

## CITY NEWS.

## Recent Events in and Around St. John.

## Together With Country Items from Correspondents and Exchanges.

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**THE SUN PRINTING COMPANY,** issuing weekly 5,000 copies of THE WEEKLY SUN, challenges the circulation of all papers published in the Maritime Provinces. Advertisers, please make a note of this.

A memorial service for the late Capt. Charles Harrison was held in St. John (stone) church on Sunday afternoon. The beautiful service for the burial of the dead was read by the rector, Rev. John DeSoyes, and Prof. Ford played the Dead March in Saul, the entire congregation remaining standing.

There has been placed on sale at the stamp depot of the post office the latest post office novelty. It is a book of twelve two-cent stamps, bound in size for the vest pocket, with oiled paper between them. On the covers are the postal and money order rates and savings department rates, etc. The little booklet is very convenient and is sold for twenty-five cents.

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The city government of Calais has appointed a committee to negotiate with the New Brunswick government relative to the rebuilding of the covered bridge at Milltown. The Canadian end of the bridge was carried away by the spring freshets. The bridge is principally used by operatives on the St. Croix cotton mill who live on the Calais side of the river.

The first party of the Tobique River Salmon Club arrived at Amherst, N. B., Wednesday night. A distinguished member of this party of anglers, Senator Proctor of Yarmouth, was the initial trip of the season. The party will spend ten days or more at the Forks of the Tobique, where the club has a magnificent clubhouse.

H. J. Crowe has loaded the shipy Maren with 1,400 feet of lumber at Annapolis. Mr. Crowe is loading the bark Amora at Lower Granville and the tern schooner Melba at Annapolis with lumber for Buenos Ayres. At Halifax he is loading an Italian bark with spruce and hardwood lumber, from Kentville and Coldbrook, for England.

Congratulations were fairly flying through the air around No. 1 fire engine house Saturday and Sunday. The cause was a very pronounced increase to the family of the engineer, Samuel Seeds. Most parents are happily proud when the family is enlarged by single additions, but Mr. and Mrs. Seeds are trebly blest, for there are three—all girls.

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The semi-annual meeting of the county lodge of King's East, L. O. A., was held at the Orange hall in Hampton, on Thursday afternoon, June 14th. Delegates from the various parishes were in attendance. Reports were submitted showing the state of the order in that district to be highly satisfactory. Business of a routine character was transacted, and after short addresses by some of the members the lodge adjourned.

The examinations of candidates by the examining board of the Pharmaceutical society were finished on Friday. Five were very pronounced in the preliminary, viz., Chas. Patterson, Chas. Wasson, Chalmers J. Duff and Fred Atkinson of St. John, and P. Steadman of Moncton. In the final examination the following passed: Aubrey Johnston, St. Stephen; Wallace R. Rodd, Moncton; W. D. M. Leon, Chatham; H. C. Ryan, Fredericton; Oswald Mowatt, Montreal; J. H. Lynch and W. S. Jones, St. John.

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## DEATH OF JOHN FIELDS.

(Edmonton, Alberta, Post, June 4.)  
John Fields, who had been seriously ill for some time, died not unexpectedly early on Monday morning at his home in Victoria avenue. The deceased gentleman, about 70 years of age, came from St. John, New Brunswick, to Edmonton, whither members of his family had preceded him. In delicate health, it was hoped that the change might prove beneficial, but that hope was disappointed. The deceased was a widower, and leaves a widow, five daughters and three sons to mourn their loss. The daughters are Mrs. J. C. C. Bremner of Clover Bar, Mrs. St. George Jellett of Edmonton, Mrs. Wm. Robinson of Amherst, N. S., Miss Fields, and Miss Alice Fields, who live here with their mother. John Fields, a son, is residing at Poplar Grove, Thomas Fields, another son, was formerly connected with the New York press, and is now associate editor of the Pall Mall Gazette, London, and the youngest son, William Fields, who formerly lived in Edmonton, is now in Africa in the intelligence department of the British army there and was last heard of as a despatch rider between Natal and Lord Roberts's headquarters in the Orange Free State.

