

COURT KING BENCH ADJOURNS.

Spring Term Will be Recommended.

NORMAN ATKINSON PRESENT AND RAIL BONDS ARE RENEWED.

The adjourned term of the Court of King's Bench opened this morning at ten o'clock. Mr. Justice Hutchinson presided.

In the case of the King vs Labrecque the attorney for the defendant stated that he could not reach the defendant as he was working in the woods. The Crown asked that default be entered, the bail bonds forfeited, and a bench warrant issued. This was granted.

Norman Atkinson appeared and had his bail bonds renewed. Mr. F. N. McCrea is the bondsman, for \$1,000. Mr. J. S. Broderick, K.C., Crown Prosecutor, stated that it was his intention to recommend to the Attorney-General to allow cases now pending so that others that might arise, might be disposed of.

The Court was then adjourned.

MAY STIR UP THE POWERS.

GERMANY'S CONCESSION ON THASOS ISLAND, NINETEEN MILES FROM DARDANELLES.

New York, Oct. 6.—A copyright cable to the Times from Paris, says: "According to a well informed correspondent in Constantinople the sultan has granted to Germany the right to establish a naval station on the island of Thasos, and, moreover, has given to a German company the concession of all the mines on the island. It is added that negotiations are proceeding between the Porte and the German Anatolian Railway Company for a loan to the sultan of \$50,000 with which to cover the expenses of his forthcoming jubilee and pay the State functionaries a month's salary. It seems that Germany whose object is to interfere in Morocco has succeeded practically in failure, is now again turning her attention to the Near East. If the report that she is to have a naval station in Thasos is true, no one can foresee what complications may result.

Thasos, only ninety miles northwest of the Dardanelles, is an ideal place for such a station, and the establishment in the Aegean of a centre of German power would hardly be regarded with equanimity by the other powers of Europe. It is feared that Germany's policy of friendship toward Turkey has at length borne fruit which will give her a preponderant position in the Near East. As for the mining concession in the German company, this also may result in complications. The marble quarries of Thasos were celebrated in antiquity, and though they have not been worked for a long period, it is known that they are still very valuable.

In 1841 the island was given to Mehmet Ali, viceroy of Egypt, and the exclusive of Egypt claims the mines on the island as his private property. The sultan has persisted in ignoring the claim, but the concession to the Germans may bring matters to a head.

BULLS FOUGHT IN FOOTBALL COSTUME.

MATADORS WERE SIMILARLY ATTACHED AND NO BLOOD WAS SHED.

Chicago, Oct. 6.—A despatch to the Record-Herald from Los Angeles, California, says: "A bull fight, with the attendance of a comic opera troupe, was held at Santa Monica Sunday. The action was there, but of course there was none, for the bulls were clad in football armor until they were twice their natural size. The matadors wore similarly attired, and when one, hampered by his padding, was unable to escape the charge of a bull, the impact resembled a collision between two leather beds. The fight was more on the order of a limited round pugilist contest, in that the palm of victory was awarded on points. The judges decided in every instance in favor of the bulls. Originally the intention was to hold a genuine bull fight with plenty of blood-shedding, but the authorities interceded. It was the first time the kind ever held on American soil on the Pacific coast."

COMING TO UNITED STATES

ENGLISH, FRENCH AND GERMAN COMPANIES TO ESTABLISH BRANCHES IN AMERICA.

Berlin, October 6.—It is stated here that the leading English, French and German insurance companies are planning to establish branches in the United States as the result of the insurance relations in New York.

FIND DESERTER GUILTY OF MURDER.

Burlington, Vt., Oct. 6.—A jury yesterday found Benjamin Williams guilty of having shot and killed Police Officer William P. McGrath on May 12, 1901. Ethan Allen was a witness at Fort Leavenworth when he was sentenced to life imprisonment in the State Prison at Windsor today.

McGrath was killed May 12, 1901, while he was playing football and two other deserts from Fort Ethan Allen under arrest.

Mr. and Mrs. Baldwin, of Coaticook, Mr. H. S. Ball, Mrs. and Miss Ball, of Waterville, were among the visitors to the city yesterday.

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NEW YORK MAYORALTY.

MAYOR MCGLELLAN NOMINATED FOR ANOTHER TERM.

New York, Oct. 6.—Mayor Geo. B. McClellan last night was renominated for the fourth year's term beginning on January 1st next, by the Democratic city convention, or Tammany Hall organization. Mr. McClellan is now rounding out his first term of two years, the State Legislature having recently amended the city charter so as to provide for a four years' tenure of office for officials of Greater New York.

The Tammany Convention was held in Carnegie Hall amid much enthusiasm. The ticket named follows:

For mayor—Geo. B. McClellan, of Manhattan.

For comptroller—Herman A. Metz, of Brooklyn.

For president of the Board of Aldermen—Patrick F. McGowan, of Manhattan.

Mr. Metz is named to succeed Comptroller E. M. Grout and Mr. McGowan to succeed President Chas. V. Fornes. Mr. Fornes presided at last night's convention, and Comptroller Grout seconded the nomination of Mayor McClellan.

COUNT LAMSDORFF.

WILL CONFER WITH CHANCELLOR VON BUELOW AND PREMIER ROUVIER.

Paris, October 6.—The St. Petersburg correspondent of the Temps writes that Count Lamsdorff, the minister of foreign affairs, will shortly visit Berlin and Paris to confer with the German chancellor, Von Buelow, and the French Premier, Rouvier.

TOGO'S FLEET.

POSSIBILITY THAT IT MAY MAKE A TRIP TO ENGLAND.

London, October 6.—The Express says that plans are being discussed for the bringing to England of the fleet of Admiral Fergal. Nothing is yet settled. Many of the ships are repairing and refitting and cannot leave Japan for some time.

BOY HAS NARROW ESCAPE FROM DROWNING.

The five and a half year old son of Mr. Frank Leech had an uncommonly narrow escape from drowning yesterday.

The child left the Central School, which he has recently begun to attend, quite early and went across the trestle, mistaking it for a bridge towards his home on Queen street. Child-like he stopped to play on the bridge, and in some way fell into the water some two feet from where it rushed over the dam. In a few minutes he would inevitably have been drawn over and dashed to pieces on the rocks below, if some men who were working near by had not seen his danger, and hurriedly threw a rope, which the little fellow managed to seize. He received a bad bruise on the head when he fell, but otherwise was unhurt, though much frightened and dripping wet.

KILLED BY FALL OF BOULDER.

Winsted, Conn., Oct. 4.—While climbing a fifty-foot hill here Monday, Jas. G. Maddrah, Jr., who was on a hunting trip, stepped on a big boulder, which toppled down a fifty-foot embankment. At the bottom the rock fell on Maddrah and killed him instantly, and his crushed body was found by his son.

WEATHER PROBABILITIES.

Forecast for the next 24 hours, issued by the Meteorological Bureau:

- General Bureau: mostly northerly winds; mostly northerly; fine and comparatively cool.
- Moderate winds; mostly northerly; fine and comparatively cool.

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SEARCHING FOR STOLEN JEWELS.

THIEVES ELUDED SCOTLAND YARD AUTHORITIES AND THOUGHT TO BE IN AMERICA.

New York, Oct. 6.—According to a Chicago special to the Herald property valued at nearly \$1,000,000, including an ancient Irish crown, is said to have been taken by burglars two weeks ago from the home of John Mulhall, No. 14 Earl's fort terrace, Dublin, Ireland. The burglars, it is thought, were two men well known to the police, and they had for their accomplice a beautiful woman. It is believed they have come to the United States. Details of the burglary reached Chicago yesterday from Scotland Yard, London, in a request to Chief of Police to search the city for the alleged burglars and the plunder. It was on September 5 that the burglary was committed. The woman, who lived in the Irish capital, posed, it is said, as a leader in Chicago society. It was she who furnished to the thieves information that made it possible for them to steal the treasure. The robbery was committed on the morning after a ball which Mulhall gave and at which the suspected woman was a guest. Mr. Mulhall is said to be a relative of Michael George Mulhall, a celebrated British statistician.

