

MARITIME BOARD FAVORS UNION OF PROVINCES.

Resolution Moved by W. S. Fisher, of St. John, Passed with Large Majority-- Arguments Pro and Con-- Other Resolutions.

(Special to the Sun.) YARMOUTH, Aug. 17.—At this morning's meeting of the Maritime Board of Trade A. M. Bell brought up the subject referred to yesterday, the neglect of following up resolutions by the board, and proposed a resolution...

DEEP PESSIMISM AGAIN REIGNS AT PORTSMOUTH.

Remuneration for the Cost of the War and Cession of Sakhalin Island Are the Questions Which the Plenipotentiaries Dread to Grapple With.

At tomorrow's session, after article 11 (the limitation of Russia's set power in the far east) and article 12 (fishing rights on the Russian littoral) are discussed...

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POLICEMAN SHOT OBSTINATE NEGRO.

Resisted Arrest After Assaulting Minister and Wife—Latter Will Probably Die.

BALLSTON, N. Y., Aug. 14.—Rev. Bernard Schulte and his wife of New York city were attacked at Mechanicsville Saturday night and probably fatally injured by a negro, who was today shot and killed in Saratoga while resisting arrest.

WILL BE BIG CUT NEXT WINTER.

Estimate of Operations on Upper St. John.

FREDERICTON, Aug. 16.—A leading lumberman stated today that there would probably be between seventy and eighty millions of feet of lumber cut on the upper St. John the coming season.

GROPS THROUGHOUT THE PROVINCE.

Hon. L. P. Farris Says They Are Generally Good But Weather Has Been Too Dry.

Hon. L. P. Farris is in the city on return to his home from Wolfville, where he has been attending the wedding of his son.

P. E. ISLAND FARMER COMMITTED SUICIDE.

And J. H. Hazard, a Prominent Book-seller, Died Very Suddenly.

CHARLOTTETOWN, Aug. 17.—Chuzzleton was shocked today to learn of the suicide this forenoon of Wm. D. Coffin, a respected gentleman of independent means, who lived on St. Peter's road.

ALMA.

ALMA, N. B., Aug. 16.—Dr. and Mrs. Fairbanks and Miss Wilson returned yesterday to Harcourt, N. B.

SUMMER CHOLIC IS HERE.

Doctors report a regular epidemic; they prescribe ten drops of Peison's Nerveine in sweetened water—this gives instant relief.

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FIFTH CONVENTION FRENCH ACADIANS.

Large Attendance at Carquet Proceedings.

Many Prominent Men Are Present—

Some Able Speeches Delivered

—Weather Delightful.

(Special to the Sun.) MONCTON, N. B., Aug. 15.—The fifth convention of the French Acadians of the maritime provinces opened at Carquet today with a large attendance. The weather was everything that could be desired in a most agreeable manner. Among the prominent men present are Mr. Lemieux, representing Premier Laurier, and Messrs. Monk and Turgeon from Quebec, Judge Breaux, of Louisiana; Judge, Senator Forier, Mgr. Richard, Hon. O. J. LeBlanc, M. P.; Hon. C. H. LaBelle, minister of public works, New Brunswick; Hon. A. D. Richard, O. M. Melanson, Dr. B. T. Gaudet, Dr. A. F. Landry, and most of the French Acadian clergy and leading professional and business men in New Brunswick, Nova Scotia and P. E. Island.

About four thousand people were present. The celebration began by solemn high mass in open air. Monsignor Richard, celebrant; Rev. A. D. Cormier and P. F. Arsenault acting as deacon and sub-deacon, followed by very appropriate speeches by Rev. M. Richard, Senator Forier, P. J. Landry, A. Lemieux, Monk, LaBelle, P. J. Veniot, O. Turgeon, Hon. O. J. LeBlanc and others. A good many leave tonight for Tracadie to visit the lazarret. Tomorrow the committee work on the different committees. Three special excursions for Moncton leave at 5 p. m. on the 18th. Many are present from P. E. Island and Nova Scotia. Enthusiastic speeches were made to further interest the relations with consanguinities by uniting more closely to the British flag, as well as to the Acadians lately hinted at. The speakers urged good behavior in every respect as British subjects.

