WARM IN BOSTON.

City Being Decorated For Grand Army Encampment.

Deaths of Provincialists in the States —Lumber Market in Fairly Good Condition.

BOSTON, Aug. 7.—This centre is a quiet place just now as many citizens are out of town and there is little out of the summer routine going on. The city is being elaborately decorated for the Grand Army encampment which will be opened here Aug. 15 and continue all the week. The weather has not been excessively hot here, but has been seasonable with nights moderately cool.

New England crops as a rule are doing well. Hay cutting was interfered with by rains and part of the crop was slightly injured, but the yield is above the average, the crop not having been affected by drought which injured hay in the maritime provinces. In parts of Maine there was a drought which injured corn to some extent, but in most sections a large yield is promised. Early planted potatoes are being dug and are yielding well. Garden vegetables are plentiful and cabbage has done well. The apple crop in southern New England is poor, but in other sections about the average yield is promised. The last week in July crops everywhere forged ahead and obtained such a standing that there is little danger from injury now until harvest time. Damage by insects is reported rare. In the west it is said the wheat crop will be short this year and that commodity recently advanced sharply. It is worth nearly $1 a bushel.

The falling off in mountain and seashore travel this year is causing considerable comment in financial circles and steamship and railroad people are at a loss to account for this unusual condition of affairs, as on the whole, June and July have usually been good average summer months. July has proved a better traveling month than June for all the transportation companies, but it has been a much poorer month than was anticipated and than the weather conditions warranted. The New England steam railroads report greatly reduced travel this summer and are able to offer no explanation as to the causes except that the people have felt the losses sustained through the decline in security values in connection with a restricted business year, while poorer working classes have been unable to travel through lack of employment, this being especially true in the mill cities. At the seashore most of the hotels are only half full and at many places there are numerous empty cottages.

Deaths of former provincialists include: In South Boston, Aug. 1, Mrs. Mary A. Magee, widow of Robert Magee, formerly of St. John; in Cambridgeport, George W. Pidgin, aged 47, formerly of St. John; in Roxbury, John McGuiness, aged 63 years, formerly of Halifax; in Winchester, Aug. 3, Philip D. Horne, aged 54 years, formerly of Halifax; in Everett, William N. Vaughan, aged 72 years, formerly of Wolfville, N. S.; in Milton, Hannah Driscoll, aged 82 years, formerly of Prince Edward Island; in East Boston, Mrs. Julia Holland, wife of Joseph Holland, aged 25 years, late of Prince Edward Island; drowned in Boston harbor, Aug. 4, Benjamin Daley (colored), aged 31 years, of Liverpool, N. S.; in Dorchester, Archibald McDonald, son of the late John J. McDonald, aged 28 years, native of Nova Scotia.

The Boston Record says: "A shutdown in the cotton mils throughout New Brunswick is a pertinent rejoinder to the political canard that the present cotton depression is confined to the United States and that the administrative policies have been hostile to the development of the cotton goods market. Scully's brigandage in holding up the market is the one cause, and the silent mills in New England, New Brunswick, and Lancashire, England, are the sympathetic result."

The yard demand for spruce lumber is fairly good, and frames have also been in demand both locally and in southern New England. Orders continue to be fairly numerous, but it is still true, nevertheless, that concessions of 50 cents from the list prices for schedules and $1 from those for random are quite common. For hemlock and spruce boards the demand is fair, but there have been sales at rather easier figures than those prevailing last week. Shingles are moving rather slowly notwithstanding an accommodating disposition shown by sellers. The inclination, indeed, seems to be to tempt buyers by granting still further concessions. There has been no improvement in the call for laths, and no better prices are being obtained. Last week three schooners arrived from the provinces with 11,000 feet of piling, 238,000 feet of lumber and 3,962 railroad ties. Quotations are as follows:

Spruce lumber—Rail shipments—10 and 12 inch dimension, $21; 9 inch and under dimension, $18.50 to 19; 10 and 12 inch random lengths, 10 ft. and up, $20.50; 2x3, 2x4, 2x5, 2x7, and 3x4, 10 ft. and up, $16.50 to 17; all other random lengths, 9 inches and under 10 ft. up, $17.50 to 18; merchantable board, 5 inch and up, $16.50 to 17; matched boards, $18.50; eastern hemlock board, 12, 14, 18 ft, $14.50 to 15.50; Vermont hemlock board, 12, 14, 16 ft, $14 to 14.50.

