BORN.

KIRBY.—At Inwin, on 3rd August, the wife of Mr. Alex. Kirby, of a son.

The Acton Free Press

THURSDAY, AUGUST 13, 1891.

NOTES AND COMMENTS.

A correspondent of the St. John's, Nfld., *Colonist* says:—"The Imperial Government has given assurances to the delegates that a fair arbitration will set the question of the French shore at rest in due course, and the impressions I have gathered in London and Paris leave no doubt in my mind as to the happy issue in the near future." The French Chambers, however, have not approved the agreement for arbitration, and they appear to be in no great haste to do so.

Of 116,000 paupers assisted by towns and counties in New York State during the year 1890 no fewer than 63,000 were foreigners by birth, while only 53,000 were natives. Of 17,647 inmates of the poor-houses of the State at the beginning of the present year more than one-half were foreign born. As the State's pauper bill last year was over $3,000,000, it is not surprising that the demand is made that still greater checks upon undesirable immigration should be imposed.

Of the 326 officers and men of the United States cruiser Philadelphia, the flag-ship of the Atlantic squadron, now at Halifax, 43 are Irish, 18 English, 4 Scottish, 14 German 10 Norwegian, 13 Japanese, 9 Swedish, 8 Finnish, 6 Danish, 2 Swiss, 2 Greeks, 2 Portuguese, and one each Spaniard, Belgian, Maltese, Dutchmen, Italian, Nova Scotian, Chinaman, besides several negroes. Only 177 of the whole number are native born American citizens. The composition of the crew illustrates that of the population of the United States.

Dispatches from Quebec from time to time report the seizure of the cargoes of vessels engaged in smuggling whiskey across the St. Lawrence, but the traffic, it is said, is still being vigorously carried on, and it is estimated that $1,000,000 is invested in it. A letter from the Island of Orleans says:—"In our parish of St. John, but more through the whole of the island, nearly everybody drinks, gets intoxicated, and children from ten to twelve years old who are helped to this wretched traffic pass sleepless nights to assist their parents, and are made to drink." Urgent appeals are now being made for the adoption of more vigorous measures for the suppression of the traffic.

It looks as though North America will this year relieve the world from starvation and that wheat will command a price far in advance of that reached last year. The wheat crop of the Canadian Northwest will be enormous and, sold at famine prices, will pour millions of dollars into the country. The one great cause for the high price prophesied is the complete failure of the Russian crop—a failure so marked that it is estimated that instead of competing with America and India in supplying the world's market with wheat Russia will actually require to import 250,000,000 bushels of wheat and rye to relieve the peasants from actual starvation.

The Observatory at Toronto has reported that last month was the coldest July recorded during the past half century, and that the July of 1850 was the only one at all to be likened to it. The average temperature was 63.73 degrees. Reports from the United States show that this extraordinary coolness has not been confined to Canada. In Philadelphia the month was one of the three coldest Julys in twenty years, the other two being July, 1881, when the average temperature was 71.8, and July 1886, when the average was 72.2. The past month was only a fraction higher. But on July 5, 1816, there was "ice as thick as window glass in Pennsylvania, New York, and throughout New England."

In 1837 Canada had only sixteen miles of railway. This had grown to fifty-nine miles in 1847. Ten years later the Canadian railways reached 1,428 miles, in 1867, 2,458 miles, and this was more than doubled in 1874, when the figures reached 6,574 miles. In 1887 the total was 11,691 miles, and on June 30, 1890, the last date to which the figures have been compiled, 13,256 miles were in operation. On June 30, 1890, there were really 14,044 miles of railway in Canada, because 748 miles had been completed which had not been turned over to the operating departments. The increase over the year previous was 628 miles. Canada has shown princely generosity to her railway corporations, the the Canadian Pacific, of course being the chief beneficiary. Of the $766,647,812 capital in the Canadian railways $161,384,721, or nearly 23 per cent. has been contributed by the dominion or provincial governments or municipalities.

