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NEW WEIGHING INSPECTOR:—Mr. G. H. Pick, for several years assistant general freight agent of the I. C. R., has been appointed weighing inspector.

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BIBLE SOCIETY MEETING:—The seventy-eighth annual meeting of the Miramichi Ladies' Auxiliary Bible Society will be held in St. James' Hall, Newcastle, on Sept. 22nd at 3 o'clock p.m. J. AITKEN, Sec.
The Manse, Newcastle, Sept. 9, '98.

DEATH OF MR. JOHN AMBROSE:—Mr. Thos. Ambrose, Nelson, received a telegram on Tuesday announcing the death of his brother, Rev. John Ambrose, Digby, N. S., on Monday evening at 6.30 p.m. Mr. Ambrose left yesterday for the funeral in Digby, N. S.

TIMBER BERTH SALES:—At the Crown Land office yesterday two timber berths were sold. A lot of 2 miles east of Hardwood Ridge Settlement, Sunbury and Queen's, was sold to G. G. King at $8 per mile. A 5 mile berth on Nepisiguit Lake, went to Samuel Adams at the upset price, $8 per mile.

SIR CHARLES TUPPER HONORED:—We perceive by our Halifax exchanges that the excursion on Halifax Harbor given in honor of Sir Charles Tupper on Thursday last was a great success. He spoke eloquently to 1,000 persons at Hosterman's picnic grounds in the afternoon, where an address was presented to him by the Liberal-Conservatives of Halifax. In the evening Sir Charles addressed a large audience in the Lyceum.

FIRE AT BATHURST:—On Sunday last fire broke out in Hickson & Co.'s store in Bathurst on Douglas street, through the furnace igniting some clothing near the pipe. The building was saved, but considerable damage was sustained. Hickson & Co.'s stock was removed, but much damaged by fire and water. Mr. D. T. Johnstone, accountant for Adams, Burns & Co, had his furniture considerably damaged.

INTERNATIONAL EXHIBITION AT ST. JOHN:—Great preparation has been made in St. John for this Exhibition which commenced on the 13th September and lasts until the 23rd. Parties wishing to pay St. John a visit and witness the Exhibition can do so for $3 00 by purchasing a Canada Eastern Special Return ticket good to return until the 23rd Sept. In another column will be found their advertisement giving full particulars.

FIRE IN KENT:—A fire at Notre Dame, Kent County, on the morning of Thursday last destroyed James Cobham's hotel and a fine dwelling house recently erected by Bowen Smith, millman, and occupied by his partner, Charles Lockhart, together with all outbuildings. Smith's loss is about $3,000; one thousand insurance. Cobham's loss fifteen hundred; no insurance. The fire caught in an ell of Smith's house, nearly all the contents of both houses were saved.

THE FROST STOCK CO. opened a week's engagement in Masonic Hall on Monday evening, in "The Cigar Girl of Cuba." There was a full house and the different actors acquitted themselves creditably. They presented "Mabel Heath" on Tuesday evening to another good house. Miss Frost, as Mabel, was very graceful and took her part well and was frequently applauded. Wednesday evening "Naval Engagements" and "The Rough Diamond," 2 comedy acts were given. The company is reliable and honorable in their dealings and deserve the public patronage.

PERSONAL;—Rev. Canon Forsyth left on Tuesday morning, to attend the Triennial session of the Provincial Synod at Montreal. There will be the usual services on Sunday evening next at St. Mary's Chapel at 6.30 o'clock.

The Peterborough Examiner of Thursday last says: Mr. Howard S. Macgachen, of Chatham, N. B., formerly connected with the local branch of the Bank of Montreal, has been in town for the last few days. Always popular in social circles, he received a warm welcome from his many Peterborough friends.

Rev. D. Henderson, last Sabbath evening, preached, we understand, on Prohibition and the approaching Plebiscite, to a very full congregation, who listened with rivetted attention, and apparent relish. Mr. Henderson took a strong position on the Prohibition question.

