# NEWS

Recent Events in Around St. John.

Together With Country Items from Correspondents and Exchanges.

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THE SUN PRINTING COMPANY, saving weekly 8,500 copies of THE WEEKLY SUN, challenges the circulation of all papers published in the Maritime Provinces Advertisers, lease make a note of this.

Woodstock Presbyterians have asked Rev. Mr. Ireland to continue in the pastorate another year.

Ludlow Perley of Lincoln died on Sunday, aged 83 years. He leaves three sons and four daughters.

A. E. Trites of Salisbury, N. B., has taken a contract to ballast the road bed of the Bangor & Aroostook R. R. from Brownville to Houston. Miss Mabel Hawkins, daughter of

Joseph Hawkins, Douglas, York Co., has gone to South Framingham, Mass., to enter the hospital for trained nurses J. I. Godwin says the output of lumber from Albert county this year will

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business with his brother. Egbert W. Brown, a native of Advocate, N. S., has been made a noncommissioned officer in Company L, 9th U.S. Regular Inflantry, in the

Phillipines.

Geo. A. Schofield, treasurer, has received from R. B. Emerson the sum of \$25 for the Home for Incurables. This makes Mr. Emerson a life mem-

Robert H. Atkinson of Amherst is dead. His widow survives him, also two sons, J. Calvin of Fort Lawrence and R. Byron of Amherst, and one daugnter, Lizzie, wife of E. J. Embree.

The death occurred on Tuesday at Annapolis, of Mrs. J. D. Goucher, sister of Rev. Dr. Saunders, of Halifax.

J. M. Wallace and family, H. I Brown, Mrs. Kinnie of Poplar Grove farm and her brother, James Ferbes, have gone from Moncton to the Canadian Northwest with a view of locat ing there.

P. S. Archibald and Geo. McCarthy, C. E.'s, left Moncton on Monday for Cape Breton to lay out and arrange for the building of a branch railway and shipping pier for the Port Hood Coal Company.

It is announced that a new appoint ment was made last week on the staff of Mechanical Superintendent Joughins of the I. C. R. A Mr. Vogl of Albany, New York, has been made chief traughtsman .- Moncton Times.

Sch. Ravola, Capt. Forsythe, arrived at Grenada on the 24th ult. from Wilmington. She made the passage in 15 days. After discharging her cargo the Ravola will go to Mata, Cuba, for a cargo of cocoanuts, which she will carry to New York.

Alfred Gordon, B. A., of Alberton, P. E. I., an arts graduate of McGill, and formerly teacher in West Kent school, Charlottetown, died in the Montreal General Hospital, May 4th, while undergoing an operation for

Mrs. Letitia Brownell, relict of the late John Brownell of Northport, N. S. is dead. She was a daughter of the late Wm. Hewson, and leaves three daughters and two sons, who reside on the homestead, and Mrs. McClashing Tidnish and John Brownell of

HORSES AND CATTLE have colic and cramps. Pain-Killer will cure them every time. Half a bottle in hot water repeated a few times. Avoid substitutes, there is but one Pain-Killer, Perry Davis'. 25c, and 50c.

The tug boat which E. McGuiggan is building at Courtenay Bay for John his neck in a sling instead of his hand, E. Moore will be launched next month. as he is not wanted there.

A beautiful illustrated booklet, "The Lord's Pruyer in the Sign Language," used by the deaf and dumb, published by the Connecticut Magazine Co., interests hearing or deaf people, young or old, sailing at 15 cents each. Send to F. J. T. Boal, agent, Sussex, N. B.

The faculty of King's College Law School held a meeting yesterday after-noon at which the reports of the exam-inations for the year were received J. Oscar Baldwin, Edmund H. Ritchie and Burton L. Gerow have passed in the subjects for the third year in the

Among the successful students at the Columbus avenue (Boston) free drawing school who received certificates last week was I. P. Coleston, a former resident of St. John. He made 1,500 points for the term, the highest possible. Out of forty-five pupils only eight attained this number.

J. W. McManus of Memramcook has been awarded the contract for the con-struction of the piece of railway in Prince Edward Island from South Port to Village Green, a distance of 12 1-2 miles. Reid McManus, C E., his son, says that about 150 men will be employed in ballasting and laying out the road. He leaves for the island next Monday.—Transcript.

The death is announced at Brandon, Manitoba, of Samuel Cameron. Deceased has been a resident of Brandon for the last twelve years. He was 66 years of age, was for a number of years locomotive foreman at Pictou, N. S., went to Winnipeg in 1882, removed to Brandon twelve years ago, and has since been a locomotive engineer on the C. P. R.

