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The Carleton Sentinel.

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The customs receipts in Montreal, in July, were $997,963.84, an increase of $68,661.43 as compared with July, 1888. The inland revenue receipts were $170,888.34, an increase of $14,150.13.

In an express car, on a Grand Trunk train, between Montreal and Quebec, on Saturday, a lamp exploded, and a quantity of fireworks for the Halifax Carnival took fire. The result was the destruction not only of the car and contents but the expressman in charge, W. Rogers, was burned to death.

The German Emperor arrived in London, on the 2nd, to visit his Royal relations. At Portsmouth he was met by the Prince of Wales and at Osborne by the Queen.

Among the events which will commemorate the visit, the most notable is a grand review at Portsmouth, on a grand and impressive scale. Five miles of English ironclads, three deep, must be a sight for long rememberance.

Last month the Canadian Pacific Railway Company sold 28,000 acres of land in Manitoba for $99,000—or an average of $3 54 per acre, as against 11,759 acres for $38,324—or an average of $3 25 in June of last year. During the first six months of this year the company has disposed of 134,967 acres for $487,219, as against 42,737 acres for $150,681, during the corresponding period of last year.

The last number of the *Dominion Illustrated* is up to the usual high mark. The Wimbledon Team comes in for due attention, and the fine portraits of the members will be appreciated. St. John, N. B., and British Columbia have a large share in the remaining illustrations. The grasshopper hunt in Algiers will recall the shudders of some years ago to Manitoba farmers. Altogether, a good number.

At the opening of the British Conference, on 23rd July, President Kelly announced the sudden death of Rev. John Brewster. The writer was associated with Mr. Brewster during his Fredericton pastorate in 1857, and succeeded him in the Halifax pastorate in 1862. He was a man of great originality of speech, and was exceedingly popular as a preacher. His sermons on Elijah and Joseph, delivered with rare dramatic power, were of unique interest. He never seems to have won the position of influence in English Methodism to which he readily attained in these eastern provinces.—*Wesleyan.*

It must be dull in St. John when a *Sun* reporter says:—

"A few small flags floating to the breeze, a few coasters in the slip, and a prominent merchant chewing dulse were about all the important features the South wharf could present to a *Sun* reporter's gaze yesterday afternoon. This is the dull season down there and every man is a philosopher."

Cause for Thankfulness.

We have abundant reason for thankfulness that our Province escapes so strangely those elemental phenomena from which some of the States and Provinces suffer severely. While we have moderate showers here, elsewhere they have destructive cyclones, water bursts, floods and damaging hail storms as have recently been reported and that not very far away.

N. M. Railway.

A notable party of railway men from Maine and Massachusetts recently travelled on the explored line for the proposed railway from Presque Isle to Mattawamkeag, called the Northern Main Railroad. The trip is reported to have afforded the party great satisfaction, but we should judge from the published statements that there is no immediate probability of the road being built. Should the C. P. R. acquire the Main Central from Mattawamkeag to Vanceboro, which is on the cards as being altogether probable, then the M. C. might likely promote the construction of the new road.

Elixir of Life.

Dr. Brown-Sequard, of Paris, claims to have discovered an elixir, a liquid distilled from certain parts of animals, which, applied by hypodermic injection, restores the vigor of youth to the enfeebled and debilitated.

It is said that experiments made by doctors in Paris, New York and Philadelphia with this elixir have been surprisingly successful. Of course the majority of professionals and of the public are doubters or scoffers in the matter. But why should not science which, in other departments, has been so marvellous in its developments, succeed in discovering some means of staying for a time at least the natural waste and shrinkage of the human system?

Cost of Royalty.

People in the Colonies are not particularly interested in the discussions and votes of the British Parliament touching grants to the Royal children and grand children, except as they may be influenced by sentimental feelings, or by curiosity as to the drift of public opinion in England. They may be exercised over a consideration of the large amounts which are so generously donated, and in view of the easy indifference with which the people there agree to this disposition of their money—for there, as here, it is by the taxes of the people that the government is sustained. Here, however, there is a practical debit and credit side to the account of such disbursements, while there a heavy expenditure is for the support of hereditary appendages. To quote some of the figures which show how royalty costs the United Kingdom yearly some $3,500,000:—

The Queen has a direct annual grant of $1,925,000, and a large sum from the revenue of the Duchy of Lancaster, which in 1887 amounted to $250,000. She has the income from a great private fortune besides. The Prince of Wales draws $200,000 from the Treasury, and more than that from the Duchy of Cornwall. From the latter source in 1887 some $300,000 was paid to him. His wife receives from the government $50,000. The Queen's second son, the Duke of Edinburgh, is paid $125,000; and her third son, the Duke of Connaught, a similar annuity. The widow of her youngest son, the Duke of Albany, has a stipend of $30,000. The Queen's eldest daughter, the Princess Victoria, who afterward became Empress of Germany, was granted on her marriage $40,000 a year. Her other daughters, the Princesses Helena, Louise, and Beatrice, draw $30,000 each. An aggregate of $250,000 more is annually paid to relatives of the Queen outside of her immediate family.

