LOCAL AND OTHER ITEMS.

Beer Bros. for Dress Goods.

RAILWAY Mens Convention at Montreal September 18-20th.

POLICE COURT.—This forenoon Daniel Carroll was fined $5 or 30 days for drunkenness.

PREACHING.—Rev. Mr. Emery will preach at Heartz's Hall to-morrow afternoon at 3 o'clock.

B. I. S.—Regular monthly meeting of the Benevolent Irish Society to morrow (Sunday) evening, at 3 o'clock.

SONG SERVICE at the Gospel Meeting in Philharmonic Hall, to-morrow afternoon at 3.45. Everybody welcome.

RALLY.—The C. E. rally on Monday night takes place in the Upper Methodist Church at 7.30. Everybody welcome.

A PROGRESSIVE CITY.—It is estimated that something like $5,000 has been expended on the sewers of Woodstock this year.

SEEKING EMPLOYMENT.—Writing to a friend in St. John, a New York man remarked: "There are 20,000 men walking the streets, vainly seeking employment."

DOG SHOW CANCELLED.—Finding it impossible to secure grounds and erect proper buildings, the St John Exhibition Association is compelled to cancel the Dog Show for 1896.

GOSPEL MEETING.-Remember the Gospel meeting in Philharmonic Hall Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock, conducted by the railway men. Strangers always welcome. Lesson—John, 13-8, "If I Wash Thee Not."

C. W. A.—Members will meet at Club Rooms in uniform and with their wheels at 6 o'clock, sharp, this evening, to participate in the reception to Messrs. Unsworth and Cook. Every member should be in line this evening.

UPPER METHODIST CHURCH.—The Rev. Thomas Marshall, of Queen Square Methodist Church St. John, N. B., and President of the N. B. and P. E. I. Conference, will preach at both services to-morrow in the Upper Methodist Church. Special collections in behalf of the Quarterly Board.

MARRIED A CHINAMAN.—Goon Ming Yen, a Boston laundryman and tea merchant, and Carrie May Keating, a handsome brunette of twenty-one summers, were married at Providence, R. I., on the 27th ult. The bride is a native of Charlestown, Mass., but says her parents were natives of Prince Edward Island.

A RECEPTION.—The C. A. C. C. and the C. W. A. have made arrangements by which the two clubs will be at the boat this evening to meet the Charlottetown racers. After the arrival of the boat a procession will be formed, headed by the Citizen's band, followed by the two clubs on their wheels and they followed by a coach with the racers on board.

ACCIDENT. — One of the sailors of the schooner Restive, unloading stone at Peake's Wharf for the new St. Dunstan's Cathedral, met with an accident this afternoon. While he was standing by the winch it suddenly started, and in doing so hit the man in the abdomen, injuring him somewhat. Dr. Conroy was summoned and attended to the injured man.

A FATAL ACCIDENT.—A St. John despatch of Thursday says: While Mrs. John McLeod, of the North End, was hanging out clothes this afternoon, she fell from the window to the ground below, a distance of 30 feet. She had her left leg badly broken, and her right arm broken just above the wrist, and was internally injured. She died this evening four hours later. She was 49 years of age, and a native of Charlottetown, P. E. Island.

TRY IT.—The following problem is going the rounds: A man purchased groceries to the amount of 34 cents. When he came to pay for the goods he found he had only a dollar bill, a 3-cent piece and a 2-cent piece. The grocer had a 50-cent piece and a quarter of a dollar. They appealed to a bystander, but he only had two dimes, a 2-cent piece and a penny. After some perplexity, the change was made to the satisfaction of all. But how?

EXHIBITION DATES.—Canada's International Exhibition, St. John, N. B., Sept. 22 to Oct. 2.

Canada's Great Fair and Industrial Exhibition, Toronto, Aug. 31 to Sept. 2.

Quebec Provincial Exhibition, Montreal, Sept. 10 to 18.

Central Canada Exhibition, Ottawa, Sept. 17 to 26.

Western Exhibition, Yarmouth, Sept. 30 to Oct. 2.

P. E. Island Exhibition, Charlottetown, Sept. 15 to 18.

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PERSONAL.

Mr. Holmes, of the Toronto World, is on the Island. He will write an account of his trip for his paper.

At the Queen Hotel to day: Miss Campbell, S'side; E. L. Burdette, Bridgetown; Mrs. Dr. McLellan, Souris; Miss E. A. Dempsey, S'side.

Fred Coombs and Wm. McDonald left last night for Charlottetown. They intend making a wheeling tour of the Island.—St. John Sun.

Mrs. Mackenzie, wife of Rev. Dr. Mackenzie, of St. Stephen, N. B, left on Thursday for P. E. Island in order to spend a short time with friends at West River and at Montague. Mrs. Mackenzie has just had a few weeks of pleasant holidays in St. John.

Mr. Chester B. Macneill arrived from Vancouver, B. C., last evening on a three weeks' visit to relatives and friends in his native province. Mr. Macneill is now a member of a leading law firm in Vancouver. His many friends are glad to see him looking so well.

The latest arrivals at the Hotel Davies include:—M. McLeod, city; T. H. Dobson Montreal; C. P. Flocton, New York; John M. Tomelan, London, Ont.; J. H. Henry and wife, Summerside; Mr. and Mrs. J. B Mullings, Waterbury, Conn., Miss N. A. Mullings, do; Geo. G. Mullings, do; Geo. A. Lawrence and wife, Boston; Miss K. E. Lawerence, do; Miss May Lawrance, do; Geo. T. Dibblee, Fredericton; J. W. Gale, Toronto, Ont; P. W. Conroy and wife, Clinton, Mass; J. E. Halloran, New York; C. B. Macneill, Vancouver, B. C; J. K. McCutcheon, Toronto; W. J. Foster, Moncton; Edward Collins, Geo. L. Collins, Boston; Mrs. John McGowan, Malpeque; Mrs. John P. Irving, Boston; J. Ewing, St. John.