Rev. J. W. Clarke had a sort of matrimonial field day last Tuesday, says the Woodstock Press. He married James T. Lister and Miss Emma Gardner of this town; also Edward Johnson and Miss Emma Peters of Brighton, and Geo. B. Grant of Canterbury and Miss Margaret Westall of Woodstock. On Monday, Frederick Amherst, left last week for Washing- 'Alexander and Miss Jessie Alexander ton Territory, where he will go into of Hodgdon were married by him.

> The annual meeting of the St. Mar tins Telephone Company was held in this city yesterday afternoon. The officers for the coming year are as follows: President, John McLeod, M. P. P.; vice president, W. H. Allan; secretary treasurer, A. W. McMackin; directors, with the above-mentioned gentiemen, C. M. Bostwick, C. D. Trueman and W. E. Skillen. The line will be put in first class shape this sea-

The United States government has granted a pension of \$12 per month to Mrs. Charles Laird of this city, on account of her son, Charles J. Laird, who was a master gunner on the battleship Maine at the time of her destruction in Havana harbor. With back pay, etc., Mrs. Laird has now received Her husband and three children - a from the American government nearly son and two married daughters-sur- \$600 and will have an annual income were looked of

> ter by John Kerr. At Ogilvie's wharf, a place in Kings Co., N. S., on the Bay of Fundy shore, resides a Capt. Ogilvie, who has nine sons. The sons have taken to the sea like the father, with the result that the seven oldest sons are daptains. The seventh son was in Hantsport this week for the first time as master of the schr. Sea Queen. We venture the assertion that there is not another case in the maritime provinces of a father and seven sons sailing vessels as masters.—Hantsport Advance.

> The death of Rev. Richard Avery of Kentville occurred on Sunday afternoon, at the age of 85. The deceased was born in Cornwall, England, and leaves one son. Dr. William Avery of Nebraska, and a widow. During his ministry he had charge of many churches, among which were Halifax, Pugwash, Luneaburg, St. John, Digby, and Aylesford. He was at one time grand chaplain of the Masonic order. On retiring from the ministry he went to Kentville founteen years ago.

The Baptist Foreign Missionary board held its regular monthly meet fing Wednesday afternoon. The secretary reported that he had received a donation of \$500 from a gentleman in Sydney, C. B., who has already given \$1,500 this year, and hopes to give \$500 more. It was decided to complete a bungalow on the field in which Rev. W. B. Higgins is at work. The sec retary also reported on his visit to the ecumenical council at New York. There he met Rev. L. D. Morse and his wife, returned missionaries of the board, who are home on a furlough.

A GENTLE HINT.

(Kentville Wedge.) We have been requested to state that if the young man of this town who visits Kingsport so frequently, does not stay at home, he will have

# PREPARE FOR WAR.

Lord Salisbury's Great Speech at the Primrose League

Must Induce the People to Voluntarily Put Themselves in a Position Defend Their Homes and Country."

LONDON, May 9-The annual grand habitation of the Primrose League was held in Albert half this afternoon. Lord Salisbury, who presided, com-mented on the remarkable change which had taken place in the latter half of the century in the views of the people regarding the empire. They had formerly repelled it as a burden, and that doctrine has been carried to such an extent by men of splendid genius Gladstone—that it had produced a strong reaction, which started after the disaster of Majuba Hill and the death of Gen. Gordon. The death of Gordon had been avenged. Perhaps it was too soon to say the great humil-lation of Majuba had been effected or that the great wrong had been righted, but he felt they were on the road to accomplish that end. Under the brilliant guidance of Lord Roberts, 200,000 soldiers, a larger army than had ever before been sent across the same expanse of sea, were now engaged in reducing to obediency to the Queen those territories which ought never to have been released, and to restoring to South Africa the only chance it had of peace, development and tran-

quility. "Hereafter external affairs will occupy a considerably larger place among the problems we have to solve. Not necessarily because in themselves they are important; but if we look around we can see the elements and causes of menace and peril slowly accumulating, and they may accumulate to such a point as to require our earnest and most active efforts to repel

"I am nervous at using language of such a kind, lest it should be thought I am indicating that something is known to the foreign office by pointing out this possible danger; but I wish most emphatically to say, I have no idea of that kind. The state of affairs as I know it, and so far as the government is concerned, is peaceful. It is impossible to speak too highly of the careful, calm neutrality which has been observed by all the governments of the world.