In the notice received by the police in Chicago it was said that the Irish and English authorities were of the opinion that an effort to dispose of some of the jewels would be made in Chicago and that it was probable the men and their accomplice had reached this city. Chief Collins at once ordered that every place in which jewels were likely to be offered for sale be watched. Chicago police believe the stolen gems were brought to New York and they will be turned up here at all.

MAY BE A GRAIN BLOCKADE.

CANADIAN EXPORTERS WANT ASSISTANCE OF UNITED STATES CARRIERS.

Fort William, Ont., October 6.—It is rumored that Canadian grain exporters, in consequence of the Canadian vessels owners' decision to carry no wheat from Fort William or Port Arthur to Georgian Bay ports for less than two cents a bushel, will ask the Dominion Government to temporarily waive the clause in the international coasting law that prohibits a foreign boat from receiving a cargo at a port other than the one at which it was loaded. Shippers declare that even if they acquiesce in the Canadian carriers' demand for two cents a bushel, it would be impossible without the assistance of American bottoms, to carry the country of the required amount of wheat before the close of navigation. About three million bushels of wheat now in store in Fort William elevators is awaiting October delivery and must soon be taken East by any cost.

JUDGE MULVENA AT WATERLOO.

Before Judge Mulvena, at Waterloo, yesterday, the case of J. P. Heaths vs. E. P. Patten, for several petty thefts, amounting to the value of \$28.60, was dismissed for want of sufficient proof and she accused was discharged.

Several cases against Syrian peddlers for peddling without a license were adjourned to the 3rd of November for further evidence.

WILL MEET NEXT YEAR IN OTTAWA.

W. M. S. CONVENTION IS BROUGHT TO CLOSE.

OFFICERS WERE ELECTED AND DELEGATES APPOINTED.

The twenty-second annual meeting of the Montreal Conference Branch of the Woman's Missionary Society, closed yesterday morning, the afternoon session which had been planned, being given up, as many of the delegates were obliged to leave for their homes.

Election of officers resulted as follows:

President, Mrs. T. G. Williams, Montreal, (re-elected).

First Vice-President, Mrs. W. I. Shaw, Montreal.

Second Vice-President, Mrs. Hughes, Athens, Ont.

Third Vice-President, Mrs. Brouse, Ottawa.

Mrs. Murray, of Lanark, Ont., read an admirable paper on "Loyalty," the ringing, earnest words, full of faith and enthusiasm in the cause, meeting with an instant response from her hearers.

The following were appointed as delegates to the Board of Managers:

Mrs. W. I. Shaw, Montreal.

Mrs. Hughes, Athens, Ont.

Mrs. Knox, Montreal.

Alternates:

Mrs. Sparks, Kingston.

Mrs. Cairns, Napanee, Ont.

Mrs. P. L. Richardson, Superintendent of Systematic Giving.

The Board meeting takes place at Peterboro, Ont., on the 17th inst.

Invitations had been received from Ottawa and Pembroke, for the meeting of the Branch of the W.M.S. next year, and Ottawa was decided on as being more readily reached by the majority of the delegates.

Mrs. Brouse read a happily worded expression of thanks to the ladies of Sherbrooke for their warm hospitality, and the President closed with a few remarks in regard to the good results of the meeting, and the increase in enthusiasm and missionary spirit that would bear fruit in the future. The great advances made all along the line, and in every department of missionary work, were most encouraging and gratifying.

The report of the Treasurer states that the total amount raised by the Montreal branch in the past year was \$10,401.91. Auxiliary expenses, \$202.28. Total amount sent to General Board for mission purposes, \$10,198.01. Increase over previous year, \$2,132.37.

DESERTED BRIDEGROOM AT THE ALTAR.

MISS MAUDE GRUWELL PREFERRED MAN OF HER CHOICE TO A RICH HUSBAND.

Sydney, N.S., Oct. 6.—Ellis Judd, a wealthy young man of this city, whose father, G. W. Judd, is one of the wealthiest men in southwestern Iowa, was deserted at the altar by his intended bride, Miss Maude Gruwelle, daughter of Senator C. O. Gruwelle, of Montana.

The guests were assembled in the church, at Billings, Mon., and the prospective bridegroom was waiting in the vestibule. The bride-to-be was with her maids in the parsonage adjoining. "I'll be back in a minute," she called to them. Then she stole out the back door, and ran across the street to a store where Everett B. Ferris was a clerk.

"I can't marry Mr. Judd, even if he is rich," she cried as she threw her arms around Ferris' neck. The young man seized the opportunity, hurried the girl to the station and married her on a train as they sped toward Livingston.

FIRST HUNTING FATALITIES.

DISPATCHES FROM WOODSTOCK AND MONCTON, N.B., REPORT TWO KILLED.

St. John, N.B., Oct. 5.—The first fatal hunting accidents of the season were reported Monday in dispatches from Woodstock and Moncton. Near Woodstock, James McEae, aged thirteen, was shot and killed by Willie Black, aged fourteen, when the latter fired at a squirrel on a tree, surrounded by brush, which "McEae" was hunting. The charge tore through McEae's chest. He died before help could be obtained. Alfred Howarth, aged ten, was in a hunting party with his father and Everett Blacklock Monday, near Moncton. A fox was accidentally discharged in young Howarth's face and he died in a few hours. Blacklock surrendered to the police, but was discharged, the lad's father exonerating him.

OWNERS GONE, ALSO \$250,000.

FUNDS OF ALAMOSA, COLO., BANK MISAPPROPRIATED.

Chicago, Oct. 6.—A despatch to the Record-Herald from Alamosa, Colo., says: Developments Wednesday showed about \$250,000 missing from the Alamosa Bank, which closed Monday. The owners, Herman Schiffer of New York, Abraham Schiffer and Isaac Schiffer, of Alamosa, are not here. Assignee G. W. Brickstein admitted that \$70,000 of the deposited money went into a doubtful mining venture at Idaho Springs.

INVISIBLE.

"I looked everywhere for you at the church last evening," said her ardent devotee, "but I didn't see you." "You forgot," she answered sweetly, "that I am charity."—Judge.

GAYNOR AND GREENE CASE.

By Sunday Will Be On Way South.

FAMOUS FIGHT AGAINST EXTRADITION AT AN END.

Montreal, Oct. 6.—Gaynor and Greene will make their departure from Montreal possibly this evening, but most probably to-morrow.

The extradition warrant was duly signed yesterday at Quebec, and will be in the hands of Sheriff Thibadeau this morning, and afterwards were handed over the prisoners to the custody of the United States marshals.

A Quebec despatch bears the news that the documents were signed yesterday by the Lieut-Governor, Sir Louis Jetté, and afterwards were endorsed by the Attorney-General, Hon. Lomer Gouin. When these formalities had been concluded the papers were sent by express to Montreal and arrived here last night.

As promised by the legal representatives of the United States, due notice was given to Gaynor and Greene, so that they might prepare their effects for their journey to Savannah, where they will be placed on trial.

BANK VAULT BLOWN OPEN.

BURGLARS SECURE \$5200 AT SPRINGFIELD, S. D.

Springfield, S.D., Oct. 6.—Burglars who entered the bank of Springfield, and blew open the vault yesterday, secured \$5200.

POPULATION OF TORONTO.

Toronto, Oct. 6.—According to the revised figures issued by the assessment department, the population of Toronto is 256,045, an increase of 12,597 compared with the assessors' returns in the assessment made last year. The wards are as follows: Ward 1, 22,221; ward 2, 42,915; 3, 43,502; 4, 52,886; 5, 41,165, and 6, 23,974.