There is a dignity in toil, in toil of the hand as well as toil of the head; in toil to provide for the bodily wants of an individual life as well as in toil to promote some enterprise of world wide fame. All labor that tends to supply man's wants, to increase man's happiness, to elevate man's nature, in a word, all labor that is honest, is honorable too. Labor clears the forest, drains the morass and makes the wilderness rejoice and blossom as the rose. Labor drives the plow, scatters the seeds, reaps the harvest and grinds the corn and converts it into bread, the staff of life. Labor tending the pastures and sweeping the waters, as well as cultivating the soil, provides with daily sustenance the thousand millions of the family of man. Labor gathers the gossamer web of the caterpillar, the cotton from the field, and the fleece from the flock and weaves it into raiment soft, warm and beautiful—the purple robe of the prince and and the gay gown of the peasant being alike its handiwork.

THE FALL FAIRS.

A List of the Exhibitions Which will be Attended by Farmers and Their Friends.

The following is a list of the fall shows in which many FREE PRESS readers are interested:—

ACTON UNION	Acton	Oct. 6th, 7th.
The Industrial	Toronto	Sept. 7th to 19th.
Western Fair	London	Sept. 17th to 26th.
Central	Guelph	Sept. 22nd to 26th.
Centre Bruce	Paisley	Sept. 22nd to 24th.
Esquesing	Georgetown	Sept. 24th, 25th.
North Waterloo	Berlin	Sept. 29th, 30th.
Peninsular Fair	Chatham,	Sept. 29th to Oct 1st.
Great International	St. John, N.B.	Sept. 23, Oct 3.
North Perth	Stratford	Oct. 1st, 2nd.
Erasmus	Rockwood	Oct. 1st, 2nd.
Canada Central	Ottawa	Sept. 23d to Oct. 3rd.
South Waterloo	Galt	Oct. 1st, 2nd.
Northern	Walkerton	Sept. 30th to Oct. 2nd.
Arthur	Arthur	Oct. 1st, 2nd.
Erie	Erin	Oct. 14th, 15th.

—The Biggest Bargain in Canada—send $1.00 to A. J. Fitzsimmons, Grocer, Guelph, and get 3lbs of Famous Empress Tea, Blk., Green or Japan and either 20 lbs. Granulated Sugar or 25 lbs. Bright Pure Cane Sugar for $2.00

HOUSE OF COMMONS.

Sir Hector Langevin Resigns From the Ministry—Wild Rumors Affecting His Action.

CHAT IN THE LOBBIES.

OTTAWA, Aug. 12.—No more sensational feature of the long-drawn-out Tarte-McGreevy investigation has been given the daily throng of spectators and the country in general than the occasion of the statement made by Sir Hector Langevin yesterday morning. The capital was agog with excitement when it became known that Sir Hector, having resigned his portfolio, was to make his defence before the Committee of Privileges and Elections. The committee room, packed to the corridor long before the enquiry opened, was like an oven. Ingress or egress was impossible, and those who congratulated themselves upon their good fortune in obtaining a seat found that they had to pay the price in perspiration. Sir Hector arrived promptly and occupied a chair at the head of the table. He sat just as he sits in the House, looking neither to right nor left and with an inscrutable expression. Sir John Thompson and Mr. Costigan sat down near their late colleague. Mr. Tupper was a little further off. When the minutes were read Sir Hector rose to make his statement. He was invited by the chairman to resume his seat and address the committee sitting, but he preferred to stand, so that his voice might reach everybody in the room. Whatever may be thought of the merits of the defence, it is indisputable that a good presentation of it was made.

In his statement Sir Hector said:—I intend to meet the accusations by the

MOST POSITIVE DENIAL.

