prices.

TABLE OILCLOTHS

Men's Shaker Flannel Shirts

From 25c. Up.

Correspondence.

Spoily News Items Gathered by Gazette Correspondents

Shannon.

June 24.—Invitations are out for the marriage of Miss Evangeline McCready, one of our most esteemed young ladies, and Mr. Thos. Palmer of Hampstead. This place has a goodly number of eligible young men and Hampstead is noted for its fair women. A retaliation will now be in order.

Miss Maude Furlong and Miss Spragg of St. John has been spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Furlong.

Messrs. Allen Green and Ralph Burnham Corcoran of Big Cove, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Furlong last Sunday. Mr. Arthur McDonald, of McDonald's Point, spent Sunday in the neighborhood.

Mr. Walter Jones has been so unfortunate as to cut his foot. He has our sincere sympathy.

The Forrester's excursion to Fredericton last Saturday was quite liberally patronized by our young people. One young man from an adjoining neighborhood, whose form is quite familiar in our village failed to reach the wharf in time to get on board the boat thereby causing aching voids in more hearts than his own.

Bellenden.

June 26.—The weather for the past week has been very disagreeable and stormy which makes it very bad for the farmers to get their buckwheat in.

Mr. Anson Parks who has been sick for so long a time is still getting rapidly better.

Miss Addie Stilwell has gone to St. John to visit her sister.

Miss Carrie Jeffery who has been visiting friends in the States has returned home on account of sickness.

Miss Nellie Starkey was the guest of Miss Pearl Thorne on Friday last.

Mr. Amos Starkey who has been visiting friends at this place returned to his home in Houlton, Maine.

Our school is progressing nicely under the skilful teaching of D. W. Cody. Mr. R. Jeffrey has purchased Joseph Farjo's farm. Joseph Farjo has moved to Fredericton where he intends to do a large business in Stenography.

Cambridge.

June 25.—Rev. Mr. White preached a large and attentive congregation Sunday morning.

To the delight of many the bridge at this place has at last been covered with dirt, there being nothing but the bare

poles before.

Mr. Thimase McLean has completed his stable for his "fast grey" which he purchased last summer.

Schooner "Clarine" Capt. C. F. Keast passed here Saturday evening en route to Rockland, she was leaking badly.

A large number of the young people of this community are enjoying the many comforts of having bicycles. Mr. Geo. S. Robinson is at present agent for the same and would be pleased to have his friends call and be convinced of the fact that his wheels are the best.

We are all very sorry to learn of the departure of Albert Greene for Boston. Albert was and is yet a strong temperance worker, being a member of Queen's Own Lodge of this place. His many friends wish him every success.

Mr. Miles McCutcheon and Miss Clara Robinson have returned home from Normal School. Their friends are glad to see their smiling faces once more.

Mr. Joseph Hetherington of Johnson passed through here on his way to McDonald's Corner.

A Thousand Tongues

Could not express the rapture of Annie E. Springer, of 1125 Howard st., Philadelphia when she found that Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption had completely cured her of a hacking cough that for many years had made life a burden. All other remedies and doctors could give her no help, but she says of this Royal Cure—"It soon removed the pain in my chest and I can now sleep soundly, something I can scarcely remember doing before. I feel like saying its praise throughout the Universe." So will every one who tries Dr. King's New Discovery for any trouble of the Throat, Chest or Lungs. Price 50 cents and \$1.00 at any Drug Store; every bottle guaranteed.

Mouth of James.

July 3rd.—Dominion day was observed in this locality, flags were flying from the topmost poles and many people were wandering here and there on their bicycles all seeming satisfied with the day's outing.

The strms. Victoria, David Weston and May Queen had a large passenger list.

Miss Hattie Purdy left by Strm. Victoria where she will spend a few days.

Miss Corbett, Miss Annabell Smyth and Mr. Prime, of St. John, spent a few days here.

Mr. Hartley Case, of St. John, is stopping at Maple Grove.

Miss Gertrude N. Wilson and Miss White, of St. John, passed through here on their bicycles on Saturday evening

last.

Miss Ella Seely left by boat on Saturday for her home in Hampton, Kings Co. She will again take charge of the school at Lower Cambridge.

Douglas Harbour.

July 3.—Holiday time is with us again and visitors are flocking in. Generally speaking, those who once spend a summer on the shores of our truly Grand Lake, are tempted to return and again find the rest, health and pleasure that may be obtained here.