The funeral took place yesterday from the late residence to All Saints' church. The pall bearers were ex-Mayor Edmonson, G. R. F. Kirkpatrick, E. C. Emery, T. A. Stephen, St. George Jellett and J. C. C. Bremner, of Clover Bar. Many prominent citizens followed in the cortege, the organist played the Dead March in Saul. The interment took place at the Edmonton cemetery. Rev. Mr. Gray officiating at the grave. Rev. Mr. McQueen of the Presbyterian congregation was also present.

## COURT NEWS.

In the probate court Friday, the will of the late John Stewart was probated and letters testamentary granted to John Willet and Robert Reid, the executors. The estate is valued at \$700 and \$1000 personal. The sum of \$1000 is left to the trustees of St. David's church and provision is made in the will for the upper flat of the deceased's house on Brooks street to be used as a hall for a Sabbath school by St. David's church. At the expiration of that period the executors have power to sell the house and pay \$4,000 to the trustees of St. David's church. Wm. A. Ewing, proctor.

The will of the late Frederick O'Brien was admitted to probate and letters testamentary granted to Mrs. O'Brien, the executrix. The estate is valued at \$1,000. Carleton & Ferguson, proctors. The will of Mrs. Phoebe Winters was admitted to probate and letters testamentary granted to Miss Sarah Winters, the executrix. The estate is valued at \$700 personal property. J. Roy Campbell, proctor.

## SUDDEN DEATH.

Samuel Ewing, who was well known in connection with the training of horses, died very suddenly Sunday afternoon. About a year ago Mr. Ewing had a paralytic fit, from the effects of which he never fully recovered. Still he was able this spring to be about town. On Sunday afternoon he and David Keefe started out for a drive behind Mr. Keefe's fast moving trotter. When they were about a mile from the city Mr. Ewing took the reins from the owner of the horse and started the horse at a very rapid pace. All of a sudden Mr. Ewing fell forward and drove behind Mr. Keefe's fast moving trotter. When they were about a mile from the city Mr. Ewing took the reins from the owner of the horse and started the horse at a very rapid pace. All of a sudden Mr. Ewing fell forward and drove behind Mr. Keefe's fast moving trotter. When they were about a mile from the city Mr. Ewing took the reins from the owner of the horse and started the horse at a very rapid pace. All of a sudden Mr. Ewing fell forward and drove behind Mr. Keefe's fast moving trotter.

## OIL DEVELOPMENT.

A conference was held at Moncton Saturday, which was attended by Premier Edmonson, E. F. Pearson of Halifax, Mr. Ewing of Moncton and Mr. Benton of Toronto, with respect to the oil development business in Westmorland county. It is understood that those interested in the oil industry there have every confidence in its success, and that, too, at an early date it is stated. In addition to the other wealthy United States capitalists who have put in their money for the development of the industry, H. M. Whitney of Boston, who is well known in connection with so many enterprises, has secured an interest in the Westmorland oil development business.

## WEDDING BELLS.

A very pretty house wedding took place at 182 Britain street, when Miss Jennie Kearns, daughter of Mrs. John Kearns, was married to Alex. Stinson of Fredericton. The bride looked charming in a dress of white muslin, with veil and orange blossoms, and carried a bouquet of white roses. She was attended by her sister, who was attired in white cashmere, and carried pink roses. The groom was ably supported by the brother of the bride. The bride received many of the friends of both sides. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. A. M. Dewdney.

Mr. and Mrs. Stinson will be at home to their friends on the 26th and 28th of June. No cards.

