

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



SUMMARY NEWS.

Dr. Murdoch Chisholm has received the appointment as a visiting physician and surgeon at the Victoria General hospital, Halifax, vice Dr. J. F. Black, resigned. The semi-annual statements of the Bank of Montreal show profits for the half year, after deducting the charges of management and making full provision for all bad and doubtful debts, of \$603,350.24. The European markets will not see any of Manitoba hard wheat this season. The Ogilvie and Lake of the Woods Milling Companies are determined to keep up prices above an export level and the exporter might as well be out of the business. The milling companies want the entire crop and the price out no figure. On these conditions the Manitoba farmer is willing they should get it. A number of Hebrews of this city have organized an immigration association. Mr. B. Meyers is president, Mr. E. Stone secretary and Mr. I. Kominsky treasurer. The object of the association is to assist Jews who land here in a desirable condition to reach their friends, usually in New York, Chicago or Montreal. The association starts with eighteen members. Two are assigned to visit each winter port steamer when she arrives and learn whether any of their countrymen have arrived on her and need assistance. The two gentlemen who will meet the first boat are Messrs. Meyers and Stone. A despatch from MacLeod, N. W. T., today says "Chasoon, or Das Young Man, the Indian who murdered another Indian some weeks ago and has since been at large defying all attempts of the Canadian mounted police to effect his capture, has committed another murder. While in pursuit of the blood thirsty Indian murderer yesterday, Sgt. Wilder, a popular member of the Pincher Creek detachment of the mounted police, was shot and killed. Large parties are out all over the south and west, and if the snow holds they will be sure to run him down. Last Monday week he wounded Corporal Armour of Lee's Creek in the arm. The winter residence and valuable library of Miss Octavia French (Octave Thant), located at Elmwood, Kent, was destroyed by fire Sunday night. The family narrowly escaped. Loss \$12,000.

MARRIAGES.

Stacy-Milroy.—At Tracy Mills, on Nov. 11, by Rev. J. A. Gault, James N. Stacy, to Mrs. Perilla Milroy. Coran-Hampton.—At Carleton, Nov. 15, by Rev. G. W. Schurman, John G. Coran, of Fairville, to Nellie G. Hampton, of Carleton, N. B. Clark-Clark.—At Fairville, N. B., Nov. 11, by Rev. G. H. White, Warren Clark, of Dupper Harbor, to Julia Alberta Clark, of St. John. Butler-Heine.—At Riverdale, at the residence of James Bissar, by the Rev. D. H. Grandall, on the 11th inst, Edward Butler, to Dorinda Heine, all of Chelsea, N. B. Conrad-Corrad.—At Bridgewater, N. B., Nov. 11, by Rev. A. H. G. Morse, A. B. Conrad, formerly of Cherry Hill, to Eva Conrad, of St. John. Cummings-Holland.—At the residence of the officiating minister, Woodstock, Rev. Theo. Tophin, on the 7th, Gracie Cummings, of Woodstock, to May Holland, of Grand Falls, Victoria Co. McNellie-Arden.—At 12 Benedict Court, Worcester, Mass., Nov. 4, by Rev. T. R. Pease, J. Howard McNellie, formerly of Freeport, N. B., to Miss Laura E. Arden, of Worcester. Campbell-Flower.—At New Zion Church, N. B., Nov. 9, by Rev. A. Freeman, Samuel Campbell, of Little River, to Nellie, eldest daughter of Lake and Adelaide Flower. Turner-Brown.—At the residence of the bride's parents, Oct. 28th, by Rev. F. Davidson, George A. Turner, of Fredericton, to Mattie V. Brown, daughter of F. Brown, Marysville, N. B.

DEATHS.

