

SUNDAY SCHOOL COLUMN.

The executive committee of the provincial association met on Friday last in this city. We desire to speak of one matter of importance...

SUNDAY SCHOOL CONVENTION.

The initial parishes of Hampton and Rochesay held their sixth district S. S. convention in the evening hall at Lakeside on the afternoon and evening of Tuesday, 18th inst.

After the president, James Smith, had taken the chair the minutes of last meeting were read by the secretary, Miss Thompson, and approved.

MONCTON.

MONCTON, N. B., July 25.—Hartley Cuthbertson was today committed for trial on a charge of burglarizing the premises of F. A. McCully and others.

Mr. Donnelly, a boy of sixteen, was today sent to jail for stealing lead from the Record foundry, which he sold to a junk dealer, Cuthbertson was a witness against Donnelly, they having been together.

An old man named Boreau was drowned in the Pettaodoc river at Preduen Hunt, while fishing yesterday.

The crops in New England, aided by the favorable weather conditions, are looking better just now. The showery of the past week in many localities have been beneficial to corn and potatoes, and to high pasture and meadow lands, which were affected all the spring and early summer by the drought.

The blueberry trade from the provinces this season is expected to be fair, although the large native crop in all probability will keep prices below their high-water mark.

The spruce market here is fairly steady, but the demand is a little slack. In some cases prices have been shaded, but the combination prices of the car mill men are still quoted.

See you get Carter's, Ask for Carter's, Insist and demand Carter's Little Liver Pills.

BOSTON LETTER.

Interesting Items About Provincialists in New England.

Great K. of P. Excursion to St. John and Halifax, August 20-29.

Recent Deaths—The Berry Trade—Lumber and Fish Market Quotations.

(From Our Own Correspondent.) BOSTON, July 23.—With the exception of one day the weather here has been cool during the past week, and not at all like what Bostonians have to put up with usually in July.

The fish market is firmer. Mackerel continues scarce, with about 425 barrels received from the provinces last week. Mackerel are quoted higher by wholesalers, \$15 to 15.50 being asked for large 3s, and \$16 for medium No. 2.

Asphalt from Herring? How a Pennsylvania Professor Threatens to Revolutionize a Great Industry—Shavings an Ingredient.

Asphalt is the name given to the residue left after the removal of the oil from fish and other animal products. It is a dark, sticky substance, and is used for paving roads and for waterproofing.

Part of the American press is severe on the president's Philippine commission, which was headed by the distinguished native of P. E. L., President Schurman of Cornell University.

The following visitors from the provinces in Boston and vicinity recently were the following: In Cambridge, July 19, of pneumonia, Arthur R. Joshua, 14 year-old son of Joseph and Martha Joshua, formerly of St. John; in Sumnerville, July 15, Mrs. Annie E. McCarthy, wife of Henry P. McCarthy, aged 40 years, formerly of St. John; in Roxbury, July 21, Mrs. Christina Cheney, widow of the late George B. Cheney of P. E. L. aged 56 years; in East Orange, William Winters, aged 64 years, formerly of Halifax; in East Boston, July 19, James W. McKenna, child of James A. and Mattie L. McKenna of P. E. L.; in Roxbury, July 16, Peter McAdam, formerly of Antigonish, N. S.; in Lynn, July 17, Mrs. Christie Vanx, wife of Joseph Vanx, native of Nova Scotia.

Some of the American papers are pitching into Canada and the Canadian government just now as the result of the Alaskan boundary dispute. Hon. Redfield Proctor, former secretary of war, and one of the owners of the Grand Falls water power, has gone to New Brunswick on a fishing trip.

Methodist Contributions. The Montreal Star gives the following in the list of names of donors to the relief fund of St. James' Methodist church in this city. The fund now amounts to \$1,871.

More School Books. The board of education has decided to introduce a new series of readers into the public schools. It is not the intention of the board to introduce the books all at once. The primer will be introduced this year for the new pupils, and as the books become worn out in the higher grades they will be replaced by the new series.

Children Cry for Castoria. Silence is a difficult argument to best.

PROVINCIAL NEWS.

Sheffield, Sunbury Co., July 22.

The fruit crop is a partial failure owing to wet weather. A large moose was seen in Lower Sheffield this morning.

A captain, two mates, a purser and some of the deckhands of the Star line steamers are from Sheffield, which also gives the company a vice-president and director.

John Hudlin, son of John A. Hudlin, has been taken to Victoria hospital, Fredericton. He is a very industrious and hardworking young man, and had been left in charge of a family of children, his father being in the asylum. He had put in a very large crop, but was taken ill of inflammation. Much sympathy is felt for him.

Ward Barker, proprietor of the Sheffield hotel, while spitting a few sticks of wood at his home yesterday accidentally put the axe into his foot, and it will keep him up for some time.

Such has been the exodus in the county since the Tarte and Blair government came in power the farmers along the St. John river cannot get man to cut their hay. We refer more especially to Sheffield and Mouserville.

Richibucto, July 22.—The Presbyterian congregation held a picnic at Bass river on Thursday. The proceeds amounted to one hundred and twenty-five dollars.

R. F. Dimock of Kingston has gone on a vacation to Nova Scotia. He is accompanied by Mrs. Dimock and children. The birthday party held in the Temperance hall on Tuesday evening by the Ladies' Aid society of the Methodist church realized one hundred and twenty dollars.

John Murray and wife arrived in Kingston yesterday from Bradon. Mr. Murray formerly conducted a mercantile business at Kingston. They expect to remain in the province about three months.

A Norwegian brigantine loaded by J. & T. Jardine was towed out this morning by R. O'Leary's steamer Frederick A. Four schooners sailed for P. E. Island today with lumber.

