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PROVINCE MAN  
'THUGS' VICTIM.

JOSEPH M'ELROY  
ALMOST DONE  
TO DEATH.

Abbed, Drugged and Placed  
Von Track to Be Crushed by  
Train at Dedham, Mass.—  
Stupidity of Police Leave  
Him Without Care for  
Hours—A Strange Case.

Joseph McElroy, of St. Stephen (N. B.), was found Tuesday night last near the tracks of the New Haven railroad at Dedham (Mass.), insensible and it transpires that he had been drugged and placed on a stretcher and then placed on the bed with the object of concealing a murder.

Stupid police treatment made McElroy's case all the more strange because he lay for hours in a police cell, went through the ordeal of next day's court, was sent to a hospital and all without the knowledge coming to light that he had been drugged.

McElroy is about 50 years of age, married and has two children. He left home on Saturday to go to Littleton (Mass.) and undergo an operation for cancer. He had a little money with him.

His people learned Thursday that something had befallen him, though not the whole facts and his sister, who is the wife of S. Neason, dentist, left for Dedham that night to be with her brother. Mr. McElroy, of St. Stephen, is also a brother-in-law of McElroy.

A Strange Story.  
The Boston Herald of Thursday says of this strange case:

FORTY HORSES KILLED  
IN DOMINION COAL  
CO. FIRE YESTERDAY.

Workmen All Escaped Safely, But  
There Was Not Time to Get  
the Horses Out.

The Colliery is One of the Best Equipped  
in America, and Employs 1400 Men—  
Fire Believed to Be Under Control Last  
Night.

Sydney, C. B., March 19.—(Special)—About 3:45 o'clock this morning, fire broke out in a part of a pit at Dominion mine No. one. The men in the pit were unable to control the flames, and the fire departments of Sydney and Glouce Bay were called on for assistance.

Forty horses were suffocated, but none of the men injured. The explosion took place at the change of shafts, and the men all came out safely.

It was impossible to get the horses out soon enough to escape suffocation. The fire started in the north end of the pit, which was shut off, and in this way the fire was confined.

Only one compressor was kept working to furnish motor power for the pumps in the pit.

Smoke is pouring out of the main shaft in huge volumes. More than 80 firemen are on the spot, as well as the mine managers and hundreds of people from the neighboring collieries.

The conditions for awhile this evening looked serious, but it is now thought the fire is under control.

SAYS ONTARIO  
IS ROTTEN  
POLITICALLY.

London Post's Opinion of  
Upper Provincial  
Politics.

THE SPOILS SYSTEM.

Women Emigrants Coming Here to  
Marry Money Says Lord Francis  
Balfour—Canadian Three Per  
Cents at 103—The C. P. R. and  
the Beaver Line.

Montreal, March 19.—(Special)—A special London cable to the Star says: "At the meeting of the British Women's Emigration Association yesterday, Lord Francis Balfour made a speech on the Dominion of Canada, whose loyalty he praised, and which he said, was to be the pride and joy of millions of Britishers."

"Lady Frances Balfour, who is a sister-in-law of the prime minister, declared that the ultimate intention of the women who were emigrating was a matter of politics."

"W. T. R. Preston also spoke. The association has sent 8,000 women to the colonies during the 20 years of its existence."

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EDWARD BALLARD  
GUILTY OF MURDER  
IN FIRST DEGREE.

For Killing Martin Stanton,  
the Prince Edward Island  
Lumberman.

JURY OUT ONLY AN HOUR.

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DR. CHAS. TUPPER  
SEEKS DIVORCE.

AMERICAN NEWSPAPERS  
SCORED BY CHANCELLOR  
VON BUELOW THURSDAY.

THEY FORMERLY  
LIVED IN THIS  
PROVINCE.

Wife Applied in Brooklyn for  
Legal Separation, and a  
Counter Suit is Entered—  
Husband Nephew of Sir  
Charles Tupper—The Allea-  
gations That Are Made.

