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News Summary.

DOMINION. —The Nova Scotia sugar refinery has declared a half yearly dividend of 2 1/2 per cent. —The price of sugar has advanced an eighth of a cent per pound at the refineries. —Entries from outside for the St. John exhibition are being received in good numbers. —The receipts of dry fish, of late have been very small, in fact hardly anything is coming here from across the bay. —The first vessel of the season passed through the Straits of Belle Isle last week. They were blocked with ice until then. —Gustave Johnson, a lad about 13 years of age, was thrown from a horse and instantly killed on the 10th inst, in this city. —A number of ships have been in Tidnish since early spring loading with deals from Tidnish, Isle Verte and Fort Elgin, not less than ten at a time. —When the Halifax dry dock was pumped out recently 15,000 poles were left stranded and the Halifax people captured them by the cartload. —The Bank of Nova Scotia has declared a half yearly dividend of three and a half per cent. The Merchants' Bank of Halifax declares a dividend of three per cent. —A large deposit of tin has been discovered in Lunenburg County, twenty-four miles north of Bridgewater, which shows a value of from \$16 to \$20 per ton. The ore was treated by a Cornwall, Eng. mill. —The marine examiners have granted foreign trade certificates to the following: Masters, W. H. Coonan, Albert County, N. B.; J. W. M. Hamilton, St. John, N. B.; M. Bates, Ernest Porter and George Robbins, of Yarmouth, N. S. —On Saturday, Mr. James K. Rose showed us a sample stalk from a field of Summer rye on his farm at Overton. It stands 6 feet 5 inches high, is from seed obtained from Kings county, and this growth has been attained in just sixty days.—Yarmouth Times. —Work on the ship railway has been stopped excepting on the dock at Fort Lawrence and the engine house at Tidnish. Charles Morse has finished grading and laid the tracks at Fort Lawrence and no other contracts are entirely finished, but all work is now in such a condition that it can be easily finished next year. —Three men left Davon on Wednesday for Canso with bait. A southeast wind prevailed at the time. The men never reached their destination and have not been heard of since. The carcasses of their boat were picked up next day. They were undoubtedly drowned, the supposition being that their boat was upset. —Ship Sarathian, bound for Grindstone Island to load deals, ran ashore two miles above Cape Enrage on Sunday night in a dense fog. She lay high and dry at low tide. She remained there over Monday when the steamer Arbutus went to her assistance and succeeded in hauling her off and placing her in safe anchorage off New Horton.—Maple Leaf. —Six thousand people saw C. R. Burgess' big ship, Canada, launched at Kingsport the other day. The sale of refreshments in aid of the Congregational church amounted to \$470. The Canada is not only the largest sailing vessel in the Dominion, but is also one of the finest. She is a few tons smaller than the Mailmaid ship, W. D. Lawrence, now owned in Norway, and sailing under the name of the Kommander Swend Foyen. —The Grand Lodge I. O. G. T., of New Brunswick, met in Fredericton, July 7. The sessions are said to have been exceedingly interesting—finances in a healthy condition. The following are the officers elected: Thos. H. Colter, M. P. P., G. C. T. Keswick, York Co.; John Tarley, G. C. Jacksborough; Miss Laura A. Scarver, G. V. T. Stoney Creek; Albert A. E. Pearson, G. Superintendent juvenile tentacles, Apohosung; W. R. Robinson, G. secretary and lecturer, Newcastle; Albert Palmer, M. P. P., G. treasurer, Hampstead; Rev. A. E. Ingram, G. chaplain, Grand Manan. —Just before her bereavement, Lady Macdonald, widow of the late St. John Macdonald, completed her first ambitious literary effort in a series of articles for The Ladies' Home Journal, the first one of which will appear in the August number of that periodical. Last summer Lady Macdonald, with a party of friends, travelled in her private car through the most picturesque parts of Canada, and in a delightfully fresh manner she describes her experiences on this trip in these articles, to which she has given the title of "An Unconventional Holiday." A series of beautiful illustrations, furnished by Lady Macdonald, will accompany the articles. BRITISH AND FOREIGN. —In consequence of the recent Norway accident at Brighton the railway company will re-build eighty bridges on its line. —Mount Vesuvius is again in active eruption, and a torrent of lava is rushing down its side. On July 1st two Brazilians, accompanied by a guide, approached the crater, when a dense cloud of sulphurous smoke burst forth, suffocating one of them and causing him to fall in. The other was rescued by the guide.