Shingles—Cedar ex, $3.20 to 3.30; do. clear, $2.70 to 2.80; do. 2nds, $2.25 to 2.35; do. clear wh., $2.15 to 2.20; do. ex. No. 1, $1.75 to 1.85.

Laths—Spruce, 1 1-2 in, $3 to 3.10; 1 5-8 in., $3.15 to 3.25.

Clapboards—Spruce, 4 ft., $40 to $42; do. clears, $37 to 39; do. 2nd clears, $34 to 36; pine extra, $50 to 55; clears, $47 to 50; 2nd clears, $42 to 46.

Salt mackerel are still scarcer than ever and the demand is good. The mackerel fleet are now fishing in the Bay of Fundy. As the weather has been foggy much of the time, the vessels have not done much as yet. A few new unculled Prince Edward Island mackerel have arrived. New large No. 3 salt mackerel are held at $13 to 14; extra No. 2, $16 to 18; shore No. 1, $16 to 20. There is no change in cured and pickled fish. The bank fishermen who have returned to port state that they had fair luck. Commission men ask $6.25 to 6.75 for large shore; medium, $6 to 6.50; large Georges, $6.75 to 7.25; medium, $6 to 6.50; large dry bank, $7 to 7.50; medium, $6.75 to 7.25; large pickled bank, $6 to 6.25; medium, $5.50 to 5.75. Pickled herring are in light supply and are firm at unchanged prices. N. S. large split are worth $6.50 to 7 per barrel. Smoked herring are steady and firm at 16 to 17c. for medium scale, and 15 to 16c. for lengthwise. Lobsters are firm but quiet, with live fish selling at 18c. and boiled at 20c. per lb. Fresh fish are in full supply at low prices. Market cod, 2 to 3c. per lb.; large cod, 3 to 4c.; steak cod, 5 to 6c.; shore haddock, 2 to 3c.; small hake, 2c.; pollock, 2 to 3c.; steak pollock, 3 to 3½c.; white eastern halibut, 12c.; gray, 10c.; green eastern salmon, 25c.; eels, 10c.; swordfish, 7c.; mackerel, 20c.; hardshell clams are worth $4.50 per barrel.



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GEORGE SANDS' DEATH.

St. Stephen Mourns One of Her Most Prominent Citizens.

ST. STEPHEN, Aug. 9.—The accidental death of Geo. E. Sands has caused much regret. Yesterday morning he left here on the str. Henry F. Eaton to accompany as far as Eastport his wife, who was going to St. John by the Eastern steamer. There was an immense crowd on the steamer, consequent upon a Foresters' reunion at Campobello. The steamer, an American boat, had last called at St. Andrews, and had to touch at Eastport on the Maine shore before she could land at Welshpool, Campobello. The captain wished to make the first stop at Eastport as brief as possible in order to get rid quickly of his large excursion party at Welshpool, two miles across the bay, after which he would return to Eastport to make connection with the Eastern Co.'s steamer.

Mr. Sands was anxious to land at Eastport when the Eaton first touched there and before he got well clear of the gang plank it was hauled aboard again and he fell between the wharf and the steamer, receiving injuries to his head and chest which resulted in his death on the return trip of the steamer last evening.

Mr. Sands was about seventy-six years of age and thirty years ago was a prominent dry goods dealer here. Lately he has sold goods on commission from several St. John houses. His wife who survives, was a Miss Morrison of St. John. Two daughters, Mrs. J. H. Meredith of Calais, and Mrs. D. S. Hutchinson of Chicago, and a son, William Sands of Boston, are surviving children by a former marriage.

A STURDY PIPER.

Alexander MacDonald Once Received a Glass of Wine From Queen Victoria.

(From Wednesday's Daily Sun.)