Brooklyn, N. Y., March 19.—(Special)—Dr. Charles O. Tupper, a nephew of the former Canadian premier, Sir Charles Tupper, and his wife Jessie, were married in Yarmouth (N. S.) in 1888. She was a member of a prominent family.

After living in Yarmouth and Amherst and in New Brunswick several years, they came to Brooklyn, where the doctor established a lucrative practice.

Mrs. Tupper refused to live here. She recently applied for a legal separation, and counsel fees were made for alimony and a counter suit for absolute divorce, on the ground of adultery.

The correspondents are named. Doctor Tupper alleges one case of misconduct in Montreal last September with William Dodds, who made his wife valuable presents of jewels.

Another case specified, it is alleged, occurred only a week ago, when, it is alleged, Mrs. Tupper was at a hotel in Boston, with Irving Lewis, of Yarmouth, registered as "M. E. Farnsworth and wife, Yarmouth (N. S.)."

According to the affidavit, it is also alleged Mrs. Tupper and Mrs. Milton, while living in Yarmouth, made a trip to Boston with two men.

The affidavit from David Chapman, of Amherst (N. S.), states that Dr. James Gore, who married a niece of Mrs. Tupper, declared that Dr. Tupper is now living somewhere in Nova Scotia, and the husband demanded the address of his wife be disclosed by the other side. Justice doctoz so ordered.

Doctor Tupper described the struggle of a young physician in making a name and fame for himself. The tale of his struggle against pulmonary trouble, due to the rigorous climate of Nova Scotia, and of his final decision to come to the States. His wife refused to come with him, he says, until he could "furnish her with a carriage."

BIG STRIKE OF STREET  
CAR EMPLOYEES LIKELY.

The Men's Wages Were Raised 12  
Per Cent. March 1, But This Does  
Not Suit Some of the Men.

Boston, March 19.—The Boston & Northern and the Old Colony Street Railroad Companies have applied to the court for a writ of habeas corpus to compel the men to return to work.

Almost identical letters were sent to-night to committees representing the men at Lawrence and at Taunton and the reply of General Supt. Page of the Boston & Northern and General Supt. Goff of the Old Colony was posted in the cars and offices of both companies.

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HON. MR. TWEEDIE  
REACHES OTTAWA.

Premier and Dr. Pugsley Will Oppose  
Reduction of New Brun-  
swick's Representatives.

Ottawa, March 19.—(Special)—Premier Tweedie, Dr. Pugsley and C. J. Milligan, of St. John, arrived here tonight.

The New Brunswick ministers will interview the government tomorrow in regard to the fisheries question ever since been in an unsettled condition ever since the decision of the privy-council on the subject.

C. P. R. STEAMER  
STRIKE IS OVER.

The Company Has Manned Their  
Boats with Non-Union Men and  
All Are Running.

Vancouver, March 19.—(Special)—The strike of the crew of the C. P. R. steamer here and at Vancouver is practically off. The company has been able to procure boats with non-union crews and all are running. Efforts are now being made to have longshoremen go out in sympathy with strikers.

Representatives of a number of industries were heard and pressed for higher duties.

BRITISH BYE-ELECTION.  
A Liberal Victory—Parliament Was Much  
Interested in the Contest.

London, March 18.—The Conservatives have suffered a crushing reverse in the bye election of Sussex, where a by-election was held yesterday, and C. F. Fitzhugh, Liberal, was elected successor to A. M. Brookfield, Conservative, who has been appointed British consul at Montevideo, ward boy, Conservative. Mr. Hutchinson appealed to the electors as a critic of the government's whole policy. The result of the election at Rye caused much comment in parliament as to the moral effect the reverse would have on the government.

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STORM AGAIN SWEEPS  
THE BRITISH ISLES.

London, March 18.—The heaviest snow-falls of the winter were reported from parts of England this morning, and rain and hail fell elsewhere in Great Britain and Ireland, accompanied by gales, causing floods and great damage.

Between Londonderry and Coleraine havoc was caused by the breaching of the sea wall. Thousands of acres of farm lands were submerged several feet, and hundreds of families had to flee for their lives from ruined homesteads, temporarily causing great distress. In the northeast part of Warwickshire several villages were founded and cut off from communication with the neighboring towns.