The premier's remarks were greeted with loud cheers.

Continuing, Lord Salisbury said: "A certain section of their subjects, not, I hope, a very large, though noisy one, has at the present moment a great prejudice against this country. It does not, however, follow that we may charge from year to year. That root of bitterness against England, which I am unable to explain, may be mere caprice to satisfy the exigencies of journalists today or it may indicate a deep-seated feeling which later, we may have to reckon with. There can be no security nor confidence in the feelings of sympathy of other nations except through the efficiency of their own defence and the strength of our own right arm. Everywhere the power of defense in increasing, and who knows but all these things may be united in one great wave to dash upon our shores?"

The premier then urged the necessity of precaution in time, remarking that the material for military aggression was yearly increasing in power and efficiency among every one of the great nations, adding:

"In every race in history the great maritime power has been paralyzed, killed, not by disasters suffered in its provinces, but by a blow directed at the heart. The British navy, of course, ought to be sufficient. But are we wise in placing all our eggs in one basket?

"As to land defence, so far as I can see, in the nature of conscription is not a remedy the country is prepared to accept. Therefore we must induce the people to voluntarily put themselves in a position to defend their homes and country. The Primrose League can do much to foster the creation of rifle clubs. If once the feeling could be propagated that it is the duty of every able bodied Englishman to make himself competent to meet an invading army, we would have a defensive force which would make the chances of an assailant so bad

that no assailant would appear." This statement was also greeted with loud applause. After a resolution urging British subjects to prepare in times of peace so as to be ready to play their part in time of imperial emergency, had been carried by acclamation, the meeting adjourn-

HAS MET WITH SUCCESS.

The many friends of Mr. Wm. N. Poole, formerly of this city, but now of Nelson, B. C., will be pleased to hear that after diligent and successful labor he has attained the position as confidential clerk for Messrs. Taylor & Hanington of that place. While here he was employed with the Ames, Holden Co., but having in prospect the above position he left here about a year ago, and has been successful. Mr. Poole attended the Currie Business University of this city about two years

A very pratty and quiet wedding took place at the home of the bride, 48 King square, on Sunday, May 6th, when Lucy Thersa Covert and John William Peck of Hopewell, Albert Co., were married in the presence of the family and near relatives. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. John Read. The bride was the recipient of many beautiful and costly presents, including several in cash. The happy couple leave in a few days for the land of Evargeline, where Mr. Peck in

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# NOVA SCOTIA NEWS.

WCLEVILLE, N. S., May 7.— Dr. Keirstead has gone to Tovonto, where he will preach the Baccalaureate sermon at McMaster University, and will also attend a meeting of the senate, of which he is a member.

Mrs. Clarence Borden (nee Miss Madlin, formerly of Marysville, N. B.), who has been seriously ill, is now con-

who has been seriously ill, is now con-aldered out of danger. Her sister has arrived from Tennessee.—Mr. Wood-bury of the People's Bank, Wolfville, has been transferred to Woodstock.— I. B. Cakes has purchased a lot of land from the estate of the late Dr. wavey and will build a reside

Mrs. John O. Pineo is visiting her daughter, Mrs. James Harding in St.

Rev. H. R. Hatch on Sunday evening gave an interesting account of his recent visit to New York, where he attended the missionary conference The ordinance of baptism was then administered to five young ladies from the semmary, Miss Margaret Christie, Maud Simpson, Effic Brinton, Edith Manning and Bernice Newcombe. L. Palmer of Dorchester, N. B.,

Bishop, at Chipman Hall, Wolfville.
CORNWALLIS, N. S., May 7.—
Captain William Baxter of Cambring. is building a pleasure boat, 30 feet long, for parties living in Parrsboro. Dr. Jacques has purchased the residence of Harry Martin at Canning. David Corkum of Halls Harbor, died last week. He was forty years of age and leaves a wife and large family. He died of pneumonia. Every case of this disease has proved

visiting his daughter, Mrs. J. C.

fatal in Cornwallis this year. The death of Mrs. Edwin Harris occurred on Sunday at her home in Sheffeld Mills. The deceased had been suffering for some time from stomach trouble. She was seventy-three years of age, and leaves a large family, all of whom reside in Cornwallis.

of whem reside in Cornwalls.

