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NEWFOUNDLAND.

Matters respecting the attitude of Newfoundland as regards Canada remain unchanged. That province seems determined to remain in bad humor with this dominion, and obstinately refuses to accept the olive branch held out by our people. On Tuesday a reply was received to the despatch sent some time ago in which Canada proposed a conference and suggested that in the meantime Newfoundland suspend her unfriendly action and Canada would again allow Newfoundland fish to enter Canada free. The answer is unfortunately not made in a friendly or concilliatory spirit, but is simply an intimation that no concession can be made unless Canada first agrees to withdraw all opposition to the ratifiaction of the Bond-Blaine treaty. This leaves matters as they were, and for the moment there does not seem much immediate hope of any change in the unfriendly attitude of our sister colony.

The trouble appears to be that Canada would not grant certain concessions to Newfoundland, as for instance, the free importation of her fish into this country. The sister province had then to seek elsewhere for concessions and made a treaty with the United States. This treaty does not suit Canada, and so the endeavor is made to get the island to withdraw from the articles of the treaty, even if her fish have to be allowed admittance free of duty.

There are, of course, complications on account of the French having certain rights in the island that must be respected, but it is very plain that the dominion government made a mistake in trying to force a tribute from Newfoundland, and that now seeing their mistake they are trying to secure the country's favor even by granting the concession which caused the trouble. All despatches show that the Newfoundland government is a little suspicious of the intentions of our executive, and will not assent to any condition unless specially prepared by themselves. The trouble can have but one termination. If satisfaction is not got from Canada the sister province will throw its sympathy and trade into the scale with the United States.

Now that the dominion parliament is in session, it would be well should the friends of Mr. Temple urge him strongly to press on the executive the necessity of making a large grant for navigation purposes between this city and Woodstock. Five thousand dollars carefully and wisely expended would allow the Florenceville to run most of the summer. Only a few obstructions would have to be removed to enable her to do so. It is only justice to the residents of the river parishes that this should be done. It would be a great help to this city also as much of the freight that now finds its way by McAdam, would then pass through the city, and where the freight goes there is always increased passenger traffic. If the same steamboat accommodation is afforded the people this year as last, there will be reason for an increased exodus from up river.

As a result of the unsatisfactory showing of the census, Queens and Sunbury have been merged into one constituency, whether for the purpose of lessening the expense by curtailing the number of members or of ensuring a seat at the next general election to a conservative. Matters political in Queens for some time have not been just as the dominant party would wish, and this may be intended to teach electors there that they must do as desired or feel the whip. York has been left severely alone, whether because at present it is so represented that it does not count on either side, or because no scheme could be devised to hold it as a conservative constituency.

REPORTS from the sections visited by W. W. Hubbard, dairy agent for district No. 2, are to the effect that all the meetings have been well attended and the people are eager for information respecting the best plans for building and equipping dairy factories. No wiser step has ever been taken by any government than this and it would appear at present as though the scheme will meet with unlimited success. The aim of a good government is to improve the welfare of the farmers especially and our local government by its horse and cattle importation, as well as by this plan for stimulating dairy enterprise must receive the hearty and cordial support of all.

HOT SHOT.

The Caron Charges in the Dominion Legislature.

After the impeachment of Judge Elliott for misconduct in connection with the London election case in the dominion parliament on Thursday, Sir Richard Cartwright resumed the debate on the Caron charges and ridiculed Thompson's pretense that the charges were not specific and that the house had no right to investigate the allegation, that $100,000 of public money had been used to purchase constituencies. What troubled ministers was not the vagueness of the charges but their directness. He quoted the declarations of Messrs. Thompson and Abbott, promising full investigation of all charges of wrong doing. Now that the charges were brought forward the ministers repudiated their pledges. The conduct of Messrs. Thompson and Abbott was more calculated to degrade the country and parliament than even the conduct of which Caron stood accused. Those who expected better things of Sir John Thompson had been much disappointed; the argument meant that if cabinet ministers could cover up their tracks till the election courts had discharged their functions they should escape exposure and punishment. The opposition proposed to try Caron's case before the committee on which his supporters and colleagues had a large majority, yet the government were afraid to go before such a tribunal. If an investigation be had the people would see that never had such a system of organized corruption existed, as that by which the tory party had been maintained in office for ten years. Whether the inquiry was refused or not, the charges would not rest. The ministers would, if an inquiry was refused, be forced to bring actions at law or sit down silent and dishonored.