To these figures are to be added the additional amount granted to the Princes Louise of Wales on her late marriage.

Judging from the recent votes in parliament and the opinions expressed by, or with consent of, ministers of the Crown, it may be expected that in the future a policy of greater economy will be pursued as regards the treatment of the younger branches of the Royal house.

While these expenditures do not directly concern Canadians at present, they might, should Imperial Federation become a real live issue, form an interesting element in the discussion. It will be a long time, however, taking Lord Salisbury's view of the matter, before our people will be called upon to consider seriously the question of such a change of relationship with the mother country as will increase our burdens and responsibilities, as well as add to our greatness in that connection.

The Jesuit's Estate Question.

Another phase in the vexed agitation in the Central Provinces respecting the Jesuit Estate Act has been passed, and now it would seem that either the advice tendered by the Governor General will be accepted and the agitation cease, or else those who continue to nurse it will have to wait until a general election affords them an opportunity to appeal to the electors.

We can't imagine that those who just now appealed to His Excellency did so with any hope that their request would be granted, when the act complained of was an act of a local legislature clearly within its jurisdiction; when the high court of parliament had by a decisive majority expressed the constitutional opinion of the people of Canada against disallowance, and when his advisers accepted as they were bound to accept such expressions of opinion.

His Excellency in replying to the delegates from Ontario and Quebec, who waited upon him at Quebec, on the 2nd inst, was very courteous but very plain and that reply covers all the essential points urged by the appellants. He said:—

"It is not usual to receive a deputation like this, but, it being a case of great importance, I am willing to set a precedent with the approval of my official advisers. I hope you will consider it no disrespect to those who have so well and eloquently spoken, should I fail to express either concurrence or disapproval with what has been said." The Jesuit Estate history, he said, was so well known that he did not need to refer to it again. He advised them to understand, however, that the Jesuit lands had been lying waste for a long time because no one cared to buy them with their doubtful titles, and thus they were almost worthless to the Government. He could not agree with the part of the petition referring to the interference of the Pope. It is true that the Pope was called upon to aid in the proposed division of property to Catholics, but this had no connection with the legislation of the Province, but only with the division of the money after it had been awarded. There was, however, no reference in the body of the act to the power of the Pope, and he did not consider that Her Majesty's authority had been assailed, consequently he could not disallow the act on that ground. In regard to giving money for ecclesiastical purposes, the act does not appear to do more than make a restitution of property of which a certain body had been deprived without compensation. The Government often recognize moral claims of this kind, not as a matter of legal right, but simply as a matter of grace. There are divers precedents of this to be found in the legal history of the empire, and the Governor General remembered that such cases had occurred several times while he was connected with the treasury. The statements made in clauses five and six he would neither admit nor deny. He did not think it was right to hold him as a Court of Appeal against the official advisers of the Government in Parliament, and he thought that the ministers were right in refusing to send the matter to the Privy Council when they were assured that they were in the right. As to a dissolution of parliament, that could only be done as a last resort, and there was nothing in this case to justify such an extreme measure. He ended by saying that he was unable to hold out any hope that he would disallow the act. Neither the Government nor he himself could with any degree of respect recommend the reversal of the allowance. Personally, he regretted very much that he had to return such an answer to such a delegation, and he had tried to make it as painless as possible. The Government and all friends of the Dominion had flattered themselves that the country was on the path to prosperity, that animosity of race and creed had disappeared, and he asked of them as friends of that country to try and live and let live, that they all, in times to come, may feel that they had promoted the main object of patriotism—the welfare and prosperity of the Dominion.

Every farmer should use German Plant Food H. Paxton Baird Agent.

Town Council.

The Town Council held a session Tuesday evening, but there was not much business transacted.

Plans and specifications for a stand pipe, prepared by A. W. Forbes, Boston, were submitted and referred.

The specifications are for a stand pipe 35 ft. in diameter, 40 ft. high, with a holding capacity, at high water level, of 280,000 gals. The total cost is placed at $7,500.

Singing Practice.

The Tuesday night meeting held in the Adventist house, and conducted as a Children's Meeting, will be discontinued for the present, and its place taken by a "Singing practice," the object of which is to teach the Sabbath school children the rudiments of music, and thus better qualify them for usefulness in divine service. Mr. James Brewer will be their leader, and will be supported by other members of the church having a knowledge of music. Judging from the measure of success attending the first effort, subsequent endeavors will not fail of the highest profit to the school, having these two requisites, viz., a competent leader, and good material for pupils. "Heart Melodies" will be chiefly used, and all are welcome.