DAILY NEWS SPECIALS FROM ALL PARTS OF THE EASTERN TOWNSHIPS.

BOX SOCIAL AT COMPTON.

Compton, Oct. 6.—(Special.)—The ladies of St. James' church Guild intend giving a box social in the Town Hall on Tuesday next. Games and other forms of amusement will be provided.

NOW TEACHING IN VIRGINIA.

Coaticook, Oct. 6.—(Special.)—A letter has been received from Mr. G. A. Jordan, who was principal of Waterville Academy, and who has just returned to Virginia in the summer. Mr. Jordan states that the principalship of the only High School in the county happened to be vacant, and that he had been fortunate enough to secure the position. His brother, Mr. Joseph Jordan, had purchased a farm facing Chesapeake Bay, and was unable to produce corn, potatoes, melons, tomatoes, peaches, pears, grapes, oysters, clams and crabs. The Jordan family left Coaticook to escape the rigors of our Canadian winter.

HARVEST HOME FESTIVAL AT BROOKBURY.

Brookbury, Oct. 6.—(Special.)—The harvest home festival held at the M. E. church on Wednesday evening, the 4th, was very successful. The chicken pie supper was held in a tent erected for the purpose, the entertainment being in the church. Mrs. T. Morrow, of Robinson, presided at the organ. Recitations and solos were given by some from Bishop's Crossing Robinson, and at home. Mrs. Crabb gave two fine solos. The church was beautifully decorated. The proceeds amounted to something over \$32.

LEAVING COMPTON TO RESIDE IN ONTARIO.

Compton, Oct. 6.—(Special.)—A number of friends gathered at the station yesterday afternoon to take leave of Mr. and Mrs. H. Weston Parry and their daughter Helen on their departure from Compton to take up residence in Princeton, Ont., where Mr. Parry has obtained a lucrative position. For several years past he has been the efficient manager of the creamery in connection with Compton Model Farm. Mr. and Mrs. Parry have many warm friends here who sincerely regret their removal from our midst.

GIFT TO PETTES MEMORIAL LIBRARY.

Knowlton, Oct. 6.—(Special.)—Hon. S. A. Fisher has lately given the sum of \$25 to the Pettes Memorial Library trustees to purchase new books for the Public Library and the Reading Club will place upon the shelves of the library in a few days about 30 volumes of bound magazines. It is hoped that the citizens of Knowlton and vicinity will avail themselves of the privilege of obtaining so much good reading which is free to all.

RETURNS FROM PROTESTANT HOSPITAL.

Compton, Oct. 6.—(Special.)—Mrs. Henry Hackett returned yesterday from the Sherbrooke Protestant Hospital, where she has been a patient for the past month. Her friends will be pleased to learn that she has quite recovered from her illness.

MONKEY ROAD TAX AT MARTINVILLE.

Martinville, Oct. 6.—(Special.)—Municipal Council met on Monday, the 2nd inst., the voters' list being under consideration. After looking over the list the Council decided to add eight names. They are all young men just coming of age.

The jury list, also, was examined and approved.

In the matter of breaking winter

THE CHARIVARI TRAGEDY.

Simon Hammer Confesses to Shooting.

DIDN'T KNOW HIS REVOLVER WAS LOADED—ACCIDENTAL DEATH.

Tavistock, Ont., October 6.—The secret of the shooting affair at the Charivari at the house of Mrs. John Wageser, East Zorra, was revealed yesterday afternoon, when Simon Hammer, a young man of 21 years, handed to the coroner a 38-calibre revolver and said that he believed he fired the shot that killed John Hauch on September 25, and bitterly expressed his regret at the termination of the accident. A number of witnesses were called previously, but their evidence threw no light on the shooting. Then Hammer was called and made a statement. Hammer said he went to the Charivari with Geo. Witzel, a neighbor's son, and joined the Charivari party at Facey's Corner, a short distance from the Wageser homestead. He admitted having a revolver and immediately after he did so, the coroner warned witness that any further evidence given at this stage might be used against him afterwards. Hammer then said: "I'll tell the whole truth." Continuing the witness said: "I stood beside Hauch, about three feet west. We started to shoot. Hauch fired three shots and I fired three. When I was going to reload I pulled the hammer back too far, and when I tried to let it down to half-cock, it slipped out of my hand, striking Hauch's forehead and passing through his forehead. As it went, the revolver flew up and the bullet struck Hauch in the arm."

Here witness broke down and sobbing bitterly, said: "I did not mean to do it, and I am sorry that I shot the poor boy."

All the other members of the Charivari party were called, but Hauch's pistol was the only weapon of which they had any knowledge.

The jury returned a verdict to the effect that John S. Hauch was killed by a bullet from a revolver, accidentally discharged by Simon Hammer, of East Zorra. Hammer was accordingly acquitted.

AUTOMOBILE IN TROUBLE.

Cowansville, Oct. 6.—(Special.)—A so-called automobile from Montreal visited us here on Wednesday, but it could only go as fast as a good horse could walk. However, it and its belligerent driver succeeded in getting ditched with a load of people and required the assistance of the largest horse in town to draw the valuable machine back into the road.

BEAR AND CUBS AT SCOTTS TOWN.

Scotstown, Oct. 6.—(Special.)—Great excitement was caused on Monday by the appearance of a bear and two cubs in a potato field in the outskirts of the town.

MARRIED IN THE WEST.

Ulverton, Oct. 6.—(Special.)—News has reached here through the Windsor papers of the marriage of one of our old boys, who left here for the West some two years ago, Mr. Andrew Walker, who was married on the 30th of August, to Miss Lydia Robertson, youngest daughter of the late Mr. Robertson, of St. Mary's, Ont.

The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Thos. Munroe, pastor of the Congregational Church, at Brandon.

WATERLOO COUNCIL AIDS ITS VILLAGE IMPROVEMENT COMMITTEE.

Waterloo, Oct. 6.—(Special.)—The regular meeting of the Town Council was held Wednesday evening, Mayor W. N. Call in the chair, with Councillors L. D. Wallace, George Moyan, John L. Codd, Louis Payan, Pierre Hubert, Godfroi Poirier, J. E. Ethier, P. A. Trudeau and Secretary E. F. DeVarriens present.

Several small accounts were approved and the Secretary-Treasurer ordered to pay them.

A committee consisting of Rev. Cure Beauregard, D. Nelson and Dr. Phelan, representing the organization of clearing the stumps and rubbish from the river bank, waited on the Council, asking aid from the Corporation for the purpose of removing the balance of the stumps. After considerable discussion it was decided to grant the organization the sum of two hundred dollars, they agreeing to clear up the balance for that amount; one hundred dollars to be paid now and the balance when the work was completed.

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To-Day

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DO IT NOW.

W. S. Dresser & Co.
District Managers,
North American Life,
Sherbrooke, Que.

New Overcoat \$1.50.

Old one dyed and pressed, looks like new, and costs just \$1.50 at

Imperial Laundry, Sherbrooke.

Little Pet (on her knees, before retiring), "Mamma, may I pray for rain?"
Mamma: "Yes, if you want to; but why?"
"Susie Stuckop didn't invite me to her picnic,"—New York Tribune.



The busiest spot on Sherbrooke's busiest street.

136-138 Wellington Street. Friday, Oct. 6, 1905.

Store Hours To-Day 8 a.m. to 9 p.m.

Fall Goods All Over the Store

Do you wonder that the McKechnie Store is as busy as can be from opening till closing hour?

New merchandise is crowding in fast, coming in every day and hurrying to all sections of this establishment.

If you are a Sherbrooker you'll be glad to know what is new. If you live at a distance and are in town merely on a visit or simply passing through, you will be just as delighted as those who are residents.

This is a good store any way you look at it.

Fall Gloves

For Ladies, Misses and Children.

The new Fall stock is ready for your choosing. Better get ready for the cold weather and don't be caught unprepared.