RIVERSIDE SCHOOL OPENS MONDAY WEEK.

Most of the Teachers Have Been Engaged—Formal Opening to be Held Later.

The people of Albert, Albert Co., expect to see their new consolidated school opened by the last of the month. It is altogether probable that the first session within the walls of the new building will be held on the morning of August 28th. This will hardly be a formal opening, for while the programme has been decided upon yet, it is believed that any public demonstration would be better deferred until a later date. Then Mr. Trueman and his staff will have succeeded in getting things in running order and will be in a position to demonstrate the advantages of the new system in many ways. The Sun has already published a detailed description of the school building which is now practically completed and serves as a fitting link between the villages of Albert and Riverview. It stands on an eminence mid-way between the two corners on what is known as the lower road, and just across the railway track. A suitable bridge has been cleared and it is made to say that a more desirable situation would have been hard to find. It is expected that at least four ways will be in operation, two of them requiring double teams. Most of the teachers have already been selected. Mr. Trueman, the principal, is a Mr. Allison man. He has studied abroad and has had marked success in his chosen profession. Last year he was principal of the St. Andrews grammar school. With him as assistants will be Miss Francis Hoar and Miss Marion Atkinson of Albert; Miss Mildred Foster of Riverview, and Miss Bertha West of Hopewell Hill. It is not yet known who will be the instructor in the manual training department.

VICTIM OF BELMONT WRECK SERIOUSLY ILL.

MONCTON, N. B., Aug. 15.—Samuel Taylor, commercial traveller, who has been ill at his home in Sackville for the past five months, was brought to the Moncton hospital today. Mr. Taylor was in the Belmont wreck on the I. C. R. and was badly injured. It is thought the severity of his present illness was due to the shock received at that time. I really think my sister May is stupider than me. Because she said the other day "There wasn't any 'ee' in honeycomb, and spelt it just C double o-m-e!" Of course she's wrong I told her so: "There's got to be a 'bee' somewhere in honeycomb because He makes it, don't you see?" —View Orleans Item.

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TWO THOUSAND PRESENT AT GRAND BALL.

QUEBEC, Aug. 14.—The ceremony in honor of the visit of Prince Louis of Battenberg inaugurated tonight by a grand ball, tendered by the provincial government in parliament house. More than two thousand people were present. The guests were first presented to the prince. Dancing began at ten o'clock. The music was provided by the honor, the prince dancing first with Countess Grey. Refreshments were served during the entire evening.

EDISON'S START.

How the Wizard Got Honored Consideration For His Invention From Telegraph President.

Dr. Norvin Green, for many years president of the Western Union Telegraph Company, once said that but for the dulness of himself and his assistants, Thomas A. Edison might never have obtained the confidence and support of the great corporation. Edison had been trying for months to induce the officials to take up some of his inventions, until they began to regard him as a bore.

WILL NOT REBUILD WITHOUT PROTECTION.

Portion of Albert Village Will Remain in Ashes Unless Water System is Installed.

The village of Albert, Albert Co., has not yet recovered from the serious loss sustained in the fire which a few weeks ago swept out of existence all the buildings in the vicinity of the lower corner. So far there has been no movement towards rebuilding and it is unlikely that any will be made in the near future. The reason for this seems to be that those who have suffered will not risk their money in another venture until some provision is made for adequate fire protection.

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When accidents happen in the home quickly get the bottle of **Doan's Backache Kidney Pills**—always sure, at any time, day or night. A bottle in the medicine chest is like having a doctor in the house. When taken in the morning relieves and cures. Lumbago, backache, rheumatism, neuralgia, sciatica, etc. Doan's is pure, powerful, pituitous. Sold only in sealed bottles under this wrapper. **ACCEPT NO SUBSTITUTE.**

HIS PROPERTY SUNK AT SHILOH.

J. L. White of Grand Falls in Difficulty.

Put \$4,000 in Cold Cash and All His Furniture into "Elijah" Sandford's "Kingdom."