SHOOTING ACCIDENT:—A terrible shooting accident took place at Fredericton, on Saturday afternoon. Three lads named Thomas and David Owen, and James Martin, of ages ranging from 12 to 15 years, were playing with powder and shot, loading rifle shells and firing them from a rude wooden pistol made by themselves. They successfully fired one shot, but the second exploded. A large piece of the flying shell struck young Martin in the left eye, and several shots lodged in the knee of one of the Owen boys. They were at the time three miles from the city. Martin suffered great agonies before surgical assistance could be procured. He was brought to town and taken to the hospital, where the surgeons found the eye so badly injured that they had to remove it. He is doing well, and it is not thought that any more serious results will ensue.

WEDDING IN CAMBRIDGE, MASS.:—We copy the following from the Cambridge Chronicle of Sept. 10 inst. Both parties are well known in Chatham. Mr. Stikeman was, while in Chatham, a junior clerk in the Bank of Montreal and Miss Murray is the eldest daughter of Mr. William Murray at one time doing a dry goods business here. We wish them joy and happiness in their new state in life.

"On Wednesday evening, at the home of the bride's parents, 100 Inman street, Miss Mabel Sutherland Murray, formerly a teacher of the Putnam grammar school, and Mr. Walter C. Stikeman, of the Bank of Montreal, Toronto, Canada, were united in marriage. The officiating clergyman was the Rev. Reuben A. Beard, D. D., pastor of the Prospect Street Congregational church. The bride, who was given away by her father, was attired in a pretty gown of white organdie and carried bride roses. The maid of honor was Miss Edith M. Murray, and the best man, Mr. C. W. Murray, sister and brother of the bride. The wedding was a quiet one, only the immediate friends and relatives being present. Immediately after the ceremony an informal reception was held, after which a sumptuous collation was served. The house was tastefully decorated with ferns and cut flowers.

Mr. and Mrs. Stikeman left on a late train for a three weeks' tour. They will reside at 13 Russell street, Toronto, Canada."

The Endeavor Banner and Chatham

"The Endeavor Banner"—a Canadian C. E. monthly magazine, published at Montreal—for September, has just come to hand and contains a very full report of our C. E. convention held in St. Andrew's Church here, last month. The report is from the pen of the editor, who, himself was present at the convention, the guest of Mr. Tweedie. The Banner has also a good photo of the convention on one page and an excellent photo of the Rev. D. Henderson, the minister of St. Andrew's, on another page, with the following reference to Mr. Henderson:—

"Rev. D. Henderson is a Scotsman by birth and was educated for the ministry at the High School of Glasgow and the University of Glasgow, Scotland. He was ordained and inducted in May, 1891, and succeeded in same month the Rev. Dr. Blair as minister of Blue Mountain, Pictou, N. S. Here he labored most successfully for eight years and organised one of the largest and most healthy C. E. societies in the county of Pictou. A well-known figure and speaker at the local and provincial conventions it was felt that the C. E. in Nova Scotia sustained a great loss by his departure. Mr. Henderson, however, received and accepted a unanimous call to the large and influential congregation of St. Andrew's, Chatham, N. B., last June, and there he now sits at the helm, respected and esteemed by all the churches in the town and enjoying a large share of life's sunshine. His abilities as a minister and pastor are well-known in the Presbyterian Church in the maritime provinces where he is regarded as one of 'the coming men.' Mr. Henderson was one of the N. B. convention speakers and gave the address of welcome on behalf of the churches."

The Live Fish Exhibit.

Last Saturday's World, referring to the International exhibition at St. John, said:—

The Chief Game Commissioner of New Brunswick will have an exhibit of live fish in tanks, and be on hand to give full details of all that goes to make the sportsman happy in this country of forest, lake and stream."

The exhibit of live fish was planned and prepared in Chatham by the provincial Fishery Commissioner, taken to St. John and there set up by him, and he is there at the present time in charge of it. If it were a failure, the World would, no doubt, be glad to state in no uncertain terms who it was that got it up and exhibited it.

Northumberland County Institute.

The 22nd annual meeting of the Northumberland County Teachers' Institute will be held in the Grammar School, Chatham, on Thursday and Friday, Sept. 22nd and 23rd, 1898.

Any delegate travelling by the I. C. R. who pays a full first-class fare to Chatham, and procures a certificate to this effect from agent at starting station, will, on presentation of this certificate properly filled in, receive from the agent at Chatham a free return ticket, provided ten or more delegates attend: if less than ten attend one-half fare will have to be paid on return journey. Certificates are good up to and including Sept. 27th.