Early Morning Specials

- 8 to 10 a.m. To-morrow
- LADIES' GOLF JERSEYS—Brown, black, white, cardinal. Value \$2.50, 8 to 10 a.m., \$1.98.
- SUMMER COSETS—Twenty pairs, to sell from 8 to 10 a.m., at 25c pr.
- TAFFETA SILK—Black and colors. Value 65c, 8 to 10 a.m., 47c.
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Full set, the new style as above, special price \$12.50.

STANSTED PLAIN

Oct. 6.—Mrs. M. F. Hackett and Miss Julia Hackett are spending a few days in Montreal, the guests of Mr. Orson Shorey.
Messrs. W. M. Pike, C. M. Thomas, H. A. Channell, H. E. Channell and A. R. Thomas accompanied the Sussex Presbytery of Knights Templars to Montpelier, Vt., where they attended the State Centennial celebration on Wednesday.
Messrs. N. Thompson, C. H. Taylor, F. B. Henrie and P. J. Bergeron spent the week-end at White Rock cottage, Baldwin's Pond.

MASSAWIPPEL

Oct. 6.—The glory of autumn is with us. Mrs. Muggett, of Riverview, N.H., arrived last week to spend a few weeks with her sister, Mrs. L. Chilson.
Mrs. Hadlock, of Compton, was the guest of Mrs. B. Kezar on Tuesday.
Mrs. E. St. Dizier and daughter spent Monday and Tuesday at Magog.
Miss Maud Peck is central girl for the People's Telephone Co. here, having entered upon her duties Monday in the place of Miss Ruth Hills.
Mrs. Laura Abbott, of Abbott's Corner, visited her relatives here Tuesday. The W.C.T.U. meeting at the home of Mrs. Lyford Call was well attended. A chicken-pie supper was served at the close.
The Ladies' Aid will depart from the usual round here and meet by the kind invitation of Mrs. Solomon Cory, at her home, Kingscroft, on Thursday afternoon, Oct. 12th. In the evening a social will be held, to which everybody is invited.

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DANVILLE

Oct. 6.—Mrs. James Smith and Miss Hazel Smith, Richmond, Mrs. George Smith, Melbourne and Miss Mabel Webster, of Keene, N.H., were in town Saturday and Sunday the guests of Mrs. William Crack, and Mrs. William Williams.
Mrs. Claude Gibson and little daughter, of Westmount, are the guests of Mr. R. Gibson and family, Crown street.
George Connolly visited her little daughters at the convent in Richmond on Tuesday.
Miss R. Connolly has returned from Montreal, where she has been spending several months with relatives.
Miss B. M. Stockwell has returned from a visit to friends in Montreal.
Mr. C. C. Cleveland is still confined to the house by illness.
Mrs. Fred. Driver, of Richmond, has been spending a few days here with friends.
Mrs. Richard Williams and children have returned from a visit to relatives in Monson, Me.
Mrs. Boutenhouse, of Montreal, is spending several weeks at the Gordon House.
Miss Dilworth is enjoying a vacation in Montreal.

CASTLEBAR

Oct. 6.—Look out for your chicken coops, for there are hen thieves around. A short time ago Mr. Henry Fowler lost some fowls.
Mr. and Mrs. Joe Savins and children spent Tuesday at the "Willows."
Mr. J. M. Mowat, of Montreal, is spending a short time with his family at the Willows, the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. Robinson.
Mr. and Mrs. of St. Johnsbury, Vt., and three daughters, Mrs. Frank Fitch, of Littleton, N.H., Mrs. A. K. Powers, of St. Johnsbury, and Mrs. A. C. Fairbrothers, of Newport, Vt., are all guests of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Emerson.
Mr. George Pope, of Melbourne, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Olney on Monday.
Mr. and Mrs. Schyley Fowler will occupy Mr. Loren Gordon's house this winter.
Miss Nina Adams left on Monday for Manchester, N.H.
Miss Eva Doyle, of Sherbrooke, is visiting Miss Miriam Pope.
Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Laxson, of the Pinnacle, were guests of Mrs. Frank Laxson on Sunday.
Miss Clara Placey, of Ulverton, has been spending a few days with her friend, Miss Rhoda Adams.
Miss Lucy Stockwell is visiting Miss Sarah Adams.
Mrs. S. H. Griffith has returned to New York.

MOE'S RIVER

Oct. 6.—Mr. F. A. Willis, of Allston, Mass., and his mother, Mrs. M. A. Willis, of Natick, Mass., arrived on Thursday, 28th, and are visiting relatives here and at Compton.
Mrs. Abbie E. Humphrey, of St. Johnsbury, was calling on friends here last week.
Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Brown, of Lennoxville, were guests of Lyman Brown over Sunday.
Mrs. Rose Draper, of Coaticook, called on friends here Sunday and took a brief survey of her old home on Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Bellam, of Newport, arrived at the home of his parents Saturday evening, staying a few days, and on Tuesday Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Bellam, accompanied by their guests, drove to East Clifton.
Mr. Parker (a layman), of Dixville, occupied the Baptist pulpit very acceptably on Sunday, Oct. 5th.
Rev. D. Flower, of North Hatley, will preach in the Universalist church, Oct. 8th, at 2.30 p.m.

DUDSWELL CENTRE

Oct. 6.—Mrs. Ernest Ames, of Weed, is spending a few days with her sister, Mrs. E. P. Jenkerson.
Mr. George Bishop, of Colorado, formerly of Dudswell, is visiting his old home. Mr. Bishop has been away eighteen years, and his old friends are glad to see him back.
The Ladies' Guild met last Wednesday with Mrs. William Nourse, East Dudswell. There were about 60 people attended, and a very enjoyable evening was spent.
On next Tuesday the Ladies' Guild will give a chicken pie supper in the Academy Hall, immediately after the Harvest service, held in the Church of the Good Shepherd, at 7 o'clock.
Mrs. Chaddock and Mrs. Hodges, of Coaticook, are guests of Mrs. A. C. Rolfe, at Lime Ridge.
Mrs. Coleman is visiting her daughter, Mrs. W. B. Norton, in Sherbrooke.

ISLAND BROOK

Oct. 6.—Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Moraton and children have returned to Springfield, after spending a month with Mr. and Mrs. John Burns.
Miss Mildred Loveland, of Maple Lake, has been spending a few days the guest of Miss Mabel Stevenson.
Mr. F. W. Sunbury and Cecil Campbell went into Montreal, Monday with a car load of sheep and lambs.
Dr. N. G. Coats, of Brookbury, was in this place a few days last week.
Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Stevens, of Franklin, N.H., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Barney Corrigan for a few days.
Mrs. John Burns is quite poorly.
Mr. H. Getty, of Farnham, was visiting his brother, Mr. William Getty, recently.
Mr. and Mrs. Wooley, of Spaulding Hill, were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Willie Painter, on Sunday.
Mr. Wilkinson, of Sawverville, will occupy the Baptist pulpit in the Methodist Church here next Sunday.

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COATICOOK

Oct. 6.—Mr. W. E. Leng has been in town some days in the interests of the Canadian Order of Foresters. The lodge at present has nearly 100 members and a goodly number have joined lately.
Mr. Wesley McAdam, who has been a guest at Mr. W. C. Webster's, has returned to Westmount. Mrs. Short has also returned to Montreal.
Mrs. Henry Johnson is a guest of Mrs. F. H. Bridgman.
The death of Mr. Joseph Gerin, which occurred on Wednesday, came as a great surprise to his many friends. For several years Mr. Gerin has been manager of the Gilmour chair factory. He died on Wednesday, three weeks ago, and went to his bed. The doctors diagnosed his case as tuberculosis of the bowels. He was about 50 years of age, and leaves a family of six children. His wife predeceased him a few years.

ASBESTOS.

