# POOR DOCUMENT

THE SEMI-WEEKLY TELEGRAPH, ST. JOHN, N. B., WEDNESDAY, JULY 13, 1904.

# FORMER ST. JOHN MAN AND HIS WIFE AND DAUGHTER ARE DROWNED.

Captain and Mrs. George W. Peck and Their 15-year-old Child, Sarah J., Lose Their Lives in Florida - Family Receives Sad News, But No Particulars.

Brothers of Mrs. Peck are Messrs. C tation. Shipping main had been and ingerity, Cowman, of 18 Cedar street, and Isaac, and and father, he was been raftsman, of 111 Main street; Mrs. T. L.

### LOCAL AND PROVINCIAL

Shediac, which has just issued the first number of its thirty-eighth volume

erysipelas, pulmonary phthisis and stric-

Word has been received that the \$2 a States exacts from aliens, will not be demanded from British subjects who have been long enough in Canada to exercise their franchise and have shown that they White, G. O. C., at camp Sussex, in are Canadian citizens by doing so.

Gurney Division S. of T. has installed Thomas Blanche, W. P.; Mrs. Hoar, W. A.; Mrs. Metcalf, R. S.; Miss Currie A. R. S.; J. Stark, F. S.; C. A. Everett, treasurer; Mrs. I. T. Willis, chaplain; B. Budge, con.; Miss Kate Tingley, A. con.; John Crowley, I. S.; G. R. Stewart, O. S.; Mis. R. Christie, Supt. of R. W.

On Thursday last while Francis, the little son of Capt. Harvey Weston, of the May Queen, was playing with a companion on the Gagetown wharf, he fell over into deep water. His brother, Bruce Weston, dived after the little fellow and brought him to shore not a moment too

in the woods, nine miles back of Musquash village and who came to Fairville Macfarland, has so far recovered as to be able to take the Prince Rupert this

Wm. Ackerman, of Spar Cove Road, a young man, broke his shoulder blade Saturday afternoon. He was a spare motorman on the street railway, and new to the work. When passing another car on the west side he attempted to leap from his own car into the one passing. He fell, and narrowly escaped getting beneval the wheels. Dr. Berryman was summoned and set the broken bone. The injury is considerable to stop but he did not. torman on the street railway, and new to

By Drowned in Likely's Pond. Between 10 and 12 o'clock Monday step-son of William Perkins, 39 Long Wharf, was drowned in Likely's mill-pond. He was paddling round the pond on a small raft, and several women who noticed him advised him to come ashore as he could not swim. Shortly before 12 o'clock, however, Mrs. Brown, happening to look over the pond, saw the boy's body

under one of the wharves. It was partia. ly covered by the water. The alarm was given and the boy was taken from the water at once, but he was dead. Coroner Berryman decided no inquest was neces-

### Cross'ey and Hunter.

The Telegraph is in receipt of a long letter from Messrs. Crossley and Hunter, cessful meetings in this city some time ago. The letter is dated from St. Thomas (Ont.), and records that all the savings of the evangelists, amounting to severe ure of the Atlas Savings & Loan Company

last week. while thirty-five births were

Joseph W. Green, of 109 Pitt street, wishes to thank many friends for their kindly sympathy in his recent bereave ment, the death of his daughter.

Major Arnold, Sussex, and Capt. Good

McBeath, Sandy Point Road, had his arm broken recently by a kick from a horse. Dr. W. A. Christie set the injured

Rev. H. H. Roach, pastor of Main stree Baptist church, will leave shortly on vaca-tion. He is going to the world's fair at St. Louis and will visit Cleveland en route. While in the latter place he will preach in Rev. Chas. Eaton's church.

Edward Hayward, of Moncton, a form I. C. R. driver, but who has been employ ed in the I. C. R. roundhouse there is W. H. Blaney, the man who received take charge of one of the St. John shunt the severe cut in his foot five weeks ago ployes in the roundhouse presented to him a meerschaum pipe and an address.

> visiting the Misses Lizzie and Sussie Cully at Red Head, was driving into town with them, an automobile badly frightened their horse, which upset the carriage, throwing the young lardies to the ground. Miss Tonge and Miss Lizzie Cully were

dollars more for unpaid shares and they have been obliged to mortgage their property, and borrow money to meet their

### A Moreton Scott Act Case.

In the supreme court chambers Saturday, before Chief Justice Tuck, Hector L Landry, of Moncton, on behalf of Henry Cormier, Henry Gallant and Chas. Leger, of Moncton, who were recently convicted of violating the Canada temperance act quash. The order was granted and proceedings were stayed until argument in Michaelmas term before the supreme court en banc at Fredericton.