At St. Stephen's church, Saturday morning at 8.15 o'clock Major Matthew B. Edwards was united in marriage to Miss Margaret Gillespie, eldest daughter of Mrs. Thomas Gillespie of Carleton Place. The wedding was a quiet affair, being few guests, but a large number of the friends of both the bride and groom were present to see the ceremony. The bride wore a very becoming gown of blue and white, and carried a bouquet of white roses. She was attended by her sister, Miss Margaret Gillespie, who wore a handsome dress of white muslin and carried a bouquet of white roses. Her hair was pale green straw trimmed with white chiffon roses. The groom was assisted by Arthur W. Adams and R. R. Ritchie. Rev. D. J. Adams performed the ceremony. Major Edwards left by the morning train for New York, and the honeymoon tour will include visits to Washington and the principal upper Canadian cities. They received many beautiful presents, the groom being presented by his brother officers of the Fusiliers and by his friends of Carleton Place. There was a large crowd at the station to give the major and his charming bride a hearty send-off. The Fusiliers' band enlivened the occasion.

The marriage of Edwin Horne Davis of Worcester, Mass., to Miss Violet Kenah, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Warwick W. Street, formerly of St. John, took place at All Saints' church, Ashmont, on Wednesday, June 12th. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. F. G. Converse, A.S.T.E. The bride wore a handsome gown of white muslin and carried a bouquet of white roses. She was attended by Miss Sarah Peljovsky, who wore white muslin with bright red ribbons and carried a bouquet of white roses and red carnations. The groom was supported by Maurice E. Glan. After the ceremony, an informal luncheon was held at the home of the bride's mother on Ashmont street. The good wishes of many friends followed the happy couple.

## CONTRIBUTION FROM NEWCASTLE.

H. D. McLeod, treasurer of the contingent funds, acknowledges the receipt of \$374.74, the proceeds of a patriotic concert in Newcastle, as the accompanying letter will explain:

NEWCASTLE, N.B., June 15, 1900.  
"Dear Sir—I have much pleasure in forwarding to you a draft for the sum of \$374.74 in aid of the contingent fund of the proceeds of our patriotic concert given June 5th and 6th in Masonic hall, Newcastle. The ladies composing the concert committee were Mrs. Wm. Aitkin, Mrs. P. G. Snow, Mrs. Wm. Watt, Mrs. Jas. Troy, Mrs. Jas. Rundle, Mrs. Chas. Sargison and Mrs. Chas. Nicholson, and it is very gratifying that we can help, in a small measure, when the call is so urgent as at present."

"With very kind regards, I am,  
"Yours truly,  
"GERTIE NICHOLSON,  
"Sec. Treas. to Committee."

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## THE RIFLE.

Interprovincial Meet Won by the Island. (Special to the Sun.)

HALIFAX, June 14.—The fifteenth annual rifle match was shot at Bedford today, under favorable weather conditions, and P. E. Island won with the largest score ever made. 728. New Brunswick was second, with 690. The result was a surprise, as the P. E. Island team was not together at the last date, while the New Brunswick team had been competing in this match before, being given hands from Pownall. Hitherto the Island team has been raised in Charlottetown. This is the first time the "Right Little Island" has won the cup away from home, and Nova Scotia brought up to rear with the third occasion for the cup to be in the Island's possession. Dame fortune was very kind to the Island team, as the P. E. Island team made a total of 84 which is the record to date, while the New Brunswick team got second and P. E. I. first. This was a very successful match. That was the opinion expressed by all at the dinner given tonight at the Bedford Hotel to the visiting teams. Speeches, songs, etc., followed the substantial programme.

An effort will be made this year to change the ranges to conform with the new British rules allowing standing at two hundred yards, kneeling at five hundred, and any position at a long range to be substituted for the six hundred yards.

The following are the New Brunswick and P. E. Island scores:

New Brunswick.	
Major Hart	82
Sergeant Forbes	80
Sergeant Moore	77
Major McRobbie	82
Sergeant Crockett	82
P. Langstroth	89
Sergeant Campbell	84
Sergeant McGowan	86
Team total	690
P. E. Island.	
Sergeant Major Baird	95
Sergeant Moore	91
Major Crockett	91
Major Crockett	92
Leut. Acorn	92
Leut. Smith	85
P. Wetherby	89
Team total	728

## COMING WEDDINGS.

The marriage of Miss Bliss, youngest daughter of Rev. D. Bliss, rector of St. Mark's, Westmorland, to Rev. Mr. Hooper, rector of Prince William, N. B., takes place on Wednesday morning next at the above church. Rev. D. Bliss and several other clergymen will officiate.—Amherst News.