HEAVY SENTENCE FOR FILIPINO LEADER.

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BAIL REFUSED FOR  
WHITAKER WRIGHT.

New York, March 19.—United States Commissioner Alexander today refused bail for Whitaker Wright, pending his examination. It was understood that Wright's attorney would apply to the United States courts for a writ of habeas corpus.

A \$50,000 BLAZE.

Springfield, Neb., March 19.—Ten stores and shops, constituting the business portion of this town, were wiped out by fire today. Loss, \$50,000.

MORE WOUNDS FOUND.

The wounded man was cared for and then put to bed. He immediately dropped into a deep slumber, which lasted until 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon. At this hour Dr. Francis L. Babcock, the physician, arrived here for an examination. Dr. Babcock found that the wound was a deep laceration, the result of either a fall or a blow. The wound at the back was about an inch and a half deep. A second cut was also found on the arm. The physician expressed his opinion that the wound in the back was made by a bullet, and was working over him McElroy kept asking for a brother-in-law.

POSTMASTER CONFESSES.

THE DALHOUSIE ROBBERY TRIAL.

Detective Puts Written Statement by Postmaster Johnson in Evidence—Chifferton Tells How the Theft of \$500 Was Planned—A Remarkable Story.

Dalhousie, March 17.—(Special)—The preliminary examination of Postmaster Johnson on the charge of stealing money from the post office commenced this morning before Judge Magistrate Smith. H. F. McLatchey appeared for the post office authorities and W. Albert Mott for accused.

George H. Chifferton's evidence was as follows: "I lately resided in Goldbrook (N.B.) and formerly lived in Dalhousie. I left for the west on August 12 last. I know the accused, J. A. Johnson. I know him before I went west. I remember hearing of the robbery of the Dalhousie post office last summer. I know about this robbery. About a week previous to the robbery I was in the post office for my mail, and while there the postmaster said to me, 'Do you not think there is an easier way of making money than working?' I answered probably there is. He said, 'There is a pretty good haul in here some nights. If we could get it we would be all right.' I answered it would not be all right if we were caught. He said 'we won't be caught, no fear.' A few days after the postmaster asked me if I had been thinking the matter over. We might just as well have it as not. I answered it was pretty risky. The following night he spoke about it again. He said, 'There is a pretty good haul to be made. I asked him how much there was. He answered 'nearly \$400.' I said better wait, it may be better some other night. The next night he asked me to come in and I went and asked if there was anything for our house. He answered, 'There is something for our house to-night. I asked how much. He answered \$300 or more; he asked me if I would take it. He said 'the bolt will be torn off the window and the drawer broken. All you will have to do is to take it and take it. Will you come?' He said everything would be all right. I answered yes.

The robbery in detail. He took me where the registered letter place was and pointed out the drawer where the money would be. A night or two before the robbery he told me all I wanted was a piece of crooked iron to pry the window open. I answered it would be all right. He said, 'I will get you a piece of crooked iron. I will break open the drawer.' The robbery took place on 30th July last. About 10 o'clock p. m. I climbed out the north window and went to the post office. I answered it would be all right. He said, 'I will get you a piece of crooked iron. I will break open the drawer.' The robbery took place on 30th July last. About 10 o'clock p. m. I climbed out the north window and went to the post office. I answered it would be all right. He said, 'I will get you a piece of crooked iron. I will break open the drawer.'

Johnson's Confession. Inspector Colter's evidence was as follows: "From information received from Postmaster Johnson I made an inspection at the post office August 1 last. On entering the post office Johnson informed me the place had been broken into on July 30 and robbed of the sum of \$500 in bills. On making this inspection and on an examination on page 6, third column."

PUT OFF MARITIME EXPRESS THEY SHOOT AT CONDUCTOR.

Newcastle, N. B., March 17.—(Special)—James McCann, James Fraser, James McDonald and Joseph Moore, all of Springville, are in the county jail here for shooting at Conductor Heine, of the maritime express. The four were on the express from the south last night, beating their way. They were put off at the station here but got aboard when the train started. They were put off again with considerable trouble, when one of the four drew a revolver and fired three shots. Two struck the car quite close to Conductor Heine's head while the third one struck close to Brakeman Brown.

