

Local News.

The police report a dangerous hole in the sidewalk on Metcalfe street.

The Boston train was ten minutes late this morning, and the Atlantic fifteen.

The C. P. R. time table will come into effect on the 20th of this month. The winter time-table on the I. C. R. is now on.

The new tug Daniel, which was launched from Hilyard's shipyard, Monday, is moored at Marble Cove, where she will stay, till the machinery is ready to be put in.

Two coal steamers, will sail this afternoon for Nova Scotia ports the Louisburg, for Louisburg via Halifax, and the Haines Hawkins, for Port Hood. Both will return here with cargoes.

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Although the river steamers are not carrying many passengers now, they are bringing down large freights. This morning the Elaine brought down a large cargo of potatoes which sold at \$1.25 per barrel.

The American Locomotive Company, of Schenectady, is now delivering to the C. P. R., at the rate of two a day, the twenty consolidated engines which were ordered some time ago. They will be used at various points along the system.

County taxpayers will require to pay on or before the 15th of October in order to get the benefit of 5 per cent. discount on the levy of 1904. The collectors for Simonds and Lancaster No. 1 will be at the county treasurer's office on Saturday the 15th inst., to accommodate non-resident ratepayers of these parishes.

WILL GO TO SYDNEY, C. B.

Rev. Charles D. Schofield of Hampton Has Accepted the Rectorship of Christ Church.

Sydney, Oct. 12.—(Special).—Rev. Chas. D. Schofield, rector of Hampton, N. B., has accepted the rectorship of Christ Church of this city, succeeding Rev. W. J. Woodruff, who goes to St. Paul's church, Charlottetown. Rev. Mr. Schofield will probably preach his opening sermon on the first Sunday in Advent.

Rev. Chas. D. Schofield, is a son of Rev. A. Schofield, the late manager of the Bank of New Brunswick. He is a graduate of Kings College, N. B., and took a post graduate course, at Leeds University, Leeds, England. After his ordination at Leeds, he was located for a time at Portsea, England, where he was connected with one of the leading churches. Returning to Canada five years ago the first charge he assumed was the parish of Hampton, and in doing so, he has consolidated what has always been a scattered parish. During his residence at Hampton he has accomplished great work. Although only a young man, being but 31 years old, he has shown marked ability. He has been heard in Trinity church, in this city, on different occasions, and always drew large congregations and created the most favorable impressions, by his force fluency and eloquence. Rev. Mr. Schofield has also taken an active part in the work of the synod, and will be very much missed, not only in Hampton, but throughout the province generally. Rev. Mr. Schofield is a brother of Messrs. Schofield of Schofield Bros.

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

At the Royal—H. H. Hoover and wife, Toronto; G. W. McPherson, Yorkers, N. Y.; George Kettle, New York; George W. Chambers, Philadelphia; P. Alexander, Philadelphia; Mrs. Percival, New York; E. Rogers, Toronto; S. A. James, Toronto; H. Denison, Montreal; G. M. Babbitt, Fredericton.

At the Victoria—George Downie, Halifax, W. W. Wallace, and wife, Moncton, R. G. Law, Truro.

At the Dufferin—Gelon E. Lum; Duluth.

At the Clifton—F. W. Bacon and wife, Musquash.

At the New Victoria—Geo. Anderson and wife, Boston; Miss May Lewis, Dalhousie, N. B.; T. B. Keen, Boston, A. M. Amos, Buffalo; Joseph Laverrier, Halifax, N. S.; J. G. Fulton, New York; Mr. Foris and two sons, Charlottetown, P. E. I. David Tapler, Norton, A. L. Baker, Boston; F. E. Smith, Springfield, Mass.; W. A. Newton, Springfield, Mass.

MARINE NOTES.

The Italian bark San Guiseppe is now at New York. She is under charter to load deals here for Bristol Channel, and will sail for this port in a few days.

The Italian bark Giacomina Captain Schraffino will go to sea this afternoon bound on the long voyage to Buenos Ayres, with a cargo of dry lumber shipped by Dunn Bros.