The case of Carman ivs. Smith was be ing tried Monday. The plaintiff, Miss Amy V. Carman, of this city, filed a bil of Musquash, to rectify a deed, under which the plaintiff contends more land vas intended. The lot of land referred to is in Musquash, and the deed was made ut in the name of Woolford Smith a er Dr. A. A. Stockton, K. C., ap or the plaintiff; Weldon & Mc-or the defendant.

apt. Sinclair. M. P., is to be given ! mions a massive silver testimonia wedding present is to be sent to the Lady Marjorie by the women of Canada through the Women's Council; and the ladies of the St. John Council are joining in this tribute of regard. The Canadian tokes will be a chain of Klondyke gold 65 inches long, the sections of which will be sepa-

CONGREGATIONAL UNION

Sessions at Keswick Ridge—An Instructive Paper on The Catechumenate-Two St. John Men Chosen Officers of the Union

pentance and faith.

The catechumenate was the chief agency by which the Christianity of the first centuries made itself what Lecky calls "the most powerful lever that has ever been applied to the affairs of man."

After speaking briefly of the methods used through the ages, the speaker took up the catechisms in use today. A careful study of the historic catechisms, he said, reveals many serious defects and we must look in other directions if we would find a catechism which would be suitable for our present use Prof. Walker says, "A catechism that would be simple, less technical, more conscious of the gospel message to society and more devotional in tone than the Westminster catechism, would be a valuable instrument for the preparation of the young people for admission into the church and for the instruction of those who are already members."

The speaker remarked that twenty or more such are now in existence and mentioned three in particular.

It is universally admitted, he said, that there ought to be some kind of preparation for church membership. But this is often eglected and the younger candidates are immature in spiritual knowledge and intellectua grasp of religious truth. They need more distinctive instruction regarding the mean ing of the church. Our Sunday schools have many admirable qualities, but clearness of doctrinal instruction is not one of them. We recommend the restoration of catechetical in struction adapted to modern times and the recommend the restoration of catechetical in struction of the maritime provinces, and as a result the young people will be both trained an instructed for the Church of God, ready an early age for intelligent church membership.

Reports were received from the statistical secretary, Rev. G. M. Whyte, and the treasurer, C. E. Macmichael.
Officers were elected as follows:—
Chairman—Rev. A. W. Main, Lower Sel.

Secretary—Rev. J. W. Cox, Truro. Stat. Secretary—J. W. Flewwelling,

John.
Treasurer—C. E. Macmichael, St. John.
Rev. Wm. McIntosh, of Ottawa, Rev. Dr
Hill, of Montreal, and Rev. Wm. Collins, o
Brooklyn (N. S.), were received as corre
sponding members of the union and briefi

### CALEDONIA SPRINGS.

The Great Caledonian Health Resort-Hotel Enlarged, Remodelled and Refitted.

In the Grand Hotel, at Caledonia Springs, between Montreal and Ottawa, o which special reference is made on another page of today's Telegraph, Canada has a resort of great value to those seeking renewed health or who desire to enjoy a season of rest and recreation under the most favorable conditions. The popularity of this resort, since the hotel has been popular hotel proprietor.

The story of the Springs, with illustra-

tions of the hotel, which appears in to-day's Telegraph, is worthy of careful at-tention on the part of all readers.

Bathurst, N. B., July 8-The grand bazaar given by the ladies of the Church of the Holy Family, Bathurst Village, was pieces, was in attendance and added great

The indications are that it will be the present hour of Sunday school opportuniaries yet held. The boys will assemble dity, and realize how God has given us in this year at Hampton and go in by train. The Sunday school the most magnificent systematic Beneficeries—R. A. B. Cohoe.

Large Attendance at New Brunswick Convention at Belleisle Thursday
and Nova Scotia Meeting.

Convention at Belleisle Thursday
and Friday.

In connection with this report concerning the organization of the N. B. Provincial Baptist School Convention. Its officers are:

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A Large Amount of Business Transacted-

Belleisle, July 7-The N. B. Southern

After prayer by Rev. W. C. Goucher

Clerk-C. A. Laubman, Treasurer-Martin Creed. Committee of management-Rev. W

hat the moderator, Rev. W. Camp, and

ountry. To quote the words of Dr. Keirstead, "Dr. Saunders has shown us that the Baptists of these provinces by the ea have had a noble history.

ently published by Rev. Isatah Wallace, entitled, "Autobiography and Revival "Autobiography and Revival Reminiscences." Warm eulogistic words vere also spoken of the work of Dr. Black, he editor of the Messenger and Visitor On motion the report was adopted and spoken to by Rev. A. T. Dykeman, W. C.