Invitations are out for the marriage of Angus Black, and Miss Lottie Ripley, which will take place on the 27th.—Amherst Press.

Miss Isabelle Babbitt, daughter of the late John Babbitt of Fredericton is to be married on Tuesday next to Walter McLachlin of Minneapolis, brother of Mrs. D. Lee Babbitt. The wedding will be solemnized at the residence of the bride's uncle, Henry Chestnut.—Herald.

## I. C. R. SUMMER TIME TABLE.

(From Monday's Daily Sun.)

The summer arrangement of trains on the I. C. R. goes into effect today. The first train to leave will be the suburban at 5.30 a. m. for Hampton and way stations. Then the maritime express at 7.15 a. m. A freight at 10.30 for Sussex. The Atlantic express will depart at 11.0. There will be a fast accommodation for Point du Chene at 1.15 p. m. The Sussex train will leave at 4.45 p. m. and the evening suburban at 5.45. The Montreal express will leave at 7.35 and there will be a night train for Halifax leaving at 10.45 p. m.

The arrivals will be as follows: Halifax express at 6 a. m.; suburban from Hampton and way stations at 7.15; Sussex train at 8.35; Montreal express at 11.50; fast accommodation from Point du Chene at 2.15; freight from Moncton at 2.50; Pacific express at 5 o'clock; Halifax express at 6.15; evening suburban at 9.50. The night Halifax train will have a sleeper which will run through to Vancouver. The train will also have a second-class car and baggage, which will run from Sydney to Boston. After the C. P. change on the 25th inst. a second class car and baggage will leave Boston in the morning and run through to Halifax and arrive there next morning. There will also be a sleeper from Vancouver to

Halifax on this train. All times of arrival and departure are eastern standard time.

## GRADUATED WITH HIGHEST HONORS.

Miss Elsie Stockton, eldest daughter of Hon. A. M. Stockton, graduated with highest honors last week at Kraus Seminary for Kindergartners, Hotel San Remo, Central Park West, New York city. Although the only Canadian in the class she was selected as the valedictorian. Miss Stockton won both the British and American colors on the occasion, and at the conclusion of her address was presented with a beautiful bouquet by her classmates. A distinguished company was present at the closing exercises of the seminary.

## THEY WANT A FISHWAY.

W. A. Ewing, acting for the Messrs. Power, who own rights on the Mispec stream, have served a notice on M. E. Mooney, manager of the Mispec pulp mill, that on Tuesday next he will ask for an injunction restraining the mill from operating until a fishway is placed in the dams on the stream. The notice sets out that the government has staked the river with salmon and numbers of them have tried to get up the stream, but have failed, because of the dam, and it also points out that the chemicals from the mill discharged into the stream are calculated to ruin the fisheries. Dr. Elias Alward is acting for the pulp mill and it is understood will fight the case.

## SCHOONER CAPTAIN DEAD.

ROCKLAND, Me., June 17.—The fishing sloop Junata of Gloucester, for fishing grounds, came into port today morning the dead body of her captain, George Diffin. The crew claim the captain died suddenly from hemorrhage of the throat at 4 o'clock this morning off Tenants' Harbor. Diffin leaves a wife and daughter, who reside in Gloucester.

## FOR SALE.

FARM FOR SALE OR TO RENT, containing about 150 acres. The Major Holcom farm, in the Parish of Musquodchuic, is now situated on the shore of the Bay of Fundy, on the Shore Line Railway. The dried marsh of about 45 acres runs from 40 to 50 tons of hay. The land about 25 acres, is of superior quality and under proper cultivation can be made very productive. A good house and two barns. Can be purchased on reasonable terms. Apply to J. J. CONNORS, 5 Sydney street, St. John, N. B., or inquire of MR. JOHN WILSON, Musquodchuic.

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