The four men were arrested by Deputy Sheriff Irving and Town Marshal Hill after a short struggle. The revolver was found on McCann, but it is supposed that McDonald did the shooting. Detective Skelington is in town investigating the affair.

LAURIER DISPOSES OF MR. TARTE. SIR WILFRID IN SHARP DEBATE.

Premier Deals With Former Minister's Defection, in the House Debate—Mr. Tarte Makes His Statement—Galleries Crowded Because of Interest in the Matter.

Ottawa, March 18.—(Special)—Today's sitting of the house of commons was taken up with the explanation of the prime minister on the ministerial changes and the debates thereon. There was nothing that was new in the statement of the premier and Mr. Tarte did not add anything to what he has already said on the subject.

The Premier's Statement. As it was known throughout the city that Mr. Tarte was to reply to the statement of the publication of all the occurrences connected with changes in the cabinet, his statement was not so important as it would be at one time.

Mr. Tarte followed. He said that upon Sir Wilfrid's return he met him in the city of Montreal on the 18th day of October, and it was agreed both of them should be in Ottawa on Monday, Sunday, October 21st, he received by mail a letter from Mr. Tarte.

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SIR WILFRID IN SHARP DEBATE.

CANADIAN CATTLE EMBARGO TO CONTINUE.

Liberal M. P. Says it Will Not Be Raised Till His Party Comes Into Power.

Toronto, March 17.—(Special)—A News cable from London says: Robert John Price, Liberal, M. P. for East Norfolk, who recently moved in the house of commons in favor of raising the embargo upon Canadian cattle says the farmers of his and adjoining counties are much annoyed at the unreasonable prohibition of Canadian store cattle.

"He declares Hon. R. W. Hannbury, minister of agriculture, knows there is no danger of importing the disease from Canada but that Hannbury and the government are desirous of protecting the big breeders of cattle and are indifferent to the needs of graziers and consumers."

"I asked Mr. Price if there was any hope of raising the embargo. He replied: 'None while the government remains in office, but you can tell Canadians that Liberal leaders are pledged to remove the embargo when they are returned to office. They consider with me that the parliament of Canada will be fully justified in vigorously protesting against the shabby treatment of loyal Canada in this matter.'"

ROBB ENGINEERING COMPANY'S GOOD SHOWING.

Amherst, N. S., March 18.—(Special)—The annual meeting of the Robb Engineering Company was held yesterday, and the following were elected directors: D. W. Robb, A. G. Robb, Rev. D. McGregor, and G. W. Cole, of Amherst, and W. E. Ross, J. F. Stair, M. C. Grant, R. E. Harris and E. G. Kenney, of Halifax.

A dividend of eight per cent. was declared and a substantial amount added to the reserve fund. Prospects for future business are particularly bright, and it was decided to make extensive additions to the buildings and plant during the next few months.

FOR PRESBYTERIAN UNION.

Returned Dutch and German Branches to Join Older Body.

New York, March 17.—The Reformed Dutch church, the oldest in New York, has been notified by an influential element of the Presbyterian Church South that that body will make overtures toward organic union with it. The Southern Presbyterians do not take steps to unite with Northern Presbyterians because of the change in the Westminster Confession made by the latter. On the other hand, the Cumberland Presbyterians, meeting within six weeks, and about as strong financially and numerically as the Presbyterians South, will make overtures toward organic union with the former.

The finance minister followed. He declared the overture of the Presbyterian Church South contained no promise beyond the engagement that there would be no revision of the tariff at that session. Whether there would be tariff changes this session or not was a question to be considered and would be dealt with in due course.

PREMIER FLAYS W. F. MACLEAN IN HOUSE.

Speaks Vigorously Against Proposal to Retire Sir Oliver Mowat—Says It Would Be a Crime Against Ontario—Vigor and Fire in His Address—Cheered by His Followers.