Delegates by Canada Eastern Railway can purchase return ticket at single first class fare, good for return up to Sept. 26th. This same privilege has been granted by the Miramichi Steam Navigation Company.

JAS. MLINTOSH, Secretary.

St. John Exhibition.

The Exhibition at St. John was formally opened by Sir Charles Tupper on the afternoon of Tuesday last. The weather was fine and our St. John exchanges inform us that there were present a large assemblage of persons from all quarters of the province who expressed themselves as being highly satisfied with the exhibition which is acknowledged to surpass all previous shows.

At 3 o'clock the reception committee, which was composed of President Pitfield, Mr. R. B. Emmerson and Mr. W. H. Thorne entered the building and were met by the manager and directors, and escorted to the grand stand.

Among those present were Sir Charles Tupper, Hon. H. R. Emmerson, Provincial Secretary Tweedie, Surveyor General Dunn, Commissioner for Agriculture Labillois, Hon. A. D. Richard, Hon. L. P. Ferris, Judge Wells, Premier Murray of Nova Scotia, Judge Hannington, J. D. Phinney, C. W. Robinson, M. P. P., W. A. Rhodes, Stewart Tupper, Senator Wood, Senator King and Judge King.

When order had been obtained the president delivered the opening address. He was followed by Sir Charles Tupper, who at the close of his able and eloquent address, declared the exhibition open.

Hon. H. R. Emmerson then made a few brief and highly appropriate remarks.

THE LIVE FISH EXHIBIT.

The live fish display made at the Exhibition by Fishery Commissioner D. G. Smith, is very attractive. It is one of the exhibits which required more than usual time for preparation, as every part of it has been specially prepared for the show. Even the patterns for the castings of the iron portions of the tanks were made personally by Mr. Smith, and from that beginning he devised, made and put together the whole plant, with its complicated water and aerating system and its artistic imitation rock-work covering, with its miniature waterfall, brook and pond, its natural touches of moss and lichen, crown and background of trees, sleeping-tent and other appropriate features. It is one of the displays that was ready and in working order at the hour of opening, although, after installing the plant last week, the commissioner had to go back for all his live fish, excepting the salmon, to the North Shore. For the loan of the salmon he is indebted to the courtesy of the Fisheries Department at Ottawa, through the good offices of Fishery Commissioner Prince, and the assistance of Overseer Joseph O'Brien in making the transfer from the west side pond to the Exhibition Building.

This exhibit is on the main floor at the right hand corner of the entrance to the south wing, opposite the band stand. At first sight it seems to be a bit of solid sandstone ledge about eight feet high with irregular face, in semi-circular form, and as one's attention is attracted to it, perhaps by the water which plashes down its side and into the little pond at its base, it is observed that a part of the face is composed of five plates of glass through which the live fish are seen moving about in their native element. The whole occupies a frontage of about twenty-five feet, and it is, in all its details, a creditable mechanical, scientific and artistic feature of the Exhibition.

Taken together with the display of stuffed birds and animals from the Crown Land Office at Fredericton, and that of mounted fish from Ottawa, it shows that substantial progress is being made in bringing these attractions for the Angler, sportsman and tourist to general public notice.

Town Council Meeting.

The Town Council met on Monday evening last, Mayor Winslow in the chair.

After the reading of the minutes by the Town Clerk Mr. J. Fred. Benson was assigned a seat at the reports' table on motion of ald. Maher.

The following petitions were read:—

From Joseph L. Shea, captain of a coasting vessel between Chatham and P. E. I., praying reduction of a fine imposed for selling live stock without license, and claiming that all he sold was a pig, after which he left, while the fine imposed took in all that he had for sale. The matter was deferred until later in the evening.

From Alex. Christie, praying the Council to have the fence replaced at the back of his property on Wellington street, which was removed when the street was widened. Referred to public works committee with power to act.

From a number of the taxpayers in Duke's ward claiming that the distance to the school was too far and praying the council to act in the matter.

The Mayor said this was under the jurisdiction of the Board of Trustees and did not come within the power of the town council.

The petition was referred to the Board of Education on motion of ald. Robinson.

Ald. Robinson, chairman of the fire committee, reported that the new fire bell had been placed in the tower of the hall, and notices placed in different parts of the town with regulations for ringing the bell. The fence around the square and near the Masonic Hall had been removed; the benches and flagstaff painted and the walks repaired and was now much improved in appearance. Dr. Baxter had donated a quantity of cannon balls to the square committee and they were placed in pyramid fashion.