At present the farms are looking very well considering how backward the season has been. The grass crop in particular is unusually good.

Owing to frequent showers the weather continues very cool for the time of year.

On Friday considerable hail fell in sections.

Electric storms have been frequent and severe throughout the country.

On Wednesday, 28th ult., at Indian-town, Capt. Robert LeB. Palmer, of schr. "Annie Laura" and Miss Annie L. Hanselbacher, of St. John, formerly of Scotchtown, were united in marriage.

Their many friends in this place and vicinity tender the happy couple their congratulations and best wishes for a joyous voyage on the matrimonial sea.

Mrs. D. W. Brooks and daughter Miss Jennie of Hartford Conn., are visiting friends and relatives here.

Mr. Chas. L. Marshall and family, formerly of this place, left a short time ago for Norton, Kings Co., where they intend residing permanently. Mr. Marshall in company with others, intends opening up a new candy factory in that place.

Mr. Shaw and daughter, of St. John, are the guests of Mr. J. Earle.

Mrs. D. W. Bridges and Mrs. F. Perley, of Manguerville, paid their friends here a flying visit on Saturday.

Oakham.

June 27.—Madam Mary E. Kinkade left by this evening's train for a trip through the provinces.

Mr. Bliss Thorne paid a visit to friends here on Monday.

Mr. J. Willis and Miss Agnes Hickson were the guests of Mr. John Hickson on Sunday.

Miss Annie Hickson has gone to Highfield to spend the summer.

The road machine is doing some very excellent work in this part of the country.

Rev. Mr. Shaw, Baptist minister, preached a very impressive sermon to a

large and appreciative audience on Sunday.

Mr. Pheobo Worden returned from St. John by Strm. Star on Tuesday.

Mrs. Thorne Weatherall, of Mill Brook spent a few days of last week with her daughter Mrs. Michael Thorne.

Berries are quite plentiful here now. Mrs. Bessie McMann left for St. John on Monday.

Chipman.

The semi-annual examination of the primary department of the Superior School of Chipman, was held on Friday, the last day of the winter term just expired.

Of the 40 pupils enrolled 37 bright little boys and girls, in holiday attire, were present, overflowing with good nature and the useful knowledge they had acquired during the past term.

There were 38 visitors present which may be taken as an indication of the interest manifested by parents and friends in the cause of education and welfare of the young and rising generation.

Miss Idella Darrah presided at the organ and the choice selection of music was a valuable addition to the intellectual treat given by the youthful scholars of Miss Fairweather's department.

Following is the programme:
A March—by the Organist.
Opening Speech—Wm. Morrison.
Number Work—Grade II.

Charley's Arithmetic—Charles Day.
An Original Story—Jia Hay.
Recitation—Melinda Stilwell.
Animals—Class I.

Dialogue—Choosing a Queen.
Spelling Match—Class A and B.
Song—Beautiful Dudes.
Buy a Broom—Mary Daigle.
Geography N. B.—Class A.

An Original Story—Roy Branscombe.
Recitation—Eddie Darrah.
Recitation—Russell Clarke.
Boys' Rights—Chas. Morrison.

Presentation by Dr. Nugent of three prizes for regular attendance offered by Mrs. G. G. King, viz:
Bible, Basel Wilson; Brooch, Gertrude Bishop; Jack knife, Charley Morrison.

Exercises closed by singing "God be with you till we meet again."

The principal engaged for next term is Mr. Dole, who takes the place of Mr. Bradley, resigned.

The closing examination of the School at Briggs' Corner, took place last Wednesday. The exercises were conducted by Miss Small the teacher, who has resigned charge of the school, and Miss Mary Keith, late of Sussex will have charge next term.

The cheese factory is constantly gaining in the quantity of milk taken in which now amounts to more than 2100 pounds and cheese is selling at 10 cents per pound at the factory.

Mr. C. E. Langin buried his third wife yesterday at the Forks.

Miss Hannah Lloyd has arrived at her home at Briggs' Corner from Boston.

The Mission Band at Briggs Corner held a successful concert last evening in the Baptist church under the management of Miss Small, and a goodly collection was taken in aid of foreign missions.

Senator King is at Ottawa attending Parliament.

The last Royal Gazette announces the appointment of Robert W. McLellan to be Judge of Probate, pro hac vice, in reference to the estate of Hugh McLean late of the Parish of Chipman, deceased.