Ottawa, March 17.—(Special)—In the house today Hon. Mr. Mulock introduced his bill for the settlement of railway disputes. It was read a first time.

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Mr. Maclean said he had no objection to the minister of trade and commerce getting the position or to his setting up one of those petty courts to which he referred in his speech in 1895, but he called upon the government to put a man in the office who could perform its duties, and not keep Sir Oliver in the position he was in today.

Dr. Shoop's Rheumatic Cure.

Costs Nothing If It Fails. Any honest person who suffers from rheumatism is welcome to this offer: I am a specialist in Rheumatism, and have treated more cases than any other physician, I think. For 10 years I made 2,000 experiments with different drugs, testing all known remedies while searching the world for something better. Nine years ago I found a costly chemical in Germany which, with my previous discovery, gives me a certain cure.

I don't mean that it turns bony joints into flesh again, but it cures the disease at any age, completely and forever. I have done it fully 10,000 times. I know this as well as I will turn my remedy on trial. Simply enclose me a postal note for \$1.00 on Rheumatism, and I will mail you an order on your druggist for six bottles of Dr. Shoop's Rheumatic Cure. Make it a month at any price. If it cures the cure is only \$6.00. If it fails I will pay the druggist myself, and your word shall decide it. I don't expect any return what I don't expect a penny from you.

I have no samples. Am a simple man that can effect chronic Rheumatism made drugged to the verge of danger. I use no such drugs, and it is folly to take them. You must get the disease out of the blood.

My remedy does that in the most difficult, obstinate cases. It has cured the oldest cases that I ever met. And in all short cases was followed by a cure—never found another remedy that would cure one chronic case in ten.

Write me and I will send you the order. Try my remedy for a month, as it can't harm you anyway. If it fails it is free.

Address: Dr. Shoop, Box 11, Racine, Wis. Mild cases, not chronic, are often cured by one or two bottles. At all druggists.

MONTREAL WANTS A 23 KNOT SERVICE.

Board of Trade Thinks Government Hardly Justified in Giving a Subsidy for Less Than a Weekly Service.

Montreal, March 18.—(Special)—The board of trade called today, respecting the government's invitation for proposals for the performance of a fast line service between Canada and Great Britain, decided that anything short of a 21-knot service would be most unsatisfactory, and detrimental to the commercial interests of Canada; and further, that it is doubtful whether the government would be justified in granting a subsidy unless a weekly service, with a speed of not less than 23 knots, is secured.

A Pipeful of "Ambo Plug" Smoking Tobacco will burn 75 minutes. "Test It" Save the Tag they are valuable.

Not Only Relief; A Cure.

Many discourage Asthmatics who long for a cure or even relief lack faith to try, having a cure impossible. HIRSH'S ASTHMA CURE is a truly effective remedy and possesses a virtue unknown to other remedies that it acts instantly to relieve but cures.

BALLARD ON TRIAL FOR THE MURDER OF MARTIN STANTON.

Dover, Me., March 18.—The feature of the trial of Edward Ballard, in the superior court today, for the murder of Martin Stanton at Eagle Lake, on October 11, was the testimony of Ballard in his own behalf. Ballard admitted being with Stanton on the day the murder is said to have taken place, that he carried his revolver as testified by the government witnesses, and that later he attempted to raise money on a check, which he claimed Stanton had given him as security for money advanced. He said, however, that he left Stanton on the Eagle Lake road, after giving him back his revolver, and the last thing the old man had said to him was that he was going to hell.

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OUR COUNTRY CORRESPONDENCE.

FREDERICTON.

Fredericton, March 17.—(Special)—The Fredericton board of trade at a largely attended meeting this afternoon decided to memorialize the lieutenant governor against the proposed transfer of the military headquarters from this city to St. John.

Chief Commissioner LaBelle is calling for tenders for rebuilding Harbour's mill bridge, Harvey, Albert county, and for rebuilding masonry substructure and approaches of north branch Chaudiere river bridge, Restigouche county.

The charge of rape lodged in the police court here several days ago against Ernest Bubur, of Marysville, was today withdrawn, being of the opinion that there was not sufficient evidence against the accused to justify him in putting the county to the expense of a trial.