Battle line steamer Matinea, Captain Fye, will sail this afternoon for Brow Head for orders with a deal cargo shipped by the Alex Gibson Company.

The steamship Nether Holme, Captain Corlay is ready for sea, and will sail for Brow Head for orders this afternoon, with deals shipped by George McKean.

MEETING IN WOODSTOCK.

Provincial Convention of the N. B. S. S. Association.

THE ADDRESSES.

President McLean tells of Forward Work—New Field Secretary Speaks—The Committees Named—Visiting Workers Speak.

Woodstock, N. B., Oct. 12.—(Special).—The twentieth annual provincial convention of the N. B. S. S. Association met in the Reformed Baptist Church, last evening.

The music was under the direction of E. O. Excell of Chicago. The Devotional service was led by Rev. J. H. A. Anderson. The chair was taken by the president, Rev. J. M. McLean. After reading the rules of order, the president, gave his report on the work of the year. He welcomed the international workers to the convention and province, and also greeted the delegates present. He said the work of the year has been of steady progress in all departments. He had visited a number of conventions on the north shore and they had been very helpful. The executive committee has done admirable work. The Sunday School tour of May has been of great profit to Sunday School work in the province. Reference was made to the work of the retiring secretary, Rev. A. Lucas and his untiring energy, his consecration and zeal in the work, also to the new field secretary, Rev. J. B. Ganong. Continuing he said:

"We have much to cheer us on in the work. All over the field is being recognized the absolute necessity of S. S. work. Teacher training classes are being organized, the work is steady and healthy, home department is being more and more recognized, and is steadily growing. The workers are giving generously of their time and energy to the work. Sustained effort and willingness on the part of all officers and workers are needed to bring work to its highest efficiency. In the Sunday School he thought it well that teachers would seek to influence the minds of young men so that their thoughts might be turned towards the ministry, and in this way supply a great need."

The president introduced the new field secretary, Rev. J. B. Ganong, to the convention, who addressed the convention briefly saying: "that the work was not sought by him but seemed to be placed upon him, he believed, of God. Carleton county was the cradle of Sunday school work in the province, and there was present tonight the man who was mainly instrumental in its organization, J. P. Parsons. He promised his very best effort in the work."

After singing "Let a Little Sunshine In" Mrs. Bryner was introduced to the convention. She spoke of the vast army engaged in this work throughout the world, of the way in which the work was being extended, and the necessity of all parts of the work being in close touch so that the best work would be done.

E. O. Excell then sang a solo "The World is Dying for a Little Bit of Love." Committee were named as follows:

Credential committee—Rev. L. A. Fenwick, Rev. J. H. A. Anderson, Andrew Miles.

Nomination committee—E. R. Macchum, T. S. Simms, Rev. W. J. Fowth, Rev. T. M. Hubley, Rev. C. T. Phillips, Rev. J. B. Ganong, S. J. Parsons, J. W. Spurden, Robt. Reid.

Question committee—W. C. Pearce, Rev. G. M. Young, Rev. G. A. Ross.

Mr. Pearce, of Chicago, gave an address on the subject "Christ Illustrating the Truth." If you want to reveal truth through illustration, you must see something that is familiar to the one taught; 2nd, you want that truth impressed so that it will stick, by use of concrete illustration. The sources of this illustration were, 1—Familiar life; 2—Home life; 3—Nature; 4—Commercial life; 5—Old Testament Scripture. The principles that these things touched were 1—Christ always took things that were true; 2—If he did not take things that actually happened they were things that there would be no inconsistency in, or else there would be no improbability in them; 3—They were all clear; 4—He chose things that were common.

The convention is in session this morning and receiving reports of committees.

JUMPS THE RATES.

The C. P. R. have decided to cancel the contracts for freight under which Fredericton merchants have been working for some years. Under this decision the contracts will terminate on the last day of this month. The contract is for freight from St. John. The rate was fifteen cents a hundred with a minimum of ten cents. Under the new arrangement the rate will be twenty-five cents a hundred, with twenty-five cents as a minimum. Merchants are naturally disappointed with the action of the C. P. R., and say that their only remedy or redress now lies in a union of the business men to import from Montreal the goods which they have been buying in St. John, and which goods would come in over the Intercolonial—Fredericton Cleaver.