LISBON FALLS, Me., Aug. 15.—J. L. White of Grand Falls, N. B., a prosperous merchant of that town, is here to take home his father, who, with his wife, have left Shiloh. The story is that White, who is a feeble old man of 70 years of age, is a well-to-do farmer at Tracy's Mills, near Woodstock, N. B. He was a deeply religious man of mind, and had been a zealous worker in the Baptist church and one of its deacons for years. Everything went along well until the Shiloh missionaries invaded the quiet neighborhood, seemingly determined on securing as converts those who owned some property. Meetings were held and the glories of Shiloh and the new "Elijah" were pictured to the people.

Following the announcement come shouts of rejoicing, "Elijah" and "hallelujah!" After every eight or ten, choir and congregation burst into song.

Thus music, oratory, the hypnotic spell of speakers and the use of a verbal thought of the multitude, acted like an intoxicant to move hearts and loosen purse-strings.

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AT OLD ORCHARD GIFT MEETING.

Audience in Frenzy Responds to Appeals.

Evangelist Awakens Passion of Giving in Aid of Missionaries—

\$45,264 in One Day.

OLD ORCHARD BEACH, Me., Aug. 15.—The mesmeric power, earnestness and enthusiasm of one man, skilled in the moulding of great gatherings, drew people into a passion of giving, raised \$45,264 at the Christian and Missionary Alliance meetings here today.

LAUGHTER AND TEARS.

The congregation laughed. From all over the grove came the report, "Here's \$100—\$5—\$2—\$15—\$100—\$6—\$100—\$15."

Dr. Wilson then asked those who had been cured at any time of various diseases to rise. They responded as follows: Fractures of broken limbs, 10; heart disease of chronic nature, 12; complete helplessness, 6; cancer, 9; tumors, 6; blindness, total or partial, requiring the aid of glasses, 15.

DOGS SHOULD NOT BE WASHED.

Daily Brushing Will Keep Canine's Coat in a Healthful Condition.

CRIES OF EXULTATION.

Cries arose of exultation and joy at this change of the world's tolerance from Christians to Buddhists.

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WORK AND PREACH.

"Take your money out of the bank, rich man, and give it to the Lord. He pays good interest. Our missionaries are not over-educated. They work with their hands, as well as preach the gospel. They are workers for salvation, filled with the Holy Ghost, and for souls. It humiliates me while it pleases me to see, each year, how their work makes them grow in grace. There is a life of self-sacrifice. Don't you think we ought to thank them? All who do, say 'God bless them.'" "God bless them!" from the congregation.

From the choir: Hallelujah, Hallelujah! "And here is \$50—\$15—another \$15—one thousand dollars! Sing 'To the Regions Beyond.'" "To the regions beyond, I am glad to go, I must go. Till the whole of the Lord 'Every nation may know.' "Blessed song. Let them go. Here is \$35—and \$10—\$15—and here, we do appeal to specify givers, but here is \$1,800 from our beloved branch. All together, everybody, all say, 'God bless Boston!'"

THE NUMBER CURD.

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SOCIAL EVENTS AT ST. MARTIN'S-BY-THE-SEA.

ST. MARTIN'S, Aug. 15.—A party of upwards of 25 persons were entertained Monday evening at the beach to a 10 o'clock supper by Hon. E. A. McKewen of St. John. A large camp fire was built and with baked potatoes and fresh salmon, to which were added other good things, too numerous to mention, enough to feast the appetite of a king, a thoroughly good time was enjoyed.

SHILOH BEFORE COURTS AGAIN.

Hearing Next Friday in Auburn on Dunlap Guardianship Case.

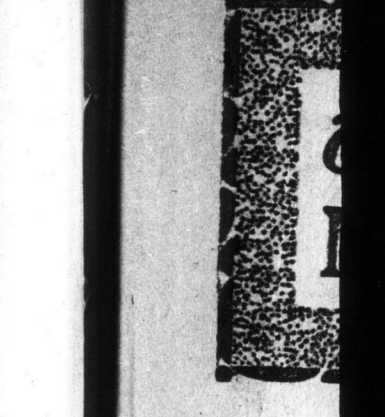
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The shaft of extremely hot sun pointed fish and not far from the shore was neither a bowstring, be a childish man equipped. Jenks could perceive of Dyaks believe would not keep playing an arrow "How do they do it? I will soon be reaching for a "Do not go him. "They ca

The last arrow... we may learn. They will not things all day. Again a tiny them in a grace tell short. Miss most dropped of hand. She picked floor had any found the small "See," she had been dipped in discolored. Jenks frowned, plained his prop spilt prevailed. He had not arrow fell, and trem right of looked through of grass. Three ground and a tree. They were blowpipe. He in- ting an arrow. The others raised Jenks raised warrior in the ground. A companion on jumped into the but the fourth triumphant, and section from his amused himself by firing at the white face. He said that blowpipes will Rainbow Island. But Iria was an "It is very sad are obliged to be by the ceaseless beings. Is there them, no promi tempt them to a

SERMON.

