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VACANCY FILLED—At Bel River Crossing, Restigouche, William Currie has been installed postmaster in the vacancy caused by the removal of A. McNeil to the United States.

THEY ARE RIGHT—Halifax lobster packers and merchants interested in the lobster industry held a meeting Saturday to demand representation on the commission appointed to investigate the lobster industry.

THE LARGEST LUMBER CARGO ever taken out of St. John went by the steamer Rio Jans which sailed on Saturday for Liverpool with 2,112,556 sup. ft. of deals and 506 tons birch timber shipped by Messrs. A. Gibson & Son.

A "CONSERVATIVE RALLY" is advertised by handbills to take place in Masonic Hall, Newcastle, this evening. The speakers announced are Hon. Geo. E. Foster, Dr. A. Stockton, Geo. Y. McInerney, M. P. and J. Douglas Hesse, Esq.

LIBERTY AND MUSICAL—A very pleasant entertainment was given on Monday afternoon in the music room of the Convent Academy, Chatham. The programme consisted of readings by Miss Aimee Cecil Jones interspersed with musical selections by the Convent Orchestra.

WEDDING AT SUDBURY—The marriage of Mr. Jas. W. Melvin, the popular conductor of the Caracquet and Gulf Shore Railway and Miss Annie Burbridge took place at the home of her uncle, Mr. Richard Burbridge, Island River, Shippegan, on Wednesday evening of last week.

THE I. C. R. AND C. E. TIME TABLES are changed, and trains from Chatham are running as follows: Accommodation for South, 10:00 a. m. Express for South, 12:50 p. m. Express for North, 9:05 p. m. Freight for Fredericton, 7:50 a. m. Fuller particulars will appear next week.

DIED IN BROOKLYN—Bruno Theriak, son of Narcisse Theriak, of Caracquet, Gloucester county, died a couple of weeks ago in Brooklyn, New York. He had been through the Gloucester hospital coming home to visit his parents when he was stricken down with sickness. He was engaged in the taking of Sunday.

FATAL FIRE—Last Sunday afternoon, during a strong breeze, the residence of Martine Dugale, St. Charles, seven miles from Richibucto was destroyed. Mr. Dugale's father, about eighty years of age, who was asleep in the house at the time the fire started, received such injuries that he died two hours after. A three-year-old child was also burned to death.

FROM THE KLONDIKE—Mr. Ray Young, who left Bathurst last February with a number of others for the gold region of the Klondyke has returned home. He was accompanied as far as Montreal by Mr. Milton Doherty, who proceeded to New York to dispose of some claims. Mr. Young says the reports touching the severity of the climate are greatly exaggerated.

JAMES FURBER—Avidon, the sailor who assaulted a young lady at Campbellton some three weeks ago, was brought before the Hon. Judge Wilkinson at Dalhousie on Wednesday and stood to be tried by him under the Special Trial Act. He pleaded guilty to a charge of assault and was sentenced to imprisonment in Dorchester penitentiary with hard labor for two years.

ACCIDENT TO MR. EDWARDS—Mr. J. A. Edwards, of the Queen Hotel, Fredericton, was injured in a striking accident Thursday afternoon, being thrown out of a horse-drawn carriage. He was painfully bruised. Mr. Edwards sustained a slight cut upon the head and suffered a severe shock. Mr. Edwards was taken to the hospital and very severely bruised upon the shoulder.

GORDON—FREMANT—The Richibucto Review says—"Yesterday morning St. Alroy's church was the scene of a very pretty wedding, when Miss Annie M. Freeman, eldest daughter of Henry Freeman of this town, was united in marriage to Jas. A. Gordon of Lower Newcastle, New Brunswick. The ceremony was performed by Rev. E. J. Benson. Miss Howard of Sussex attended the bride, while Andrew Gordon, brother of the groom, acted as groomsmen."

NEW ENGINES—The Maritime Sulphite Fibre Company, Chatham, N. B., have ordered a 500 H. P. Cross compound condensing engine from the Robt. Engineering Company, to replace their present 250 H. P. simple engine, and to provide for contemplated enlargements of their plant. They expect their new engine to effect a large saving in fuel over the type they are now using, as well as to give much better speed regulation. (St. John Telegraph.)