Death of Mrs Stewart.

It came as a shock to our citizens the intelligence, on Sunday, that Mrs. Stewart, wife of Divisional Supt. on the N. B Railway, John Stewart, was dead. Mrs. Stewart had been unwell for two or three weeks but her numerous friends were gratified with the assurance that she was fast recovering and that no serious results were feared. On Sunday morning she awoke with a painful oppression in the region of the heart and the doctors were sent for, but she shortly after expired from failure in action of that organ.

The mortal remains of the deceased lady were taken, on Monday, by special, in Manager Cram's private car, to St. Andrews, the home of her childhood and the residence of her aged mother, where the funeral took place on Tuesday.

The fullest and heartiest sympathy is extended to the bereaved husband and family.

The Catholic Picnic.

The picnic held by the congregation of St. Gertrude's Church, took place on the fine grounds adjoining the church, on Wednesday, and was a success, we believe, financially, as well as furnishing an occasion for a jolly good time. The weather was not as favorable as was desired, rain falling until noon and then again about six o'clock The attendance was large, but it would have been considerably increased if the day had been free from rain. Promenaders were pleased with the music furnished by a local band, assisted by the Messrs. Sullivan, cornet and clarionet, from the St. Stephen band. The finest of order was had during the day from the large numbers present. We noticed Fr. Carney, of Debec, Fr. Chapman, of Johnville, and Frs. Murray and Bradley present on the grounds. The following were some of the lucky prize winners, making the highest number of points in their respective competition: George Baker, a handsome silver teapot, air gun; Ambrose Kelly, silver cup, "Flying Tramp;" Andrew Murdock, handsome chair, gents' archery; Mrs. Michael McManus, silver casters, ladies' archery. The air gun, "Flying Tramp," bowling alley, strength testing machine, nigger image and swings were well patronized; outside tables, fairly well; dinner and tea tables, grandly. Those present dispersed, feeling that a jolly time was spent, and voting the picnic a success.

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Woodstock Lodge, I.O.G.T.

The following is the roll of officers of the above Lodge for the current quarter:—

C. S. Woodling, C. T.; Mrs. Piper, V. T.; Smith English, R. S; Miss E. Lane, A.R S; Mrs. C S. Woodling, F. S; Percy Carr, T.; William Gibson, Chap.; George Olmstead, M.; Miss Annie Parker, A. M; A. McDonald, G.; Rev. E. J. Grant, S.; Elmer Grey, P. C. T.

GOLDEN RULE LODGE.

William Walker, C. T; Mrs. Caleb Hopewell, V. T.; Mrs. William Walker, S. J. T.; Carrie McIntyre, Sec; Ida McCarty, F. S; Caleb Hopewell, Treas, Rachel Hopewell, Chap; Louisa Norton, M.; H. Walker, G; Rued McIntyre, S; Lily Walker, A.S; May Dymond, D. M.

Personal.

E S. Gilmore, was in town this week.

H. R Baird is among the exodians to Halifax.

Mr. and Mrs. R W. Balloch, Centreville, were in town Monday.

Dr. Sprague has returned from a brief visit to his friends at Hampton.

Miss Laura M. Burtt, Hartland, is visiting her friend Miss Mamie Clarke here.

Mrs. L. P. Fletcher is attending the Holiness camp meeting at Old Orchard Beach.

Mrs. A G. Brewer, Brookline, Mass., arrived here this week to visit her sick mother.

Dr. Lee Jamieson, Philadelphia, is spending a few weeks with his friends in this section.

Mr. and Mrs. James Sickman, Holyoke, Mass., have been spending a few days with friends here.

T. S. Hall, St. John, reached Woodstock on his bicycle Friday evening, and left next day for Grand Falls.

R. P. Steeves is the recipient of many congratulations over the two-fold blessing which has visited his home.

G. H. Saunders returned from his trip to P. E Island Saturday evening. He brought with him two fine colts.

J. Allan Perley and son, Andover, reached here Thursday, having driven from home with his fine span of ponies.

Miss Etta Carpenter, St. John, is visiting friends here. She is accompanied by her young nephew, Master Percy Hall.

Miss Nourse, of Maiden, Mass., and Miss Cabot, of Cambridge, Mass., are paying a visit to the sister of the former, Mrs. Dr. Sprague.

Miss Maggie Crangle, after an absence of several years in the States, is now visiting her former home, Woodstock, and is the guest of Mr. Thomas Lynch.

S. J. Parsons reached Benton Friday evening, on his return from England, having made the return trip from Liverpool in the unusually short time of 5 days, 23 hours and 10 minutes.

Rev. John Campbell, of Granton, Ont., made the SENTINEL a pleasant call on Tuesday. He has been spending a few weeks at home with his aged mother, at Richmond Corner. He returns to Granton on Monday.