Mr. Dickey followed in defence of Caron.

Mr. Edgar said he was prepared to prove by sworn testimony every statement he had made in the formal charges. He pointed out that when the charges had been preferred against Bowell and Rykert, those gentlemen had asked for inquiries. But Caron and Thompson seemed afraid to have the charges now before the house inquired into. Caron had returned $904 as his election expenses in 1887, whereas he could prove that Caron spent ten times that amount with his hands. The question of expelling Caron was not now before the house, though it might arise later on. He quoted precedents showing that no government, either in England or the colonies, had ever dared to refuse inquiries into charges such as those he preferred against Caron. He charged Caron with robbing the public and with conspiring to plunder the public treasury. An inquiry was to be refused through that corruption of the conservative party would be exposed. The whole government was responsible for Caron's conduct and profited by it. The honor of Canada and its representative was at stake. Caron had evidently told his colleagues they must hang together or hang separately, and therefore they proposed to refuse an inquiry. They were afraid to quarrel with the postmaster general. The charges made by Tarte last session were not as direct or specific as those now preferred by him (Edgar), but an inquiry was granted. If his motion for a committee was refused him he intended to appeal to the press and public and the matter would not rest.

MILLVILLE.

APRIL 28.—We are enduring quite a lengthy term of cold, windy weather which, I should think, would be disheartening to the lumber drivers. Matters in our town, politically, are very quiet. Socially there seems to be quite a hum and the sound of the merry, merry marriage bells is getting to be quite loud and distinct. Gossip says the happy consumation will come with the May flowers.

Isaac Greenlaw, sen., one of our oldest settlers, passed to his rest on Sunday evening.

S. H. Clark, one of our merchants, was compelled to assign. We are sorry for Harley, and trust that he will not be discouraged, but will try again.

Messrs. Estey and Jones report a fair, sound business.

T. W. Purvis has opened up quite a stock in the disputed premises, and seems to have his share of callers.

The Ryan mill is expected to start in a few days, when we will be again gladdened by the hum of the whirling saw.

Dr. Owens has got nicely settled in his new building, but from appearances, does not have many opportunities for enjoying the pleasures of his new location, being on the road most of the time, there being a great deal of sickness around.

Our inspector having appointed the 13th of May as arbor day, our teacher, Mr. Parker, expects to make a memorable day by the amount of work done in beautifying the school grounds.

Your readers all wish the attorney general a pleasant and quick passage to the motherland, and trust while there he will become a convert to imperial federation.

UPPER MAGAGUADAVIC.

UPPER MAGAGUADAVIC, April 26.—The death of Sandy McElwain, which occurred on the 21st inst., is sincerely mourned by a large circle of friends. The funeral took place on Sunday and was largely attended. Two brothers and a sister came from Boston to be present at the funeral.

Mrs. James Gartley left here on Thursday for British Columbia to join her husband, and the house she vacated is now occupied by James Miller. Mrs. Gartley was accompanied by Miss Sadie Henry.

Miss Minnie B. McKinley of Kingsclear, is here teaching music. Miss McKinley has a large music class and all are doing well under her efficient teaching.

Our school is taught by Miss Eva McMullin, and the scholars are progressing finely.

On the evening of Wednesday, the 20th inst., a pie social and fancy sale was held at the residence of John McMullin. A very pleasant evening was spent, and over thirty dollars realized. The money is to aid in procuring an organ for the church. During the evening Miss McKinley favored the company with some very fine organ selections, and all went home feeling they had spent a very enjoyable time.

The weather is very fine here at present, and farming has commenced.

We are glad to report that Miss Lucinda Porter, who has been in very poor health since January, is recovering.

Mrs. William Ray and her mother have gone on a visit to Woodstock.

NASHWAAK VILLAGE.

APRIL 25.—S. Cook, sr., made his first trip to the post office to-day after his recent illness.

M. Abernathy, who has been very ill, is reported convalescent.

Many of the Durham folks wondered at Samuel Johnson coming back from the Northwest, but they now think it is all explained as he and Miss Isabel McBean were married on Friday last, the 22d inst. Rev. T. L. Williams tied the nuptial knot. Congratulations.

Prof. Russell has returned from visiting friends in Kingston.

