

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report



SUMMARY NEWS.

It is announced grading will begin on the Hudson's Bay road in a fortnight.

Sir C. H. Tupper has returned to Ottawa slightly improved in health.

James Mossman, a steam driver, 20 years of age, was drowned from the Davidson drive on Thursday.

It is reported that at late last week below Quebec, an officer of the inland Revenue department seized thirty-five barrels of contraband whiskey, hidden in the sand.

An aged widowed lady Mrs. Wm. Marsh, of Economy, N. S., fell from her carriage Saturday afternoon while driving and broke her neck, death being instantaneous.

The Milltown and St. Stephen railway company is to build this summer the four and a half miles of road to connect the Shore Line with the St. Croix and Penobscot railway.

The Canadian Gazette, published in England, says it will cause no surprise if Major General Herbert's command of the Canadian militia is extended for another year.

The Legislature of Newfoundland adjourned on Wednesday for want of a quorum. Much indignation is expressed at the action by the public. It is believed to be a scheme of the government to delay business until Colonial Secretary Bond's berowing mission is ended.

The government has decided that the Canadian mails shall be given to the Dominion Line steamers Vancouver and Labrador on their sailing dates during the present summer season, and they will accordingly call at Rimouki on their outward and homeward passages, commencing with the Vancouver this present week.

Mrs. Hull, of Chester, N. S., objected to some surreying work being done by Capt. Lordly. She grabbed his whiskers, and to scare her he drew a revolver and flourished it. Accidentally stepping into a hole the pistol was discharged and Mrs. Hull was struck, but not seriously injured. Capt. Lordly at once secured a nurse and physician.

Adolph Davis, the discharged superintendent of the Montreal Water Works, is to sue the city for damages for being dismissed without cause. He also states that he is going to sue Aids. Leclerc, Tremblay, Jacques and Asst. Supt. Laforest, for conspiracy to ruin his reputation. E. H. Parent, lately engineer of the Lachine Canal, has spoken of as the new superintendent.

Sir Herbert Murray, the British relief commissioner, closed down the relief works at St. John's Nfld. Saturday. The warship Cleopatra will sail on a cruise around the island, taking seed potatoes and soil for the fisheries for distribution along the coast. There has been a great falling off in the number of the men prosecuting the Labrador fisheries owing to the impossibility of procuring supplies. Much destitution is expected in consequence.

I. Fred Carver, one of the most prominent merchants of Windsor, N. S., went fishing Friday on the Stillwater Lake. He was accompanied by Ralph Carver, his son, aged eight, and a young man named William Graham. The boat was owned by the named men and was fitted out elaborately, but it was made of canvas. During the afternoon a heavy squall swamped the boat and all three occupants were drowned. One body, that of the elder Carver has been recovered.

The body of Charles E. Harding, who mysteriously disappeared from his house near Ormocote last Christmas morning while intoxicated, was found Wednesday evening floating in the river just below Burton court house at Ormocote. Mr. Chas. Duffy, clerk of the peace for Sunbury, drove down and instructed Gerardus Crows to hold an inquest. Harding was last seen alive early Christmas morning crossing the Ormocote bridge. His sudden disappearance created considerable excitement. A coroner's jury has rendered a verdict of accidental death.

The Hessian fly, the chinch bug and the cut worm are doing much damage to growing crops in Indiana and Illinois.

At the General Assembly of the United Presbyterian church in Pittsburg on Thursday, Rev. Dr. J. B. McMichael, president of Monmouth College, was elected moderator by acclamation.

The decision in the Washington Supreme Court in the income tax case will necessitate a refund of \$73,000 to those who have paid their tax. The United States deficit at present is \$31,043,284.

A translation has been given out by the apostolic legation at Washington of an encyclical letter from the Pope addressed to the heads of Catholic churches throughout the world. It is a plea for universal prayer, looking to the unity of Christendom, to be offered before and on Pentecost.

At New York on Thursday evening, David F. Hannigan shot and mortally wounded Solomon H. Mann, manager of a Fifth Avenue tailoring establishment. Mann is alleged to have betrayed Hannigan's nineteen-year-old sister, who died recently under distressing circumstances, when her brother vowed vengeance against her betrayer.

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MARRIAGES.

RAFFERTY-HARRIS.—At Mahone Bay, May 11th, by Rev. H. N. Shaw, George Rafferty to Miss Harris, all of Mahone Bay.