But I feel bound at once to lay my resignation as Minister of Public Works in the hands of the First Minister, so that my colleagues as well as the committee and the House of Commons may have the greatest freedom in judging my acts and the value of the accusations brought against me. To-day I ask to be allowed to make, under oath, a statement of my conduct in the several matters inquired into. I wish here to meet all the accusations, either direct or indirect, which, according to me, are found in the evidence. I hope none will escape my notice. I begin by declaring that in all departmental works mentioned before the committee I have fulfilled my duty most conscientiously to the best of my knowledge of matters and of my ability, without ever having allowed anyone to influence me by promises or gifts of any kinds whatever, and that my acts have always had public interest as their object; that I never received gifts, loans or values whatever, directly or indirectly, from the firm of Larkin, Connolly & Co., or from any of its members; that in truth Mr. Thomas McGreevy and I have been for a long time on friendly terms, and that he has been my guest at Ottawa in the period from 1878 to 1890, whilst I resided here as a Minister, and during which I did not receive from him and he never offered me any sum of money, gift or loan; that Mr. Thomas McGreevy had never tried, directly or to my knowledge indirectly, to influence me unduly in the execution of my duty, nor to obtain, directly or to my knowledge indirectly, verbal information or documents that my duty would have required me to hold as private.

BOODLING IN ANOTHER QUARTER.

Another boodling deal has made its appearance in the inky surface of politics. The old gentlemen of the Senate have not liked it that while the Commons were in such big business with inquests and investigations, their own slumberous wing of the of the building had not even the interest of a divorce suit inquiry. In other years this would not have bothered their old hearts, but now things are changed. Now they have the Premier in their chamber and have been galvanizing themselves into political life for the past two months. Last week the venerable House wrestled with the Winnipeg and Hudson Bay Railway Bill. This week they have started bigger game, and are busy in the initiatory stages of a $100,000 boodle enquiry. They have gone afield for their charge. It rightly should be left with the Legislature of Quebec to deal with, but the Senators want the diversion. The charge is in connection with the Baie des Chaleurs Railway and implicates the Quebec Government. It came to the attention of the Railway committee of the Senate while they were considering a bill which the Commons had passed incorporating a new company to take over the assets and liabilities of the old company of the Baie des Chaleurs Railway which the McGreevys, Robitailles and Riopel organized in the manner made clear before the Tarte-McGreevy committee.

ARRESTED FOR FORGERY.

Quite a sensation was caused in the Government Printing Bureau Friday morning about 10 o'clock by the arrest of Alfred Barrette, a messenger in the bureau. Barrette is a young man about 21 years of age and well dressed. The charge against him was for forging on a couple of checks the name of Mr. J. C. Gagon of York street. After his arrest he admitted being guilty.

ANOTHER CIVIL SERVANT GONE WRONG.

Before the Public Accounts Committee it has been shown that Mr. J. E. Tetu, of the immigration service at Winnipeg, had defrauded the Department of Agriculture by returning forged vouchers for money alleged to have been paid out by him. The sum thus obtained over a period of years amounted to several thousand dollars. It was shown by Mr. D. C. Woodman, that he had obtained considerable sums of money by forging vouchers.

A STRANGE STORY.

Mr. Patrick Baskerville, one of the tenderers for the Esquimalt Graving Dock, told the committee a strange story the other day. He said that he had been approached by John Heney, of Ottawa, who told him that he could have the contract if he would give cheques amounting to $10,000 payable on condition of the contract being obtained. He remarked, however, that he regarded the offer as a joke. The Committee decided to summon as witnesses Messrs. Heney, Frank McGreevy, jr., and Robert Lemoine.

A RECENT SHOT.

Another story which is going the rounds is that Mr. Tarte told a prominent Liberal to-day that it will not matter which line of procedure Sir Hector Langevin makes choice of when he is examined before the committee, as he is prepared to confront and confound Sir Hector by producing incriminating letters to meet him at any point of the defence he may endeavour to make. Mr. Tarte declares that he holds in reserve, to be produced if necessary, a considerable mass of such documents, which have not yet seen the light.