Nashwaak Village Methodist Sunday school was started on the 24th inst., with J. W. Smith, superintendent; George T. Bradley, secretary and librarian; Miss T. L. Williams, Miss Sadie Hanson and Mrs. G. T. Bradley as teachers.

KINGARTH.

APRIL 25.—McKeen & Sons are painting some of the fine buildings of Kingsclear.

Beattie & Co. passed through here on business, Monday.

The fine warm sun of spring has thawed out the gypsies once more and they are making their way through the country.

There was a grand candy party held at Lower Kingsclear hall on Friday, 22d, which was a success.

Miss Maud Nicholson, of Upper Kingsclear, has resigned her school on account of poor health.

Palmer and brother, of Fredericton, held their magic lantern show in the school house here last week. After the show was over there were a few tricks with cards and some darkey business. The show was a success. Try again, Charlie.

BARONY.

APRIL 25.—John Andersen, M. P. P., paid a short visit to the city last week.

Mrs. F. I. Morrison of Fredericton, spent Sunday at her old home, the Woodland Cottage, Poquiock. She returned to the city this morning accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Hill.

Mrs. D. Huestis, who has been ill for a long time, is still very low.

A. Manuel's children are sick with the measles.

Wesley Burnett lost a valuable horse last week.

W. J. Scott and Miss Matilda Scott spent Sunday with friends at Lower Southampton.

Every one is pleased to see the steamer Florenceville on the river again.

EMULATING THE PRUSSIANS.—Our infantry school corps are endeavoring in a small way to emulate the military push of the Prussians. It will be remembered that but a short time since the Prussians in their baloons floated over the Russian batteries and secure in the clouds noted the different plans for assault and defence. The I. S. C. are endeavoring to fly kites across the river, so that the typographical surroundings of the Indian reserve may be studied. It is an impossibility to cramp human ingenuity within prescribed limits.

RECEIVED A CALL.—It is current talk that the Rev. Mr. Parkinson, of St. Marys parish, has received a call to St. John at an increased salary, but it is thought by his parishoners that he will not accept, at least it is their desire that he will not do so.

CANTERBURY STATION.

APRIL 29.—We had a very interesting lecture on co-operative dairying by W.W. Hubbard, who has been appointed by the provincial government for district No. 2. As explained by Mr. Hubbard, their first work will be to encourage the formation of dairying associations, giving information on starting cheese and butter factories, best methods of home dairying, planting of corn fodder, etc. That every opportunity may be afforded for the planting of corn for fodder, the government are ordering a quantity of seed of the best varieties. The agents are authorized to distribute it to all applicants in 5 lb. lots. Several farmers have applied and will give the corn a test. Owing to the state of roads and short notice given, the meeting was not very largely attended.

Messrs. David and Clarence Jamieson, two of our enterprising young farmers, are making preparations for a large crop. They have now ground ready for sowing 125 bushel of oats. Their stock of cattle is large and well wintered, and contains some fine grade Jerseys. Their horse stock is very fine, and consists of two farm teams, one of them a pair of Clyde brood mares; a fine three year old filly by Hillmont, which Dave says can make the wind moan through your whiskers. Also a pair of two year old Clydes, which will sell at any time for a good price. Realizing the fact that the Clydes bring good prices, Messrs. Jamieson intend breeding this season to the celebrated fine bred Clyde Jamie the Laird, who has never been beaten in the show rings, and who has, in fact, taken more prizes than any other stallion in New Brunswick, and whose colts, of which a number are to be found in Pictou, N.S., can not be excelled in that province. The barns on their farm are large and well built, one of them being 90 feet long and 30 feet wide, the other 28 x 38, with a shed and grainery built at right angles 40 x 20.

Miss Belle Cunningham left for Cambridge, Mass., on Wednesday, where she intends residing for the summer.

Miss Francis Price has gone to Waterville, Me., to remain for a short time.

As the demand for teachers is far in excess of the supply, a number of schools in this parish have been unable to engage trained teachers. A number of local licenses have been granted for remainder of the present term, or until trained teachers can be obtained.

Allen Gillespie takes the school at Dead Creek; Miss Belle Lawson that at the Back Lane; Miss Sarah McDonald at Dickinson Field; Miss Ella McMullin at Eel River; Miss B. Strong at Skiff Lake, and Miss Mabel Law at Dow Settlement. So far these young teachers are giving good satisfaction.