Soft coal landing ex cars, Acadia Pictou lump, Springhill round, Broad Cove and Port Hood, Acadia Nut \$2.25 per load delivered. Ex. yard Scotch Anthracite coal. Dry Rock Maple and Kindling wood. All at lowest cash prices. Tel. 1116. George Dick, foot of Germain street.

THE PULP MILL.

A Toronto Man Told the Mayor a Syndicate Might Purchase it.

A report is current to the effect that the city had received an offer for the Mispic pulp mills but as far as can be learned it is thus far without foundation. A Times' reporter interviewed Mayor White this morning in reference to the matter.

He stated that yesterday Frank Denton, of Toronto, representing an upper Canadian pulp syndicate waited on him. Mr. Denton informed his worship that the syndicate which he represented wanted to purchase the property. Mr. Denton was given all the particulars in connection with the property and left today for his home in Toronto. Mayor White expects to hear from him in a few days.

A SARDINE WAR.

The Fishermen Strike For Higher Prices and Buyers Refuse.

There is trouble among the sardine fishermen. This morning the price was jumped from \$2 to \$5, per bushel. As a consequence the five American schooners that are now in port buying the sardine herrings have refused to buy the fish at that price, and have cleared their vessels for home. Unless the price is fixed before six o'clock at the old rate they will sail for their home ports.

WILL REPAIR HERE.

The Schooner Lavonia Arrives, In Damaged Condition.

The schooner Lavonia, Captain Tower, which was in collision with the schooner Omega off Petite Passage last night, arrived in port this morning, badly damaged during the heavy gale. She lost her anchors, and foretopmast; her hull is broken in and chafed, and her rigging is cut away in places. The schooner was on her way to New York from Port Greville, N. S., loaded with piling, and is 266 tons register. She will make her repairs at this port.

OBITUARY.

Miss Alice Partelow.

Miss Alice Partelow, died yesterday afternoon, at the hospital. She was for several years stewardess on the steamer Prince Rupert but some time ago her failing health forced her to abandon her employment. She is survived by her mother, who resides in the city.

Mrs. Robert Graham.

Mrs. Robert Graham, died at the hospital on Monday. She was a native of Ireland and leaves two sons, three daughters, and one brother, Andrew Little of Toronto.

Mrs. Richard Gendall.

The death occurred, at Upper Kintore, Victoria county, of Catherine, wife of Richard G. Gendall, leaving a husband, five sons, and two daughters. The deceased was a native of Cornwall, (Eng.), and came to New Brunswick, with her husband, in 1870. They lived for some years in St. John, and then removed to Victoria county.

Robert Young.

Harcourt, Kent Co., Oct. 11.—On the 9th, Robert Young, died at Harley Road, near here. He was buried today, Rev. Mr. Freeborn, Episcopal, officiating. Deceased was about thirty-five years of age, and left a wife and six children.

FUNERALS.

The funeral of the late Miss Peirce took place this afternoon, from her late residence, Brussels St. Services were held in the Cathedral by Father Holland and interment took place in the old Catholic cemetery.

The funeral of the late Mrs. A. A. Graham, took place from her late residence, Crouville. The remains were taken to St. Joachim's church, Silver Falls, where Father O'Neil officiated. Interment took place in the Old Catholic cemetery.

A NEW APPOINTMENT.

T. Albert Linton, son of Thomas A. Linton, of Linton & Sinclair, Dock street, merchants, has been appointed a preventive officer at the port, and went on duty yesterday. He will act as stenographer and type writer for collector A. T. Dunn.

PERSONAL INTELLIGENCE.

Mrs. A. H. Ingram, of Campbellton is in the city for a few days, visiting relatives and friends.

Wm. Young of Main St., left on yesterday morning's boat for a trip to Boston.

J. N. Sutherland, general freight agent, Canadian Pacific railway, left on Tuesday evening for Montreal to attend the meeting of general freight agents, on Oct. 12th and 13th.

Thomas Hetherington, ex-M. P., of Cody's, is at the Victoria.