Moncton, March 17.—(Special)—At a meeting of the board of trade tonight it was decided to organize an exhibition association for the purpose of establishing a permanent exhibition in Moncton.

St. Martins, March 18.—The warm weather of the past 10 days has broken up the winter roads, the portable mills have moved out of the woods.

Harvey Station, York county, March 17.—The recent rains and remarkably mild weather have removed most of the snow, and have taken the place of rangers on the roads.

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Hampton, N. B., March 19.—In the Kings county Probate court, before Judge Gilbert today, C. E. Keith, administrator of the estate of Ralph C. Keith, of Harvey, petitioned to pass accounts.

Deer Island, March 17.—The young folks in connection with the F. B. church intend giving an entertainment in Mess Row Hall March 21st.

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AMHERST. Amherst, March 18.—(Special)—Signs of progress are evident around the new Howe wooden mill here, and much interest is manifested, not only locally, but by visitors to Amherst.

SUSSEX. Sussex, March 18.—A meeting of the residents of the Sussex fire ward is called for Tuesday evening, 24th inst., to take into consideration the improvement and extension of the water system; also to discuss the advisability of amending the highway act and to define the powers of the board of fire wardens.

ST. MARTINS. St. Martins, March 18.—The warm weather of the past 10 days has broken up the winter roads, the portable mills have moved out of the woods.

TRURO. Truro, March 18.—The town is now considering an application to the legislature of Nova Scotia for authority to borrow \$14,000, and a public meeting of the ratepayers has been called for the 25th of March.

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HOPEWELL HILL. Hopewell Hill, March 17.—The bay is practically clear of ice. The ferry made the first trip of the season between the Cape and Dorchester yesterday.

DIGBY. Digby, March 19.—Kingsley Tibbitt, of Plympton, was tried by the speedy trials act before Judge Savary yesterday for neglecting his child, and was acquitted.

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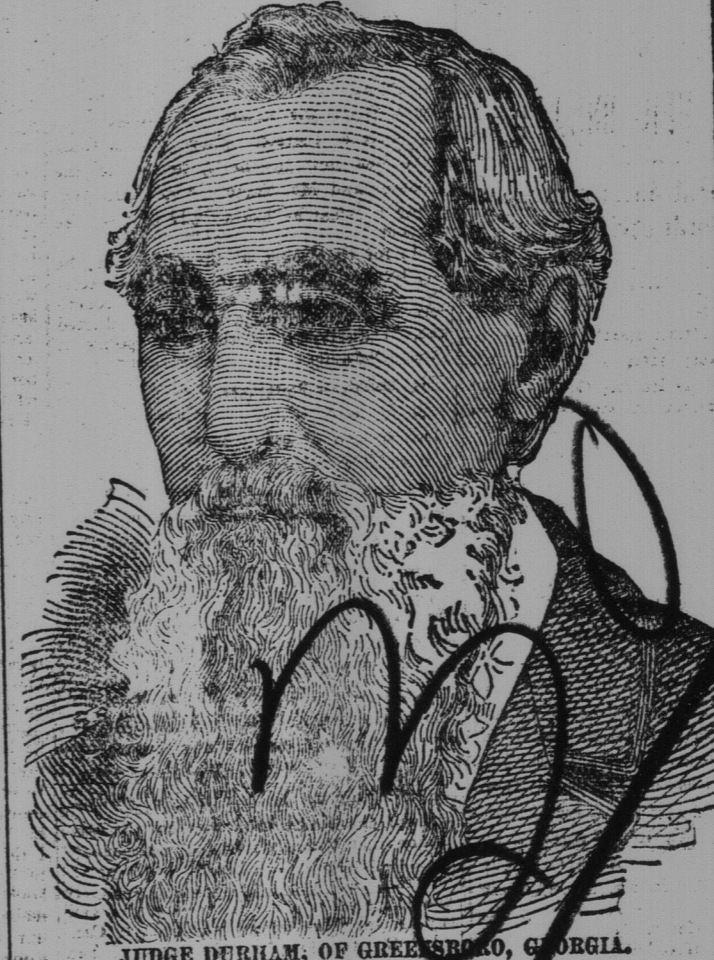
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BIRTHS.