In connection with the death on Monday of Alexander MacDonald, an incident is related of the way in which he met the Marquis of Lorne on the occasion of his visit to St. John shortly after coming to Canada as governor general. The procession was passing under the arch at the corner of King and Union streets when the attention of the Marquis was attracted by the playing of The Campbells are Coming on the bagpipe in the hands of Mr. MacDonald. The procession was stopped and the player was summoned to the marquis, who greted him with a hearty handshake and chatted with him for some little time. The incident has an added interest when it is remembered that the governor general was a Campbell, and the feeling between this clan and the MacDonalds had some generations before been subjected to a serious strain which even to the present time is remembered with some warmth by the two families.

On a previous occasion Mr. MacDonald was stationed on guard at Balmoral when the Queen on one of her visits to the castle was so impressed by his commanding and soldierly appearance that she stopped to compliment him upon his bearing. She sent for and handed him a glass of wine, which Mr. MacDonald drank to her health.

At the funeral today Scotsmen will attend in Highland costume. Two pipers and a drummer are also expected to be present and will play Land o' the Leal and Flowers of the Forest. At the grave Lochaber No More will also be played, and Mr. MacDonald's bagpipes will be laid upon the casket.

TEACHER APPOINTED.

FREDERICTON, Aug. 9.—Miss Sadie Thompson of the York street school has been appointed by the Fredericton board of school trustees to supply Miss Thorne's position in the High School during the latter's temporary absence, and Miss Bessie Doherty has been given Miss Thompson's position at the York street school.

Orange Meat

The Premium Food

Will be a Pleasant Re-Union.

Sixtieth Anniversary of the Marriage of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Elkin Will be Observed Today at Cumberland Bay, Grand Lake.

(From Wednesday's Daily Sun.)

An interesting reunion is due today at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Elkin at Cumberland Bay, a branch of the Grand Lake. The occasion of this festival is the sixtieth anniversary of the marriage of Robert Elkin and Sarah A. Caldwell. Ten years ago the children and some of the grandchildren of this worthy and happy couple met in the old home to celebrate the fiftieth return of the wedding day. They hardly expected then to be all together in this world again, but nearly all will probably be there today. Any break there may be in the circle has not been caused by death.

Four sons and three daughters of this family lived to man's and woman's estate. These all married, and the seven couples are still unbroken. With the exception of the husband of one of Deacon Elkin's daughters, who is a sea captain and cannot leave his ship, the fourteen will be together at the homestead this afternoon if no unforeseen incident occurs.



MR. ROBERT ELKIN.



MRS. SARAH A. ELKIN.

Robert Elkin was born in 1817 and spent his childhood on his father's farm near where he now lives. He learned how to make a farm as well as how to work one, and the property on which he spent his life was largely cleared by himself. When he had prepared his own home he took to it the daughter of one of his neighbors, a few years younger than himself, who understood the trade of a farmer's wife as well as he did the craft of the farmer. Married in 1844 they began life together in a small cottage. Subsequent additions built when need arose provided a commodious farm house which stood for more than half a century. The whole was a year or two ago swept away by fire, with its contents, including many treasured family possessions and souvenirs. When this last mentioned piece of misfortune came upon them Mr. Elkin and his wife did not sit long amid the ruins to mourn the destruction of their home and the severance of old associations. Adding the grace of Christian resignation to the native gift of cheerfulness and the resourcefulness of the pioneer they calmly went about rebuilding and a few months later were established in a comfortable new house on the same site. It is stated that Mr. Elkin purchased nearly all the furniture and household utensils in one day's shopping in this city, making very few mistakes and very little talk about it. He is now eighty-seven years old and his wife is eighty-one. Both are well and vigorous, and two or three years ago Mrs. Elkin could set the pace for the average girl at most branches of domestic employment. Mr. Elkin has been a deacon of the Baptist church for about half a century, and in his hospitable home many ministers have been entertained whose work has long since been completed.

Of the children born in the Elkin home seven grew to be men and women. The older sons, like many of their neighbors, were attracted to the sea. Many of the farmers along the Grand Lake, the Washademoak, and other tributary waters of the St. John were from the beginning interested in building and running woodboats and other river craft, and in the lumber and timber trade which was then carried on. Many sons of farmers found these vessels a stepping stone to a seafaring life. These inland settlements are perhaps greater nurseries for sea captains than the Bay of Fundy coast. Robert Elkin's two eldest sons were in command of seagoing vessels before they were twenty-one, and have ever since been interested in shipping.