The report was adopted.

Ald. Snowball, from the public works committee reported that work on the streets was closed for this season, except in the event of a cargo of gravel, which would be used. Through the generosity and public-spiritedness of Senator Snowball and His Lordship Bishop Rogers, the street near Geo. Traer's would be continued through to St. John St., and also a street near Michael McGraw's be continued through to Hill St. Street signs were painted and placed on the corners designating the names of the different streets. Mr. Desmond had the Crimmen building removed from the public wharf property and a fence erected dividing the property on the east side. Mr. Coffin, the water works engineer had surveys made for the purpose of a water works system, and from what had been done there was every encouragement of getting a good source for the supply of water.

The report was adopted on motion of ald. Maher.

Ald. Snowball moved, that as his lordship the Bishop, had given the land for the opening of the street near Traer's, the public works committee have a fence erected on the south side of the roadway, a fence being already on the north side. Carried.

Ald. Snowball also moved that the street be called Victoria St., and as suggested by the Mayor, the street to be opened to Hill St. be known as Aberdeen st. Carried.

The Mayor, speaking in reference to the survey made by Mr. Coffin said that gentleman had given every encouragement for supplying a water works system for the town. The site best adapted was the Morrison Mill brook and a wier has been erected there and experiments and measurements made by Mr. Coffin's assistant. From what had already been done a supply of one million gallons a day was got and pronounced excellent water. The estimated need per day for the town is 300,000 gallons, and the supply already is ample. Of course it is not to be understood that this undertaking is binding, but it is better to know of it beforehand. There will have to be a public meeting called and permission granted before a water works system can be introduced. Mr. Coffin is considered one of the best engineers for this kind of work in the Eastern States, and is now making a similar survey in Texas, and we ought to congratulate ourselves in having secured such an efficient man.

The finance committee reported as follows:

That the Mayor was served in a suit brought in the county court against the Town for $174.55 by John Maloney. This is the claim previously considered by the committee and the county disclaimed all liability therefor. The Mayor reports he handed the writ to Mr. R. A. Lawlor to put in defence.

Finance committee recommend reduction of treasurer's bond from $10,000 to $5000, the latter being considered sufficient security.

The committee also recommand the sum of five dollars be paid the Hotel Dieu for preparing the Governor-General's reception address.

The finance committee also report the town is entitled under the order-in-council to all Scott Act fines enforced or collected from its citizens within the incorporated town, and recommend this council agree to indemnify the municipality of the County of Northumberland for all costs which it incurs in connection with the enforcement of the act within the town limits, the fines collected being paid over to the town of Chatham.

We report that the bond account at the Bank of Montreal is overdrawn in the sum of $428.55

We recommend that the Mayor and Clerk be authorized to borrow the sum of one thousand dollars to go to credit of bond account to pay present overdrawn account, and provide funds to pay work chargeable to said account. The said $1000 to be repaid out of the 2nd $10,000 authorized by act of Parliament.

We report the sum of $3045.52 at credit of revenue or general account in Bank of Nova Scotia as per Treasurer's account on this date, and recommend the sum of $2000 be placed at interest in Bank in which it is now on deposit.

(Sgd.) W. S. LOGGIE,
Chatham, 13th Sept. 1898.

Ald. Robinson moved, seconded by ald. Maher, the adoption of the report.

Ald. Snowball said in reference to the section pertaining to the Scott Act, on account of the strained relations that have existed between the town council and the inspector should we not be careful in guarding ourselves in having Scott Act cases of a doubtful nature tried in Chatham and where there would be no conviction and the cost go to the town.

Ald. Loggie said the committee had come to the conclusion that the section in the report was the best, and he did not think for a moment that the inspector would try any case that had not a reasonable chance of conviction.

Ald. Maher as seconder to the adoption of the report withdrew. He was in favor of the report with the exception of the Scott Act section.

Ald. Coleman then seconded the motion.

Ald. Snowball moved in amendment, that the report be received and adopted with the exception of the clause relating to the enforcement of the Scott Act.

Yeas:—Ald. Snowball, Flanagan, Maher.
Nays:—Ald. Loggie, McIntosh, Robinson, Coleman, Groat.