The many friends of Miss Huldah B. Falconer, will be pleased to hear that she intends coming home for a short vacation, having just terminated a very successful term at the Boston conservatory of music.

PENNIAC.

APRIL 28.—The funeral of the late Mrs. Johnson, whose sudden death on Thursday night, the 21st, caused so much sorrow throughout this community, took place on Sunday afternoon. The services were conducted by Rev. Mr. Chapman, who took for his text: John xi, 25 and 26. The remains were interred in the cemetery at Lower Penniac. The very large gathering on the occasion attested the esteem in which our deceased friend was held. She leaves three small children.

Misses Maggie Donald and Jennie Wade have both been laid up with heavy colds and sore throats, but are reported better.

Vernon Dennison has gone to Woodstock where he expects to engage in cutting stone for the bridge about to be built there. He has had quite an experience in the business, both in this province and Nova Scotia, and is said to understand it thoroughly.

A number of the young men of this place have gone on the river drives, some of them going as far as Quebec to carry on their arduous labors.

B. E. Goodspeed has returned from Belleville business college after a successful course in that institution. He visited Niagara Falls on his way home.

Mr. and Mrs. David McDowell have arrived from Augusta, Me., and are visiting the latter's father, Wm. Moore. They intend to remain here for some time.

Miss B. I. Estabrooks has, on account of ill health, resigned her position as teacher of Millville school, and is at home taking a rest.

The school in district No. 5 has reopened with a fair enrollment.

Miss M. A. Allen has again assumed charge of the school.

UPPER HAYNESVILLE.

APRIL 25.—With stream driving on and la grippe in our midst, times are dull here at present. Our neighborhood never before was known to contain so many sick people as at the present time. John Lounsbury, our popular merchant, with his family, are all down and under the care of Dr. Owens of Millville. His store has been closed a good portion of the time, extending two weeks.

Wentworth Jones who had the misfortune to cut his arm badly last fall, and who has not been able to do any work since, is, with his wife and daughter very ill. Dr. Owens is attending them.

Rev. H. A. Bonnell, pastor of the F. C. Baptist church here, closed his special meetings on Thursday last. He baptized two converts on Sabbath 17th. There was a deep religious awakening in the meetings held.

The Sabbath school will reopen on 1st of May.

The reformed Baptists purpose holding a convention in the temperance hall here, commencing on Friday, the 29th inst.

Thomas Whitten has sold his farm to Samuel Hill. The price paid is said to be in the vicinity of $600.

The boys are all prepared for the grand event which takes place on Wednesday, the 27th. Many changes have been made by the groom in his residence and from the very large number of invitations issued, the knowing ones say it will eclipse anything undertaken in this place before.

Frederick Knox is making extensive repairs on his buildings. David Lindsay is head framer.

Allan Morgan lost a valuable horse a few days ago. He has purchased a new one from Rufus Jones of Millville.

NASHWAAKSIS.

APRIL 29.—George Bailey of this place, died on Thursday, the 28th inst., after a few days illness of conjestion of the lungs. He was in his 60th year and leaves a wife and nine children to mourn their loss.

Mrs. Drillen and one of her children have been very sick the past week, but they appear to be progressing favorably at present.

William Yerxa, a resident here for a long time, is building a house in Fredericton, and expects to move into it in a few weeks.

George Gill has built a new fishing schooner for the present season's operations.

Mrs. Smith, who has been sick all winter with consumption, is quite low at present, and very little hopes of her recovery are entertained by her friends.

QUEENSBURY.

APRIL 24.—Farmers are busy repairing fences and making ready for the spring campaign. A little ploughing has been done. The earth is in fine condition for the season, and this week some sowing and planting will be done.

The river, which has been steadily falling, has now begun to rise, and a few scattering new logs show our boys are doing their duty. The Florenceville was gladly welcomed once more and now we can get to town with some degree of certainty.

Soon the Keswick flats will be under water, and in days gone by there used to be ferries run to accommodate the travelling public. Now they are run to accommodate the owners, and when there is any danger in earning their money, or in other words, when it is a little difficult crossing, there are many excuses and frequently a flat refusal to ferry a traveller. This is as it should be; it is a free country.

Mrs. H. Burden has purchased a mansion which she has let by contract to be moved and renovated, intending to make it her future residence. She then will only lack a man to sit in the ingle nook.