Following are the descendants of Robert and Sarah Elkin, who will be represented at the reunion today. They are given in the order of their age:

Robert C. Elkin, retired sea captain of St. John, ship owner and a director in several other industries and enterprises in this city and elsewhere. He married Miss Purdy of this city. They have five sons and daughters, of whom one daughter is married. It is expected that the whole family will be at the reunion today.

E. C. Elkin, retired sea captain of St. John, ship owner, director of mining and other companies. He married Sarah Yerxa of Fredericton. They have two sons, one of whom has been living in the west, but is now with the family at their summer home at Renforth. They all expect to be at the family gathering.

Mary, wife of John B. Wasson, contractor, of Cambridge, Mass. They have four children, of whom one is married. The youngest son is with his father and mother in the city on the way to Cumberland Bay.

Elizabeth, wife of Silas Fenwick, a prosperous farmer on the Millstream, Kings Co. They have two children, one of whom will accompany her parents to the ancestral home.

Priscilla, wife of Captain Wren McLean of Arlington, Mass. Captain McLean cannot go to the wedding feast. He is at sea in command of the str. Hogoma, which runs between Porto Rico and ports in the United States. Mrs. McLean with two of the three children will be on the old ground today.

Howard Elkin is the manager and one of the principal owners of the Elkin Coal Co., operating mines at Newcastle, Grand Lake, not far from the old home. He lives at Penlyn and married Miss Lipsett, who is a native of the same neighborhood. They, with their two children, will form part of the party today.

Ernest G. Elkin, who married Miss Branscombe, and works the homestead farm, living close by his father. He and his wife and three children will doubtless be on hand to welcome the guests.

A few other relatives are also expected, including B. J. Dowling of Dowling Bros. of this city and his wife. Mr. Dowling is a nephew of Deacon Elkin.

The St. John members of the families together with those from New England who are here on the way to the reunion, expect to go up river in the Hudson, R. C. Elkin's steam yacht. She will probably sail at an early hour this morning, and should cover the 85 miles by the middle of the afternoon.

Province Will Take a Hand

In the Case of Emmerson V. Maddison Which Comes Before the Privy Council in November.

Speaking to the Sun yesterday, Dr. Pugsley said that, as previously announced, he had in the case of Emmerson v. Maddison secured permission to appeal from the decision of the supreme court of Canada to the privy council. Dr. Pugsley intimated that it was by no means improbable that the government of the province would take a hand in this case, with the idea of making it a test case. The government, too, will in all probability become responsible for the costs of the suit, although Dr. Pugsley would not say that this would include the costs of both parties. He said that as yet nothing definite had been arranged, and the whole matter is now under consideration.

Hearing of the appeal will probably be in November next.

The position of the case of Emmerson and Maddison seems to be this: The crown, represented by the government of the province, granted to one Maddison a block of land, which a squatter occupied more than twenty years. Hon. H. R. Emmerson by purchase or in some other way succeeded to the title of the squatter occupant. Without going into the details of the litigation, the story of which was told at the time when the judgment of the supreme court of Canada was given, it may be said that the supreme court of New Brunswick was called upon to decide between the claim of the occupier and that of the grantee. Following a previous decision of the New Brunswick court, which in turn was based upon an English judgment, the court at Fredericton decided in favor of Mr. Emmerson against the validity of the provincial grant. Mr. Powell, counsel for the grantee, appealed to the supreme court of Canada, and contended that the old English judgment had been misunderstood, and did not go so far as to make a claim of twenty year occupation good against the crown. This argument prevailed and judgment was given for Maddison, the grantee.

It will be seen that the attorney general has, on behalf of his client, sought and obtained the right to appeal to the privy council against the validity of a grant given by the government which he represents. It also appears from his statement to the Sun that the province is undertaking to pay the cost of the attempt to make that grant of no effect. It is not quite clear whether the attorney general and his government will pay the costs to which the grantee will be exposed in order to vindicate the title which the government has given him.

SCHOOL TEACHERS.

Result of License Examinations.