The original motion was then put and carried with the result of the above vote reversed.

Bills in connection with the public works department were passed as read.

Permission was granted to go into committee of the whole to consider petition of Capt. Shea, and other committee work.

After an absence of ten minutes the committee returned and ald. Loggie moved the following amendment to the by-laws:—

That the bye-law regulating a tax on license on live animals brought from outside the County of Northumberland and offered for sale within the town of Chatham be amended as follows:

Each young pig under 3 months old, 10 cts.
" sheep, 15 cts.
" steer, 50 "
" cow, 50 "
" pig, 25 "
" horse, $1.00
" mare, colt, foal or filly, $1.00
" bull, $5.00
" ram, 2.00
" lamb, 10 cts.

That the master of the vessel bringing cattle, sheep, pigs or horses within the Town of Chatham for sale shall be considered the person liable to pay the above tax or license.

That the bye-law shall come into force and effect this 12th day of September, 1898.

It was ordered that Capt. Shea be refunded the fine over and above the amount as now set forth in the new by-law.

Bills in connection with Fire department were passed as read by chairman Robinson.

Ald. Robinson said there was a bill of $32.16, handed to him by Messrs. Watt and Benson, for the flag-staff in the park. The cost of erecting it was in the vicinity of $160 and the most of it was paid by voluntary subscription. All the subscriptions had been paid and there was still a debt of $32.16 and the parties to whom the debt was owed this threatened to put the matter in a lawyer's hands if the town did not pay it.

The Mayor disapproved of paying out money in such a way without either contract or any writing showing where the money goes. The proper way to bring this matter before the council was by petition setting forth their grievance, and have it referred to the finance committee. Still he thought it hardly reasonable for these gentlemen to pay for public property.

Ald. Loggie thought the bill should be paid, but he understood there were other bills contracted like this that might be brought before the council in the same way, and care should be taken in not making a precedent of these matters.

Ald. Robinson said in future a guarantee should be insisted on that the town would not be responsible for any costs for anything erected in this way on public property.

The matter was referred to the finance committee to report at next meeting,

Finance committee bills were passed as read, among them being one for $87.50 from R. A. Lawlor, for fees as counsel for the town in Scott Act cases.

The dog tax collector handed in his returns, showing $167.00 had been collected and asking for another month to collect the amounts still due. The report passed.

The proposed road near the Wellington St. school was brought up. The council board of 1896 had ordered the opening of the road from Wellington to Lydia Sts, provided the cost would not exceed $150. The public works committee had arranged with the McLaughlih family and also Mr. Thomas Murray, and there was a Miss Kelly who owned a lot at the junction on Lydia St., and before final arrangements had been made she left for the United States. The matter was then dropped. The street is very much needed for the school children in that section, and the McLaughlin family had building lots sold previously to the proposal and in order to have the street fall in line with Warren avenue had cancelled the sale and sold to the same parties on the west side of the land, incurring costs in making out new deeds, etc. It was practically a contract entered into by that council and as Miss Kelly was now home the matter was brought before the present council. The amount of land will only permit a road 40 ft. wide and there was a dispute raised as to whether it was legal to open it up, when the law requires new streets to be 66 ft. wide. After a little informal talk the matter was left with the public works committee to try and secure a title of the land for $50.

The Mayor said while there was considerable money spent for the improvement of the streets there was nothing as yet done that could be termed a permanent improvement. One instance where there might be an improvement made towards this end was Duke street, opposite the ADVANCE office. The Henderson property was fully 12 feet on the street there, and to purchase this property and widen the street would be a great benefit. The owner seemed disposed to sell and he thought if the town purchased the whole property at a reasonable figure the old fashioned buildings could be torn down and more modern buildings erected. Mr. Robt. Murray was present, and acting for Mr. Henderson, and would give particulars as to cost. He wished him to be heard on the subject.

Mr. Murray, after being granted permission to speak said he agreed with the Mayor that it would be a lasting benefit to the town to have that part of the street widened. The owner of the property was taxed $2500 and he would let the town have it for $2000 and the lowest possible figure would be $1850. Then if the council did not wish to purchase the whole of the property, but just the 12ft. that was on the street he would ask $600 and the town to remove the buiidings. The council could easily see this would cost them considerable as the buildings were very old and would perhaps cost nearly as much as the worth of the property in putting them in shape again. To his mind the best thing was to secure the whole property.