THE QUEBEC BOODLING.

Mr. Fremont, Mayor of Quebec, who purfaced his remarks by a superfluous apology for his English, made an eloquent appeal to the Government on behalf of the unfortunate victims of the land slide which occurred in September, 1889, when a portion of the citadel cliff toppled over upon a cluster of houses, killing fifty of the occupants, and maiming many others. Sir Adolphe Caron and Sir John Thompson disclaimed any responsibility on the part of the Government for this unfortunate catastrophe, but the latter stated that proceedings had been instituted in the court of justice with the object of determining who, if any one, was to blame.

NOTES ABOUT THE LOBBIES.

Mr. Stewart Tupper reached here from England Monday, where he had been to argue the case of Leacock v. McLaren, before the Privy Council. He left for Winnipeg yesterday.

Inspector O'Leary, of the Dominion police force, left Monday for Quebec with two summonses in his pocket with relation to the Baie des Chaleurs railway investigation. He will endeavor to back bring two important witnesses to-day.

Mr. George Eakins, clerk of the county of York, arrived here, Monday with the resolution of condolence on the death of Sir John Macdonald. The resolution is beyond doubt the most elaborately and artistically embellished of any yet presented and completely throws that of the city of Toronto in the shade.

Three new charges were laid against Alfred Barrette, of the printing bureau, now in jail for forgery, by detective Montgomery, for forging the name of Mr. William Gliddon on three promissory notes for $51, $15 and $12 respectively. The notes were cashed by Mr. John Askwith.

Col. Amyot is opposed to the continuance of the Royal Military College, judging from a question he placed on the order paper to-day. He desires to know if the Government proposes to maintain the institution in view of its present cost.

Three more divorces have been applied for at Ottawa.

Mr. McMillan has given notice of an enquiry as to the total cost of Banff Springs park and reserve, including all reports of every kind from the time of its location down to June 30, 1891, also the total receipts from all sources.

The mysterious Bancroft who signed the tenders for the Kingston graving dock stands revealed. At the Public Accounts Committee yesterday Mr. Connolly, after a good deal of pressing, admitted that there was no such person as Bancroft, that name had been used for a purpose, and the mythical individual was represented by Mr. Hughes, his foreman.

"Sir Hector Langevin's condition of health," says the Quebec *Chronicle*, "is giving his immediate friends much uneasiness. From Ottawa we learn that it is not his intention to remain in Parliament long. His physicians counsel rest."

A telegram from Mr. H. Casgrain of the Patent Office conveys intelligence of the sudden and serious illness of Senator Casgrain at one of the islands near Cornwall. The Senator went out on Saturday in perfectly good health with his brother with a view of spending a couple of days among the islands, and it is not yet learned how the illness came on or the nature of the attack.

Charles Lepage, a workman in the employ of the Public Works Department, fell from the roof of the library of Parliament Monday and sustained such frightful injuries that his life is despaired of.

OUR PUBLIC AFFAIRS.

The Business Before the Council Last Monday Evening.

Council met in regular session on Monday evening.

The Reeve was in the chair and every man at his post.

The passing of accounts took up the greater part of the evening, but various other matters were discussed.

The Finance committee presented their fifteenth report and the treasurer was ordered to pay the following accounts:—

Adam Cook, for gravel	6 93 51
J. McTavish, work at park	11 65
W. D. Smith, work on the street	11 25
H. Bell, do	10 63
J. McEachearn, do	10 31
D. Kennedy, removal of drill shed	8 00
Hart & Company, stationery	6 35
J. Cutting, work on the streets	4 07
W. Carroll, do	3 15
J. F. Grant, teaming	2 50
J. M. Stephens, removal of drill shed	2 00
Mrs. Carlisle, do	2 00
E. P. Moore, printing	1 95
Wm. Smith, work on the streets	1 25
	$129 05

A little breeze arose over the putting in of a crossing opposite Williams' Shoe Store at the expense of the municipality.