LET THESE BE FRAMES—Mr. John Bassett, steward, between whom and Mr. Stewart of the World there seems to be some ill-feeling, asks us to publish a letter denying Mr. Stewart's statement that he, as "silent partner" of Mr. Eggle's harbor, was "taken for a sack" contracted by the firm when Mr. Eggle "absconded." The fact that Mr. Bassett denies the statement will, no doubt, be all that is necessary to the premises, without our publishing the gentleman's personal references to the offending editor.

FIRE AT MILLINGTON—The store of James Johnson, Esq., M. P. at Millington was discovered to be on fire early on Sunday morning last. An alarm soon brought a crowd together, but as the main supply of water had to be carried from the river the work of extinguishing the flames was slow and difficult. Before it was accomplished the front of the building, including the plate glass windows, was practically destroyed and the stock of goods inside considerably damaged. The fire is said to have originated under the steps leading from the street to the store.

DEATH OF MR. JAS. A. WILLIS—The lamented death occurred here Friday night of Mr. James A. Willis, aged 84 years. Mr. Willis was born in England at Newcastle on Tyne, and came to this country when only 14 years of age. He was 54 years in the employ of Gibson, Rankin & Co., between Bathurst and St. John, and Mr. Willis has lived for the past 20 years in Newcastle with his daughter Mrs. O. Nicholson. Mrs. Geo. N. Warring the only daughter lives in St. John. Mrs. Willis survives her husband and still enjoys

North Shore is a very popular resort for real sportsmen. Senator Frooter and dozens of others of his sort have the permits of the region every season, and if the Gazette is not mistaken examples of their prowess may be seen in the White House, at Washington, the Smithsonian Institute, at ex-President Cleveland's residence at Sumner's Bay, and many other places in the United States where the products of the Maine woods are almost unknown. General George P. Morris, quite forty years ago, was well known on the North Shore, and he wrote in his paper, the New York Home Journal, that it was the Paradise on the continent, of the hunter and the angler.—(Gazette.)

Yacht Race Another of the Miramichi Yacht Club's series of races for the season came off on the Newcastle course on Monday afternoon and, as usual, resulted in a victory for the "Maid." There was a good breeze from the North-west, although it was too light at times for the yachts to do their best work. It was for the Gonia and there were four yachts in the competition. They were the "Maid," Oriana, Thetis and Spray. "Maid" led from the start and kept well ahead of the field until nearly the end of the race, when the wind so moderated as to deprive her of a part of the advantage she had gained while a good wind prevailed. She, however, won over Oriana by 1 min. 10 sec., Thetis by 7 min. 38 sec. and Spray, by 11 min. 25 sec.

The judges were Messrs. C. A. C. Bruce, D. M. Leggie and T. W. Crocker. Time keeper, Rev. P. G. Snow. Commodore Miller, with his usual generous courtesy, was present with the steamer Florence as judge's boat. The last race of the season is to be sailed next Thursday for the Watt cup.

The Late Richard Fairry. Referring to the death of the late Mr. Richard Fairry, which was announced in last week's ADVANCE, the London Times Trades-Journal says:—"We are sorry to have to record the death of Mr. Richard Fairry, in his 42nd year. The deceased gentleman had been suffering for some time from an affection of the throat. Mr. Fairry up to the time of the attack was apparently in robust health, being a man of large muscular physique. The deceased was well known both in the Canadian and pilot pine trades, having resided for several years in Canada and two Southern States of America. For some years past he had resided in London, and took a prominent part in local affairs. He was a member of the Board of Guardians. After severing his connection with Mr. Humphrey in the City he left London, and recently was ordered to the seaside to obtain the benefit of a milder air. The funeral took place on Thursday last, when a numerous company of his relatives and business friends assembled to pay their last respects to his memory. Amongst those present were Mr. Athya, of Cohen, Athya & Co., Mr. E. A. Robinson, of Poy, Morgan & Co., Hugh Ven, of Cohen, Athya & Co., W. K. Hughes, L. Jackson, Mr. Watson and Mr. Schmidt, who has taken an active part in the settlement of his affairs, &c., and his old staff in the days of Fairry, Humphrey & Co., altogether about 50 or 60 present, including a few other members of the trade, whose names were not known. Mr. Fairry had been at one time connected with Morgan, Gelbrand & Co., and started business with Mr. Crookford in 1888. Mr. Humphrey having joined them in 1895. Their troubles were caused through heavy foreign losses, advances to shippers, &c., and the firm were doing a very large business at the time."