"IF THE LORD BE GOD FOLLOW HIM."

—I KINGS 18:21, 30-46.

Elijah's requirements of King Ahab, that the principal representatives of the ten tribes should gather at Mount Carmel, and with them the 450 priests of Baal, was promptly complied with. Ahab seemed to lose his bravado, and to realize that he was, in a general sense at least, subject to Elijah as the Lord's representative, and that the claim of the latter that the three and a half years of drought was the penalty for idolatry seemed reasonable. He evidently understood that the test of the two religions was about to be made; but since Elijah was only one in contrast with so many priests of Baal, with the host of the idols, and with the king and his courtiers, and since this seemed the only course open to secure the coveted rain, the king seemed to have offered no objection.

The top of Mount Carmel, the place of meeting, was about eleven miles from the palace at Jezreel. It was an ideal place for just such a spectacle as occurred there. It was probably a few days before the Baal would assemble, but when they came together Elijah, in the audience of the people, proposed to the 450 priests of Baal a test to demonstrate whether Baal or Jehovah was God. That the circumstances of the test were so arranged that nothing else than assent to the test, and it was an especially appropriate one, too; for Baal was noted for being preeminent the sun god, the god of nature, fertility, etc. The three and a half years of drought already testified against Baal's power to bless the fields and flocks or his devotees with fertility or fruitfulness, and now, additionally, Elijah proposed that the god who would answer by fire should be proclaimed the real one. The priests of Baal made ready an altar and laid upon it the sacrifice in the morning; then, after their custom, they prayed and implored, sometimes in a loud voice and sometimes softly, the Baal would answer and demonstrate his power by fire from heaven consuming the sacrifice.

CALL DOUBT ON BAAL. OUR GOD "HEARRETH IN SECRET."

As the noon-day sun shone out scorchingly, the altar became hot, but the fat of the slain sacrifice must have been sizzling with heat, and it would have seemed to require very little to have accomplished their object. Tradition says that the Baal would answer and demonstrate his power by fire from heaven consuming the sacrifice. The priests of Baal were noted for being preeminent the sun god, the god of nature, fertility, etc. The three and a half years of drought already testified against Baal's power to bless the fields and flocks or his devotees with fertility or fruitfulness, and now, additionally, Elijah proposed that the god who would answer by fire should be proclaimed the real one. The priests of Baal made ready an altar and laid upon it the sacrifice in the morning; then, after their custom, they prayed and implored, sometimes in a loud voice and sometimes softly, the Baal would answer and demonstrate his power by fire from heaven consuming the sacrifice.

Elijah built an altar in the name of the Lord—that is, consecrated by prayer to the Lord. Presumably he had all the help necessary in its construction, and he added to it a feature not common to altars, namely, that it had a trench round about which he caused to be filled with water from a never-failing spring which is to be found on the slope of Mount Carmel. Four earthen jars (misnamed in the text barrels) were filled and emptied three times, until the whole altar-wood and sacrifice were saturated and surrounded by water. This would be a demonstration to the heads of the tribes were fasting Elijah was praying for the rain and waiting for it. Seven times in all he sent his servants to look in the direction from which the rain storms usually came, to see whether it was anything in the nature of a cloud was visible in the sky, and only at the last did he get the favorable report that his servant saw a sign about the size of a man's hand rising in the west. Here we see beautifully blended the part of God and the part of man in respect to prayer. Elijah did not pray for rain until he understood that the Lord's time had come to send rain; then he prayed with the earnestness and expectancy—with confidence; for we cannot doubt that the one who built the altar and flooded it with water and expected and witnessed the consuming of the sacrifice by fire from heaven would be full of confidence respecting the sending of rain, for which, nevertheless, he prayed. Just so it is with the Lord's people to-day. They are definitely promised as certain things, and these may as positively expect and may appropriately request; other things, however, not promised, we are not apt to expect.