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ISLAND RIDERS AT HALIFAX.

In a private letter from Halifax to Mr. Mark Wright, the Island bicyclists, Unsworth and Cook, receive deserved praise. We give the following extract:

"The writer was present at races given by Wanderers' Club last evening, and was pleased at success of your riders. Unsworth is a favorite here now with everyone. In all races entered he set the pace most of the distance. The two-mile was very exciting. It was run in three heats, Unsworth taking second place in first heat and first place in final heat, beating out the cracks of the provinces. Unsworth led from the start until the last lap, when Naas and Sancton, with a desperate spurt, passed him and led until within forty yards of the finish, when Unsworth gradually lessened the distance between and won by several feet amid loud applause and cheers from the grand stand.

"Cooke also made a good showing, and deserves great credit for his plucky ride. In the one mile, 2.45 class, he came second to Cameron, being only beaten by a foot in the first heat, and in the final came in third.

"You have two good riders in these two boys."

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LITTLE ROCK, Ark, July 30.—A statement was widely published a few days ago that President G. L. Green, of the Connecticut Life Insurance Co., of Hartford, had issued a circular letter to policy holders notifying them that in the event that the government adopts the free coinage of silver, the company will be compelled to pay all claims in depreciated silver coin.

F. W. Alsop, of this city, sent a clipping of this statement to Secretary of the Treasury Carlisle, with a request for an expression of opinion on the subject. He has received a reply from Mr. Carlisle, in part as follows:

"In case free coinage of silver should be established in this country, I presume insurance companies and all other institutions would continue to make their payments by checks and drafts as heretofore; in my opinion the whole volume of our currency would sink at once to the silver basis, and these checks and drafts would be paid in silver dollars or their equivalent, instead of gold or its equivalent.

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PHOTOGRAPHING THOUGHT.

Dr. Baraduc Announces His Success and Shows the Plates.

It may be rash to pronounce that anything is beyond the photographer's art. But the communication just made to the Paris Academie de Medicine by Dr. Baraduc is so astonishing that if he had made it before Dr. Roentgen had rendered his discovery public, very few people would have been inclined even to inquire into the matter. Indeed, Dr. Baraduc affirms he has succeeded in photographing thought and he has shown numerous photographs in proof of his assertion.

His usual method of proceeding is simple enough. The person whose thoughts is to be photographed enters a dark room, places his hand on a photographic plate, and thinks intently of the object the image of which he wishes to see produced. It is stated by those who have examined Dr. Baraduc's photographs that the most of them are very cloudy, but that a few are comparatively distinct, representing the features of persons and the outlines of things. Dr. Baraduc goes further, and declares that it is possible to produce a photographic image at a great distance.

In his communication to the Academie de Medicine he relates that Dr. Istrate, when he was going to Campana, declared he would appear on a photographic plate of his friend, M Hasden, at Bucharest. On the 4th August, 188', M. Hasden, at Bucharest went to bed with a photographic plate at his feet and another at his head. Dr. Istrate went to sleep at Campana, at a distance of about 300 kilometres from Bucharest, but before closing his eyes he willed with all his might that his image should appear on the photographic plate of his friend.

According to Dr. Baraduc that marvell was accomplished. Journalists who have examined the photograph in question state that it consists in a kind of luminous spot on the photographic plate, in the midst of which can be traced the profile of a man. —London Standard.

TRAPS FOR HIGHWAYMEN.

Devices to Capture Thieves Who Board Railroad Trains.

The latest patent invention for the circumvention of the train robber has a distinctly vicious look, says the Pittsburg Dispatch. It is taken for granted that the train robbers will climb up over the cross-heads guides, steam chest and running board, so as to attack the cab of the locomotive on the front side.

As they reached the running board the engineer loosens a catch. The running boards, hung on hinges at their outer sides, drop to a vertical position, and the enterprising robber is wedged in at great discomfort between the boards and the boiler. Spikes are fixed in the edge of the running board, which prevent him from extricating himself, and the more he tries to get away the more tightly he becomes wedged in.

At the same time that the engineer springs the catches of the running boards steel shutters drop automatically about the wind w o the cab, and also at its rear, so that the engineer and fireman are fully protected from any bullets incident to the operations of such of the robbers as are not cared for by the running boards.

Steam pipes having suitable discharging nozzles are situated at such points about the engine as would be liable to be attacked by the intruders. These pipes are connected to the engine boiler, and their contents of hot water and steam can be directed with great effectiveness against the enemy. Similar devices are provided upon both the tender and the express car.

NO REST, BUT LOTS OF PLEASURE.

Work in the country during spring and summer is more arduous and plentiful than at other times, and yet the men don't seem to mind it nearly as much as the tasks which fall to their lot during the autumn and winter. To be out in the fields while nature smiles, glorying in her renewed emerald robes, is always a pleasure; but October's leaden skies and piercing winds, followed by winter's bitter gales, make everything a hardship. The best known antidote yet discovered for the wet, cold and frost of outdoor work in winter, is a layer of Fibre Chamois through your garments. It gives splendid satisfaction, being light in weight, inexpensive, and completely wind and frost proof.

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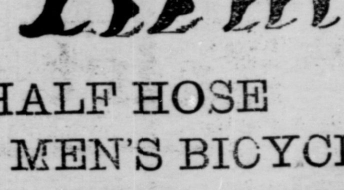

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