Oct. 6.—This little village is flocked with visitors at present, who have been attending the Fair at Danville. Miss Louisa Wilkie is the guest of Mrs. O. Olney.
Mr. Hutchinson and sister, of Leeds, are guests of their aunt, Mrs. William Church.
Mr. R. S. Nutbrown has been visiting his friends in Asbestos and vicinity.
Mr. and Mrs. Z. Griffith, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Garwood, Mr. Walter Gale and sons, Howard and Curtis, of Sherbrooke; Miss May Garwood, of River du Loup, and Miss Lottie Bilton, of Richmond, have been guests of Mrs. B. Gale for a number of days.
A little informal party was held at Mr. Frank Pharo's on Monday evening. Music, games and dancing were indulged in.
Mr. and Mrs. George Hamilton entertained a number of friends on Tuesday evening. A "sugar off" was indulged in.
Mrs. Van Steinburgh, late of Newkar, N.J., has secured a number of pupils here. Mrs. Van Steinburgh is an accomplished musician, and is a professional teacher of music.
Mrs. Allen Maurice has arrived home from a two months' visit to friends in Wales. Mrs. Maurice was quite ill on the return trip and has not been well since her arrival. Owing to severe illness many passengers were sick.

ULVERTON.

Sept. 6.—Rev. Mr. Coburn, Congregational minister of Kansas City, made a brief visit to his cousin, Mr. James Pacey, last week.
Mr. Samuel Mills is up and about again, after being seriously ill for a short time.
We regret to report that Mrs. Kerr and family are leaving our village to return to their home in Montreal.
Mr. and Mrs. Watt, of Melbourne, have been spending the week visiting their parishioners in this vicinity.
Prof. Murrison, of the Congregational College, of Montreal, will conduct the service in the Congregational church Sunday, Oct. 8th.
Miss E. Bogie is at present spending a few weeks in our village.
Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hepworth, who have been in Huntington for some weeks, returned home a few days ago.

KINGSEY.

Oct. 6.—Mr. H. S. Thompson was in Montreal recently on business.
Miss C. Palmer, of Quebec, who has been engaged as teacher for the new consolidated school, arrived on Saturday.
Messrs. D. G. Towne and J. Plamondon, Mrs. H. Towne and Mrs. J. Plamondon were in Kingsy Falls on Wednesday, and were the recipients of a very cordial reception on the part of Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Noble, manager of the new company.

MARTINVILLE.

Oct. 6.—Mr. and Mrs. Myron Merrill have returned from Canaan, Vt., where they have been visiting relatives.
Mr. and Mrs. George Bishop, Everett, Washington Territory, are on a short visit to relations and friends.
Mr. W. T. Oughton has gone for a short trip to the North West.
Miss Julia Staples returned to Montreal last week.
Mr. Walter Bishop, Berlin, N.H., is in town this week.
Mr. Hatton is very poorly for some time past.
The annual Harvest Thanksgiving service will (it is held in St. Paul's Church on Wednesday, Oct. 11th, at 7 o'clock, to be followed by a children's supper, served by the Ladies' Guild in the Church Hall.

WATERVILLE

Oct. 6.—Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Ward are spending a few days visiting friends at Sherbrooke and North Hatley. They are taking a well earned rest.
Mr. F. G. Gale is in Montreal on business.
A regular session of the Municipal Council was held Monday evening. Several bills were ordered paid, others were laid over for future consideration. Considerable discussion over roads, ditches and watercourses, also crossings, took place.
Notwithstanding all the new houses that have been erected, this summer and autumn, tenements are still very scarce, so much so that they are actually converting barns into tenements.
Mrs. W. H. Ward and family intend leaving for Southern Pines soon.
Rev. Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Hall intend spending the winter in Boston.
Mr. R. House, who has been engaged by Mr. G. B. Wells in the grist mill the past seven years, has been re-employed by Mr. F. Burton, the new proprietor.
Mrs. F. C. Gale is in Quebec for a few days.
Miss M. Annie Hill, who has been in town the past few weeks visiting friends, leaves on Friday next for her home in South Durham.
Mr. and Mrs. Parkinson gave a party to a few young people in town, last Wednesday evening.
A Novelty Social will be held in the basement of the Congregational Church, Friday evening, Oct. 6th, by the Young Ladies' Aid. Tea will be served from 6 to 8, when a general good time may be expected.

SCOTSTOWN.

Oct. 6.—Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Myr have gone to Manchester. They intend to reside there.
Miss M. K. Beard, of Sherbrooke, will receive many guests on Monday, as she will be home from a two weeks' vacation.
Dr. M. J. Mooney is on a trip to California and other western parts.
Mrs. C. H. Newbegin, who has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Beard, has returned to her home in Lewiston, Me.
Mr. Allan McKay has gone to Kingston to attend college.
The ladies of the W. C. T. U. met with Mrs. M. A. McKenzie on Thursday afternoon. Various items of the work were discussed; several reports given, among which a good report of the Provincial Convention held in Richmond last week, was given by Mrs. Peter Taylor, who was a delegate from the local Union. A pleasant afternoon was closed by the serving of dainty refreshments by the hostess.

BROOKBURY.

Oct. 6.—Mr. Avery Tyle, of Nashua, is at present visiting relatives and old friends here.
Mr. James Halcup is here for a few days on business, having sold his farm here to Mr. A. H. Vintner.
Miss Clara Bishop, who has been for some time with Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Leonard, is at present visiting her sister in Boston, and will later proceed to California, and spend the winter with her brother residing there.
Miss Elsie Batley is home from Nashua, where she has been on a two weeks' visit with friends.
Mr. Allan Batley, of the M.C.R., and wife spent Sunday with his parents here.

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Accommodation—Leave Sherbrooke 11:45 a.m. arrive Quebec 8:30 a.m. Daily except Sunday.
Arriving at Sherbrooke
Express—Leave Quebec 8:30 a.m. arrive Sherbrooke 12:00 p.m. Daily except Sunday.
Passenger—Leave Quebec 9:30 a.m. arrive Sherbrooke 1:00 p.m. Daily except Sunday.
Accommodation—Leave Quebec 8:00 p.m. arrive Sherbrooke 8:15 p.m. Daily except Sunday.
Express—Leave Quebec 8:45 a.m. arrive Sherbrooke 8:45 a.m. Daily except Sunday.

BOSTON & MAINE

Summer Arrangement, JUNE 26th, 1905.
Trains leave Sherbrooke
DAY-EXPRESS—6:25 a.m. arrive New York 7:25 p.m.
MIDNIGHT-EXPRESS—11:30 a.m. arrive New York 7:30 p.m.
EXPRESS—11:30 a.m. arrive New York 7:30 p.m.
LOCAL—12:20 p.m. arrive New York 7:30 p.m.
NEW YORK EXPRESS—8:30 p.m. arrive New York 7:20 a.m. daily, except Saturday.
NIGHT EXPRESS—9:35 p.m. arrive Boston 7:30 a.m., Springfield 7:30 a.m., New Haven 7:30 a.m., Hartford 7:30 a.m., New York 7:30 a.m.
FROM THE SOUTH—Express leaves Boston 8:30 p.m., Springfield 8:15 p.m., arrive Sherbrooke 6:15 p.m. daily, except Monday.
NEW YORK EXPRESS—Leaves New York 9:00 p.m., Springfield 12:00 a.m., arrive Sherbrooke 8:45 a.m. daily, except Monday.
LOCAL—Leaves Newport 7:30 a.m. arrive Sherbrooke 9:10 a.m.
MIDNIGHT-EXPRESS—Leaves New York 6:55 a.m., arrive Sherbrooke 8:00 p.m.
DAY MAIL—Leaves New York 11:15 p.m. arrive Sherbrooke 11:15 p.m.
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MARBLETON.