WHERE CHRIST IS HIS WORD IS STUDIED.

This is the key to our Master's words, "If ye abide in Me and My word abide in you, ye shall ask what ye will and it shall be done unto you." For us to have the ear of the Lord it is requisite that we shall abide in Christ—the members of His body, and through Him children of the Father. It is necessary also that His word abide in us—that we study the Lord's promise, that we know what He has promised, so that we may ask only those things which He has already declared to us. He is pleased to grant. Just another suggestion respecting what we may

ask and what we may not request in prayer, leaving the fuller examination of the subject to another time. We may not ask the conversion of our friends, because the Lord has not told us thus to pray. He set us an example, neither did the apostles, and the entire teaching of the Scriptures is to the contrary. We may, however, with propriety pray for wisdom and grace upon our hearts and upon our lips, that we may know how to present the Lord's message clearly and forcefully and convincingly to those we love and desire to see brought under the influence of the Truth. The Lord's arrangement is "I shall make you the Truth, and the Truth shall make you free."

God's arrangement is, further, that the Truth shall not be injected into our minds by some unscrupulous man when this is unnecessary, but that it shall be proclaimed by those who already have learned it. Hence the preaching of the Gospel is the Lord's work, by which He pleases to grant the blessing of His Truth and through His Truth His grace, during this Gospel age, to those who are in a proper attitude of heart to receive the same. Take another illustration: We are not taught to pray for money or for luxuries, but we may labor and ask the Lord's blessing upon our labors, and such guidance of them as would be best, with a heart ready to receive with thankfulness the blessing of the Lord may be best for us. Our only request may be for the absolute necessities as expressed in our Lord's prayer, "Give us this day our daily bread." We may recognize the propriety, "Thy Kingdom come; Thy will be done on earth as it is done in heaven," and may be sure that in the Lord's due time this petition, which has gone up for ages, shall be answered, and the throne of grace shall be answered, and showers of blessing shall come from the presence of the Lord during the second presence of our King, flooding the world with times of restitution of all things.

BE OF GOOD COURAGE.

A general lesson may be drawn from these incidents by the Lord's people of the New Creation to-day. The Elijah-like class have the lessons of courage and faithfulness and trust. Let us be strong in the power of his might; let us speak his word plainly and show forth on every suitable occasion and by every proper means the glories of him who hath called us from darkness to light. It is not for us to vanquish the powers of the Truth and put them to death as did Elijah, but it is for us to stand up and expose the errors and follies which are deceiving the people. The Lord's little ones, as the Scriptures declare, may be mighty through his power to the breaking down of the strongholds of error and to the turning back of the tide of deception and sin from those who are misled by the powers of error. We may receive the Truth, though we are deceived into error and not willingly and wilfully its followers and beneficiaries.

There is a great lesson here, too, for those who are today connected with the evolution theories, and who are being misled and deceiving many in spiritual Israel, who really desire to know the Truth. The Lord is making an exhibit today as between Truth and error, which is a most interesting and astonishing and miraculous as the demonstration made at Elijah's hands. The Truth today is shining out clearly, the sacrifice of the Lord's people is being exposed, demonstrations of the Truth and of the servants of the Truth are everywhere being manifested. It is time for all who have been in any measure of darkness on the subject to scrutinize the evidences carefully and to decide as did the representatives of Israel. "The Lord is God"—and to decline henceforth to recognize the errors of Babylon and the messages of her prophets, which are being demonstrated to be false. It is time for all to come to the question, whether they are for the Lord or whether they are for the worship of false systems and errors. In the language of our golden text, if the Lord be God let us follow him—thoroughly and completely. Let us not only be sincere, but earnest in our religion. Let it take hold upon all the corners of our lives, and as the apostle expressed it, not only direct our conduct and words, but back of this, our very thoughts. To use the language, "Let us bring even our thoughts into captivity to the will of God in Christ."

THE WRONG NAME.