On Monday last a dwelling house at Bear Island, owned by Benjamin Ingraham, and occupied by Joseph Elliott, shoemaker, took fire and was burnt. Mr. Elliott loses quite heavily in household goods.

Abram Ingraham was burning some bushes when his fire escaped control, and aided by a high wind, got into some old dry grass and soon was a veritable prairie fire. Reaching a cedar fence it soon destroyed something over half a mile of it. G. M. Ingraham and Mrs. S. A. Long lose something over a thousand fence poles.

KESWICK RIDGE.

APRIL, 26.—Sugar making has about ended and with it ends a very unprosperous season for that industry. Farmers have not as yet begun their spring work, but if the weather is favorable, a start will soon be made.

Mr. VanBuskirk, of Boston, Mass., has recently opened a general dry goods and grocery establishment in this place, and is prepared to supply all customers with everything in his line at city rates.

The superior school here has at present a number of pupils from other districts in attendance. Among the number are: the Misses Cliff, Miss Fannie Miller, Miss Whitehead, Miss Patterson and Messrs. Curry and Porter. These were all home to spend the Easter vacation.

A. D. Coburn, of the McGill medical department, is home for the summer.

Miss Read, teacher of the primary school of this place, spent Easter in town.

The I. O. G. T. are attempting to build a new hall, and so far have been quite successful in raising funds. B. W. Estey is chairman of the building committee and he is very energetically pushing the work forward.

Miss Mabel Coburn and Dow Coburn paid the city a flying visit this week.

Rev. S. D. Irvine has been carrying on revival services at Springfield during the last week, and we are pleased to hear that success has crowned his efforts.

The water in the river is very low—the lowest seen here for a number of years at this season. The lumbermen are about discouraged, and if more rain does not come soon, they will hang up for the summer.

YORK MILLS.

APRIL 26.—Messrs. Moore & Robinson have returned and were busy putting their machinery in order for resuming work in the woolen mill, when Mr. Robinson received a telegram announcing the death of his wife in Lawrence. Much sympathy is felt for him in his sudden bereavement, as he had left her in good health a week before.

Alexander Little has manufactured and shipped a large quantity of exelsior the past winter, and having found the business profitable, intends to add to his machinery. He also has secured double the amount of poplar wood, that being the kind used. He also commences operations in the saw mill this week and judging from the piles of logs along the banks, he will have a busy season.

The ice has disappeared from the stream and the disciples of Isaac Walton are busy with line and hook and are occasionally made happy by catching the spotted beauties.

Mr. Kelly has been confined to the house by a severe attack of inflammation, but is now in a fair way of recovery.

John W. Taylor is around delivering fruit trees from an Ontario nursery.

James Lister has put his custom cards in thorough repair for the busy season. He has a first class grist mill and has improved its appearance with a coat of paint.

The frost is well out of the ground and the farmers are busy preparing for planting.

KINGSCLEAR.

APRIL 20.—The river has opened and is remarkably low for the season. The shores are lined with great quantities of ice.

The boom company have their tugs at work, but find difficulty in getting the sheer booms in place, because of the lowness of the water and the ice on the shores.

The roads are remarkably good for this time of year.

St. John butchers have taken some fine lots of beef from this section lately.

Wilmot Guiou has opened a store at Springhill, with Chalmers Turner in charge.

Walter Jackson has rented from Mr. Sewell the dwelling house, opposite the Springhill hotel, and is expecting to move into it soon.

The Indian show given in the temperance hall on Monday evening last was not very largely attended.

Wilmot McKinley, who spent the last four years in the west, returned home on Saturday last.

The contractor, Wm. Kilburn, has begun work on the creamery and will push it forward as rapidly as possible.

The ladies announce a candy party in the temperance hall for Friday evening.

ALLANDALE.

APRIL 20.—Although the snow is gone and the ground bare yet there is not much done as yet at farming.

James Sheriff, once a resident of this place, but for a number of years past a resident of the states, is now making a visit in company with Mrs. Sheriff to his sister, Mrs. W. Simmons.

Thomas Connolly and wife spent a part of the winter in our midst, but have now removed to their home at Benton.

We are pleased to see our M. P. P. at home again in Dumfries. Did not know but that some of the fragments of that great bomb thrown by Mr. Stockton might have hit him. But it appears that the only ones hurt were Messrs. Stockton and friends.

Mrs. P. Bradley has left here and removed to Fredericton.