Messrs. Pearson, Havill and Harvey thought a crossing so generally used by the public should not have to be maintained at the expense of a private citizen.

Councillor Anderson claimed that it was a private crossing and was originally put in by private parties.

COUNCILLOR HAVILL.—It is no more a private crossing than the one opposite Agnew's Hotel and that one was put in by the Council.

Williams' crossing will be paid for by the municipality.

Complaint was made from several quarters that the street lamps were too frequently in disuse on the dark nights.

The municipal officer was instructed to attend to the matter and give the public light.

He replied that he would do so if his multifudinous duties just now would permit. Dan is very busy at present.

The surface water has been giving residents along Guelph street and Bowie avenue considerable trouble again. The storm of Sunday flooded their premises and unless the defective drainage is remedied claims for damages are threatened. The street and sidewalk committee will give the matter their attention.

Arrangements were completed for the collection of taxes of the present year. In a few days ratepayers will be notified of the amount of taxes due, and that one half must be paid by the 15th of September.

Reeve Lowry being called out on professional business the Council adjoined at an early hour.

THE HANDCOCK TRAGEDY.

The Body Exhumed and Examination Proves the Victim was shot.

TORONTO, Aug. 10.—There is a new and certainly startling development in the Handcock case. The lawyer for the defence, Mr. Murdoch, not satisfied with the result of the first post-mortem examination on the body of the deceased girl, Sophia Handcock, asked that the body be exhumed which was accordingly done on Saturday afternoon in the presence of Drs. Tookey, W. F. H. Aikins, Adam Wright and Harrington, County Crown Attorney Badgerow Mr. Murdoch, and detectives Grier and Mat Howie. After some deliberation the doctors present came to the conclusion that the deceased was killed by a bullet. In the skull were found small pieces of metal pronounced by the doctors as lead. After the examination Mr. Murdoch and detective Howie went to the house at Fairbank where the girl was found, and carefully examined the house. Looking for the trace of the bullet they found an indentation in the door, as it made by the ricochet of a bullet. It had probably been fired from a position between the two organizers in the centre of the store. An analysis of the metal found in the skull will be made immediately by Dr. Ellis.

Minard's Liniment cures Burns etc.

TALK OF THE DAY.

An Epitome of the World's Doings During the Week.

Cholera has appeared in Asia Minor.

Brantford's new Central school will open on Sept. 10th.

She hay crop in Quebec will be fully up to the average.

The U. S. exports to Venezuela last year reached $10,000,000.

Emperor William hopes to visit the World's Fair in 1893.

James Anderson suicided near Elkhorn, Manitoba, the other day.

The Royal Military College is going to be considerably enlarged.

The new Y. M. C. A. in Montreal will be ready for opening next month.

The members of the House of Commons are asking for $500 more pay.

The Mexican harvest is a failure, and famine is feared at Vera Cruz.

Ottawa's new directory shows an increase of 1,070 names over last year.

Seven store barrels of illicit whiskey have been seized below Quebec.

Wholesale robberies from the Chicago post-office have been discovered.

John Jackson, aged 25, was drowned in the mill pond at Greenwood, Ont.

Rev. John Wood has returned home to Ottawa from his trip to Palestine.

Mr. Norsworthy, of Bowmanville, has died in Winnipeg of typhoid fever.

Oscar Macdonald's barn and crops at Colborne were burnt out yesterday.

Active preparations for war are said to be going on in the Bulgarian capital.

Near Leavenworth, Kas., an engine struck a carriage, killing four people.

The Parry Sound Colonization railway has passed its government inspection.

Miss Emily J. Gamlop of London died in Detroit while on a summer vacation.

Further extensive discoveries of nickel are reported from the Sudbury district.

Michell Devitt declares that the Canadian North-west has a mighty future before it.