S. S. Ryan, M. P. of Albert county, registered at the Victoria yesterday.

Rev. M. A. Macpherson, of Little Bras d'Or (O. B.), is at the Royal.

W. E. Fawcett, of Sackville, registered at the Dufferin yesterday.

Mrs. Andrew F. Powers has returned home, after a pleasant visit to friends in North Springs (O. B.) and St. John's (N.B.).

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Kitchin have left St. John to make their home in Burton.

Mrs. Frank O'Neil, of Rockland road, and her daughter, Miss Mamie O'Neil, are visiting Miss Ruland at Moosehorn (K. C.).

J. W. V. Lawton, manager of the McLaughlin Carriage Company, is confined to his residence through illness.

WEDDED TODAY.

An Interesting Matrimonial Event Takes Place This Afternoon.

An event to which society has been looking forward with much interest will take place this afternoon, when Gilbert L. Purdy, the popular accountant for Messrs. Andre Cushing & Co., will be married to Miss Mae Bookhout, youngest daughter of William Bookhout of this city.

The wedding will take place at four o'clock at the residence of the bride No. 27 Queen street.

The bride will be unattended, and will wear a gown of gray broadcloth, with passementerie trimmings. Her travelling costume is of blue broadcloth, and hat of blue, with white facings.

The ceremony will be performed by Rev. George M. Campbell, pastor of Centenary Methodist church, and the bride will be given away by J. F. Van Buskirk of Fredericton.

The parlors and dining room have been tastefully decorated with ferns, chrysanthemums and roses.

The ceremony will be witnessed by about fifty guests, most of whom are relatives of the contracting parties. At the close of the ceremony luncheon will be served, after which Mr. and Mrs. Purdy will leave for a trip to Boston, New York, Philadelphia and Washington.

On their return they will take up their residence at No. 27 Queen street.

WAS NOT LOST.

The Report About Loss of Steamer Call Was a Fake.

The morning papers had a despatch from Chatham to the following effect:—"The Chatham steamer, Call, newly built was lost off New London (P. E. I.), with a crew of nineteen men. Mr. Fagar, one of the owners, who had very recently owned the amount of \$18,000 invested, received word of this disaster this morning. He had not a dollar of insurance. Fagar's son was also on board and was lost. The steamer sank Saturday night."

The story is not true. A despatch from Charlottetown to the Times says:—"Believe report a fake. Nothing known here. Message from Rusticoville, New London, last night said S. S. Call all right."

A Chatham despatch adds:—"No truth in report. A telegram has been received from captain of steamer since report was started."

POLICE COURT.

Although there were but four prisoners, on the bench, at the police court, this morning, the magistrate was kept busy.

Two simple drunks were disposed of in the customary manner.

John Lefane, who was given in charge by James W. Smith, for assaulting and beating him, in his barn, on Sydney street, was fined \$20, or thirty days jail.

George Ryan, arrested on Carleton street last night, on a charge of obstructing the sidewalk by standing in the middle of the walk, and refusing to move when instructed by the police; also for assaulting Officer Perry, deposited \$25, and the case will be resumed on Friday morning at 10 o'clock.

Jeremiah Sullivan, who was reported for smoking in No. 4 warehouse, on Oct. 7, was fined \$10 or ten days hard labor.

Charles Roy charged with habitual frequenting disreputable houses on Sheffield street, was remanded to jail until employment can be procured for him, and a fine of \$20 or two months hard labor, allowed to stand against him.

WINTER PORT TRADE.

Charles Pidgeon, the well known Custom House officer at the C. F. E. warehouse, west end, has returned from his vacation much improved in health. He has been visiting Ontario. He says the outlook for winter port business looks bright, and that it is evident that the C. P. R. people think so, because they have enlarged his office by about 15 feet. It is probable that the extra men employed last winter as tidewatermen will be employed this winter again, by the dominion government.

POLICE REPORTS.

The door of Vroom and Arnold's office, was found open, last night, by the police, who secured it with rings and lock.

The police report a dangerous hole on Metcalfe street near Cowan's barn.

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