FREDERICTON, Aug. 10—The chief superintendent today gave out the results of the recent teachers' licenses examinations. Only three of thirteen candidates for the Grammar school licenses passed; these are Geo. W. Dill, St. John; Geo. E. F. Sherwood, Hillsdale; Edith A. R. Davis, Fredericton. The following passed first class superior examinations: John M. Keeffe, Lakeville, Carleton Co.; M. Gertrude Doak, Fredericton; Ethel I. McPherson, Fredericton; Laurence M. Colpitts, Hopewell Hill; Douglas C. Haviland, Chatham; G. Douglas Steel, Sackville; Alberta Jamieson, Fredericton; Ida M. Deboo, Newcastle; Hester Louise Edgecombe, Fredericton; Margaret B. McDonald, Halifax, N. S. The following made seventy per cent. and upwards on first-class examinations, arranged in order of highest marks: Elmire Girouard, St. Vincent's Convent, St. John; Annie C. Gosnell, St. John; Ethel G. Hannah, St. John; Mary A. Davis, Fredericton Jct.; Margaret B. McDonald, Mount St. Vincent, Halifax; Auguste E. Daigle, Moncton; Bessie A. Babbitt, Swan Creek; A. Laura Moore, Petitcodiac; Madeline V. E. deBury, St. John; Laurence M. Colpitts, Hopewell Hill; Mary Ida LeBlanc, St. Vincent's Convent, St. John; Jennie R. Smith, Blissville; Robert Straight, McDonald's Corner; Annie J. Shanklin, Shanklin, St. John Co.; J. Epsom F. London, Wickham; Arthur E. Floyd, Titusville, Kings Co.; Louisa R. Copp, Baie Verte; Hester L. Edgecombe, Fredericton; Glenna F. White, Boundary Line, Carleton Co. The following made 75 per cent. and upwards on second-class examinations, also arranged in order of highest marks: M. Eloise Steeves, Sussex; Jean B. Peacock, Murray's Corner, Westmorland; C. Mabel Dalling, Belleville, Carleton Co.; S. Ethel Armstrong, St. John; Josephine Dumas, Grand Anse, Gloucester Co.; Etta Barry, Beaver Harbor, Charlotte; Margaret Coll, St. John; Mabel B. Short, New Jerusalm; Phoebe L. O'Brien, St. George; Royal G. Mowatt, Harvey Station; Bertha L. West, Hopewell Hill; Edna C. Tufts, St. John; Marion S. Trecarten, Deer Island; Catherine G. O'Brien, Ellenstown, Northumberland; Etta M. Dalzell, Lubec, Me.; Leora M. Harmon, Woodstock; Lena M. Wilson, Deer Island; M. Ethel Dunn, Millville; York; Ella M. Hannah, Moncton; Elizabeth Tingley, Middle Sackville; Howard W. Hamilton, Baie Verte; Margaret L. Johnson, Jerusalem; Chauncey R. Pollard, Tower Hill, Charlotte; Jessie M. Shaw, St. John; A. Muriel Law, Gagetown; Ethel L. Steeves, O'Niell's, Westmorland; Harold Edgecombe, Fredericton; May E. Coy, Upper Gagetown; Stanley K. Smith, Blissville; Walter P. White, Narrows, Queens Co.; Vita I. Brewer, Woodstock; Jessie M. Greaves, Centreville; Isabella M. McNairn, Moncton; Colin Carruthers, Ford's Mills, Kent; Mary G. McDonald, Black River Bridge; Willard Kay, Brooklyn Road, Westmorland; Lizzie J. McNair, New Mills, Restigouche; A. Ruth Belyea, Lower Gagetown; Alma Legere, Cocagne; M. Edith Meade, Royanton, Carleton; N. Edna Charters, Fredericton; Janet E. Morrison, Church Point, Northumberland.

No statement has yet been made up showing the number of candidates who have passed and obtained licenses.

Same is true of the Normal School entrance and preliminary examinations.

SOME AWFUL NAMES

LONDON, Aug. 10.—(Bulletin.)—The Tabriz, Persia, correspondent of the Daily News in a despatch dated August 6 says:

"On July 13 a band of Armenian revolutionists appeared near Outchkilissa. Turkish soldiers and Kurds, finding an excuse, attacked and destroyed the villages of Outchkilissa, Koomlouboujak, Gougan, Karabazar and Sayto, butchering men and outraging women.