Husband Wanted!

The New England *Grocer*, published at Boston, Mass, of a late date, under the above heading, has the following:—

Here's a chance for unmarried grocers and clerks, or other parties of the male persuasion not already engaged: J H. Rollins, grocer, High Rock, Lynn, Mass, found among his eggs, last Friday, one with the following inscription, but as he is married, says he will turn it over to some younger man: "My name is Miss Effie Tucker. I live at Bath, Car. Co., N. B. I want a good smart fellow for a husband; am 17 years old and good cook and housekeeper; want a temperate man, P. S.—Want him good looking; he may answer this if he chooses."

JOTTINGS

J. T. Knight won the Rob Roy race at Halifax.

A store key picked up on the street may be found at this office.

Royal Scarlet Chapter meets at Lakeville on Wednesday next, at 3 p m.

Rev Joseph Noble, jr., will preach in the Reformed Baptist Church, Sunday morning and evening.

At the election for Mayor, in St. John, on Tuesday, W. A. Lockhart was elected with a majority of 139.

Thanks to J. W. Boyer, Glasgow, Scotland; E. G. Milbury, New York, and S. J. Parsons, Benton, for late papers.

Beginning with October 1st, the rate of interest on deposits in the Savings Bank will be reduced to 3½ per cent.

Next week we will furnish our readers with a full description of Messrs. Fred. Moore & Son's fine milling establishment.

The SENTINEL'S paragraph about Mr. Haggerty's lilliputian engineer is copied by the *Sun*, and credited to the *Bangor Commercial*

J. T. Collins left on Monday morning for Portland, Me., to attend the Maine General Hospital and receive treatment for his lameness.

A flag staff, about 100 feet high, is to be placed on the grounds of the post office. Two fine sticks of pine have been secured for the purpose.

Elder H. Raymond and Licentiate Wm. Stapleford officiated in the Adventist pulpit, Sabbath afternoon; the former, alone in the evening.

Grading has commenced on the Woodstock and Centreville Railway. The engineer pronounces the hardest mile on it as comparatively easy.

A private letter informs us that Messrs. J. W. Boyer and B. Kilburn intended sailing from England for home, by the "Parisian," on the 8th inst.

A C. P. R. locomotive at McAdam was, on Saturday, backed off the turntable; the driver was slightly injured. The locomotive did not suffer material damage.

Abraham Clark has secured the contract for shingling the roof of the college school building, and F. G Scoop for the painting and tinting to be done the same building.

In the absence of the pastor, who is at Grand Manan attending the Holiness Convention, Rev. B Colpitts preached in the Reformed Baptist Church, Sunday morning.

The SENTINEL is pleased to note the promptness with which our town officials remedy the defects in the sidewalks, when their attention has been called thereto All say, thanks.

A company of ladies and gentlemen numbering some 16, drove over from Houlton, in a coach and four, on Monday afternoon; they took tea at the Wilbur and then returned home.

Mr. Coburn Vaudine, of Mineral, Carleton Co., has a curiosity in the shape of an apple tree of the crab species, which is loaded at the present time with both fruit and blossoms. What next.

We have authority for the statement that if the Agricultural Societies of the County will guarantee $500, certain parties stand prepared to initiate and carry through an Exhibition here this Fall.

During the brief storm Wednesday evening, the lightning followed the wire into the telephone office, burning off a number of wires and a bell. In a brief time Mr. Dalling had all right again, however.

Mr. Hamilton Emery, Jacksonville, showed us on Monday a handsome sample of Russian Ladoga wheat, cut from the field exactly 100 days after the seed was sown. It was thoroughly ripe and was well and heavily headed.

Mr. Alex. Colter, father of our Dr. Colter, died at his residence, Douglas, York Co., on the 1st inst., at the age of 85 years. The deceased was greatly respected by all, and is said to have been one of the wealthiest men in York County.

Grain is ripening so fast that in a short time farmers will be in the midst of the rush of reaping, to be followed by the threshing of the grain. Farmers who want to buy a good threshing machine should read Connell Bros. new ad. in this issue.

One of the happiest excursions of the season will, doubtless, be that of the Sunday schools of the Baptist and Presbyterian churches, to St. Stephen, on Thursday next. A grand opportunity is presented for a pleasant "outing": avail yourself of it.

The following are the members of the Hose Company who have gone to Halifax to take part in the Carnival: F. Chalmers, C. Welch, L. Irvine, R. Kennedy, W. Bolger, A. Fields, J. Troy, W. Good, Geo. Colter, N. N. Brewer and C. S. Woodling.

The announcement of the University of Mount Allison College, will be found in our advertising columns. We need say nothing about the merits of this educational establishment, for they are so well founded that they are universally known and admitted.

