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 July 5—3y St. John, N. B.

A SECRET OUT.

Sir,—The evening before the election in the First District of Prince a suspicious looking case arrived to a certain station by the midnight express. It was seen taken from the station to the house of an elder—the elder who swears—likely to be blessed that it might do its work more effectually when put to its intended use. Whether or not the elder did it good, or it did the elder good I cannot say. But the appearances when the polls were open looked very satisfactory when viewed from a party standpoint. However judging from the results of the election we may safely conclude that the petition of a swearing elder does no good. I have not been a worker in the conservative ranks for many a year and when I see such actions on the part of the Liberals I can say that I am proud of my party.

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NOT APPRECIATED.

Sir,—If the youth who lives on Upper Great George Street near the store of Mr. D. L. Hooper, and who is learning to play on a tin whistle or some other musical instrument will hereafter practice in the cellar with closed hatches he will earn the everlasting gratitude of his neighbours and

Yours truly,
 ONE OF THEM.

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

PLEASANT VIEW HOTEL.

Tuesday Aug. 1st.—Katharine L. Wright, Cambridge Mass. Jessie B. Wright, do; Henry S. Forbes, Hart, ford Mass; T. K. Wright, New York; Mrs. J. J. Wright, do; John McKenzie, Boston; Geo. M. Clark do; E. L. Mayfield, do; W. B. Bacon, do; Miss McKee, do; F. B. Hazeltine, Belfast; Mrs. G. Ross, Boston; The Misses Ross, do; Rev. James R. McKay, Sou. is; Rev. Alexander Craise, Mt. Stewart; Rev. J. M. Fisher, Malpeque; P. Kelly, Montague; Wm. Callbeck, Central Bedeque; Jesse Schurman, do; Rev. J. Melvor, do; Rev. W. M. Tuffs, Stellarton; N. S. Frank J. Birby, New York; L. W. Fowler, Bedeque.

Wednesday, Aug. 2.—C. E. Collins, Boston, Mass.; J. Gordon, Bradalbane; B. Balderston, City; Jas. St. C. Moore, Eldon; Mrs. H. M. Bell, Miss Annie Young, M. D., Pinett; A. Hart, Yarmouth; Mr. and Mr. G. W. Muttart, Jersey City; S. D. Luggatt, Halifax.

POLICE COURT—Daniel Gillis was this morning fined \$8 or two months imprisonment.

A young man appeared on the charge of breaking in Mr. George W. Gardiner's window. The magistrate imposed a fine \$1 and \$15 compensation, or one month imprisonment.

Richard Collings was early this morning arrested on a warrant of commitment and lodged in jail where he will serve a period of three months.

We have the very valise you want at R. H. Ramsay & Co's.

White Goods Festival now on at My Store—Sentner, McLeod & Co. Every lady should read their ad in this issue

PERSONAL.

Mr. John Richards went up to Bideford this morning.

Superintendent Sharp went over to Moncton today.

Miss H. L. Martin, Belfast registered at the Queen Hotel this morning.

Mr. N. H. Roy, a prominent lumber manufacturer of New Brunswick is in the city.

Mr. Shawghnessy and other C. P. R. magnates are coming to St. John and Halifax.

Mr. Bain, the new speaker of the House of Commons is a retired farmer, and Scotch.

Mr. George H. Peake, of Montreal, is visiting his mother and other relations in this city.

Rev. W. R. Walsh of Boston, registered at the Hotel Davies last night and went to Souris this morning.

C. E. Pratt, St. P. ters, Thos Douglas Halifax, and W. C. Kennedy, City, registered at the Hotel Davies this morning.

Stipendiary Magistrate, Blanchard, Sheriff W. B. Robertson and Mr. J. F. Gallagher were among the passengers east by this morning's train.

Mr. T. E. Wallace, travelling passenger agent of the Union Pacific Railway, and Mr. McConnell of the Intercolonial were in the city yesterday and went up to Souris this morning.

Miss Bruce, daughter of Dr. Bruce of St. John, who has been staying in Charlottetown with the Misses Dawson, received a telegram last night telling her that her father was dangerously ill. She left for home this morning.

Mr. Alexander Henderson, representing Westminister C 17, it is reported, has been offered and has accepted the portfolio of Attorney-General of British Columbia vice the Hon. Joseph Martin, who resigned under pressure.

The Pope, despite his age, is far from being tired of life. At a recent interview he expressed himself as follows: "Yes, I am going on very well. I feel that I shall live for several years. I shall be content if I see the first few years of the twentieth century, an age which will be very brilliant, more so than any preceding age, and particularly so, I hope, for the Catholic faith."

Sir Julian Pauncefote is to be made a peer. Stepping out of a somewhat obscure though useful office, into the ambassadorship at Washington, Sir Julian showed himself, as the Montreal Gazette remarks, to be possessed of all the tact, discretion and ability necessary to success in the diplomatic world. He has figured in quite a number of important negotiations between Great Britain and the United States, and represented Great Britain in the Hague Peace Conference just concluded. He is not the least distinguished of the great number of able men whose services the Empire has at its demand. He has earned his reward.