England is sending Government experts out to inquire into the Argentine finances.

Louis Renaud, a prisoner in Montreal, fell hanged himself with a bed strap yesterday.

Professor Jones, of Kincardine, dropped dead of heart disease at Paisley Friday

The Indians lying in jail at Murray Bay over a year for murder have been released.

The formal opening of the G. T. R. submarine tunnel at Sarnia takes place in October.

A well-to-do farmer, named George Simpson, near Galt, blew his brains out Friday.

The Governor-General and vice-regal suite are going into residence at the Citadel, Quebec.

Canadians in Florence, Italy, have sent over a subscription towards Sir John's memorial.

Robert King, of Hamilton, has just fallen heir to a large fortune left by his aunt in England.

It is claimed that the coal contracts for Kingston penitentiary have been improperly awarded.

A married woman of 41, with eight children, has eloped from Winnipeg with a coloured porter.

Peter Hanson, aged 15, got out of depth while bathing at Coburg Thursday and was drowned.

An unknown man fell off the steamer Maggie Mason at Hamilton Saturday and was drowned.

A farm hand named John Smith was fatally gored by a bull in Hastings county on Wednesday.

A party of United Street capitalists will search for mineral wealth beneath Whitby town and township.

A fleet of boats arrived at Kingston, Saturday, en route for Montreal with 260,000 bushels of grain.

Mr. W. H. Osborne, of Darlington, West Durham, has threshed over 1,000 bushels of wheat from 22 acres.

An English syndicate has purchased practically all the leather board factories in the Eastern Sixties.

The Belfast *Morning News* has deserted the Parnell camp, and will follow the lead of Dillon and O'Brien.

Twenty persons were injured and two killed in a collision on the Central Vermont near Champlain last week.

James Waite of Oak Point in attempting to haul out his boat while intoxicated fell overboard and was drowned.

The Admiralty will spend $10,000 in entertaining the officers and men of the French squadron in England.

The Spanish Government has prohibited gambling in the casinos at the watering places in the North of Spain.

Six persons were killed and many injured by an explosion in a fire works factory at Corunna, Spain, on Saturday.

Owing to the bad harvest in Russia, the Government has prohibited the exportation of any corn from that country.

Messrs. Dillon and O'Brien are said to have persuaded four of Parnell's followers to go over to the McCarthyites.

Judge Watters, of the New Brunswick Admiralty Court, was found dead in his bedroom Monday of heart disease.

The body of Major Ryerson of Simcoe, who with A. Bunker of Toronto were lost with the yacht Mabel, has been found.

The momentary crisis in Portugal continues and grows even worse. The Government proposes to reduce the army to 8,000 men.

Sir Francis and Lady Bolleau, Lord and Lady Campbell, and Sir William and Lady Pinkes, are on a visit to Niagara Falls.

Officer Trudel made a capture of $5,000 worth of smuggled liquors on the schooner Anne Prudence below Quebec on Saturday night.

Herbert G. Clark, aged seventeen, of South London, was run over by a waggon and died from the injuries which he received.

The body of a carrier named William Waldron was found at Peterboro' Saturday partially decomposed. He had been on the drunk.

Messrs Gray, Young & Sperling, of the Salt works, were awarded a gold medal at the Jamaica exhibition, for their superior make of salt.

The extremely dry weather continues in Dakota, and causes alarm about the wheat crop, which will be ready for harvest in ten days.

The 60th meeting of the American Association for the Advancement of Science will be held in Washington from August 17 to September 2.

Ellis Hayden a nephew of Rev. J. E. Lancaley of Toronto was drowned while bathing in London. He was an employe of Eckardt & Co., wholesale grocers.

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And notice is hereby given that after the said 1st day of August, 1891, the executors will proceed to distribute the assets of said deceased among the parties entitled thereto having regard only to the claims of which they shall have had notice at the time of such distribution.

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