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We have again reached the last month of our Convention year. All monies expected to be reported in this year's accounts must be mailed on or before the 31st of July. The wise men from the East brought their gifts of "gold, frankincense and myrrh," and presented them to the infant Jesus. Let us, as redeemed women, at the close of the nineteenth century, not fail in acting as wisely as they, and therefore bring our gifts and lay them at the feet of our risen and exalted Saviour. We still need a large amount, both for the Home and Foreign work, in order to reach the sum voted at our annual meeting. Mrs. MARY SMITH, Treas. W. B. M. U. Amherst, July 7. —Having used Burdock Blood Bitters for General Debility, Weakness and Lack of Appetite, I found it a safe cure." Henry Howard, Brownsville, Ont.

MARRIAGES. ARCHIBALD-McKAY.—At 2nd Falls, July 5th, by the Rev. C. E. Pines, Leslie Archibald and Dora McKay, both of 2nd Falls. McEachern-Fraser.—At St. John, N. B., on the 3rd inst, by Pastor A. E. Ingram, Alexander McEachern to Bertha Fraser. TARRER-MORRIS.—At Sussex, on the 8th inst, by Rev. E. J. Grant, William S. Tarrer, of Hammond, to Miss Morris, of Sussex. WHEAT-NEVES.—At the Parsonage, Bridgetown, N. S., June 30th, by Rev. F. M. Young, Joseph Wheat to Ella May Neves, both of Fort Lorne. FREDERICKS-DEURING.—At the Parsonage, Bridgetown, N. S., June 6th, by Rev. F. M. Young, Joseph Fredericks to Edna Durling, both of Dalhousie. BAILEY.—At the residence of the bride's father, by Rev. P. O. Rees, July 5th, George H. Bailey, to Matilda Sanson, all of Douglas, York Co. STARK-MILLER.—At the Parsonage, Bridgetown, N. S., July 7th, by Rev. F. M. Young, Walter Stark, of Arlington, to Alice H. Miller, of Fort Lorne. BROWN-FILMERE.—At the residence of the bride's mother, June 27, by Rev. L. M. Weeks, R. A. Brown, of Havelock, N. B., to Mary Filmere, of Sackville, N. B. BROWN-HUBBARD.—At the Parsonage, Bridgetown, N. S., June 12th, by Rev. F. M. Young, Geo. W. Brown, of Round Hill, to Maud Hubbard, of Young's Cove. McLEAN-DARROCH.—At Canoe Cove, July 2, by Rev. F. D. Davison, Hugh McLean, to Caroline, daughter of Archibald Darroch, of Canoe Cove, P. E. I. LANE-ROBINSON.—At the residence of the bride's parents, St. John, June 30, by Rev. Geo. O. Gates, A. M., Frederick T. Lane, master mariner, to Edith Robinson. JONES-HANCOCK.—At the residence of Mrs. Hancock, 83 Queen St., St. John, N. B., on the 30th inst, by Rev. Geo. O. Gates, A. M., William E. N. Jones, to Maggie V. D. Hancock. FOSTER-CARMICHAEL.—In this city, on the 6th inst, by Rev. Sydney Welton, Rev. A. G. G. Foster, Esq., of St. John, to Annie C. Carmichael, of Johnston, Queens Co., N. B. LANSAN-MIDDLETON.—At the residence of the officiating clergyman, Rev. Sydney Welton, B. A., on the 5th inst, John Lansan, of Bellefleur, both of Westfield, Kings Co., N. B. HILTZ-HICKS.—On the 1st of July, at the residence of the bride's father, by Rev. W. T. Corey, William H. Hiltz, of Berry, Moncton, to Prudence L. Hicks, of Hicks' Settlement, Westmorland Co. EYNS.—Mrs. Mary Burns, the wife of Mr. James Burns, of Nictaux, departed this life on the 5th of June, aged 78 years. She patiently suffered from indisposition for several years, upheld by a consciousness of her Saviour's presence. She did not fear death, but calmly awaited the summons, assured that it was going. THURBER.—At Central Grove, Long Island, N. S., on the 4th inst, of consumption, Fanny, wife of Chester Thurber, aged 23 years. A sorrowing husband and three little children are left to mourn their loss. The deceased was baptized by Rev. Isaiah Wallace, and was a member of the Freeport Baptist church. DYMOND.—At her residence Macintosh, Moses Dymond, aged 72 years, leaving a widow and a large family of sons and daughters and many friends to mourn their loss. When quite a young man our Brother professed faith in the Saviour, and gave evidence of the quality of his faith by his life of obedience to his Lord and Saviour who remain. VINOT.—At Lunenburg, July 6th, Denison, son of the late Joshua Vinot, aged 15 years. Only last December Bro. J. Vinot was called home. The great grief