The Sportsmen. Mr. Harry Chesnut, who spent a few days last week shooting woodcock, snipe and partridge in the Battberg and Caracquet covers, under the guidance of Mr. John Connell, was very successful and much pleased with the locality as a sporting centre, it being his first visit to that region. He went down-river on the "Miramichi" Saturday morning to shoot for a few days in Tabusintac bay and on the beaches. A Bathurst despatch of last Friday says:—"Messrs. Bradley and Soenichen, of Dobbs Ferry, New York, returned to town yesterday after a most successful hunting trip on the Neguptic. They were away three weeks and killed one moose, two caribou and four bears."

Resolutions of Condolence. At the last regular meeting of Branch No. 120, C. M. B. A., Bathurst, held on Tuesday Sept. 20th, the following resolutions were unanimously adopted:—"Whereas it has pleased Almighty God in His infinite wisdom to call to Himself Annie, the beloved daughter of Brother James J. McLaughlin, a much esteemed member of our branch; Resolved that we extend to Brother McLaughlin and family our sincere sympathy in their great loss, and, further, Resolved that this resolution be inscribed on the minutes and published in the Saint John Globe, the Canadian, MIRAMICHI ADVANCE and Gloucester Chronicle, and that a copy be sent to Brother McLaughlin. P. J. BURNS, Committee (St. J. HERRINGTON, on Wm. J. LAFRANKE, Resolutions.

Killed by Two Trains. We have received a clipping from a Renova, Pa., paper giving an account of the death at that place of James Dunn, the 12-year-old son of Mr. John Dunn, a former Chatham man (brother of station agent Dunn of Blackville), who removed to the States 15 years ago and has been, for 10 years, in the employ of the P. & E. railway company. The lad, according to the fireman of the Niagara Express, had a stick and was amusing himself by striking the wheels of a freight train which was leaving the railway yard. The pastime was so fascinating that he did not see the on-coming express, while the noise of the freight train prevented him from hearing it, until he was struck by one of its cylinders with terrible force and hurled against the side of the moving freight train, which in turn knocked him against the express. He was terribly mangled, his skull being crushed exposing the brain, both legs, an arm and three ribs broken and other injuries sustained. He lived only a few minutes. The bereaved parents are heart broken over the loss of their eldest boy.

The Prohibition Plebiscite Vote in Northumberland. High Sheriff Call has officially declared the voting in Northumberland County as follows:—

Table with 3 columns: No., Name, For, Against. Includes names like No. 1, Newcastle, 140 For, 92 Against; No. 2, Douglastown, 89 For, 33 Against; No. 3, Lower Newcastle, 30 For, 38 Against; No. 4, Battibogue, Alnwick, 4 For, 22 Against; No. 5, New Jersey, 108 For, 185 Against; No. 6, Tabusintac, 104 For, 85 Against; No. 7, Derby, 96 For, 8 Against; No. 8, Trout Brook, 28 For, 4 Against; No. 9, Protectionville, 16 For, 5 Against; No. 10, Northesk, 51 For, 11 Against; No. 11, Blackville, 34 For, 36 Against; No. 12, Ludlow, 17 For, 5 Against; No. 13, Dalhousie, 17 For, 5 Against; No. 14, Nelson, D. Kirk's, 54 For, 11 Against; No. 15, Hardwicke, 31 For, 38 Against; No. 16, Egerville, 9 For, 1 Against; No. 17, Southesk, 77 For, 22 Against; No. 18, Redbank, 7 For, 22 Against; No. 19, Chatham and Glenelg, 127 For, 14 Against; No. 20, Chatham, 283 For, 185 Against; No. 21, Glenelg, 81 For, 32 Against. Total, 1619 For, 827 Against.