The matter was left with the public works committee as to the advisability of purchasing the property and report at next meeting.

The janitor's salary was ordered to be paid monthly instead of quarterly as formerly.

Adjourned.

The Blair Picnic.

From all accounts the Blair picnic at Gagetown was a great success. There was a large number present and Messrs. Fielding Paterson, Emmerson and Blair dealt with the public questions of the day.

The following is a brief report of the speeches:

Hon. Mr. Fielding was the first speaker and he made the speech of the day in the opinion of all present. After brief introductory remarks he spoke of Tupper's claims as to the C. P. R., and said that when the history of that road was written it would be found that the scheme was conceived in sin and brought forth in iniquity and was one of the greatest scandals in Canadian history.

The Manitoba school question, after the bungling of Sir Charles Tupper, was settled by the Liberal government after the Tories had the provinces almost on the verge of rebellion. Sir Wilfrid Laurir settled it without difficulty.

The Tories had talked a lot about broken pledges of the Liberals. They said we had promised free trade. Such is not the case as free trade is known in England. We promised to repeal the franchise and adopt the provincial franchise and we did so. We promised the people of Canada to grant a plebiscite on prohibition and we have kept our promise. We promised we would endeavor to secure reciprocity and a conference between Canada and the United States is now in progress. We are willing for reciprocity on fair terms, but if we cannot get it then we will go on our own way as usual. The large business and manufacturing interests had to be considered. In this connection he stated that Canada was never as prosperous as to-day.

It was claimed that the national policy still existed. This he denied. The national policy did not exist to-day. Reductions had been made, first of 12½ per cent and in the second year of 12½ per cent., making 25 per cent.

Mr. Fielding then turned to a discussion of financial matters and stated that notwithstanding all statements of Tory politicians there would be a surplus this year, the revenue reaching $40,270,000 against $38,750,000 of expenditure. This, said Mr. Fielding, is the largest revenue ever raised in the history of Canada. He stated that the figures were not official but would be found nearly accurate.

In conclusion he said the last fiscal year would be found to be the most progressive in the history of Canada, and in no two years had the country made such progress as in the last two years under Liberal rule.

Mr. Fielding spoke in fine voice and was frequently applauded.

Premier Emmerson, of New Brunswick, spoke next, condemning the mixing of Dominion and provincial politics but remarking that he was Liberal and that if the Tory party wanted to force a fight on Dominion lines he was prepared to meet it.

Hon. Mr. Paterson spoke for nearly an hour, dealing with trade and other matters.

It was after six o'clock when Hon. Mr. Blair was announced. After stating that he had telegrams of regret from both Laurier and Tarte at their inability to attend he spoke of the warmth of feeling he found in England on his visit to Europe for Canada, brought about by the introduction of preferential tariff. People he met were willing to promote the growth of Canada and the country had a great future before it. There was no government since the organization of Canada that has had so many difficult problems in two year's to deal with. The Manitoba school question was settled satisfactorily by the Liberal party and if it had not been for the election of Liberals there might have been a rebellion in that province.

Mr. Blair spoke at some length on the extension of the I. C. R., the deepening of the canals and the development of the Yukon country, and concluded at dusk, the crowd giving three hearty cheers and singing "God Save the Queen."

Assassination of Austria's Empress.

GENEVA, Sept. 10.—[Special]—The Empress of Austria was assassinated at the Hotel Beau Rivage this afternoon by an Anarchist who was arrested. He stabbed Her Majesty with a stiletto. The Empress was born on December 24, 1837. She was the daughter of Duke Maximillian of Bavaria and

HAD THREE CHILDREN,

the Archduchess Gisela, who is married to the Prince Luithold of Bavaria, the Archduke Rudolph who married Princess Stephanie of Belgium and who was seemingly assassinated in 1889 and the Archduchess Maria who married the Archduke Franz Salvator of Austria-Tuscany. The late Empress was an enthusiastic horse woman. It appears that Her Majesty was walking from the hotel to the landing place of the steamer at about 1 o'clock when an Italian Anarchist suddenly approached and

STABBED HER TO THE HEART.