Rev. Charles Wither, who resides in the town of Hammondsville, is visiting his father, Wm. Wither, who spent all yesterday in the vicinity of White's Cove, Queens Co., July 22.—Rev. L. J. Watson preached his initial sermon in the Methodist church on Sunday evening to a large congregation.

One evening this week while Mrs. Charles Oakley was getting out of a farm wagon the horses started, throwing her backwards upon the hard road. She was rendered unconscious for some time and was badly shaken up.

Carey Hay of Woodstock is visiting his uncle, L. P. Ferris. A large quantity of green beans, peas and potatoes is being shipped from here by May Queen to St. John.

Burton Ferri, who spent the last few months in Lubec, Maine, returned home on Wednesday.

A heavy thunder storm, accompanied by a furious southerly gale, passed over here on Friday afternoon. Considerable damage was done to the apple crop.

George Duffy got one of his hands badly crushed on Monday this week while working with a pitching machine.

Bristol, July 24.—Mrs. Dr. M. C. Atkinson and her son Norman have just returned from New York. The latter is much improved in health.

Eric E. B. has a set of mill stones and is fitting up the lower floor of his saw mill for the purpose of grinding buckwheat.

Woodstock parties have leased the trotting park, and a race is on for August 18th. There are to be three purses contested for. The classes will be 2, 30, 25 and a farmer's race.

Miss Ella Tompkins, who has been visiting friends in Mount Stewart, P. E. L., has returned home much pleased with her trip.

C. A. Phillips has purchased the Chicketahawk cash store. He is still carrying on his stock farm.

Sheffield, Sunbury Co., July 24.—Miss Sarah E. Richards, of Leeds, has charmingly entertained a company of her lady and gentlemen friends to a garden party on Saturday evening last.

Mrs. Linda Bailey of Little River gave a tea party on the same evening for the entertainment of the American lady friends, who are visiting her from Massachusetts.

Mr. and Mrs. Ward Barker of the Sheffield hotel are receiving congratulations today upon the advent of their first born, a son.

The early farmers of the high land are now beginning to send off their green stuff to St. John market. Beans are a partial failure on account of wet weather.

nearby 80 feet in length, six feet across the tall and about seven feet in thickness. The trunk was about six feet in diameter.

Miss Mabel Shiles, formerly of this place, who has been living in Rhode Island for some years, is visiting her relatives here.

Rev. L. R. Colwell, who has been pastor of the Hopewell Baptist church for the past four years, preached his farewell sermon today to a large congregation. At the close of the sermon the reverend gentleman spoke feelingly of the happy associations of the past years and of the universal kindness he had met from his friends and associates. The choir sang "God be with you till we meet again."

John Bennett Anderson, temperance evangelist, London, Eng., will lecture on temperance in the Methodist church at the Hill on Friday evening, July 28th.

The sch. Morning Star is leading pressed hay for St. John.

A concert consisting of solo, readings, violin solos and choruses was given in the Methodist church last evening. A fair audience was present. A basket social was held at the close of the entertainment.

THESSALO, July 21.—Miss Ayer is here visiting her sister, Mrs. W. C. Anderson. Mrs. Herman Coonan and little son Vinton, of the Cape, are here visiting friends. Miss Mabel Hatfield and Miss Agnes Coonan of Harvey are here visiting the Waterside house. Mr. and Mrs. Lora Martin have left here and gone west to reside.

Deniel Anderson of this place is building an extension to his house.

HAMPTON, Kings Co., July 25.—Today was that to which Judge Wedderburn adjourned his court, sitting in chambers, to give his decision on the points of law raised by Mr. Tweedie. Dr. J. C. Bowser, who enjoys a lucrative practice at Kingston, N. Y., as an eye and throat specialist, arrived in the county yesterday. Mrs. Bowser accompanied him. They are guests of the latter's father, Edward Walker, at Base River.

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FREDERICTON, July 25.—Thomas Miles has purchased W. S. Carvell's steam laundry and will assume charge in a few days. The Troy laundry also has changed hands. Thomas Fraser has sold out to John Hart and Spurdon Delong. The purchasers in each case are Fredericton men.

RICHIBUCTO, July 25.—Rev. John Wathen preached to a large congregation in the Methodist church on Sunday morning. Rev. Charles Wathen supplied the pulpit of the Methodist church at Kingston on Sunday evening. The reverend gentlemen returned to their homes in New Hampshire this week.

J. & T. Jardine's bark Ossuna arrived in Port on Monday.

Mrs. McAuley, wife of John McAuley of Kingston, died suddenly on Monday. She leaves a husband and two children.

Rev. Father Whiten of Caraquet is visiting Rev. Father Bannan. Wm. J. McInerney of New York Sun, has been visiting his mother at Kingston.

The picnic season opens today. Rev. Father Robichaud of Chockpish is holding his annual picnic. Rev. Father Pelletier of St. Louis has another. The juvenile temperance body of the Loyol Crusaders are picnicking in Long's Grove, on the south side. The natives at Indian Island are holding a big picnic.

A drifter off the harbor on Monday night netted one thousand and twenty fish mackerel. The price is about three and a half cents each.

Having operations have commenced. The crop is a heavy one.

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He ran a mile, and so would many a young lady, rather than take a bath with the "Baby's Own Soap."

Advertisement for Baby's Own Soap, featuring an illustration of a baby and text describing the soap's benefits for skin.

Advertisement for J. H. Morrison M.D., a medical professional practicing in Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat.

Advertisement for Dr. J. Collis Browne's Chlorodyne, a medicine for various ailments including cholera and dysentery.

Advertisement for Dr. J. Collis Browne, a medical professional with a list of ailments treated.

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