MAIR-MATTHEWS.—At Hantsport, N. S., May 14, by Elder P. D. Nowlan, Archie Mair to Hannah Matthews, both of Hantsport.

PELLERIN-CARVER.—At Oxford, May 22nd, by Elder P. D. Nowlan, Arthur W. Pellerin to Lydia Carver, both of Oxford.

CHEN-CAREY.—At Fairview, Cornwallis, May 24th, by the Rev. J. L. Reed, Havelock Chen to Susie, daughter of Deacon Frank Carey.

SMITH-WILSON.—At Milltown, Maine, May 15th, by Rev. F. S. Todd, Willie S. Smith to Florence Wilson, all of Oak Bay, Charlotte Co., N. B.

GOUGHES-EATON.—At the home of the bride's brother, Chas. E. Eaton, Boston, March 22nd, by Rev. Everett D. Burr, Frank Goughes to Adelia E. Eaton.

WALL-ALLEN.—At the McKay Home, Fairview, May 14th, by Rev. A. H. Lavers, John L. Wall to Amelia Allen, both of Boyfield, West Co., N. B.

MCNEIL-FREED.—At the residence of the officiating minister, Woodstock, on the 22nd, by the Revs. Thos. Todd, E. A. McNeil to Emma Freed, all of Canterbury, County of York.

STEARNS-HALL.—At the residence of the officiating minister, Rev. John Miles, May 13th, Gregor Stearns of Boyfield, Guys Co., to Blanche Hall, of River Side, Guys Co., N. S.

WALLACE-McPETERS.—At the residence of Mr. A. Gross Surrey, on the 18th inst., by Rev. W. Camp, John F. Young, eldest son of John Wallace, Esq., to Emma E. McPeters, both of Hillsboro', N. B.

CORRY-CORRY.—At the residence of Mr. Rev. W. Keith, Havelock, Mineral Springs, Kings Co., N. B., May 15th, by Pastor N. A. McNeill, Freeman J. Corry and Mabel C. Corry, of New Canada, Queens Co., N. B.

DEATHS.

TEPPE.—At Stronach Mt., May 12, of paralysis, Owen de Forest Teppe, aged 12 years.

PICK.—At Black River, on the 18th inst., Milford A. son of James E. and Alice Pick.

DANLEY.—At Blackville, North Co., N. B., May 3rd, Mrs. Charles Danley, aged 83 years, May God comfort the sorrowing ones.

BAXTER.—At North East Margaree, May 28th, George Baxter, aged 3 years and nine months, son of Albert and Eunice Ingraham.

FERGUSON.—At Charlottetown, May 3, Mrs. James Ferguson, aged 77. She remained a consistent member of the church, a quiet christian life, a faithful mother is much missed. Her end was peace in Christ.

KING.—At Wareham, Mass., May 25th, aged 29 years, Abigail, beloved wife of Dennis King, and youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David Higgins, of North Moncton, Col. Co., N. S. Her decease was laid to rest in the Onslow burial-ground May 10.

STEVENS.—At Dawson Settlement, At. Ont., April 29, Mrs. Hannah Stevens, in her 78th year. Sister Stevens has been a believer in Christ for many years and her last days were days of triumphant faith, patiently waiting for her Lord to come.

BAKER.—At Margeritville, Annapolis Co., N. S., May 10, drowned in water barrel, Leonard B. A. second son of Capt. Simpson and Josephine Baker, aged 30 years and 13 days. The bereaved family have the sympathy of the entire community in their deep affliction.

MARSHALL.—At Port Louis, April 20, Mrs. Rachel Marshall widow of the late John Marshall, aged 84. For 27 years this aged lady has been a member of the Willnot Mountain church, having been baptized by the Rev. John Chase in 1828. She showed by her life that she knew the grace of God and gave much evidence that she has gone to be forever with Him.

BENT.—At Arlington, Annapolis Co., May 6, Lydia, beloved wife of James Bent, aged 73 years. For 18 years she had been an invalid who bore her sufferings with patience and resignation. Although she had never publicly professed faith in Christ, yet she showed in her life and at the time of her death that she new the Lord to be the only ground of hope for needy souls. A sorrowing husband and family, and many relatives mourn, but not without hope.

BENT.—At Belle Isle, Annapolis Co., 11th inst., suddenly of apoplexy, Mary Amelia Bent, aged 62. Death did not find her unprepared, she being one of the most consistent members of the Granville Centre branch of the Bridgetown Baptist church. We laid her remains away in the family burying ground, on Sunday 12th, a multitude coming to the house to show their esteemed respect to dead and living. She has always been an active supporter in the cause of her Lord and a wise counsellor. In the home which she has left she will be greatly missed, and in the church we mourn our loss.