"Two large Armenian bands marching to Sassun to help the insurgent leader Antranik, attacked the garrisons at Mossunzory and Goutchagh for revenge on July 25. At dawn bombs were thrown into these places, killing many, and severe fighting ensued. A majority of the soldiers were killed, and the garrisons resembled graveyards. One band forced its way through the Kurdish tribes towards Arjess. The number of soldiers killed amounted to several hundreds."

RIVAL STEAMERS BUMP TWICE.

Two rival steamers administered quite a fright to some timid passengers on Monday when returning from up river. They both started off at full speed for a passenger setting out in a boat at Woodman's Point, and then after the person had been taken aboard they swung about for another small boat that bobbed up in the opposite direction. As they neared the boat they drew nearer and nearer to each other, until at last some passengers on each became very nervous, fearing a collision. Some women screamed. Sure enough, the steamers rubbed sides before they got to the objective point, and upon breaking away they only remained free for a few moments before they bumped a second time. This was too much for one of the indignant ladies to stand. She went to the wheelhouse and challenged the captain's right to risk the lives of a half boatload of people to satisfy his thirst for business, a chorus of voices agreeing in no uncertain terms along the same line of argument. The skipper blamed it on the other vessel.



A MODERN JOB.

The One Man Government of New Brunswick.

Correspondent Shows How Hon. L. J. Tweedie is the Whole Thing in This Province.

St. John, Aug. 7th, 1904.

To the Editor of the Sun:

Sir,—In a recent issue of the Daily Telegraph the interesting information was given that Premier Tweedie, acting surveyor general, was appointed a committee to meet the lumbermen. In an earlier edition of the some governmentally inspired sheet the following announcement was made: "Premier Tweedie during the absence of the Hon. Dr. Pugsley will act as attorney general." So that at the next meeting of the local government the roll call was as follows:

Hon. L. J. Tweedie, Premier.

Hon. L. J. Tweedie, Provincial Secretary.

Hon. L. J. Tweedie, Acting Surveyor General.

Hon. L. J. Tweedie, Acting Attorney General.

Hon. Francis J. Sweeney, No portfolio, but tolerated in the fo'castle.

And the Hon. Francis J. Sweeney is popularly supposed to represent the citizens of Irish birth in this province! He is a lawyer as is Mr. Tweedie, and yet for the short space of thirty days this Irish lawyer was not deemed worthy to act as attorney general. He is a member of the council without portfolio, and yet a man holding the office of premier and the post of provincial secretary annexed the surveyor general's portfolio when it was laid down by the Hon. A. T. Dunn. It is said that the Hon. Mr. Sweeney dare not accept the office vacated at the time Mr. McKeown made his futile ill-timed and ill-judged assault upon Ottawa. An Irishman and dare not! An Irishman and willing to inhabit the fo'castle because he is told "you couldn't be elected!" Why could he not be elected? He was one of a ticket that ran five hundred ahead of its opponents and therefore he or any other member of that ticket should not hesitate to go back for re-election — and especially carrying a portfolio — if the party stood firm. If it is true that he would not be returned his defeat could only be compassed by the desertion at the polls of those of his party whose race is different to his own. Under such circumstances all Irishmen should feel that they are not represented in the councils of this province. They are not represented because no true man ever yet fawned on the hand that whipped him into servitude. As an Irish citizen of this province, I for one, feel keenly the position this man's amazing humility has placed us in. A boldy uttered "you must elect me. I elected you last appeal, you must elect me this time," would have received recognition. Such an ultimatum would have brought the man of many portfolios to his senses and would have splintered his present policy as outlined in these matters and in another appointment of magnitude lately made that "no Catholic need apply."

Yours sincerely,

AN IRISH CITIZEN.

PERKINS-PORTER.

FREDERICTON, Aug. 9.—Miss Emma E. Porter, youngest daughter of the late Rev. T. H. Porter, was united in marriage this afternoon at the home of her brother, Arthur Porter, Westmorland street, to Perry B. Perkins of Richmond, Va. Rev. J. H. McDonald performed the ceremony. The happy couple left on the 5.30 train for their future home at Richmond, where Mr. Perkins, who is a graduate of the university, is at present filling the position of principal of an academy.