Gardner.—Mr. Sidney, at Boston, Nov. 12. Isaac McHenry, wife of James B. Gardner, and granddaughter of the late J. E. Bill, D. D. Barton.—At Cumberland Bay, Queens Co., N. B., on the 8th inst, after much illness, borne with patient resignation, Isabella, widow of the late John Barton, aged 61 years. Holt.—There was born into Mr. and Mrs. Levi Holt, of Little River at, the week before last, a daughter, and on the morning of the 7th inst, the little one was called to blossom in the beautiful bay. Barton.—At Centerville, Kings Co., N. B., Nov. 1st, of inflammation of the stomach, Minnie DeWolf, youngest child of Edward H. and Clara L. Eaton, aged 11 months and 22 days. "Rafe in the arms of Jesus." Yeo.—At Charlottetown, Oct. 15, Oryl Sydney Yeo, aged three months, and five days, infant son of Wm. Yeo. God's ways are past finding out. "A little child shall lead them," and we pray in this case to a full surrender to Christ. Boylan.—One of the oldest members of the Oberlin church, Bro. Isaac Boylan, of Oak Island, died at his home in October, aged 75 years. Bro. Boylan since he became a Christian many years ago has maintained a Christian character and walk, and all who knew him recognized him as a man of God. Nearly, or quite two years ago, he lost almost completely his eyesight, but was cheerful and resigned. Suddenly the summons came to him, but found his ready. May the God of all comfort sustain the sorrowing widow and son.

HARRIS.—On the morning of Oct. 19th, at her residence, near the late David Harris entered into rest in the 70th year of her age. Her long illness was borne with great patience because sustained by the Lord whom she professed to love years ago. May the consolation of grace be afforded to her sorrowing husband, sons and daughter. GIFFEN.—At Isaac's Harbor, Nov. 2nd, Mrs. Whitman Giffen, aged 57 years, daughter of the late John McMillan. She leaves a husband and four children to mourn their loss. Our sister was a great sufferer for over two years, but never murmured at the Providence of God but found His grace sufficient to sustain her, and passed a way peacefully trusting in Jesus. Crook.—Samuel Crook, died at his home in Lower Deerfield, Yarmouth Co., Oct. 25, after a lingering illness which he bore with unswerving confidence in God, aged 84 years and two months. Many years ago, Bro. Crook professed Christ and united with the Third Yarmouth Baptist church. During all these years, he walked in fellowship with God. He leaves a widow and several children and grandchildren to follow him to the better land by preceding him. Meek.—Fell asleep in Jesus after a lingering and painful illness, caused by cancer in the hand, Thomas Moore, of Leitche's Creek, Cape Breton. Bro. Moore had been a member of the Baptist church at North Sydney for many years. His sickness was greatly assuaged to him. He was by it reclaimed from his wanderings and brought into sweet and abiding communion with Jesus. He leaves a widow and several children and grandchildren to follow when the call comes. He reached the good age of eighty two and leaves a lone brother, Deacon Alexander Moore of George's River, two years older than he. Ross.—Jephtha Ross, M. D., son of the late Rev. Hugh Ross, was called from the home of his adoption in the town of Lunenburg to one of the promised "mansions" of our Lord, on Lord's Day morning, the 18th ult., and his remains were conveyed to the home of his brother, A. J. Ross, Esq., of this town (North Sydney). Less than two years ago this beloved wife of Dr. Ross came to this town to pay her parents a visit and was seized by fever and never allowed to return. After the death of Mrs. Ross the doctor hastened to break the sad news to their children and a few weeks afterwards the eldest daughter, who was then ill, passed away, and now the call came to the father in the home and four orphans are left to mourn. Dr. Ross was a father and excellent physician—a specialist in diphtheria—and his departure makes a great blank, not only in the home but in the community; but we sorrow not like others who have no hope. May heaven's blessing be upon the orphan children. Fry.—At Wolfville, Saturday, Oct. 21st, Charles W. Fry, aged 75 years. The transition of our dear brother was a sudden and stunning blow to his loved ones left behind. For some three years he had been suffering from growing infirmities, especially of growing heart weakness, consequent upon an accident in being thrown from a horse. On the morning of his death, having breakfasted with his family as usual, he walked to the dock to see how the tide was on a little undeveloped stage on pain at the heart, and he turned his steps towards home. On the way he met a neighbor, and while telling him of his feeling of weakness, fell to the ground and expired in a few minutes. The sympathy of the community goes out very tenderly to Mrs. Fry and the family. Our brother was born at Gannan, Kings Co., where also he was converted at 18 years of age, under the preaching of the Rev. J. H. Gault, and some years later he was baptized by Dr. Fry, and united with the Gannan branch of the First Horton church. Later he became a member of the New Minas branch of that church, and ultimately of the Wolfville branch. For a number of years prior to his death, his residence was in Wolfville. He was a man of sterling Christian qualities, but of a retiring disposition. His services in the church were rather those of thought and action, than of speech. As a citizen and neighbor he was highly esteemed. A good man and faithful he has gone to his rest, tenderly mourned by a devoted family, and warmly cherished in the esteem of the church and community. The funeral took place on Nov. 10, at 10 o'clock, Mr. Trotter conducting the services. A large number attended in token of their sympathy and respect. MURKIN.—The night of the day that we buried Dr. Ross the summons came suddenly to the home of George and Sarah Murkin of this town, and he called to his rest and reward their worthy loved son Arthur, in the twenty-fourth year of his age. Arthur had been ailing for some time with that common and distressing disease consumption; but was able to be out to church on the Lord's Day preceding the Wednesday on which he died, and no one listened more attentively than he to a sermon on the text, "As a manure is at harvest, so shall ye have a good fight; I have finished my course, etc." On Wednesday evening he chatted cheerfully to his family till 20 minutes after 10, at which time he went upstairs to his room, retired, and shortly afterwards he was found by his Lord, who was greatly loved and faithfully served, at eleven. To the believer sudden death is sudden glory. Bro. Murkin was one of the choicest young men in our country—a poor but exemplary Christian character. He was converted here and baptized by Bro. Bennett during the great revival in '86. He spent some time in the membership of the Tremont Temple church in Boston, at which time he studied with the life of singleness in view, but failing health compelled him to abandon his purpose but not his mission. He was a missionary in every sense in which he moved. They miss his presence at home. We all miss him, but while we are made poorer by his departure Paradise is made richer. This is the third call that has come to this home within two and a half years—the other two being at the ages of 83 and 33 respectively. The happy call is due to Arthur on the 21st ult. May this series of bereavements be greatly sanctified to the family and the entire community.