Oct. 6.—Miss Addie returned to Sherbrooke on Saturday, after spending the summer months in her home in Washington Territory, up on a short visit to relations and friends.
Mr. W. T. Oughton has gone for a short trip to the North West.
Miss Julia Staples returned to Montreal last week.
Mr. Walter Bishop, Berlin, N.H., is in town this week.
Mr. Hatton is very poorly for some time past.
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LIBERTY TOWN.

Oct. 6.—Mr. W. H. Davidson has been on the list for the past week but is better at this writing.
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Mr. C. G. Libby's Friday last...
Mr. C. G. Libby visited in St. Johnsbury recently.
Mr. and Mrs. Augustus Paul visited friends in Compton last week.

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CITY NEWS

Mr. William Farwell left last evening for Boston.

Dr. and Mrs. J. C. St. Pierre have returned from their wedding trip.

Mrs. M. F. Johnston has returned to her home, "The Sherbrooke," in Montreal.

Don't forget the dance to-night at Odell's Hall.

Mr. A. O. Norton and Mr. E. V. Norton, of Coaticook, were in town, yesterday.

Two wagon loads Macey sectional book cases placed in stock at "Edwards" to-day.

Mrs. Howard Thompson, of East Angus, is visiting her mother, Mrs. William Richards, at the farm.

Mr. F. E. Brine is acting manager of the E. T. Bank, Cookshire, during the absence of the manager, Mr. Tolmie.

Mrs. G. A. Pyke, of Halifax, N.S., is spending some time with her daughter, Mrs. George M. Howard, Dufferin Ave.

Mr. A. M. Menick, of the Morye Paper Company, Boston, was in town this week on business connected with prepared pulp.

Our store will be closed Monday for Jewish day, and will open Tuesday morning. Star Clothing Hall, J. Rosenbloom & Co., proprietors.

The Eastern Townships Press Association holds its annual meeting in the Grand Central Hotel, Sherbrooke, next Monday evening, at 8.15 p.m.

Mr. and Mrs. George Fowler, of Toronto, who have been the guests of Mrs. E. B. Lyster, Wolfe street, have gone to Danville for a visit to other friends.

Harvest home festival at Lennoxville Methodist church Monday, October 9th, 1905. Supper at 6 p.m., entertainment commencing at 8 p.m. Admission, 25 cents.

The 53rd Physical Squad will meet Saturday afternoon, Oct. 7th, at the drill shed at 2.30 sharp. In the evening a smoking concert will be held at the regimental rooms, including Physical Squad, Tug-of-war Team and Band.

Mrs. C. H. Niles received on Wednesday after her marriage, at "Seven Maples," the residence of Mr. and Mrs. H. Moe, Moore street. Mrs. Niles wore a dainty gown of gray crepe de chine, over taffeta, while Miss Myrtle Fuller and Miss Nellie Waterhouse, who assisted, were in white china silk, and white voile, respectively.

Auction sale for Jos. Fortier, at 2 p.m., Saturday, Oct. 7th, at the farm of Mr. John Baxter, Lennoxville road. 25 milk cows and oxen. J. J. Griffith, auctioneer.

Mr. H. Rice, managing director of the Lowell Citizen Co., Lowell, Mass., was the guest of Mr. E. S. Stevens to-day. Mr. Rice, in his younger days, worked in a printing office in Sherbrooke, but went to Lowell, where he steadily advanced through all the departments of a large newspaper office until he attained the responsible position he now holds.

Mr. F. C. Thompson left Montreal on Wednesday, for New York, and sails for England on Saturday by the Cunard liner, "Lucania." After a week or two in London, Mr. Thompson expects to go to Australia on business to be absent several months. Mrs. Thompson accompanied her husband to New York to see him off, and will spend the winter in Montreal.

The pleasant home of Mr. and Mrs. George Wingrove, Hall avenue, East Sherbrooke, was the scene of a pleasant surprise party on Wednesday evening. About twenty-five young people were present and enjoyed the hospitality of Mr. and Mrs. Wingrove. The party was given in honor of Mr. Arthur Wingrove on the occasion of his twentieth birthday.

The pleasant home of Mr. and Mrs. George Wingrove, Hall avenue, East Sherbrooke, was the scene of a pleasant surprise party on Wednesday evening. About twenty-five young people were present and enjoyed the hospitality of Mr. and Mrs. Wingrove. The party was given in honor of Mr. Arthur Wingrove on the occasion of his twentieth birthday.

W. Freeman, decorator and painter, of North Hatley, has returned from England, and will be pleased to do any decorating, first-class finish, at moderate prices. Estimate given any distance.

A large number of the delegates to the Methodist Conference took advantage of the kind invitation of Mrs. T. J. Tack, and visited her house on Bellevue Ave., to see the St. Francis river view, which is justly famous. The day was ideal, the temperature being that of summer, and the winding, placid river under the bluest of skies, in its setting of gorgeous autumn woods, made a picture that will not soon be forgotten by the visitors to the city. The strangers, particularly those from Ontario, found much to admire in Sherbrooke, with its steep hills, two rivers, and many natural advantages, and were enthusiastic over the fine trees and wealth of foliage.

INJURED AT RAND DRILL SHOPS.
Albert Jones, an employee in the Canadian Rand Drill Shops, had his foot seriously bruised yesterday forenoon by a truck. Dr. Williams was called and ordered his removal to the Protestant Hospital, where the injuries were dressed.

FOR ILLEGAL FISHING.
This morning George B. Boutin was

charged before Judge Mulvena, at the instance of A. Gendron, with illegal fishing with a net in Little Magog Lake on the 16th of April last. He pleaded not guilty, but was convicted on evidence, and fined \$5 and costs or thirty days in jail.

GOLF.
The first round in the Ladies' Golf Handicap was won last week by Miss Tomlinson with a net score of 52.

The second round will be played from the 9th to 13th October, both days included. There will be a tea at the Club House to-morrow afternoon (Saturday).

THROWN FROM STREET CAR.
Miss Stevens, fares at the Sherbrooke Protestant Hospital, fell from a street car at the corner of Queen and Melbourne streets last evening and was badly shaken up. She had boarded the car at the top of the hill on Queen street, and when the car had gone some distance the trolley came off. The car descended the hill rapidly, and as it struck the curve Miss Stevens was thrown to the ground.

She was carried into Mrs. Clarke's residence, and was attended by Drs. Worthington, Smith and Lynch. She was afterwards removed to the Nurse's Home in a cab.

G.T.R. CONSTRUCTING CONCRETE CULVERTS.
The three culverts on the G.T.R. between Sherbrooke and Bromptonville are being relaid in concrete. In past years considerable inconvenience has been experienced by these culverts washing out, more especially since the dam was erected at Bromptonville. In addition to being laid in concrete, they have also been considerably enlarged so as to avoid as much as possible trouble during high water.

The "scoot" from Richmond last evening was delayed for over an hour on account of the work which is going on at the culvert near Ross's Sliding.

THE LATE JOHN E. McDONNELL.
The funeral of the late John E. McDonnell, formerly hotelkeeper at Windsor Mills, took place, this morning, from the Queen's Hotel, to St. Patrick's Church. There was a very large attendance, and the members of Court St. Jean Catholic Order of Foresters, turned out in a body.

The service in the Church was conducted by Rev. Father Fisette, parish priest.

The bearers were Messrs. W. J. McManamy, J. McGivney, R. F. Collins, M. J. Wolfe, J. Rothwell and J. Hayes.

The pall-bearers were: J. Thibodeau, E. D. Kelly, J. Honey, T. McMann, F. Lachance, F. Savarise.

The interment took place in St. Michael's cemetery.

DEATH WAS ACCIDENTAL.
An inquest was held on Wednesday evening at Magog into the circumstances attending the death of F. Parent, who was killed by a freight engine near Magog Wednesday last.