Pro hac vice means: for this turn or occasion.

Dominion Day was duly observed at Briggs' Corner.

That Throbbing Headache
Would quickly leave you, if you used Dr. King's Life Pills. Thousands of sufferers have proved their matchless merit for Sick and Nervous Headaches. They make pure blood and strong nerves and build up your health. Easy to take. Try them. Only 25 cents. Money back if not cured. Sold by all Druggists.

Summer Hill.

July 1.—The crops in this section are looking exceedingly well for this season of the year. The prospects for a good hay crop this summer are very promising as the grass is now flourishing owing to the numerous June showers.

During the heavy thunder showers on Monday evening last a cow belonging to Mr. Thomas Dale was killed by lightning.

The carpenter work on Mr. John Doolan's house is being done by Mr. Jas. Lawton of St. John.

Mr. A. M. Corbett has a crew of men at work building a wall on which he intends erecting a large barn.

Mr. H. H. Ferguson representing the Massey Harris Co., of St. John, was here last week selling farm machinery.

Mrs. S. Harris of Boston is visiting friends in this place.

We were pleased to hear from the Cloness and Petersville correspondents last week and hope they may continue to give us the news through the GAZETTE from week to week.

Have You a Chronic Pain?
This is an advertisement and is not for thorough well and robust persons, but is intended for those who are suffering from a chronic pain or weak back, who have difficulty in breathing, and who are sufferers from pain in the back, side or chest, such as overworked teachers, sales girls or housewives, or men who have had sudden wrenches, or long standing pain. Cook's Penetrating Porous Plaster, 25 cents will give you instant relief.

Mill Road.

July 4.—The school at this place, taught by Miss M. Cambridge, of Upper Burton, Sunbury Co., closed on Friday 30th ult.

A large number of visitors were present. A short programme was gone through which was as follows:

Recitation—Violet McAllister.
Trio, "I should like to die said Willie," Stella Dingee, Irene Stockford and Violet McAllister.

Recitation, "The Blind Beggar," Minnie Osborne.
Singing, "Autumn Days," The School.
Address—Capt. Weston.

Recitation—Ethel Gourley.
Singing, "How we love those hours of Singing," The School.

Recitation, "Turned to be a Boy," Florie Gourley.
Singing, "Good-bye one and all," The School.
Closing, "Auld Lang Syne."

At the close of the programme the scholars tendered their thanks by presenting their teacher with a handsome book of Tennyson's poems and the following letter:

MILL ROAD, N. B.
June 30th, 1899.
DEAR TEACHER: We the undersigned pupils of this school, wishing to show our love for you as a teacher present you with this book of Tennyson's poems as a slight token of regard.

We wish to thank you for the pains you have taken with us in the past three years.

We know your patience has often been tried but we trust we part as true friends for after all if we were not sorry at the time many of us were afterwards.

The names of those who gave are:
Violet McAllister, Irene Stockford, Ethel Gourley, Annie Dingee, Helena Mahoney, Jennie Mahoney, Perley Simpson, Victor Osborne, Hartley Simpson, Arthur Belyea, Thos. Belyea, Hazen McAllister, Lily Law, Bessie Dingee, Bessie Law, Harry McAllister, Minnie Osborne and Estella Dingee.

Miss Cambridge has taught the school for three years during which time she has been a great friend of the children who are very sorry to have her leave.

Those present at the examination were very much pleased with the way the children have improved of late.

Miss Cambridge left this week for her home at Willow Banks, Upper Burton, Sunbury Co., N. B.

A Frightful Blunder

Will often cause a horrible Burn, Scald, Cut or Bruise. Bucklen's Arnica Salve, the best in the world, will kill the pain and promptly heal it. Cures Old Sores, Fever Sores, Ulcers, Blisters, Eruptions, all Skin Eruptions. Best Pile cure on earth. Only 25 cts. a box. Cure guaranteed. Sold by all Druggists.

McDonald's Corner.

Mr. and Mrs. Gifford Sherwood, of St. John, are visiting their daughter, Mrs. Capt. C. F. Keast.

Miss Ethel Humphrey is spending a few days with friends in St. John.

Mrs. H. O. Hill has the Jas. McDonald house, which she purchased recently, under repair, and when completed will be a handsome home.