The blacksmith's shop at Moore's mill took fire on Friday night, and great fears were entertained for the safety of the mill close by.—However, the promptness of the firemen soon overcame the flames, and prevented the destruction of a vast amount of property.

Before leaving Woodstock Miss Sutherland, our late telegraph operator, was presented by the members of the Presbyterian church with a silver ice pitcher and pie knife, in token of appreciation of her services as organist of the church for the previous four years.

Don't forget the picnic and excursion to Bath on Tuesday next. We know that full preparations are being made in the way of amusements, etc.; the ride up and down by train will be pleasant, and we can safely promise all who attend an enjoyable season.

Connell Bros. new electric station is being proceeded with despatch. The walls are all erected, and the roof is now being put on. There is an air of solidity about it that inspires us with the thought that Mr. Connell means business in the line of electric lights.

The Hodgdon, Me., camp meeting will be held on the old ground, commencing next Monday evening, Aug. 12. A large delegation of clergy from different parts of the States and Provinces are expected. Rev. B. C. Wentworth is President; Rev. C. L. Haskell, Secretary.

Linus Seely, Waterville, who has suffered so frequently in the past from the fire fiend, was again the victim on Sunday evening. Returning from church, with Mrs. Seely, he entered his dwelling to find it on fire, which resulted in the destruction of the building with almost the entire contents. No. Insurance.

We are not in possession of particulars, but learn that a competent committee have under consideration the idea of affording our people of town and country an opportunity of enjoying a day of sports. We have only space to add that the move is a praiseworthy one, and we trust it will receive the hearty support of our citizens. The SENTINEL will aid it all it can.

Hugh Monahan, Newburg, met with quite a serious accident on Monday. He was throwing off a load of Straw at the barn of the old Woodstock hotel, when a passing train frightened his horses. They ran immediately across the railway track and plunged over the wharf, falling a distance of 15 or 20 feet. The horses were not hurt much, but Monahan received some ugly cuts in the head.

A painful accident occurred at the Church of England Sunday School picnic, held on the Island opposite the town on Tuesday. Some of the boys were catching on to a truck waggon on which material was being conveyed to the picnic ground, when Gordon Connell, son of William M. Connell, Esq, aged 11 years, got his leg between the spokes of the moving wheel, receiving a bad fracture of the bones and bruising of the ligaments of the leg.

It is always a great satisfaction to learn of the success of Carleton County boys when they go abroad. Some eight years ago Edwin E Kinney, son of Enoch Kinney, Richmond Corner, left home and went to Montana, from whence he migrated to Ada, Ohio, and entered the Ohio Normal University, in which he has just completed the scientific course.—His success may be judged from the fact that at the recent annual commencement he was the valedictorian of his class.

Miss Belle Sutherland, who for some four years past has been in charge of the Telegraph office here, has resigned her position and on Wednesday morning left for St. John. Miss Sutherland was not only a careful and competent operator, but was as well a most obliging and courteous official, and an esteemed and valued member of our social ranks, and she will carry with her the best wishes of hosts of friends for her future happiness in all the relations of life.

Miss Clark, of St. John, is successor to Miss Sutherland, and is now in charge of the office here; we trust, as we have no doubt, that her business and social relations with Woodstock will be equally as pleasant as were those of her predecessor.

Richmond Items.

Aug. 8th, 1889.

Fine growing weather; crops are looking well.

Our school convened Monday of this week, and is taught by Miss Eva Cassidy.

Dr. Lee Jameson, of Philadelphia, is visiting his home and friends. He looks as if Philadelphia might be a very healthy country.

Mr. Fuller Bradstreet of Bridgewater, Maine, formerly of this place, was married to Miss Katie Teague of Caribou, Aug 3rd. May their lives be long and happy, is the wish of their many friends.

Miss Jennie Parks, who has been in Boston for the past year, has returned home with many a welcome greeting.

Miss Annie Shields, who has been dangerously ill, under the careful treatment of Dr. Fitzmaurice is now recovering.

Rev. John Campbell, of Ontario, formerly of this place, delivered an excellent sermon in the Presbyterian pulpit at Richmond Corner on Sunday the 28th ult.

Hartland Items.

Aug. 8th 1889.

Last Thursday the F. C. Baptist sunday schools of Victoria Corner, Somerville, Upper and Lower Brighton united with the union sabbath school of Hartland and had a picnic on Gallop's flat Exclusive of the usual picnic sports quite a lengthy programme, consisting of singing, recitations and speeches was carried out The speakers were Revds. C. T. Phillips Thos. Vanwart and J. T. G. Carr and W. J. Doucette.

The Hartland cricket club has been re organized with the following officers—J. T. G. Carr President, W. D. Keith Vice-President, R W. Gillin Secretary Treasurer, T. J. Carter Captain.