On the North Shore. Another guide who conducted a party of American sportsmen to "the most God-forsaken hole in ever struck" somewhere between the "International and the coast on the old Bathurst road," has written to the Maine game commissioner that there was no game there except a few scattering moose. We are disgusted; the black flies were terrible and we went back to Moosehead and had a pleasant time. This proves that a Maine guide is of about as much use to a New Brunswick hunting party as a harpoon is to a trout fishing club. It is likely this guide and his party were amateurs who had never been so far away from home before and were fearful of getting lost; they blathered like school boys and wanted to go home. Seriously, the

at those points were properly defined by survey. He thought they should be before preliminary action was taken. Ald. Snowball said it was possible that there were encroachments on both sides of Water Street, and it would be right to deal with all at the same time. The street according to an authentic plan, is 47 ft. wide at the place in question. He thought the matter could be amicably adjusted by defining the centre of the street and measuring to both sides, so as to secure a width of 47 feet. The Mayor thought the expense of removing encroachments on the streets should not be incurred by the council. Ald. Snowball said he was prepared to do his duty by the town in the matter. Ald. McIntosh said he would be satisfied if the survey to define Water Street from St. Andrews Street east were made in ten days. The Mayor and Ald. Snowball said it could not be done in ten days. The Mayor said the council should not allow anybody to put down posts or fences on property which had been occupied as public streets. Ald. Gros expressed some surprise at this sudden singing out about encroachments. He said the people in that locality had suffered from encroachments, but it was not they who were complaining. There were complaints from other quarters which seemed to be moving the council. Ald. Finanigan was of opinion that it would not be difficult to arrange the matter satisfactorily with Senator Snowball. Ald. Leggie said a proper survey should be made, so as to define just where the posts referred to must be put down. Ald. Robinson urged inaction until the line of the street was properly defined. Ald. Snowball said that before the town removed the fence it should be prepared to instruct the owner of it where to put it. The Mayor said the town had been in occupancy of the fence and it should not allow encroachments upon it. It should simply remove the fence. On motion of Ald. Robinson the report was finally taken up section by section. The portion advising inaction in reference to the proposed tramway was adopted. Ald. Leggie moved that consideration of the portion of the report relating to the alleged encroachment of Senator Snowball's fence on Water Street opposite Canada wharf be deferred until next meeting. Carried. On the section relating to the alleged encroachment of the pulp company's fence on Water Street, Ald. Leggie moved that it pass as read, the Mayor having stated that the street was surveyed at that place. Ald. Leggie preferred that the matter stand in abeyance until next meeting, although he said he could give no good reason therefor. The Mayor said that he had taken strong ground in these matters and held that both the Snowball and Pulp Company fences should be removed. The street was legally defined in the Pulp Company case. Ald. Robinson urged delay. Ald. Leggie did the same and moved that this portion of the report be referred back to the public works committee, who should confer with the company's manager and report at next meeting. Carried. Ald. Snowball from the public works committee read a number of bills which were passed. Ald. Finanigan submitted bills from the police and light committee which passed. On motion of Ald. Snowball it was ordered that the Froms Monthlight Schedule be incorporated in the Electric Light company's contract with the town. Ald. Leggie, from the finance committee, submitted the treasurer's report for the last quarter, which passed. Detailed account of the police magistrate was referred to the police committee. Ald. Snowball asked if any place had been defined as one for warehousing oil and he moved that a large quantity was that landed by their own concern, and be moved that the subject of the storage of oil in the town be referred to the police and fire committee to report at next meeting. Carried. Ald. Snowball inquired whether there was any by-law requiring bicyclists to carry lights, bells, etc., and moved that the subject be referred to the by-law committee to report at next meeting. Carried. Ald. Leggie said \$300 should be placed to the credit of the bond sinking fund and he asked where it should be deposited? Ald. Snowball moved that the \$300 for the sinking fund now in the savings bank and the \$300 now to be deposited, be placed in one of the chartered banks. Ald. Leggie moved that it be placed in the Bank of Montreal on special deposit at 3 1/2 per cent. Carried. Ald. Robinson directed attention to encroachments on streets in the west end of the town and said something should be done towards carrying out the order of the council to the board of works last spring on the subject. Ald. Snowball, from the works committee, said the matter would be attended to. Ald. Snowball also said a clock was required in the town building, and moved that one be procured at a cost of not more than \$15. Carried. Ald. Maher said the street between St. John and Johnston Streets should be named and encroachments be removed from it. It was decided to name it Mulrhead Street. It was ordered that \$3 be paid to Mr. Allen for a team used on Jubilee Day. Adjourned.