Miss Annie L. Briggs, who taught the school at the Narrows for the past three years is spending her vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Briggs. She goes to Sussex next term to the regret of her many friends here.

Miss Albenia McDonald is visiting her father, Mr. Joseph McDonald.

Mr. Allie Greene left here a few days ago for St. John where a good opening has been offered him.

Dominion Day passed off very quietly. Mr. Almond Camp has moved on the homestead much to the gratification of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Camp.

The pulpit of the First Baptist Church was well supplied Sunday. Mr. Seely of Fredericton preached to a large congregation in the morning, and Mr. E. Carpenter, of Sackville, in the evening to a full house.

Mr. H. Humphrey and daughter Miss Ethel returned from St. John July 1st.

Mr. Gladstone McLean spent Sunday with friends at the Corner.

Dr. H. E. Bulyea of St. John is home for a short visit.

Mrs. Humphrey expects her mother and sister, Mrs. Lowden and Mrs. Jacob McDonald from Boston, Thursday, July 6th. They expect to remain several weeks.

Scotchtown.

July 4.—The wet weather of late has been detrimental to the getting in of buckwheat, etc.

The semi-annual examination of the Scotchtown school took place last Thursday. All grades examined showed the excellent manner in which the school has been conducted during the last year.

All branches usually taught in the public schools were taken up and the pupils showed themselves thoroughly efficient to answer any question asked them.

The rapid advancement our school has made during the past term places it second to none in the Province. A good entertainment was given consisting of speeches, recitations, dialogues, etc. At the close of the examination all were treated to confectionery of various kinds, nuts and raisins and various kinds of fruit.

Among the visitors present were Mrs. W. E. Moore, Mrs. Samuel Colwell, sr., Mrs. J. E. Hanselbacher, Mrs. J. H. Estabrooks, Mrs. G. S. Denton, Mrs. J. W. McFarlane, Miss Hattie Earle, Miss Marial McAllister, Miss McFarlane, Mr. Lemuel Colwell, Miss Mary Lister, Mr. Elwood, W. W. Simpson and others.

The visitors thoroughly appreciated the rapid advancement the school has made during the past year under the skilful tutelage of Miss Olara E. Bulyea, Central Cambridge.

Miss Bulyea has proved herself a very efficient teacher and takes her place among the foremost in our fair province. She will return for next term.

Mr. and Mrs. Cowan, Miss Cowan and friend, and Mr. B. Cowan, of St. John were passengers on the May Queen Saturday.

Several of our young people attended worship at Lakeville Corner, on the 2nd inst.

Mr. Hugh Denton made a short visit at Lakeville and Scotchtown yesterday.

One of our young men while engaged in fishing at Lakeville a short time ago had the misfortune to lose his net.

What to do with the Boy.

A conversation was held a short time ago between husband and wife concerning the future welfare of their only son. The mother was for giving him a profession, but the father thought the professions were crowded, and suggested starting the boy in mercantile life.

The father's reason for being opposed to his son entering professional life was that he had a brother, who, while very clever, had nothing to show for his years of labor but a mere living and a good, big account on the debt side—the money spent in educating himself.

The father, although not having the education of his brother, had some years ago engaged with The Bradley-Garretson Co., Limited, of Bradford, Ont., first as canvassing agent, being promoted from time to time until now he was in the very front rank with his company and making lots of money. He has also seen a lot of the world, having been sent to Australia, South Africa, England and United States. It was therefore not to be wondered that he was opposed to his son taking up a profession, and as the son in question had a liking for money and travel, it was finally decided that he ought to follow in the footsteps of his father and enlist with this old reliable Publishing House, especially as he had just received a good salary offered from them.

WANTED!!

A shrewd, careful young man of good character, in each township of Canada. Good wages; business experience not essential.

BRADLEY-GARRETSON CO., Limited. BRANTFORD, ONT.

BLUEBERRIES.—The first blueberries of the season seen here were left on our table on Tuesday morning.

Closing Business!

CLOSING OUT SALE!

I intend to close my business on the First of July and will sell the whole of my stock of Goods at

Such Prices as Will Effect a Speedy Clearance.

I also request all those who are indebted to me to settle their accounts before the

FIRST DAY OF JUNE.

All accounts remaining unsettled at that date will be

Placed in My Attorney's Hands for Collection.

Chas. S. Babbit,

Main Street, Gagetown.

35 Tons of Pressed Hay For Sale.

MAY 8TH, 1899.