The Empress fell, got up again and was carried to the steamer unconscious. The boat started, but seeing the Empress had not recovered consciousness the captain returned and the Empress was carried to hotel Beau Rivage where she expired.

The murderer's name is Lucchoni. He was born in Paris of Italian parents.

The French Foreign Office confirms the report of the assassination of the Empress of Austria.

Rum and Gin Seized.

NORTH SYDNEY, Sept. 7.—One of the largest cargoes of smuggled liquor ever seized on the Cape Breton coast was landed here to-day from the schooner Jessie M. The vessel was captured by Collector Macaulay of St. Ann's on Saturday night about seven miles outside of St. Ann's light.

The officers arrived on the rescue just as preparations were being made for the landing of the cargo in a remote section of St. Ann's bay. The Captain and crew when they discovered that the officer was on their track abandoned the vessel, and Collector Macaulay had only to step on board and take charge of a cargo valued at $5,000. The tug Merrimac proceeded to St. Ann's on Sunday and towed the vessel to North Sydney, as it was feared attempts might be made by the owners of the contraband goods to regain posession of the cargo at St. Ann's.

The cargo consistis of 50 casks of rum, 150 cases of brandy and gin, besides a quantity of tobacco.

Rush! Rush! Rush! to W. T. Harris'

If you want to save money. He is offering his business for sale, and people are astonished at the bargains he is giving in Boots and Shoes and Groceries. Don't loose any time in taking advantage of this cheap sale, as it is liable to close at any time; as some one is sure to buy out the whole business. It is a very desirable one situated in the best part of the town.

Call and get prices whether you buy or not, and you will be convinced that Bargains indeed are at the Red Stores, FOR SPOT CASH ONLY.

All accounts are closed and must be settled at once, as W. T. Harris will be leaving town when he sells the Business, and the books handed over to the Montreal Collecting Agency for collection, whose costs will be added. To avoid this please pay at once.

New Westminster, B. C. reduced to Ashes.

VANCOUVER, Sept. 11.—New Westminster the chief city on the Fraser river presents a fearful scene of desolation this morning. Fire has wiped out the whole of the business portion, and there is not a public building standing in the central portion of the city. Fanned by a fierce wind, the fire which started on the water side by sparks from a steamer, spread with such awful rapidity that the streets were blazing only three hours when the smoking ashes marked where the houses were. Handsome blocks, banks and churches went up in smoke. Hundreds of people are homeless and relief is being sent from Vancouver. Two newspaper offices are gone. The C. P. R. station, three river streamers, the railway bridge and a number of private houses are destroyed. It is feared some lives were lost. It is known one woman, who had just been confined, is dead from the shock and also a woman who had typhoid fever. The loss of property is estimated to amount to $2,500,000.

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If you would do your dyeing work in proper style, use the Diamond Dyes. Avoid all imitation package and soap preparations. The Diamond Dyes are first and best for home use.

The Czar in Danger.

NEW YORK, Sept. 8.—A despatch to the 'World' from London says:—"A report i published here of a daring plot to assassinate the Czar of Russia at Moscow last week. The plan of the conspirators was to allow gas to escape into a house on the route of the Czar's procession until the atmosphere in every room had become saturated. One of their number was to remain in the house and strike a light when the Czar was passing in expectation that the house would be blown to pieces and the Czar killed by the flying debris. The conspirator would perish himself as a sacrifice to the cause. This duty fell to the lot of one Alexander Kolanoff. In his agitation Kolanoff seems to have made an error, as the explosion was mistimed. When it occurred a staff officer and his wife were driving past the house, and they instead of the Czar were killed. Their coachman will probably die of his injuries, and about thirty other persons were more or less seriously injured. Kolanoff's mangled body was found among the ruins. The Czar and Czarina drove by just twenty-five minutes later. Many arrests have been made in Moscow, but the Russian press has been forbidden to refer to the matter."

The Maine Elections.

The Congressional Election which took place in the State of Maine on Monday last resulted in the full return of the Republican ticket.

Smuggling Sensation.