Geo. McDowell has hauled a house from his brother's farm and has had it placed as an ell to the old homestead. Mr. Price of Woodstock, was manager.

Messrs. Geo. Simmons and Fred. Adams are out with their wood cutter in full blast. George is the boy that cuts it off every time.

AROUND THE WORLD.

The Week's Events in Brief—The Cream of our Exchanges.

Capt. St. Louis, for many years deputy harbor master at Montreal, died on Wednesday.

Fire on Wednesday destroyed the barn of J. S. Murchie, Calais. Two valuable horses and a cow were burned. The building was worth about $1,500 and was insured.

Rev. Thomas Todd, Centerville, Carleton county, formerly of St. Stephen, was prostrated by a partial attack of paralysis, Saturday morning, 16th inst. He is recovering.

Additional troops are en route to suppress the revolt in the state of Matto Grosso, Brazil. Five thousand infantry and artillery in all have been sent to the scene of the rebellion.

The Nova Scotia house of assembly defeated the bill abolishing tax exemptions for churches and charitable institutions in Halifax. The vote was a tie, and speaker Power gave his casting vote against the bill.

Another batch of 100 Jews sent by the Baron de Hirsch colony committee, left Montreal for the North west, and 300 more are expected to follow. These are all heads of families, which will follow when land has been taken up.

In the house of commons Sir Albert Rollitt's woman suffrage bill was refused a second reading by a vote 152 to 175. The debate was conducted entirely without respect to party lines.

A terrible snow and wind storm commenced in Manitoba Thursday. In the western part of the province snow is over a foot deep and fears are expressed that the train service will be badly blocked.

John Good, one of the heaviest manufacturers in the Cordage trust, has withdrawn from the combination and proposes to run his factories to their full capacity. He thinks he can supply half the country.

Some of hon. Alexander Mackenzie's admirers are anxious to start a fund to erect a monument to his memory in Hamilton. Two subscriptions for that purpose have already been offered to the Times of that city.

It is estimated that fifty new canning factories will be opened this season between Shediac and Ecuminac. This has given a good deal of employment in making traps and boats. The demand for fishermen was never so great.

The Melbourne Standard says it is in a position to announce, without reserve, that Deeming confessed to his lawyers and doctors, who examined him, that he committed the majority of the Jack the Ripper crimes in Whitechapel district, London.

Chas. Langelier and Ernest Pacaud, accused of conspiracy to defraud the province in connection with contracts for stationery, appeared in the Quebec police court Thursday morning in answer to summonses served on them. Their cases were postponed till May 3rd, as being more convenient to the crown prosecutor.

Four brothers, named Ganong, went out in a boat on the St. John river, near their home at Oak point, Queen's county, Sunday. The boat upset and one of the boys was drowned. Another attempting to swim ashore was seized with cramps and went down. The drowned boys, Willie and Edgar, were 8 and 11 years old.

Fire at Dorchester on Wednesday totally destroyed the house and outbuildings of capt. DeMille Buck, on the road to Dorchester Cape. Nothing was saved. The loss is placed at $2,500. There was no insurance on the buildings except on the house, on which there was $1,000 in the Western. Captain Buck is away from home.

A copy of Audubon's Birds of America was recently sold in London for £345. This is a work which is steadily rising in value, for it rarely comes into the market, and the last copy which changed hands realized £300. A copy of this work, prepared especially for Louis Phillippe, adorns the legislative library at Fredericton.

When the province of New Brunswick entered confederation, it was entitled to fifteen members of the house of commons. The census of 1871 gave it sixteen members. The census of 1891 takes away the one gained in 1871 and one other, reducing the total to fourteen. This is a result of misgovernment which compels people to go out of the province.

While a drain was being dug in Moncton, a few days ago, the remains of an old coffin were found. This is the second discovery of this kind within a year or two, and there is no doubt that the earliest French settlers occupied the river bank at that place as a graveyard. The coffins are of the rudest sort and must have lain in the ground upwards of a hundred, perhaps two hundred years.

The destruction of the Grand Central theatre by fire at Philadelphia, proves far more terrible in results than anticipated. Six members of the Devil's auction company lie dead beneath the fallen walls of the building. Nearly three score people are in a hospital suffering from burns. Of the men and boys in the hospital the recovery of seven is doubtful—all members of the audience. Fully 50 others are being treated for minor injuries.