Houcher and others. The subject of Christian Beneficence wa everal methods of raising finances for

# After devotional exercises led by Licen

iate H. B. Killan, the association resumed business with the moderator, Rev. C. W. Townsend in the chair.

y Rev. C. Burnett. Some of the things interest contained in it were: The rom Horton Academy was fifty per cent. greater than last year. Mr. Brittain has esigned his position as president of Hor-on Academy to take a special course of tudy; Prof. E. W. Sawyer, associate proessor of Latin of Acadia College, has been popinted to fill his place; Acadia Semi-nary, the ladies' college, has had a most successful year with its banner record of 192 resident and day pupils; the college rosperity with its 117 students, 22 of vhom have just graduated; through the indefatigable efforts of the esteemed president, Dr. Trotter, about \$55,000 has been nent fund of \$100,000, which when raised

emphasizing the need of work among the

ithout hesitancy the whole gospel story.

4. They are developing with great rapid-

6. They will soon be beyond our reach and power. A number of lines were suggested along which the churches can secure the best re-

home atmosphere so spiritual that it would be easy and natural for the children o enter into a Christian life.

2. Sunday school teachers should give hemselves no rest until their scholars are

should make it their constant object to win the youths both to God and to Hishurch. The Sunday school is nothing if not an evangelistic agency.

4. There should be frequent meetings of

onsult together over the work.

5. Every expedient for making the Sunlay school attractive, enjoyable and effi-cient should be emphasized.

7. Let pastors, officers and teachers avail themselve's of every means within reach for the broadening of their knowledge and he strengthening of their enthusiasm for 8. Let all the churches seize upon the

**Provincial Convention** 

President, Rev. D. Hutchins n, ton; 1st vice-president, Dr. G. O. Gates, St. John; 2nd vice-president, J. W. Spurden, Fredericton; secretary, Dr. J. W. Brown, Hopewell Cape; treasurer, Willis C. Newcomb, Hopewell Cape; auditor, J.

J. Wallace, Moncton. This was followed by some

far better. They had not passed into any

They were speaking to us by the benefits they had confered upon us. Every day we enjoyed conveniences and comforts due to those now dead who yet through these blessings speak to us. So it was with our liberties and many other privileges of which we sometimes think all too lightly. Our text reminded us of the triumph of but you cannot silence his testimony. The martyrs of one age are the heroes of the ment and warning while this life of our would soon be over, we might speak fo good or evil in generations yet to come The preacher enforced his thoughts with striking illustrations, and closed with an earnest application of his subject as it bore upon the life and destiny, of his

sions was presented by Rev. A. T. Dyke man. The report was followed by an earn est and inspiring address by the same minister. He was followed by Rev. Dr Gates, who spoke in his usual graceful and forcible way. A collection was taken On motion the report was adopted and the session closed with prayer by Rev. W.

Devotional exercises were held by R. T Allen. Prayer was offered by Rev. W. M. Field. Minutes adopted.

The committee appointed to draft

D. Erwine reported as follows:

We beg to express the high appreciation in which our brother was held by this body. He was a man of strong Christian the gospel and a successful soul winner. For months he fought heroically that dread disease consumption, sending words of cheer to his brethren from time to of cheer to his orethren from time to time in short communications to our re-ligious papers, his faith in God's words testifying of the comfort and strength given to him by His Heavenly Father dur-ing his illness. In all his sufferings, while he longed to preach the gospel of Christ, yet he was resigned to the divine will. At last he passed triumphantly on to the presence of God leaving behind him the fruits of an earnest Christain ministry and the influence of a happy Christian

On motion the report was received and ordered to be placed on the record; a copy also to be forwarded to the deceased wife, Mrs. S. D. Ervine. Glowing tributes tendent of the school at Fairville.

It was decided that the associational and Thursday in July, except when Wednesday falls on the first day of the month

Cohoe were welcomed into the association by the moderator and the session closed with prayer by Rev. A. B. Cohoe.

The meeting opened with the moderator in the chair. Prayer was offered by Rev.

E. K. Ganong. The committee on nominations reported as follows:

H. M. Board—Revs. W. C. Goucher, R. A. Haley, Rev. Allen Spiden. Sunday Schools—Dr. G. O. Gates, J. Titus, J. S. Allaby, Rev. A. T. Dykeman.

# GEE LEARNS THAT THERE'S NO HOPE FOR HIS REPRIEVE.

News Reached Him Unexpectedly That Governor in-Council Decides Law Must Take Its Course—He's Ready to Die, He Says, and Is to Be Baptized-It's Thought Carleton County Sheriff Will Officiate at Execution.

ward will or will not officiate, or where the last act in the tragedy will be. The routine. Several lady visitors read books apposition is that the execution will take for Gee during the day. place early in the morning; that the last scene will be witnessed by but few spectators; that the sheriff will personally perform his duty, and that the hanging will take place in the hall of the jail just interest of prayer with him at 4 o'clock.

he would die without making any state, the stigma of a hanging in Carleton ment or confession of any kind.