of his last hour was the thought of leaving his little family, especially Denison, just arriving at the age when a father's hand to lead is so much needed, but the Master knew, and now the son of many prayers is at rest, for Denny loved the Lord Jesus Christ. GATES.—At Harmony, Kings Co., N. S., May 27, of consumption, Henry P., son of Charles W. and Julia Gates, aged 26 years. Henry was a young man of very excellent qualities, much respected by all who knew him. During his sickness he found a hope in Jesus. At times he experienced great suffering, but never uttered a murmuring word. He passed in triumph to his home on high. May God sustain the afflicted parents. SMITH.—At Wentworth, Cumberland Co., April 24, of typhoid fever, Almira, beloved wife of Perley Smith, aged 31 years. She had found refuge in Jesus some four months previous to her unexpected departure, and was looking forward with expectation to her union with her church of God. She is much missed in her home, in the Sunday school and in the house of God. She leaves a husband and four little children to mourn the loss of an affectionate wife and mother. (Walesian please copy) CAREY.—At Halifax, N. S., June 11, Wesley H. Carey, age 26, leaving a wife and one child. Bro. C. professed faith in Jesus Christ some years ago, was baptized by the Rev. J. W. S. Young, and united with the Baptist church at Margareville. He came to North Kingston three years ago and made his home in that community, and united with the church in the fellowship of which he walked till called away by death. His remains were buried at North Kingston, and a funeral discourse preached by the pastor. ELLIS.—At Lower Economy, June 23, Agnes Ellis, aged 73 years and 4 months. Sister Ellis was baptized by the late Rev. J. E. Cogswell, 50 years ago, and united with the Lower Economy and Five Islands Baptist church, and remained a most worthy, exemplary and consistent member till death severed her membership, to join the redeemed company at his eternal and happy home, to spend her jubilee with Him she has loved intensely for half a century. She possessed a most amiable and patient disposition with a charity that suffered long, and always kind, envied not, envied not, thought no evil, bore, believed, hoped, endured all things. In her early thirst after God she often walked four long miles with her babe in her arms to get where she could hear prayer said to God at a prayer meeting, or even at the family altar of one of the last deacons of the church.



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—THE ORGANIC AND PARTICULAR BAPTIST of the union of the of the Baptist of Engla sation, after a separa of more than 100 English Baptists, an may be fruitful in for the general pro nomination in the union was consumm the General Baptist met at Burnley, on owing resolution a explain the history movement: The Secretary (M fiths) moved: "Th observes with de fervent praise the creasing union among the Lord Jesus Chri answer to His inter guarantee of the Christianity through we call to rememb gratitude the way in us and our fathers in seventeenth century the memories of Smyth and Dan affection, and rejo they and their com taught concerning th in Christ Jesus an faith of the churc That in reviewing o our history we grate the message whic ing us to consider th minating the divisi "General" and "P inaccurate, mislead (2) the hearty and the Baptist County Baptist Union in fusion of the Baptis (3) the courteous deavors of the Bapti and the Baptist U fusion. That while licent to break on religious past that ment goes back to form to 1612, ye (1) the practical ur has been recognize elections to the p 1861-2; (5) the pro efficiency in our fo sion work; (6) th