HALIFAX. May 9.—Alpin Grant, the oldest journalist in Nova Scotia, died tonight, in his 82rd year. Mr. Grant was in town this afternoon, visiting one of the newspaper offices for the purpose of giving a news item that F. J. McNab of Halifax, one of the Canadian contingent in South Africa, is now in Woolwich hospital. He passed away suddenly this evening, without a moment's pain. Mr. Grant came from Pictou when's young man and started the British Colonial, a conservative morning paper, Colonial, a conservative morning paper, which continued for forty years. He was appointed to a government position, and when the conservatives were defeated in 1896

he resigned.

The preferential tariff resolution from St. John, asking that a preference he given only to British goods imported direct to a Canadian port, was tonight referred by the city council to the commercial committee of the port, consisting jointly of members of the city council and the board of trade.

LAND DAMAGES AT PENOBSQUIS.

A commission has been issued by the provincial government appointing his honor Judge Wedderburn a commissioner, under the Act of Assembly 49 Victoria, chapter 4, to examine into the claim of Amelia Morton and others, submitted to the legislature during its last sitting, for alleged inhave no precautions to take. Govern- jury to intervale land at Penobsquis, ments may come and go and feelings by reason of the construction of a public highway between the village and the railway station. Israel Gross has been examined, and an adjournment had unto a further day to be named by the judge. Hon. Mr. Mc-Keown is representing the government, and George W. Fowler the claimants.

#### THE LITTLE CASE.

EURTON, Sunbury Co., May 8.—The trial of James A. Little of Jemseg for the murder of Edward Lawrence of Lakeville Corner was begun here today before the circuit court, Judge Hanington presiding.

court, Judge Hanington presiding.

Attorney General Emmerson and C. E.
Duffy represent the crown in this case, and
the prisoner has the cervices of Harry F.
McLeod of Frederictan.

Judge Hanington addressed the jury at
considerable length, going quite minutely
into the cvidence given at the preliminary
examination. His honor's charge to the jury
was very favorable to the prisoner, he intimating quite plainly that the evidence was
scarcely sufficient to warrant indictment.
At the conclusion of the judge's address the
court adjourned until 2.30 o'clock.

### FOR WELL PEOPLE

#### An Easy Way to Keep Well.

It is easy to keep well if we would only observe each day a few simple

rules of health. The all-important thing is to keep the stomach right and to do this it is not necessary to diet or to follow a butus to St. Andrews. The Viking, the set rule or bill of fare. Such pam- other steamer of the line, is at pre-

cus illness, and at the same time mar life has been largely an indoor one, the machinery of the Arbutus. but I early discovered that the way ers or dieting of any sort; on the contrary I always eat what my appetite craves, but for the past eight years' I have made it a daily practice to take ome or two of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets after each meal, and I attribute Tablets.

My physician first advised me to use them because he said they were perfectly harmless and were not a secret patent medicine, but contained only the natural digestives, peptones and this afternoon. diastase, and after using them a few weeks I have never ceased to thank

him for his advice. I honestly believe the habit of taking Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets after meals is the real health habit, because their use brings health to the sick and alling and preserves health to the well and strong."

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A Calais letter says some fine fish are being taken from Chamcook lake.



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ST. ANDREWS.

Accident to the Str. Arbutus.

ST. ANDREWS, N. B., May 8.—The charged the grand jury. He informed, and yesterday afternoon, on the arrithem that no indictments would be an indication of the freedom of the ing relatives at that place, some prochief, General Lord Roberts. He also swung, partly around under the inspoke of the general prosperity of fluence of wind and tide, the smaller da, concluding by directing grand jury to retire to their room, The men were thrown into the water. and if they found nothing to present. he would be pleased to discharge them. On the return of the grand jurers to the court room, Foreman Snodgrass stated that they had nothing to present. The judge then said he had omitted to state in his charge that on taking his seat on the beach he found on his desk in place of the calendar a pair of white kid gloves, placed there by the high sheriff, which showed that the county was clear from crime. He then dismissed the jurors and the court was adjourned

Mrs. Kelgour and her three children, wife of James Kelgour of the firm of Kelgour & Reeman, Winnipeg, Man., arrived here by C. P. R. last week and will remain at her father's (Peter Carroll) until Mr. K.'s return from the Paris exposition.