J. L. White of Grand Falls is Not Concerned.

The Sun of the 16th inst. printed a despatch from Lisbon Falls, Maine, relating to certain experiences of Mr. White, formerly of Tracy's Mills, who was said to have lost some of his money at Shiloh in connection with the Sandford colony. In the headline there was some confusion between the name of the gentleman concerned and that of his son, J. L. White, merchant of Grand Falls. The headline did not say that J. L. White was a financial sufferer by the incident, but let the careless reader may have inferred that he was involved, the Sun took this opportunity to correct any misapprehension. The only mention made of J. L. White in the despatch was the statement that he had gone to Maine to take his aged father away. The Sun would greatly regret to learn that any misapprehension had been taken from the despatch which would cause embarrassment or even annoyance to J. L. White.

SENT UP FOR TRIAL

Frank McDermott Committed For Assault.

Hamilton Seemed Unable to Remember Much of What Happened to Him on Poklok.

The hearing of the charge of aggravated assault on Charles Hamilton against Frank McDermott was continued yesterday morning. D. Mullin, K. C., for McDermott, and J. King Kelley for Hamilton, again appearing. Dr. W. F. Roberts said he found Hamilton in the N. E. police station, his face swollen, his nose broken and wounds on his forehead and cheeks. He put seven stitches in the various cuts.

The lacerated wounds could be caused either by the flat hat, but he could positively swear the one under the eyebrow was not caused by the hat; a blunt instrument must have been used.

Sergeant Kelleypatrick gave evidence as to Hamilton being brought to the station, and Dr. Roberts being sent for. Later Officers Merrick and Perry arrested McDermott in the Stetson house. In answer to a question, witness said that officers had reported to him on many occasions of having been called into the Stetson house to quell disturbances. McDermott's reputation as a brawler, and would be satisfied if McDermott would sign the pledge.

Mr. Mullin objected, as his client states that he was not drunk on the night of the assault.

Mr. Kelley said he could not allow the case to drop like that, as the matter was one of the King v. one of his subjects, especially as McDermott had been in prison now for two weeks. He asked Mr. Kelley to put Mr. Hamilton into the box.

Charles Hamilton was then put on the stand. He said he never saw McDermott before the night of the assault, and that he was not drunk, and remembered nothing of it. To other questions witness said "I don't know," or "I don't remember."

Witness, he said he remembered being on the Poklok road that night, and a woman catching him up. She wished him good night, and as far as he could remember passed on. Witness then went down, and shortly after the only thing that he saw was a man coming up behind him and striking him with a club. He would swear that as far as he could remember he was not with any woman in a woodshed, neither did he give any woman any drink.

Mr. Mullin wished his client to stand trial by jury.

After a short adjournment the case was called on for trial by the magistrate the defendant up for trial before the county court of Tuesday next.

SUDDEN DEATH OF CARLETON CO. MAN.

BATH, Carleton Co., Aug. 16.—The schools opened in this village on Monday, the 14th inst., with the same staff of teachers, Miss A. Z. Alward, principal, and Miss Beulah Shaw, teacher of the primary grades.

This community was shocked on Monday last to learn that James Ryan, a very respected resident, had met with an accident which resulted in his death last evening. Mr. Ryan was at work on his new house, when, missing his step, he fell from the top of the second story, striking on his head on a pile of stones. He was thought to be instantly killed, as his skull was broken in several places, but he lingered about twenty-four hours in an unconscious condition until death followed. Dr. Cummins of this place, who was assisted by Andrew Rykie of Woodstock, made the necessary preparation for removing of the broken skull, but held out no hope of recovery. Mr. Ryan was a man of about 70 years of age, and removed from Sunbury county to the new settlement of Knowlesville, in this county, some twenty-five years ago, where by his careful husbandry he erected for himself a fine home and acquired a good property. He came to this place less than two years ago and purchased a large farm. Less than a year ago Mr. Ryan lost two large barns and their contents, valued at \$2,000, on the farm here. He is survived by a wife and six children, all grown up. The youngest son is working the farm here, and a daughter, wife of John McCready of this place, are the only members of the family near.