St. Luke's church, Woodstock, was the scene of an interesting event Wednesday evening, the occasion being the marriage of Miss Helen King, third daughter of the late Dr. King, and Charles Upton, son of Wm. Upton of that town. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Canon Neales. The bride, who was prettily attired in pale blue brocaded satin, was given away by her brother, Arthur King. The bridesmaids were Miss Della Drysdale and Miss Jennie King, sister of the bride, while Chas. Peabody officiated as best man.

Rev. Geo. A. Hartley, of Carleton, St. John, received a recompense for a service, a few days ago, which is quite unusual. He was asked to attend a funeral in a country village and on his return to the city was told by a friend that he had something to hand to him for his trouble. The rev. gentleman was very much surprised to receive $111.65, being a deposit of $100 and the interest on it. This sum had been given by the deceased to the friend with the request that if rev. Mr. Hartley performed his funeral service he should receive the fund.

WELCOMED.—Those who have been welcomed here the present week are: Hon. Dr. Pugsley, C. A. Stockton, St. John; Dr. J. W. Bridges, of Oromocto; Andrew Richey, of Haverhill; Senator Glasier, surveyor general Tweedie, F. H. Hale, Woodstock; superintendent Haggerty, McAdam; T. Burke, inspector of inland revenue, St. John, and C. H. Green, of Montreal.

GRADING THE TRACK.—Preparations are being made by the C. P. R. for grading their track between this city and the Junction. Most of the gravel will be brought across the railway bridge from some of the pits on the other side of the river. It will make considerable work for a month or so.

REMOVED FROM THE HOSPITAL.—Thomas Rutherford was removed from Victoria hospital to his home yesterday at Manners Sutton without hope of recovery. He is a son of John Rutherford, postmaster.

GOING TO TORONTO.—W. H. Tippet, who carried on the London tea store, York street, intends removing to Toronto to carry on a similar business. The cause of removal is that he cannot secure a suitable store here.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

TO LET.

THAT self contained residence on King street, at present occupied by Dr. Coburn, supplied with all modern improvements. Rent reasonable. Possession given May 1st. Apply to John Edgecombe & Sons.
F'ton. April 2.—tf.

FOR SALE.

THAT valuable Farm and Mill property, known as the Alexander Thompson property, consisting of Carding Mill and Grist Mill, Dwelling ouse, with outfit of barns, situate about a mile from Fredericton on the Nashwaaksis stream, together with all the personal property. Terms reasonable.
For further particulars apply to F. P. Thompson, New Brunswick Foundry, Fredericton, or to Mrs. Alexander Thompson on the property, Nashwaaksis.
Fredericton, March 19th, 1892.—t. f.

Farm for Sale.

THE subscriber's Farm at St. Mary's, near the Railway Station, containing 500 acres, 100 of which are under cultivation.
There are two houses, barns and outbuildings on the premises, all in good repair.
For further particulars apply to
JOHN A. EDWARDS,
Queen Hotel.
F'ton, April 9, 1892.

For Sale or to Rent.

Possession given 1st of May.
THAT three storey building on corner of Barker House Alley and King street. Apply to
DEVER BROS.
F'ton, April 9, 1892.

For Sale or to Let.

THE Subscriber offers for sale, his residence, situated on the corner of Queen and Regent streets. Possession given May 1st.
If not sold before the 1st May, will let the house to a suitable tenant.
F. M. BROWN, M. D.
Fredericton, April 9, 1892.

Boys Wanted.

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Fredericton, April 23, 1892.—2 ins.

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that S. H. Clark of the parish of Southampton, in the county of York, Trader, has this day executed a deed of assignment to me in trust for the benefit of such of his creditors as shall come in and execute the same within sixty days from this date. The Trust deed now lies at my office in Millville for inspection.
Dated this 21st day of April, A. D. 1892.
B. E. BURTT,
Trustee.
April 23rd, 1892.—tf.

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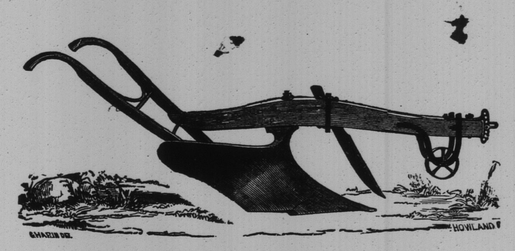

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