KILLED HIMSELF BECAUSE GIRL WOULD NOT MARRY HIM.

MANCHESTER, N. H., Aug. 5.—Because Miss Hattie Curtis, who lived in the same block, would not marry him, James B. Irving, aged 58, of 59 Ray block, shot and killed himself tonight. He used a 32 calibre revolver, the bullet entering behind the right ear. Irving had importuned Miss Curtis to marry him and she gave her final and emphatic answer a few minutes before the shooting. Irving leaves two sons and a daughter in Fall River. He had lived in Manchester 20 years and by occupation he was a card grinder. He was employed in the Stark mills.

BALTIMORE, Aug. 6.— Sch Lizzie Chadwick, Huntley, 23 days out from New York to St Simons, anchored 3 miles S. of Virginia Beach this afternoon, and part of the crew went ashore for provisions, but acting suspiciously, were overtaken by the crews from Cape Henley and Virginia Beach life saving stations and held. The schooner will be supplied and the crew returned to the vessel this afternoon.

Launched.—Freight str Mohican, for the Clyde line Boston service, was launched at Cramps' yard, Philadelphia, Saturday.

A MARRIAGE IN THE LIONS' CAGE.

Exhibition Executive Said to be Considering Such an Event.

Who will be married in the lion's case at the St. John exhibition? This is a question which it is said will receive some attention from the executive of the association. The matter has not yet been brought up, but the Sun has learned that there is a possibility of this being made a feature of the show. It has been done elsewhere and has proved a great drawing card. Adgie's lions are famous throughout the country and such an event as a marriage taking place among the beasts would undoubtedly prove a strong attraction.

Upon enquiry at the exhibition offices the assistant manager, Mr. Sclanders at first denied that such a project was being given consideration, but later admitted that it had been thought of, although the plan had not yet been brought before the executive. Mr. Sclanders also confessed that two offers had been received from ladies who, each with an eye to business, were somewhat anxious to secure whatever amount would be paid over by the executive to one taking part in such a proceeding. At the same time it was learned that one of the ladies insisted upon wearing a magenta dress trimmed with green. It is not known how the lion's tastes run in regard to colors, so that this rather unusual shade for a wedding dress might not be objectionable to the beasts. The proposal to have a marriage take place may be brought up shortly, though no one connected with the exhibition will say definitely that such will be done.

AN OFFER RECEIVED

From a Well Known Lady Who Wishes to be Married in the Lions' Cage.

In yesterday's Sun was a paragraph to the effect that there was a possibility of a marriage being performed in the lions' cage at the exhibition. The executive still decline to say much about the matter, but the Sun has definitely learned elsewhere that a young lady of St. John has formally approached the management with such an offer. This young lady, and the gentleman who forms the other party in the proposed event are both well known in society here. The offer is not a joke, but is seriously made, and the lady who wrote the letter is evidently in earnest. She states that she believes the report that the lions are well tamed, and that she does not consider that there would be any danger in entering the cage.

This offer will be considered.

MRS. GOELET FORGOT.

Her Jewels Were Just Where She Left Them and Had Not Been Stolen.

NEW YORK, Aug. 9.—In a statement issued this evening the detective agency engaged in the search for $100,000 worth of jewels, the property of Mrs. Ogden Goelet, which were supposed to have been stolen, announced that the jewels were found today in Mrs. Goelet's safe in this city. The statement says that Mrs. Goelet left New York for Newport on June 21 and took with her the jewel case. In the middle of July she went to the safe for some of the jewelry, and failing to find it she made a thorough search in her Newport residence. She continued the search, and in the latter part of July reported her loss to the detective agency and to Chief of Police Rounds of Newport. After a thorough investigation, which indicated that a robbery had been committed, it was suggested to her that the jewels probably were in her safe in this city. Acting on the suggestion, Mrs. Goelet came here Monday and on opening the safe today found the jewels where she had placed them.

LONDON, Aug. 8. — Sch Louvinia, Smith, from Annapolis, N S, for Buenos Ayres, before reported ashore near Maldonaldo, is considered a total loss. Cargo is being saved.

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