OTTAWA, Sept. 7.—All over Ontario, Quebec, New Brunswick and Nova Scotia to-day, inland revenue officers are searching stores of tobacconists and grocers and bar rooms of hotels for contraband cigars, which make up one of the biggest seizures of smuggled tobacco ever brought into Canada. The goods were made in Porto Rico, and were landed somewhere around Halifax, but just where, the revenue officials have not been able to learn. It is reported that they first made their appearance in the grocery store of A. E. Lawlor, of Halifax, and from there were distributed over the provinces of Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, Quebec and Ontario. So well and systematically was the enterprise organized that the goods were distributed by express and freight over the Intercolonial and other railways and payments collected by drafts through the banks. The first trace of the goods was secured by Edward Floody, preventive officer at Hastings, Ont., and so well did he follow up the clue that he received not only the name of the distributor, but got a list of all the people to whom the stuff had been sold and the amount they bought. It is a case of one of the biggest smuggling exposures ever madn in Canada.

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A. FORSYTHE,
Manvers, Ont.

Shipping News.

PORT OF CHATHAM

Entered from Sea.

Sept 6—Bk Darby, 893, Sarensen, Belfast J. B. Snowball bal.
6—Bk Skjald, 441, Tsfjar, Manchester, J. B. Snowball coal.
9—Bk Frithjof, 822, Markussen, Garston, J. B. Snowball salt.
9—Bk Alxr, Black, 575, Buck, Preston, J. B. Snowball bal.
9—Bk Hellgerda 1092, Anderson, Hamburg, J. B. Snowball bal.
12—S. S. Cunexa, 2047, Grady, Manchester, Wm. Richards bal.

Cleared for Sea

Aug 31—Bk President, 768, Olsen, Newport, J. B. Snowball deals.
Sept 1—Bk Vermont, 978, Onetto, Oran, J. B. Snowball deals.
1—Bk Cato, 738, Tallaksen, Belfast, J. B. Snowball deals.
1—Ship Malone, 1133, Olsen, Belfast, J. B. Snowball deals.
6—S. S. Louisiana, 1263, Liswell, Greenock, Clark Skillings & Co., and J. B. Snowball spool wood and deals.
10—Bk Carita L, 874, Mezzanno, Marseilles, J. B. Snowball deals.

MARRIED

At the Manse, Black River, on Sept. 7th, by Rev J. Robertson, Mr Samuel A. Kingston, to Miss Margaret J. Kingston, both of Bay du Vin.

New Advertisements.

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—AT—
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13th until 23rd Sept.
The Canada Eastern Railway will sell Special Return Tickets at
One Single First Class Fare
For the Round Trip from all stations to Fredericton and Chatham Junction, from the
12th until 20th Sept.
Inclusive, good to return until the 23rd Sept.
AND WILL SELL
THROUGH TICKETS
From Chatham, Nelson and Chatham Junction to St. John, via Fredericton and C. P. R., on the
15th, 16th, 17th and 20th Sept.,
Good to return 3 days after date of issue for the round trip at. $3
These Rates will apply via Star Line Steamers from Fredericton upon application of passenger when purchasing ticket.
A. McN. SHAW, G. P. A.
THOS. HOBEN, Superintendent.
Railway Offices, Gibson, N. B., Sept. 7th, 1898.

M. S N. CO'Y.
TIME TABLE.
STR. "MIRAMICHI"
CAPTAIN GOODFELLOW,
Will leave Chatham every morning (except Sundays) for Newcastle at 7 o'clock a.m., leaving Newcastle for points down river at 7.45 a.m., Newcastle time.
On Mondays and Wednesdays returning will leave Escuminac at about 12.30 p.m., Neguac at 2.30 p.m., Church Point at about 3.15 p m
On Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays returning will leave Neguac at 1 p.m., and on Fridays at 1.30, Church Point at about 1.45 p.m. and on Fridays at about 2.15, Bay du Vin at 3 p.m.
STR. "NELSON"
CAPTAIN BULLICK,
On and after MONDAY, 12th INSTANT, and until further notice will Leave

Chatham at	Leave Nelson		Leave	Newcastle
Solar Time	*Solar Time*	*Newcastle Time*	*Solar Time*	*Newcastle Time*
9.00 a m	9.50	10.14	10.15	10.39
11.00 "	11.50	12.14	12.15	12.39
2.30 p.m.	3.20	3.44	4.15	4.39
6.00 "	6.50	7.14	7.10	7.34

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J. ARCH'D HAVILAND, Manager
Chatham, N. B., Sept. 1, 1898.

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