The superior school has re-opened with a large enrollment; Miss Bertie Currie has charge of the primary department.

Mr Keswick's new house when completed will add much to the appearance of the village. Wm. Henderson is building a dwelling house opposite the Riverside Hotel.

Manzer Thornton is proprietor of the Riverside Hotel, heretofor run by A. Thornton, Manzer is an obliging fellow, may his enterprise be a success.

Upper Woodstock Items.

The readers of the SENTINEL will remember reading an account of an accident at the Andover bridge. Mr A. True, one of the mechanics at work on the frame fell off, alighting in a scow 30 feet below. By rare good fortune he sustained no more serious injury than a badly sprained ankle. His many friends will be glad to learn that he is in a fair way of speedy recovery. He expects to be able to go to work in a few days.

W. C. Ferguson's harness shop and Charles Smith's house have had their appearance greatly enhanced by good paint David Palmer wielded the brush and performed his work in a manner to reflect credit on his artistic skill in the case of the latter, while J. B Cole did the work for the former with his accustomed good taste.

The village has a number of visitors just now, among which are the following: Miss Nelson of Narrows, Queens Co., is the guest of Mrs. Herbert Wilson; Miss Amanda Shaw is visiting Mrs. Woolford McCluskey; Mrs. A. True is entertaining Miss Armstrong of Perth; Lizzie, daughter of Mr. Bond, St. John, North End, while spending her vacation in our village, is staying at Charles Alexander's.

Austin Hartley has returned from a successful fishing trip up the tortuous Serpentine. Since Austin's return the villagers have learned many wonderful things regarding the freaks of the finny tribe on the prolific streams flowing into the noble Tobique.

An exploring party of the recently incorporated mining company have been hunting for the Tobique El-Dorado recently. Sol. Perley, one of the most sanguine of the party, has come home for a short visit. He speaks in glowing terms of the glittering prospects of the ultimate success of the enterprise.

Miss M. B. Sharp is making ample preparations for gathering and sending away the valuable product of the big plum orchard. The St. John market will have to depend largely for its supply on what Miss Sharp can ship there, as the plum crop in the Annapolis valley is a decided failure this year. On account of the paucity of the crop elsewhere, the plums here should command a ready and remunerative sale. The season is so early this summer that gathering will be commenced about a fortnight earlier than usual; as a consequence of this and of the active demand for the stock to be disposed of, those sending in their orders at the usual time will be sure to be left. In a very short time at the present rate of selling, the crop will be disposed of.

Mr. James. Ryan's store in the brick building rejoices in a new sign and a large awning. The fine stock of groceries and dry goods is now known by the name of the St. John store.

This (Friday) afternoon the Union Sunday school and members of Jubilee Division hold a union picnic on Mr. J. T. Smith's intervale.

The matrimonial boom has not struck the village lately. Notwithstanding the fact that still there linger on the discomforting fence of celibacy as eligible persons of each sex as the most fastidious could desire, Cupid seems most tantalizingly shy. A few well directed darts from his quiver into our preserve, would bring down game worthy of the votaries of love.

Butter taken in exchange for Goods, at R. B. Belyea & Co.'s.

Greenfield Items

Aug 7th, 1889.

Mr Robert Elkins, who has been very seriously ill, appears to be slowly improving, and hopes are entertained that he will soon be around again.

Mr. John Holmes has remodeled his house and added to it a handsome ell, so that, when completed, it will be one of the most comfortable and finest appearing houses in the settlement. Mr. Robert Hamilton has also been adding a comfortable addition to his house.

We have had three fine new barns built this summer in anticipation of an abundant harvest.

Farmers here are now about through with their haying, and are taking a breathing spell before commencing the grain harvest. Oats are quite green yet, but wheat and barley are almost ready for the sickle.

School has re-opened and the children are again flocking to that "Hall of learning"

FREDERICTON TOPICS.

FREDERICTON, Aug. 7, 1889.

Hon. John Costigan spent Sunday in the city.

The "Boston Blues" base ball club play "Fredericton" here this afternoon.

The French department of the Normal School commenced regular work on Monday. An unusually large number of students are in attendance.

The firemans' excursion to the Halifax carnival leaves this afternoon, but owing to lack of practice it is exceedingly doubtful if they will compete in any of the contests.

The Fredericton lodge of the Knights of Pythias anticipate taking a trip to Woodstock soon, to assist in establishing a branch of that institution in the latter place.

The survey of the Harvey-Salisbury Short Line between Fredericton and Harvey has been completed. The distance has been shortened three miles from the survey taken four years ago; highest summit level on the entire route is estimated at 600 feet above the St. John river at Fredericton.

The weather has been unusually hot and as a consequence there is considerable sickness among young children.

The value of goods entered at the port of Fredericton for July was $10,673, while the goods exported amounted to $9,107.