FANCOMBE--March 17th, to the wife of G. Branscombe, a daughter.

MARRIAGES.

DESSER-TAYLOR--At the manse, Harvey, county, March 18th, by the Rev. J. A. Lobb, B. George Driver, flower, of the bride, to Jessie R. Taylor, of Lawrence St.

DEATHS.

LARK--At St. Andrew's, March 19, Mrs. Elizabeth A. Clark, in the 84th year of her age.

MANN--In this city, on the 16th inst., Elizabeth, widow of the late David A. Mann, aged 86 years and 21 days, leaving two sons and three daughters to mourn their sad loss.

SPRARR--At Charlottetown, March 16, of pneumonia, Freeman T. Spearin, aged 64 years, leaving a wife and two sons to mourn their loss.

PARRIN--In this city, on the 18th inst., James Parro, at 73 Harrison street, aged 72 years.

CALLAHAN--In this city, March 19th, after a short illness, Mary, widow of the late Jeremiah Callahan, in the 76th year of her age, leaving two sons.

OWEN--In this city, on March 19th, after a lingering illness, Ellen L., eldest daughter of John B. and Mary A. Owen.

SHIP NEWS.

PORT OF ST. JOHN. Arrived. Tuesday, March 17. Star Parliam, 2,885, Thross, from Liverpool via Halifax, Wm Thomson & Co, under charter.

Coastwise--Schr Thelma, 48, Apt, from Annapolis; star Messopot, 81, Ferry, from Yarmouth, 43 cld; star Brunswick, 72, Pot, from Gannett; star Golda, 44, cld, from Campbellville.

Wednesday, March 13. Star Pawnee, from New York, J. H. Seaman & Co. Arrived--Schr Little Annie, 18, Polard, West Isles; Lenie and Edna, 23, Star Beaver Harbor.

from Liverpool; Bristolfield, from Sydney (C B); schr Swinburn, from Parramoor; Minnie, cld, from East Machias for Boston; Hortensia, from Whiting for New York.

Thursday, March 19. Star Lucia, 2117, Jones, from St. John, N. B. Coastwise--Schr E Mayfield, 41, Marriam, from Quaco; Wood Brook, 8, Golding, from Quaco; Acacia, 39, Innes, from Weymouth; Lena, 50, Sterling, from Noel; Hattie, 17, Parks, from Port George; barq No 4, McLeod, from Parramoor.

Friday, March 17. Coastwise--Schr Husler, Thompson, for Digby; Kipling, Richard, for Halifax; Yoda, Perry, Wadlin, for Beaver Harbor; star Brunswick, Potter, for Channing.

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Advertisement for Shiloh's Consumption Cure. It is an ill wind that blows no one good but all winds are hard on the man with weak lungs...

Advertisement for Bristol. Bristol, Carleton Co., N. B., March 17. Mr. Churchill, of Woodstock, has been spending a few days in Bristol.

Advertisement for Sharp's Balsam. SHARP'S BALSAM. PRICE 25 CTS A BOTTLE. Baird & Peters, Sillibuz Agents, St. John.

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Advertisement for His Fortune. His Fortune. By Mary Reed Crowell. Gardiner Garrison sat in the easiest chair in the room, with his handsome head resting against the crimson damask upholstered back...

Advertisement for Parliament of Canada. PARLIAMENT OF CANADA HAS A QUIET DAY. (Continued from page 1.)

Advertisement for Money to Loan. MONEY TO LOAN on city, town, village or country property in amounts to suit the rate of interest.

Advertisement for Improved Short White Carrots. Improved Short White Carrots. Royal Giant Sugar Beets. Good Luck Swede Turnips.

Advertisement for Diarrhoea Weakens the System. DIARRHOEA WEAKENS THE SYSTEM. and if not checked becomes a chronic condition. No remedy compares with Arr-line which is prepared special for stomach and bowel trouble...