Among the visitors in town this week have been Andrew Rykie of Woodstock, T. J. Carter, barrister of Andover, and Dr. E. Jewett of Woodstock. Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Woolphor of Millville, N. S., are visiting Mrs. Woolphor's old home here for a few days, as also are Mr. and Mrs. James Squires of Sydney, C. B.

The lumber business has prospects of being very much better the coming fall and winter than last. John Cronin will be the manager of a crew of men and teams for the Torque to work at yarding for Donald Fraser & Sons.

NOT OVER 3,000

Will Leave Here on the Harvesters' Excursion.

The farmers of the Canadian West have asked for thirty thousand eastern men to assist in harvesting this year's wheat crop. The C. P. R. officials thought that five thousand of these men could be secured from the maritime provinces, while the remainder were to be gathered in Quebec and Ontario. If the Upper Canadian provinces do not respond any better than the maritime provinces are doing, the farmers in Manitoba and the territories will be short of help.

A week or ten days ago, judging from applications and enquiries received, the C. P. R. officials here thought that the full five thousand men could be secured, but now that reports from agents are being received, it is seen that this will not be the case. Not more than three thousand will go from these provinces, while it is possible that the number may fall as low as twenty-five hundred.

The reason is that the men are simply not in the country. During past years so many have gone to the States and the Northwest that the country is depleted. Last year there were thirty-two hundred in the western excursions, so that this year the total will be considerably smaller.

The excursion will leave on Saturday next. Special trains will bring to this point the men from Cape Breton and Eastern Nova Scotia points, others from the Valley counties of the Maritime Provinces. The men from the Prince Rupert and the Yukon will be brought in on the regular trains, while those from C. P. R. stations will join the excursion trains on the way west.

There will be no shortage of cars. Sixty passenger coaches have been sent from Montreal to St. John. Some of them are here now, while the rest will all be on hand before they are needed. About fifty-five men will go in each coach, so that thirty cars should be enough for the entire party. These will be made up into four or five trains, leaving here at different hours on Saturday or Sunday.

It is estimated that two hundred men from St. John will leave on the excursion.

DR. BOTSFORD'S SUCCESS

TREATING TUBERCULOSIS

Patients Are Getting Better—Point du'Chene Fugitive Caught.

MONCTON, Aug. 16.—Officer Beley today arrested William Clary, one of the young men wanted for assault on a Norwegian sailor, Olsen, at Point du'Chene Sunday night. The man was separated after leaving Point du'Chene and Clary and another had a camp in the woods near Shediac, where the capture was effected. Clary put up a stiff fight, but was finally overpowered. The three are still at large.

Three small bear dealers, Fabien Vator, S. Robichaud and A. Melancon, recently convicted of Scott Act violation, were taken to the jail at Dieppe today, being unable to pay their fines.

The Moncton Trojans have received a despatch from the Presque Isle baseball team asking for games on September 1st and 2nd.

Dr. Botsford of Moncton, whose papers before the Medical Council on the treatment of tuberculosis have attracted much attention, has had marked success with outdoor treatment. One of his patients, considered a hopeless case, has gained thirty pounds in weight, and the temperature is now normal. Another has increased from ninety to one hundred and thirty pounds within three months. Dr. Botsford is advertising the erection of a sanitarium here. His tuberculosis practice is largely gratuitous.

MR. BURGESS SAVED

HIS SEVEN COWS.

APOHAQUI, Aug. 17.—About 2 o'clock this morning Walter Burgess, a farmer living a short distance out of the village, awakened to find his barn on fire. In it was stored all of this season's hay, a quantity of green oats, nine cows, two horses, a top buggy, express wagon, harness, farming implements, etc. All that Mr. Burgess was able to save was seven cows. He estimates his loss at \$800. There was a small insurance on the barn. The origin of the fire is unknown, but the suspicion is that it tramped had been there smoking, as it was very near the highway.

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Aug 16—Str Leuctra, 1,950, Grant, from Newport, Mass, Wm Thomson and Co, bal.

Aug 17—Str Moonlight, 832, Wilkinson, from Eastport, J H Scammell and Co, ballast.

Str Eretia, 2,255, Muleahy, from Liverpool, Wm Thomson and Co, general.