The prisoner, who was twenty-three will suffer the penalty imposed by law for

He told Mrs. Bennie Gee recently that sentimental reasons, did not wish to have

Alternate-Rev. B. N. Bobles. Programme Committee—Revs. P. J. Stackhouse, W. E. McIntyre, W. M.

Digest of Letters—E. M. Sipperell. Temperance—Revs. R. M. Bynon, E. W. Ministerial Standing-Revs. J. W. Manning. M. E. Fletcher.

Foreign Missions-Revs. C. Burnett, W. H. White, John Frost. Education-Rev. W. C. Goucher, H. B. Travelling Arrangements - Moderator

After the adoption of the report the emainder of the afternoon was given up o the programme arranged by the com-nittee. A paper was read by Rev. P. J. Stackhouse on The First Fifty Years of he Baptists in the Province of New

Cohoe on The Significance to the Christian Worker of the Modern Theory of Educaon The Second Coming of Jesus.

At the evening session education and ome missions was considered. Addresses were made by Professor Sawyer, the new principal of Horton Academy on Educa-tion, and by Rev. W. E. McIntyre on Home Mission Work.

# Rev. G. M. Young's Departure.

In stating that the Rev. G. M. Young will be greatly missed from this city, we believe

whole community. During his four year's residence here as pastor of the First Methodist church, he has steadily risen in the estimation of his congregation and the public, both as a man and as a preacher. Mr. Young is largely endowed with that rare quality, common sense, and his public utterances have been thus characterized. His sermons have possessed originality, and have been educative not only along spiritual lines and thought, but in other respects as well. The large congregation to which he ministered never lost interest in his preaching, and some of the finest and most touching eulogies on the dead we have ever read or heard have come from Mr. Young when occasion called such forth.

In all departments of Christian service he has been active and zealous, and his manner and conversation have been marked by that sincerity freed from maudlin sentimentality which evidence the kindly gentleman and consistent Christian. Always cheery and inspiring and taking an optimistic view of the present and future, Mr. Young is yet one of these seldom met with people who can truly mourn with those who mourn, and rejoice with those who rejoice. In all his endeavors for the advancement of his sacred calling he has been ably assisted by Mrs. Young, who quietly and unostentatiously did her part and won the affection and esteem of those in the circle in which she moved.

We join with the inhabitants of this city in bidding Mr. and Mrs. Young farewell and trust and believe that the same measure of success that has been theirs while here will continue with them in the future.—Weekly Patriot.



Never Sticks. Requires no Cooking

# CENTRAL NORTON MAN

David Gilchrist, Who Resided Alone, Found Dead by a Neighbor-Immigrant Lad Had Narrow Escape

from Drowning. Bloomfield Station, Kings Co., N. B., July 9.—David Gilchrist, of Central Nor-ton, died yesterday under very sad circumstances. The deceased, who resided alone, in a little shanty on the farm of his nephew, James Gilchrist, complained in paid no attention to him during the day.

In the evening J. Parlee, who called to see Mr. Gilchrist, found him lying dead on his bed.

Mr. Gilchrist was a soldier in the Union army during the late civil war and was in receipt of a pension from the U.S. govern-ment. He is survived by one brother, Dr. John Gilchrist, of the North End, St. John. The funeral will take place Sun-

Middlemore Home, Birmingham, was nearly drowned while bathing in the river on Wednesday. Getting beyond his depth he was rescued with some difficulty after

### Wigs See Weddings

Christie-McCracken. Company, of this city, and Miss Lillian McCracken, formerly of Sunbury county, were married. The bride holds a responsble position with the drug firm of Fair child Brothers & Foster. The weading took place at the home of John B. Mr. and Mrs. Christie will return to St.

## John this week.

Miss Mary Catherine Starkey, daughter, of Patrick F. Starkey, of Montpelier (Vt.) and Charles A. Kane, stone cutter, of St. the ceremony the young couple left for Concord. Boston and Portland Portland

or a honeymoon. Camp Meeting at Berwick The programme of the annual camp meeting, to be held at Berwick, August 5 to 12, has been received. Among the prominent men expected are Rev. C. W. Blackett. Ph. D., president of the Boston Preachers' Meeting, and Rev. 17. Nels, both ministers in the active with of the New England conference of the Methodist Episcopal church.

The Boston schooner Malden. Cantain Ginn, from Hillsboro (N. B.) for Philadelphia with a cargo of plaster, while passing through Vineyard Sound recently, struck on Horseshoe shoal, but floated, apparently uninjured. She was towed to New York in a leaky condition.