At the last weekly conference of the St. John Baptist ministers, a resolution was passed and ordered to be incorporated in the book of the minister's conference, concerning the resignation of Rev. J. A. Gordon from the pastorate of the Main Street Church. The resolution conveyed an expression of the hearty love and esteem of the conference for Mr. Gordon as a brother in the Lord and a Christian Minister, and their high appreciation of the faithful and valued service which, during the term of his ministry in St. John and in other parts of the Maritime Provinces, he had rendered to the cause of Christ and to the Baptist denomination. It also expressed the Conference's affectionate regard to Mrs. Gordon and other members of Mr. Gordon's family, earnestly desiring that in their new home they may enjoy the full best measures of happiness and prosperity.

VOICE FROM WEST PRINCE.

Sir,—The wrong and injustice done some of our worthy public citizens was partly adjusted on the 25th inst, and should the Liberals open up the Belfast district now, I venture to say that the cruel treatment which Rev. Donald McNeill received at the hands of the government will redound against them as it did here. In this First District of Prince the government exerted all their powers to hold their own. Even the foremost men of the Government came as champions against our local speakers. But the arbitrary way in which our free citizens have been dealt with is still warm in memory and words could not cause us to forget the unjust treatment they have received at the hands of a selfish, if not tyrannical, government.

When the people of this province see the way the Education office has been tampered with; when they are aware to the fact that the schools throughout the Island are retrograding; when they know that intemperance is licensed; when they are aware that their money is being spent by the thousands, the Government may rest satisfied that at the next general election their case will be hopeless. One good turn the Government did Prince County and that is in confining Inspector Campbell's limits to Queen's County. Did ever a more useless official enter the public service of Prince Edward Island? I believe Mr. Farquharson knows the answer to this question as well as Mr. Birch, M. P. P., who spoke in no uncertain sound as regards the way this inspector is discharging the important duties devolving upon him by virtue of his office.

Alberton, July 1899. ELZOTR.

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Local and Other Items.

A. O. H.—Meeting tonight at 7.30.

C. O. F.—A special meeting of Court Charlottetown tonight in Wright's hall for receiving applications and initiation. By order.

THE PROB.—Moderate to fresh southerly shifting to westerly winds, showers or thunderstorms during the day, then fair. Friday fine.

THE BONAVISTA.—The Bonavista is due here this evening from Montreal, and sails at 10 a m tomorrow for St. John's and Harbor Grace, N.B.

RUBBER TIRES.—The waggon with pneumatic tires which its owner, an American, has been driving around town for the last few days is attracting considerable attention. It goes along very easily, making hardly any noise. The day may come when all our carriages will be fitted with rubber tires, and the pleasure of driving behind a good horse, or over a Kerosene oil lamp would be even greater than it now is.

ACCIDENT.—While driving along Sydney St. last evening the horse of Mr. S. C. Clarke, Mt. Stewart, ran away, upsetting the carriage and throwing Mr. Clarke out. His face was considerably cut and bruised and he was taken to the P. E. Island hospital in an unconscious condition. Although receiving a severe shaking up Mr. Clarke was able to be out again today, bandages etc, being in evidence.

BAKES FOR GREAT BRITAIN.—Attention is directed in the British Board of Agricultural Journal to the steady increase in Great Britain's imports of bacon and hams, which have risen from 4,810,000 cwts., valued at £20,856,000 in 1894 to 7,688,000 cwts, valued at £14,216,000 in 1898. Three countries contributed nearly the whole of the quantity received last year. The United States sent 5,939,000 cwts; Denmark, 1,818,000 cwts, and Canada 633,000 cwts.

ABOUT THE WHARVES.—The American steam pleasure yacht Eleanor, which has been in port since last Friday, sailed yesterday at noon for Georgetown. Her owner, Mrs. C. D. Cardeza, of Philadelphia, drove down yesterday afternoon.

The schooner James Semple arrived yesterday, and is today discharging her cargo of coal for Mr. C. Lyons & Co.

Schooner W. Home and Estella are landing lumber and schooner Daniel is landing brick at Poble and Lewis' lumber yard.

Schooner Alma is discharging coal for Mr. A. Down.

Schooner Vesta is discharging stone for the jail.

ATTEMPTED BURGLARY.—Between three and four o'clock yesterday morning two men broke into the house of Mr. J. A. McKinley, a farmer, at North River. They got hold of a lamp and would probably have fled the house, but Mr. McKinley hearing the noise got up and the would-be burglars took their departure in quick time, taking with them the lamp which they afterwards threw down at the side of the road. Mr. McKinley, and his wife then went over to his brother's house close by, and with them he started out to try and catch the ruffians. They got clear however, but in the morning several very suspicious looking characters were seen about North River corner. As no proof could be had that these were the men who broke into the house nothing has been done in the matter, but it seems a pity that such men as these could not be brought to the punishment they certainly deserve.

C. P. R. EARNINGS.—The Canadian Pacific statement of gross earnings and expenses for the month of June and for the half-year from January 1st to June 30th, is the most remarkable on record. The statement is as follows:

June, 1899:	Gross earnings, \$2,362,278.19.
	Working expenses, \$1,339,218.47.
	Net profit, \$1,023,060.20.
January 1st to June 30th:	Gross earnings, \$12,688,363.12.
	Working expenses, \$7,666,109.91.
	Net profits, \$5,022,253.21.

In June, 1898, the net profits were \$317,395.37, and from January 1st to June 30th, 1898, there was a net profit of \$4,153,676.83. The gain in net profits over the same period last year is therefore for June, \$205,664.83, and from January 1st to June 30th, \$853,576.38.

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