This morning, when near the Narrows in the St. Croix river, on her regular trip to St. Andrews, etc., the steamer Arbutus's engine broke down. making a great crash, that alarmed the passengers on board. The passengers in the cabin, principally ladies, rushed for the deck, and a male passenger trampled over a lady in his mad rush for the deck. The steamer Jeanette, which was in sight astern, was signalled for, came alongside, and making hawsers fast, towed the Arpering simply makes a capricious ap-sent laid up for spring painting and petite and a feeling that certain fa- general repairs. She will be got on vorite articles of food must be avoidedi. the route as soon as possible. The en-Prof. Wiechold gives pretty good adle ergetic local manager, B. R. DeWolfe, vice on this subject, he says: "I am has already made arrangements for 68 years old and have never had a seri- the conveyance of the mails to the island and for the necessary repairs to

It has been determined that to keep healthy was to keep a healthy anniversary of the Queen's birthday stomach, not by eating bran crack- will be duly celebrated in the shiretown. A meeting was held in the programme of the sports and the appointment of committees to carry out the same.

On his arrival here by C. P. R. tomy robust health for a man of my day, Chief Justice Tuck was met at age to the regular daily use of Stuart's the depot by High Sheriff R. A. Stewart, who drove him to Kennedy's hotel in Mallory's barouche. Deputy Sheriff Chase occupied a seat on the box beside the driver. The chief justice returned to St. John by C. P. R.

P. E. ISLAND NOTES.

Joseph Wightman of Lower Montague is dead. He was a son of the, late Hon. Joseph Wightman, A widow and three children survive. Mrs. George, Platts of Tignish is dead, sged 50 years, leaving her husband, a son and two daughters. Mary Louisa, daughter of John H. Craswell of Clyde Station, died recently, aged 21 years.

of Charles Bridges, of Charlottetown; were married on Tuesday morning by Rev. Robert F. Whiston.

S. F. Tarbush and Sarah, daughter

DON'T TEAR DOWN-BUILD UP. The old-fashioned theory of tearing down disease was entirely changed by the advent of Dr. A. W. Chase's Nerve Fcod, which cures by creating new rich blood and nerve tissue. Through the medium of the circulation and the nervous system they strengthen and invigorate every organ in the human

#### A RIVER ACCIDENT.

BOTTLE OF

No Business for the Circuit Chart - Small Boat Upset While Trying to Connect with the May Queen.

An accident happened Friday af-May term of Charlotte county circuit termen to a small boat which was count was opened at two o'clock to- taking a passenger to the May Queen, day by Chief Justice Tuck. The grand | at the Cinabog wharf, which almost jurors elected Wm. Snodgrass fore- cost the men in it their lives. (tiss man. The chief justice in brief terms | Mayer is the boatman at that place; val of the steamer, he rowed out to preferred before them, which was a her, having in his boat a Mr. Scovil subject for congratulation, as it was of Kings county, who had been visitcounty from crime. He referred to duce and four sheep. The small book the war in South Africa, speaking in was nowed forward of the steamer's eulogistic terms of the commander-in- wheel instead of aft, and as the Queen raft was caught and badly broken When Mr. Scovil, who was not able to swim, re-appeared, he caughtehold of a piece of the wreckage and held himself above water by it. Mr. Mayes seemed to be able to take care of himself for a time. Four life preservers were thrown from the steamer and the captain gave orders to lower the boat. Men on shore had, however, noticed the accident and a couple of small craft were immediately rowed out and the men in the water wererescued. Two of the sheep were also

Mr. Scovil was taken abourd the stermer and supplied with dry clothing by the captain and members of the crew. On his arrival at St. John he expressed himself as being none the worse for the accident. Mr. Maxes was taken ashore to his home.

#### MILITIA CHANGES

OTTAWA, May 10 .- 8th Princess Louise New Brunswick Hussars—To be majors:
Capts. A. J. Markham, vice Alfred Markham, promoted; F. B. Black, vice H. M.
Campbell, promoted 3rd April; 1900. To be
2nd lieutenant, provisionally: R. Seely, gentleman, vice C. J. Milligan, retired, 3rd
April, 1970.

3rd R. C. A. New Brunswick—To be lieut.:
2nd Lt. M. C. M. Shewen, vice F. A. Foster,
Promoted 10th March, 1900.

Tist York battalion of infantry—Brayisional 2nd Lieut. T. R. Blains retires 12th.
April, 1900. To be 2nd lieut., provisionally:
A. O. Booge, gentleman, vice T. R. Blaine,
retired 12th April, 1900. New Brunswick Hussars-To be majors:

The North Adams (Mass.) Transcript of: May 3 chronicles the death of Rev. William Spencer, a brother of Elijah Spencer of Parrsboro, N. S., a graduate of Acadia College, and at one time pastor at Weymouth, N. S.

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