The engineer, fireman and conductor were examined and gave evidence in accordance with the previously mentioned facts. An attorney named Belanger, a friend of the dead man's family, was present and testified that deceased was seen by him in Iverville on the morning of his death. He was a stonemason, was 65 years old, and married. He had been suffering for some months with an affection of the heart which depressed the deceased. He was working for a contractor in Sherbrooke, and had been spending Sunday at home.

The jury rendered a verdict of accidental death. The body was taken to Iverville for interment.

A COADJUTOR BISHOP FOR SHERBROOKE DIOCESE.
The following item from La Patrie cannot be confirmed at the Bishop's Palace, but is regarded as altogether improbable.

"A coadjutor bishop will be appointed to the Diocese of Sherbrooke. This step has been found necessary owing to the increase in the work, the whole of which now devolves on Bishop LaRoche. Shortly after His Lordship went to Rome, it is understood that the authorities there had agreed to such a step and that the late Rev. Abbe Gignac had been named for the position. After his lamented death another step was agreed on, and the position, and it is understood that a pronouncement in this direction will be made shortly.

"The reason for such a step is on account of Bishop LaRoche's health and that of the work of the diocese is growing so rapidly. The new coadjutor will be a young man."

AT THE Y.M.C.A.
The Y.M.C.A. Night School held its formal opening last night. There were present nearly one hundred men interested in the various departments of the School. Great interest is shown in the school by a number of young men who wish to spend some of the winter evenings in self-improvement.

A very enjoyable musical programme was rendered. Very appreciable vocal solos were sung by Messrs. Harold Campbell and Ernest Armitage. Some members of the Princess orchestra, an old friend of the Association, were present and rendered a number of choice selections. The orchestra was composed of Mrs. Sims, Miss Seofield and Miss


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A special purchase of Fall and Winter Hosiery direct from London affords a quick chance for thrifty people—in the opening up on Friday of a lot of

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Advertisement for Laing's Breakfast Bacon, featuring an illustration of a man in a hat and apron, and text describing the product as "Tastiest of Morning Dishes" and "Cured with white sugar—and smoked with hickory wood—".

TRAGIC FATE OF CAPTAIN RICHARD PENTECOST IN SOUTH-ERN SEAS.

Toronto, Oct. 6.—Details of the death of Captain Richard Pentecost, a son of Mr. R. T. Pentecost, 24 Czar street, have come to hand. Captain Pentecost was murdered on Mailleillo Island, in the New Hebrides group, a party of blacks having tied him to a tree, cast spears into his body, and thrown him, still conscious, into the sea, where sharks tore him to pieces. His wife and children were also murdered.

SUIT CASE MYSTERY.

BOSTON POLICE BELIEVE THEY HAVE AN IMPORTANT CLUE. Boston, October 6.—What the police consider an important and promising clue to the solution of the Winthrop dress suit case mystery developed Sunday. The officers believe they have learned the name of the man who bought the two dress suit cases at the South End pawnshop and they have secured a photograph of the suspect. It is possible they say that an arrest will be made.

Raglan Overcoats

I just received nice goods, and warm Overcoats for very small money. Do not forget Green Cash Receipts. New Sherbrooke Clothing Store, J. M. NAULT, Prop.

PRINCIPAL WAITT IN MONTREAL.

THINKS THERE SHOULD BE A TRIPLE INSTEAD OF DUAL SCHOOL SYSTEM HERE.

Montreal, Oct. 6.—At a special convocation of the Diocesan Theological College, at which the degree of D.D. and B.D., in course, were conferred upon the Rev. Professor Howard, B.A., and the Rev. J. W. McQuat, B.A., respectively, the Rev. T. Bruce Waitt, M.A., the newly appointed Principal of Bishop's College, Lennoxville, spoke on what he considered the mission of the Anglican Church in this portion of the Dominion, and touched on some of the objects that she should seek to attain. He said that those who were baptized into the communion of the English Church were comparatively a small number, in proportion to the increase of population, and he was told they were decreasing number. Therefore, that church could not, in the ordinary outlook of affairs, expect to make much headway numerically. But while that was so, let it be her mission to be a thoroughly organized body, aiming at perfection of the Christian ideal, and so welding herself together into the magnificent work and being inspired by a magnificent spirit, that she would become, like the Church of old, a grand missionary Church, whose vigorous life would stretch out into the new lands to the west and northwest and beyond the sea, and carry the gospel tidings there.

TEACHERS CONVENTION.

ANNUAL MEETING WILL TAKE PLACE IN MONTREAL NEXT WEEK.

The annual convention of the Protestant teachers of Quebec will be held in the High School in Montreal on the 11th, 12th, 13th, and 14th inst., under the presidency of Mr. Wellington Dixon, B.A., the principal of the High School. An extremely interesting programme has been prepared for the gathering. The convention begins on Wednesday next, with the reading of the executive committee and the section devoted to school administration of which Dr. Parmalee is chairman, and papers will then be read by Dr. J. W. Robertson on "The Macdonald course in relation to our schools," and by Mr. J. W. McQuat, on "The Handicap of Dissident Schools under the Law." The work of Thursday will include reports from the executive committee, library, finance and Protestant committees pension commissioners, and committees on examination and course of study. The afternoon session, which is to be held in the Chateau de Ramezay, will be devoted to the nomination of officers and to model lessons in elementary Canadian history, by Miss Peebles and Miss Horke. On the evening of that day there will be addresses of welcome by Mayor Laporte and Rev. J. L. Gilmore, to which a suitable response will be made by Mr. Wellington Dixon. Friday's business will include illustrations of kindergarten work and kindergarten games, and the primary and secondary curricula, by Miss Francis Hilliard, B.S.C., Teachers' College, Columbia University, and addresses on elementary drawing, by Prof. Augustus W. G. D. Fuller, B.A., and problems arising in the teaching of physics by Prof. R. G. P. Fowler. There will be addresses on the teaching of physics by Mr. Redford, and the teaching of geography by Prof. Murray McNeill. The feature of the coming session will be a comparison of English and German ideas, by Dr. James Earl Russell, dean of the Teachers' College, Columbia University. The convention will close on Saturday when the chief attraction will be a lecture by Dr. Barnes on the "Mysteries of Science."

LOST IN THE WOODS.

OLD MAN FOUND IN DYING CONDITION AFTER BEING MISSED THREE DAYS.

Quebec, Oct. 6.—The District Coroner, Dr. Jolicoeur, was notified Wednesday of the death of a man at St. Sylvester under distressing circumstances. The name of the victim was not given, but according to the Coroner's information it appears that he was an aged man and had disappeared from his home at St. Sylvester some three days ago. Search parties were organized to look for the old man and yesterday morning they found him in the bush in a dying condition. Notwithstanding all that the relief party could do for the unfortunate, he died shortly after being discovered. The old man apparently went away from his home and lost his way in the bush, where he must have wandered around for the three days, until starvation and exhaustion from exposure overcame him and he dropped down to die alone in the wilderness. An inquest will be held by Coroner Jolicoeur.

THE LEONARD BANK ROBBERY.

INTENDED MERELY AS AN OBJECT LESSON TO WALL STREET.

New York, Oct. 6.—Mr. McAdoo, police commissioner, assented to a widespread opinion that the \$359,000 loss was committed only as an object lesson to Wall street. Leonard's bail was fixed at \$25,000, after an attempt had been made to place no bond, as he was broken. The judge at the arraignment that the charge of larceny would probably not be pushed against Leonard, but that he would be prosecuted for forgery.

DISSOLUTION OF THE UNION

SWEDISH RIKSDAG REFERS BILL TO SPECIAL COMMITTEE.

Stockholm, October 6.—Both chambers of the Riksdag yesterday referred the bill regarding the dissolution of a union between Norway and Sweden to a special committee appointed by each chamber.

DAILY NEWS FROM TOWNSHIPS.