Last week was replete with runaway accidents as "seven" was the remarkable number reported; fortunately none of the occupants precipitated from the respective vehicles was seriously injured.

A fishing party, including several ladies, left here yesterday for the Tobique; they have announced their intention of canoeing, on their return trip, from that place to Woodstock.

The Royal School of Infantry will soon undergo an examination by Gen. Middleton, who is expected here in a few weeks.

A report is in circulation to the effect that the famous Baptist boy preacher, J. E. Bill, jr., will visit this city in a few weeks.

Telephone connection will soon be permanently established between here and St. John, as the N. B. Telephone Co. have their line constructed as far as Oromocto, from which place conversation has been successfully carried out.

The Rev. C. B. Woodcock and Mr. Donald Hendry, of Wurtemburg fame, came up from St. John on Saturday to spend Sunday with the "Celestials." The distinguished visitors left for St. John on Monday, evidently with a good impression of Fredericton and its hospitable citizens.

Mr. John Gibson has commenced the construction of another three mast vessel, at the mouth of the Nashwaak.

Pat Maloney and company appeared to a small and disappointed audience in the City Hall last Friday evening. Although a few features, such as the singing of Miss Werner, are worthy of consideration, yet the performance as a whole is decidedly under representation. It is useless for cheap companies to show in Fredericton as the "Celestials" emphatically resent anything of a "loud" or inferior nature.

A large number of our citizens are yet sojourning at their respective seaside resorts and as the weather continues fine, those so fortunate as to have an opportunity of inhaling the ocean breezes will no doubt duly appreciate the change.

We are obliged this week to chronicle the death of several popular and highly esteemed gentlemen: Mr. Alex. Colter, father of Dr. Colter of Woodstock, died at his home at Keswick, on Thursday afternoon last. Quite a number of citizens drove up to attend the funeral which occurred on Saturday

A large and respectable concourse of citizens attended the funeral of the late W. W. Street which took place on Thursday last. His remains were interred in Forest Hill Cemetery.

On the same day Mr. T. McCarthy, an old resident of Fredericton, died at his residence this city. He leaves a fortune variously estimated between $50,000 and $75,000.

Mr. Jackson Adams, the well known and respected undertaker, established here over 30 years, died on Sunday evening after a prolonged illness. His funeral which was largely attended took place yesterday.

The general topic of conversation for the past few days has been in connection with the mysterious disappearance of the woman "Connolly" from Russagornish. Her husband with whom she has lived very unhappily, is generally regarded with considerable suspicion. A thorough investigation of the affair should be instigated immediately.

A young man named Donohue, of St. Mary's, was arrested yesterday afternoon on a charge of forgery. It seems that Saturday he received a cheque from the Boom Company for $8.84 which it is alleged he subsequently increased ten dollars; he purchased goods from Mr. Samuel Owen, and in payment presented the cheque which yesterday morning was taken to the People's Bank, where the alteration was speedily detected. The issuer of the cheque was communicated with and he corroborated the suspicions of the bank officials by proclaiming the original amount; hence the young man's arrest.

On Friday and Saturday last the Nationals of St. John played the Fredericton base ball team at the Association grounds at Scully's Grove. The Nationals were the winners of both games, the score standing 13 to 4 and 10 to 9 respectively. Our boys made an extremely creditable play especially in the latter game, they being two ahead when the last innings commenced. Saturday's game was the most exciting and interesting of any yet played in the pennant series, consequently much enthusiasm and excitement were prevalent among the spectators who numbered 800. It is to be hoped Fredericton will have better luck in the future. The team will go down to "wipe out" Moncton again on Friday.

Representations have lately been made to the local government with a view to securing aid for railway and passenger bridge across the upper St John river, between St. Leonard's, Madawaska Co, and Van Buren, Maine. Such a structure would be exceedingly beneficial to the N. B. R. as well as extremely convenient to the community on both sides of the river.

Two of the greenest of countrymen were standing on the corner of York and Queen streets yesterday afternoon when the new hokey-pokey ice cream cart, beautifully finished and painted in bright colors, put in an appearance; the gong connected with the apparatus loudly ringing to announce the arrival of the convenient institution from which for the small sum of 5 cents a most refreshing delicacy could be procured. "Well, by hokey!" said one of the aforesaid individuals from the rural disrricts, "What in thunder do you call that gol darned machine?" "Oh! that's nothin," responded his companion, who was nevertheless evidently much astonished, "I guess that's one of these here gosh darned new fangled fan-nen machines."

Saturday's St. John *Globe* had an article taken from the Berlin (Ont.) *News*, in which it vehemently denounces the Louisiana Lottery as the greatest *swindle* of the age. As considerable money from Fredericton and Woodstock is regularly invested in the concern and few returns are made in this vicinity, the public should take into consideration the advisability of further investment in that institution.