MCLEAN.—At Little Sands, P. E. I., April 15, after a few days of intense suffering, Deacon John McLean, aged 79 years and six months. Bro. McLean was baptized in the fellowship of the Murray River church November 1879, of which church he was a faithful member until he exchanged the earthly for the heavenly. Formerly Bro. McLean was a member of the Presbyterian Body, but by a prayerful study of God's word he was led to follow his Lord in baptism. Soon after his baptism, Bro. McLean was appointed a deacon of the Murray River church, which office he filled with credit to himself and profit to the church.



WILSON.—On April 20th at Steeves Mt., West Co., Deacon Amos Wilson, in the 70th year of his age.

He was a man who does not sympathize with his wife at this season. All the jokers—they are all men of course—picture the woe of man in house-cleaning time. But how about the women? Is it fun for them? You great strong healthy men, who kick because your comfort is a little disturbed. What about your wives? Don't you know that their more delicate organization suffers a hundred fold more? They have all the trouble and worry. It wears them out, and when they chance to be (trifling) you get in a dreadful temper, perhaps.

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BROWN.—At Yarmouth, May 14th, Mrs. Sarah Brown, widow of the late Capt. Robert Brown and daughter of the late Rev. Father Harris Harding, died at her home at the advanced age of 92 years. Sister Brown was the oldest member of the First Baptist church of this town, having lived in its fellowship more than half a century. She died in the triumph of the christian faith, and in honor of her most righteous God. Her remains were buried from the old church of which her father was founder and so many years pastor. A large circle of friends assembled to honor the memory of this aged servant of our Lord. The service was participated in by Revs. Foskey, Goucher, White and Miller (Presbyterian).

Read.—At Aylesford, April 26th, Edith, beloved wife of Loring A. Read, son of Rev. James L. Read, aged 33 years, leaving three little daughters. It is a heavy stroke to her and husband, who feels deeply the loss of a true, affectionate companion who possessed every winning quality. She was much beloved and highly respected by a large circle of friends. Mrs. Read was the daughter of Jeremiah Denton of Bechtel. She became a christian when quite young and united with the Upper Sydney Baptist church, where she remained a consistent member until death. It was a great struggle for her to leave husband and dear little ones, but she submitted all to the hands of a faithful covenant-keeping God, and her soul passed into the joy of His right hand.

MURPHY.—At Colchester Springs, Feb. 28, of consumption, Fred Murphy, son of D. B. S., aged 26 years. Dr. Murphy was a young man of more than ordinary ability, and from boyhood was animated by noble ambition and purpose. Graduating with honors from Bechtel, he was a member of the Bechtel, and was throwing his enthusiasm and the influence of a genial disposition into his chosen calling. An extensive and lucrative practice soon rewarded his energy and a happy marriage secured the crown of success. That our brother's career should close at this stage, seems to our dim vision as a life broken in the midst, yet there is much to comfort. Frank was a christian, and his life shows a progress from childhood, bore witness to the indwelling Spirit of God. So we believe and doubt not that in Christ this redeemed life will be found to be complete, perfect, lacking nothing.

MURPHY.—At Bridgetown on the 18th, of consumption, Watson Murphy, aged 34 years. Our brother has been a sufferer for a long time, and last year he disposed of his larger property and retired to a comfortable little home in the town, where with his mother, two sisters and a niece, he spent his declining days receiving all the comfort and sympathy that human hands could supply. But our Bro. had a fuller comfort than earthly friends could give. When but a child he experienced religion and about thirty years ago united with the church at East Boston. Returning to his home some years later he became identified with the Bridgetown Baptist church, of which he has continued to be a prominent member until the Lord called him to his reward. His last words both in the house of the Lord and to his pastor and friends before his death, were those of strong assurance. He was a man of faith. He will be much missed by all. He leaves behind an aged mother, four sisters all members of our church and two brothers to mourn their loss. He has but gone before.

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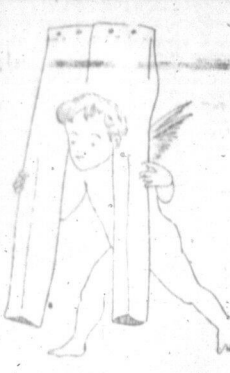
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