(Continued from page 1.)

piety. As death was hourly expected after the operation, her affectionate father and devoted cousin, Mrs. Desaulniers remained with her until she breathed her last. Though her illness was lingering and painful, she accepted her cross with meekness and resignation to the Divine Will, which is most comforting for her surviving friends. Life so full of bright hopes for the young seemed to have for her but few charms, and she was often heard to say, "I do not expect to live long," thus detached from the things of this world which she felt she must soon leave her thoughts were turned towards her God and her eternal home. While at the hospital she was visited by Rev. Father Kavanagh and many friends.

Her early demise is, indeed, a bitter grief for her parents, who were but recovering from a similar great sorrow, by the death of their two eldest daughters two years ago. One only brother survives her.

The funeral service took place Thursday morning, Rev. Father Dufresne celebrated the requiem mass. The pallbearers were Messrs. Paquette, Brochu, Lambert, Farrell, Laflamme and St. Hilaire.

The Children of Mary's Society, of which Miss Quinn was a member, assisted in a body, bearing the insignia of the Society, and veiled in white. Services over the procession wended its way to the grave.

That the sympathy of the whole community goes out to the family of the deceased was shown by the large numbers who visited the bereaved family to give them the comfort they could to alleviate their deep sorrow, by the spiritual bouquets of friends and pupils of the Convent, by the floral offerings, and by the vast concourse of people, who followed her remains to their last resting place.

OVERTOOK HORSE THIEF AND RECOVERED HORSES.

South Roxton, Oct. 6.—(Special).—Mr. Joe Robitoul, of the 6th range of Roxton, found his horses Monday two miles from the other side of Farnham. It is supposed that the thief was on his pasture a week ago.

The man who was driving them dropped the lines, jumped the fence and got clear of the authorities.

PASSED AWAY AT MONTREAL.

Farnham's Corner, Oct. 6.—(Special).—Mrs. T. W. Westover, who went to Montreal on Saturday to visit her sister, Miss Julia Harvey, who has been under treatment from Virginia Gohelle, found her in so weak a condition she remained with her until Tuesday morning, when she suffered a fatal attack. On receiving a telegram of the sad news, a brother, Mr. S. Harvey, of Boston, proceeded to Montreal and accompanied Mrs. Westover to Sutton, with the remains on the 5th. The funeral will take place on Saturday at 1 p.m. at the Methodist church.

MR. CLIFFORD'S RETURN FROM THE HOSPITAL.

Way's Mills, Oct. 6.—(Special).—The many friends of Mr. Henry Clifford were much pleased to see him return home on Monday from the Sherbrooke Protestant Hospital. His arm is entirely healed and needs no further treatment. He is feeling in excellent spirits and cannot speak too highly of his treatment in every respect while there. He cannot understand why people pass by this fine institution and go to Montreal. The hospital has gained another friend and advocate in Mr. Clifford.

HUNTING DEER WITH HOUNDS.

Frelighsburg, Oct. 6.—(Special).—The hunting of deer by hounds, is reported to be being carried on in these parts. There are not many deer to hunt, and sportsmen are indignant that such illegal means should be employed.

NEW BRIDGES AT GLEN SUTTON.

Glen Sutton, Oct. 6.—(Special).—Messrs. W. E. Jones and Peter Gibney have been building new bridges over the several large brooks here. One on the brook known as the Millmore brook near Hiland Wright's, another on the Davis brook, near Geo. Truxax's and the 3rd is over the Glen brook in the woods one-quarter mile north of the village. These bridges are all of about 16 feet span, and are solidly and well constructed. A few new plankways have also been laid on the river bridges, on which further necessary repairs are contemplated.

WAGONS COLLIDE NEAR LIBBY-TOWN.

Way's Mills, Oct. 6.—(Special).—What might have been a very serious accident occurred on Libby's hill one night recently. Carl Wheeler was returning home from the social at Libbytown and Harry Dyson was going in the opposite direction with a load of goods for Mr. Libby. The former, not thinking of meeting any team, had his horse trot along down the hill. The latter seeing him just in time, gave him all the road he could, but not enough and the result was a crash. Carl's horse went through the harness, taking him on to the end of the wagon at the end of the line. He did well to let the horse go, as he being light, the horse would have drawn him a long way over the hard road. As it was he was badly shaken up, but no bones were broken. The doctor says he will soon be all right again. The wagon suffered with a broken cross bar and a sprung axle. The hind axle of the Dyson wagon was sprung.

CHRISTIE-PARKER.

Hatley, Oct. 6.—(Special).—"Maple Line," the residence of Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Parker, was the scene of a very quiet but pretty wedding on Wednesday, when their second daughter, Edna Luelle, was united in marriage to Charles E. Christie, of Contoocook. Precisely at 11:30 a.m. the bride and groom took their places beneath an arch of autumn leaves and flowers, when the simple but impressive ceremony was performed, by the bride's

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Gray's Syrup of Red Spruce Gum advertisement with text: "For Coughs and Colds."

THE BUTTER SITUATION. NO JUSTIFICATION FOR HIGH PRICE OF CANADIAN CREAMERY. Montreal, Oct. 6.—The butter situation is fast nearing a point where the trade dependent as it is, an legitimate competitive demand, will be obliged to halt to the seemingly regular way in which the market in Canada, and more especially in the Eastern Townships section, is being inflated. If there were possibility of an immediate curbing of the output, or if our best customers, the British importers, were in a better running short of supplies, there would be a natural strengthening of the market which would be a benefit to all-around. But, considering our conditions in England there seems to be no justification for the present value in regard to the situation here reports from various districts, taken together, indicate that the factories are turning out an average make. Farmers in Ontario, Quebec, and the surrounding country, however, to failure of high hay crop and extreme dryness of the past summer, have been obliged to sell their cattle, but have been supplied from Canada, there is a Danish output which finds a ready market in England, the new make from the supplies from the United States where holdings are said to be 200,000 packages in excess of this time last year, together with the Irish and domestic supply. There is an example of a short time ago of the effect of the ordinary course of events has been to Canadians. Last week's closing price in New York were from 21c to 22c, while Canadian prices are given the quality, it is not likely that they will continue to pay two cents more for Canadian butter than the United States. It is a regrettable fact that some active exporters are leaving the market severely alone, having decided, as the market rather than work under unfavorable conditions. An attitude which is highly significant.

THE TAX ON DRUMMERS.

HON. MR. McCORKILL DISCUSSES THE MATTER IN MONTREAL.

Hon. J. C. McCorkill, discussing in Montreal the tax on foreign commercial travellers, said: "Some people claim that the tax is excessive, but no one has been able to convince me that it is unjust. We are encouraging; we are welcoming opinions from all sources on this question. I have met British travellers, American travellers, travellers from the other provinces, manufacturers' agents in Montreal, members of the Canadian Manufacturers' Association and representatives of the retail merchants in Montreal. I find as the result of the conversations I have had with them that opinion is very much divided. Some favor the tax as it exists; some advocate its abolition entirely, and some advocate a reduction in the amount levied. Others again favor a preference to British travellers representing the business houses of the other provinces of the Dominion, and there are others who advocate a distinction between travellers selling to wholesale and those selling to retail houses. "I can only say that the matter is engaging our attention, and even during the session, and even during the session, we will give the most careful consideration to the representations that are made to us. Between now and the beginning of the session we will decide upon what may be done. I may say, however, that I am firmly of the opinion that the present amount that the law will not be repealed."

RAN DOWN BACK.

BY LIGHTNING. RONALD LEITCH OF ERIN STREET. "Gulph, Oct. 6.—During the thunder storm Tuesday morning Ronald Leitch, 2nd line, Erin, narrowly escaped being killed by lightning. He, his father and the hired man were on the stairs of the house watching the storm, when all at once the three were prostrated by a shock of electricity. Ronald's back, burning it severely, tearing the hair of both men, although escaped for a time, are not, it is said, seriously injured, but in the case of the father, the lightning struck him on the side of the head, and made a big hole there."