Coastwise—Sch Ida M, 77, Moffat, from River Hebert; tug Maggie M, 44, Gilchrist, from Chatham Harbor.

Cleared.

Aug 17—Str Phoenix, Larsen, for Brow Head, fo, Alex Watson.

Sch Lota V Chaples, Robinson, for City Island fo, Stetson, Cutler and Co.

Coastwise—Schs Ida M, Moffat, for River Hebert; Economist, 13, Parker, for Hall's Harbor; Venus, Thurber, for Grand Harbor; Effort, Apt, for Annapolis; Matland, Hatfield, for Windward.

BIRTHS.

PATTERSON—To Mr. and Mrs. John Patterson, August 10th, a daughter, DAVIS—Aug. 12th, to Mr. and Mrs. George Davis, a son.

LANGSTROTH—On Wednesday, August 8th, at Somerville, Mass., to the wife of Ernest Langstroth, a daughter.

MARRIAGES.

BUSTARD-MOORE—At Waterford, N. B., Aug. 18th, by Rev. Frank Baird, William Robert Bustard, of Pettitcodia, to Adella Jennetta, second daughter of James A. Moore.

STRAIGHT-FISHER—At the Free Baptist parsonage, Victoria street, St. John, on Aug. 18th, by the Rev. David Long, Benjamin Harley Straight, of Bangor, Me., formerly of Cambridge, Queens Co., to Miss Mary Elizabeth Fisher, of Bristol, England.

BEAL-HEA—At the residence of the bride's father, on Aug. 10th, by the Rev. H. B. Potter, Arthur Beal of Beal's Point, to Florence Muriel, daughter of Arthur J. Hea of Medford, Mass.

DEATHS.

ALSTON—In this city, on the 17th inst., John Alston, in the 70th year of his age, leaving a widow, three daughters and one son to mourn their loss.

HOPKINS—At Crouville, on the 18th inst., after a lingering illness, James Hopkin, aged 72 years, only surviving son of Henry and the late Mary A. Hopkins.

TRACEY—Suddenly at Red Head, on the 18th inst., Patrick Tracey in the 69th year of his age, leaving a wife, a son and three daughters to mourn their loss.

DICK—In this city, on the 16th inst., William C. Dick, aged 65 years, interment on the 17th instant, at Springhill, N. S.

TOOLE—In this city, on 16th August, of cholera infantum, Margaret, aged 8 months, infant child of John L. and Lillie Toole.

(Boston papers please copy.)

NORTHERN—Drowned at Isles Island, Aug. 12th, 1905, Roy, aged 17 years, son of Isaac and Annie Northrup, of St. John.

THORNE—Suddenly, at Chicago, Ill., Anna Sibell, wife of Robert C. Thorne, daughter of the late Richard W. Thorne of this city.

HAMPTON SCHOOLS AND CONSOLIDATION.

Whole Question Will Be Considered By Board of Education—Personal News From Hampton.

HAMPTON, N. B., Aug. 17.—Dr. J. R. Inch, chief superintendent of education, came here today and held a consultation with a number of persons interested in the question of the consolidation of school districts, both for and against, with the conclusion the board of education at its meeting next month will have the whole matter laid before its members, and action one way or the other decided on. Meanwhile the Village trustees are expected to stay proceedings in regard to building, etc. This ratification of Hendricks school district, where there has been no school for a quarter of a century, are opposed to being brought into the union with the Village and Station, finding it cheaper and more convenient to send the few pupils they have to the Station and Passages schools, according to location, and pay the fees demanded for the privilege.

Miss Belle Donald has arrived home from Durham, N. H., where she had been since the railway accident in which she was seriously injured. She was accompanied by Mrs. Grant, wife of Miss Donald's physician, who is staying here awaiting the arrival of Dr. Grant, who leaves Durham for St. John tomorrow, where he will probably remain over Sunday.

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The holding city hall, public buildings, this morning the city of St. John, the oldest had passed to death was a Senator Wark was transferred from result of extra complaint. Wark was in the result of attack he had, when he From the first became evident that he was gradually appearing, the age and yesterday ereed only a n o'clock this m the end was summoned the dying man ed in the la the just waiti Wark was altho "A few minu came he bedside and they were in It was plainl

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