N. B. Convention Receipts. Cash received from N. B. Convention, (which has been forwarded to Rev. J. W. Manning) F. M. \$70; York and Sunbury quarterly meetings, \$17.50; some friends, H. M. \$15.53; Back Bay ch. H. M. \$5.21; Macarene ch. H. M. \$7.07; Mrs. Angus McVicar, H. M. \$1; Jas McLeod, H. M. \$1; John Stewart, H. M. \$1; Boesbar ch. H. M. \$4.78; Charles Hanson, H. M. \$1; Bayside ch. H. M. \$9.50; Howard Regby, H. M. \$1; Bartlett's Mills, H. M. \$1.50; St. John and Kings quarterly meeting, H. M. \$6.40; The Bradshaw Trust Fund, H. M. \$221.65; Cookville ch. H. M. \$3; First Canterbury ch. H. M. \$5; Upper Newcastle, H. M. \$3.10; Lower Newcastle, H. M. \$3.70; W. E. Nobles, H. M. \$5; Mrs W. E. McIntyre, H. M. \$5; Rev W. E. McIntyre, F. M. \$5; J. Caldwell, F. M. \$5; Edward I. Perkins, F. M. \$5—\$343.13. Before reported \$365.49. Total to date \$709.62. J. S. Tirou, Treasurer, St. Martins, N. B., Nov. 12.

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Reports show the distress in Labrador is growing greater. Remedial relief works are being started. A hard winter is expected. The Transvaal government has decided to claim one million sterling indemnity from the British South Africa Company to cover the damage sustained by the Jameson raid. Mr. Pat O'Brien, M. P. for Kilkenny city, recently followed the Meath hounds after a fox on his bicycle, was first in at the death, and won the brush. This is the first occasion on which a bicycle has beaten a fox of Irish hunters. Gen. Weyler left Havana on Monday to take immediate personal command in the field his comprehensive operations against the Cuban insurgents which have been in preparation for some months and for which large reinforcements have been made available. The campaign will now be pursued most energetically.

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