A Ghastly Discovery.

HELENA, Mont, July 30.—A ghastly discovery was made last week on Sun river. From the meagre particulars at hand, it seems that a few months ago a family of Flathead Indians left their reservations, crossed the mountains, and went into the Sun river country to hunt. They were seen by one of their relatives, a half breed, when they first arrived. Last week this half breed found one of thir ponies in the possession of a white man, who said he had purchased the animal at Sun river. The half breed, suspecting that something was wrong, at once began search for his relatives. After hunting two or three days, he found their camp, which had been burned, and the charred remains of his relatives, a family of three or four. There is no doubt that they were robbed of their horses and outfit and murdered. The half-breed at once notified the authorities, who are looking for the perpetrators of the fiendish act.

Communicated.

A Plain Statement.

To the Editors of the Carleton Sentinel:

I was hurt, June 8, by a bolt from a circular saw, and was laid up two weeks and three days, and was insured in the Travellers' Insurance Company of Hartford, Conn., as a common laborer, for $1 000, and to draw $5 00 per week, for 26 weeks, in case of accident. I sent in my claim for two weeks and three days and I got a check for $5 24, on August 3d. You had better insure, but not in that way.

Yours, &c,
HORATIO N. ATHERTON.

Woodstock Aug. 5, 1889.

At the Liberal picnic at Clearwater, Winnipeg, on the 2nd inst, the Hon. Mr. Smart, a member of the Local Government, made the first definite statement of the Government policy respecting separate schools. He said that the present dual system by which there are two Superintendents of education, two Boards of Education and two staffs of officials must be abolished. The schools will be made non-sectarian and national and will be in charge of a Minister of Education, who will be a member of the Government.

The imports of the United States for the year ended 30th June last were $774,090,549, and the exports $839 043.332, showing an excess of exports, $64,952,783. Last year there was an excess of imports amounting to $40.926,410. Thus the difference as to the balance of trade in the two years was over one hundred millions of dollars. This is said to be the most remarkable change in one year in this respect in the commercial history of the country.

England is negotiating a treaty with Japan, which will open the whole interior of Japan to foreign trade.

Do You Drink Ice Water;

That cool refreshing drinks in warm weather are delicious is undeniable. That drinking ice water in copious draughts when a person is overheated is injurious, not to say dangerous, is also undeniable, and is one of the greatest popular errors extant. When a person is perspiring freely from every pore, a vast amount of water is drawn from the body, which must be re-supplied, or great injury is being done the physical health, and the foundation of some of the worst forms of kidney disease is being slowly but surely laid. Why! someone will exclaim, that is just what causes kidney troubles, drinking water freely which contains so much lime. Wrong again! So long as the water drank is freely carried through the system, and converted in its passage to the naturally acid reaction of the urine and perspiration, no danger can occur by deposits of urea or lime in the kidneys and bladder, because they remain perfectly in solution, and are carried out of the body instead of remaining in it. Literally, they are washed out of the body by the copious draughts of water (that most perfect of all solulents), same as a series of pipes are "flushed" with water to clean them. A clean body is never diseased.

Do not drink ice water, but pure cold water; a little lemon juice will improve the effectiveness. Plain soda water with a little acid is also excellent. If from drinking too much ice water you have stomach cramps, or are "water-logged," or are attacked with Cholera Morbus, Summer Complaint, Diarrhœa, or Dysentery, do not resort to alcoholic stimulating drinks, which irritate rather than soothe and allay the inflammation which has caused the trouble: but adopt the practice of taking daily just before retiring, during July and August, one teaspoonful of Johnson's Anodyne Liniment in a little sweetened water, which will prevent all such attacks and ill effects from ice water. In fact, a little pamphlet sent free to anyone, by I. S. Johnson & Co., Boston, Mass., contains a vast amount of information about treating those Summer troubles.

Read R. B Porter & Co.'s advertisement in to-days' issue.

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MARRIED.

On the 28th ult., at the F. C. B Church, Tracey's Mills, by Rev. J. W. Clark, Mr. Randolph Tracey and Miss Ada Page, both of Wilmot, Car. Co., N. B.

At the residence, of G W. Hatfield, Esq., Middle Simonds, Aug. 4th, by Elder John Hutchinson, Mr. Judson Atwater, of Peel, Car. Co, and Miss Emma Rideout, Parish of Grand Falls.

At the residence of the bride's father, on the 5th inst., by the Rev. J. K. Beairsto, Mr. Edw. Johnston, of Fredericton, to Lizzie, daughter of Mr. Wm. Love, of the Glassville House, Glassville, Carleton County,

DIED.

At Woodstock, Aug. 4th, Susan A., wife of John Stewart, Supt. N. B Railway.

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