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John in himself, although boasting no ancient lineage, was as the laborer termed him, cut above the ordinary run. Somehow without having had any educational advantages he had developed a strong love for books, and when the day's work in the little carpenter's shop was done he would go out into the soft summer eve, and a brisk walk over the hills would bring him to the rugged cliffs by the sea. Here he would throw himself down, and as long as the red shoots of the setting sun gave light over the landscape he would read with rapturous intent, and when at last it had disappeared in a blaze of color in an opalescent sea he would watch the stars and talk learnedly of their distances and of what constellations they formed parts of.

The good people of Longville could never quite understand John. He would astraddle them with his enthusiastic descriptions of fleeting clouds, would bid them hear a poem in the constant roaring of the sea and tell them that there were new worlds, of which they knew nothing, in pictures and books. But John was gentle and kind hearted, and so, although his personality eluded definite analysis by them, they yet recognized him as the village favorite for the humbler and maybe more useful qualities of good fellowship and unselfish courage.

It was little wonder that when Molly and John commenced "keeping company" that Longville should talk. Never two persons had less in common, so far as temperament and tastes were concerned, and yet somehow, for a reason which even old Mrs. Knight, who had seen two generations of village courtships, could not explain, these two people of opposite dispositions were destined to share life's storm and sunshine together.

How they came to be engaged I cannot say. There was a meeting of the two, when the usual chary "Good night, John," and "Good night, Molly," ceased to have the old prosaic significance. The unmated, restless little heart of Molly beat convulsively, and the roses on her cheeks burned a deeper hue when that evening John stopped her and insisted on her walking with him. I was not there, so that of what was said I am unaware.

This much, however, all Longville soon knew—that John Lock and Molly Lane had become sweethearts. How the good wives enjoyed standing at the doorway and their cottages and discussing the probabilities of a village wedding and what it involved! These good souls would have made the devious, sinuous track of these two lives much straighter and more direct than it was fated to be.

No event is too wonderful to become familiarized with, and so it was that the wonder ceased, and Molly and John for months pursued their pleasant way, "dreaming the old love dreams common to youth since the world began. It was not that sometimes John imagined "his Molly" was restless and sorely contented. She seemed to sigh for new opportunities of conquest. The old spirit which he thought dead, reared its head again and gave warning of a coming storm which actually broke out in open rebellion.

One week in the middle of the following year Squire Hurst's only son came of age, and the event was celebrated with great éclat by the whole of the inhabitants of the village. The lovely old park actually broke out in open rebellion. Then John would be troubled and would search his generous, simple heart in the hope of discovering some excuse for the discontent which only too obviously was smoldering in his sweetheart's mind.

Furthermore, the newspapers published such ridiculous stories at the time that they really made us all ashamed, telling, as they did, how I chartered a steam yacht and snatched Patience from her father's arms and carried her away to sea on the palatial craft on which a clergyman was awaiting us, and of the demands Mr. Yelnik made upon the navy department to send a warship after us, and how he nearly succeeded because of immense contributions to the presidential campaign fund.

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Meta Randall's fair face wore a perplexed expression, and her sweet voice trembled as she replied: "If only knew, auntie!" "To one even less versed in the character of our girls than Mrs. Preston, it would seem that in her home would have been ample assurance that neither coquetry nor vanity had induced such a reply.

The elder lady observed her curiously for a moment and then said: "Since you are so handsome and so naturally eligible, you should trust entirely to your heart to decide." "But, auntie dear, my heart speaks so favorably for one as the other. Henry and Philip have been my comrades, my confidants, from childhood. It would seem to me that I should not love them both. I feel that I could marry either to-morrow and never regret my choice.

It was just 10 o'clock when Meta Randall, neatly attired in a cycling suit of olive green with glinting silver trimmings, passed out of the house and greeted her friends with a pleasant good morning. A murmur of admiration rose from the feminine portion of the company as she stood for a brief second beside her wheel. Self possessed but modest, in the cool green of her costume she appeared a part of the natural picture which surrounded her.

With a merry laugh and a graceful toss of the head toward Davis and Stanton, at the quick ring of a bicycle bell, the signal for starting, declining the proffered assistance of the competitors, she mounted her wheel and sped quickly down the road. She had nearly reached the first corner when, at a second signal, the two men were away. A third ring, and the merry company mounted, following as rapidly as possible the two flying contestants.

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