

## WARD ASSAULT CASE IN POLICE COURT TODAY

**Flatirons, False Hair  
and Personal Clashes  
Are Well Mingled —  
Counsel on Both  
Sides.**

The embroglio between two Ward families but living in the one house in Regent street—got into the police court this morning and afforded entertainment to a large attendance. Several witnesses were examined this morning and at 2.30 this afternoon the case was resumed. Officially there are two charges of assault. The King on the information of Earle Ward vs Roy Ward and The King on the information of Earle Ward vs Roy Ward and The King on the information of Earle Ward vs Harry Jones.

Counsel appeared on each side C. R. Hawkins appearing for the prosecution and F. H. Peters for the defence.

The evidence given indicated that the trouble between the two families had been of long standing and had its origin in enmity between the two Mrs. Wards.

**Flatiron Identified.**

A flatiron which had been hurled from an upper window during the clash between the families, was produced in court. A witness Gordon Parlee living with the family of the informant identified one of three flatirons produced in court as the one which had been thrown at himself by Mrs. Roy Ward. The same witness told of the clash between the two young married women which had resulted in the information being laid and said that false hair had been pulled from the head of one by the other. When pressed in cross examination by Mr. Peters for an explanation of the false hair witness said that it was used for "puffs." The same witness said that he attended the Pentecostal Church. When Mr. Peters asked if that were the Holy Rollers, Mr. Hawkins offered objection to the term and opposing counsel said he had not used the term in a disparaging sense.

**One Was Slatted.**

The statement that one of the women in the case had been "slatted" by someone which was given by one witness called for explanation and spelling.

The allegation was made that Mrs. Earle Ward had been taught to box by her husband and made use of her knowledge at various times.

The statement also was made that the assault charged against Harry Jones occurred while he was pulling Mrs. Earle Ward away from his own daughter Mrs. Roy Ward.

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CITY AFFAIRS  
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**Correction Made.**

The Royal Gazette contains a correction of an appointment made last week in regard to the appointment of Stipendiary and Police Magistrate for the Parish of Burton. The name should be Harry Cannon instead of Harry Carman as the name appeared.

**To Attend Meeting at Sussex.**

Hon. Lewis Smith, Minister of Agriculture, after attending to departmental business here on Tuesday, left for Saint John and from there will go to Sussex to attend the organizing meeting of the New Brunswick Cheese Board of 1926. Harvey Mitchell, Deputy Minister, accompanied him.

**New Contracting Company.**

Stephen Brothers, Limited, with head office at Paris of Kingston, N. B., and total capital stock of \$43,500 is incorporated for the purpose of carrying on business as contractors and engineers. Those incorporated are Mrs. Emma Katherine Stephen, Thomas Stephen, Mrs. Eva Mary Stephen and J. E. H. Reed all of Saint John.

**N. B. Railway Company.**

Globe: At a special meeting in the offices of the New Brunswick Railway Company on Monday, directors were authorized by shareholders to name an option for the possible sale or forest lands in this province owned by the corporation. Montreal directors and officers did not attend the meeting. The directors some time ago considered an offer for the provincial lands of the company and the directors' recommendation was formally laid before the shareholders. The total value of the lands in question is placed at about \$10,000,000.

## REV. F. L. CARNEY PARISH PRIEST HERE 25 YEARS

**Anniversary Marked  
Today — Presentation  
by Children of Parish  
—Reply by Rev. Dean  
Carney.**

Today is the twenty-fifth anniversary of the appointment of Rev. Francis J. Carney to be priest of St. Dunstan's Roman Catholic Parish, Fredericton. This morning it was fittingly observed at the celebration of mass at seven o'clock.

The children of the parish attended service in a body and at the conclusion of the service presented Rev. Father Carney with an address and with a bouquet of twenty-five roses. The presentation was made by Mary Hannon and the address was read by Helen Burns. A large congregation was present at the service.

**Reply to Address.**

Replying Rev. Father Carney expressed his appreciation of the attention shown by the children of the parish and referred to the fact that this was the second parish in which he had been parish priest. It was unusual for a priest to spend so long a period in his second parish.

**Dean of Diocese.**

Rev. Father Carney is the senior parish priest of the Diocese of Saint John. Some years ago he was appointed Dean of the diocese and later became General.

During his long period of service as parish priest of St. Dunstan's Very Rev. Dean Carney has earned the respect of the people of Fredericton. Representative of the sectarian body to which they belong.

**Wedded This Afternoon.**

The nuptials of Mr. Harry Allan Kitchen of Kingsclear and Miss Prudence Amelia Dunphy of this city will be quietly celebrated at the home of Mrs. John Kilburn, Brunswick street at five o'clock this afternoon. The invited guests will be limited to relatives and immediate friends. The couple will make their home at Lower Kingsclear. The bride is a daughter of the late Mr. Edward Dunphy of North Devon and a sister-in-law of Chief Inspector McFarlane.

## PRESBYTERIAL CONCLUDED ITS SESSION TODAY

**Mrs. Nathan Squires of  
Fredericton Elected as  
President — Delegates  
to Conference Branch  
at Truro.**

The organizing meeting of the Fredericton Presbyterial of the Women's Missionary Society of the United Church of Canada closed at noon today after three very interesting sessions Tuesday afternoon and night and this morning. The chief business transacted this morning was the election of officers for the ensuing year.

**Officers Elected**

The election of officers resulted as follows: President, Mrs. Nathan Squires, Fredericton; 1st Vice President, Mrs. W. A. Patterson, Prince William; 2nd Vice-president, Mrs. E. Bell, Fredericton; Recording Secretary, Mrs. R. A. McMillan, Fredericton; Corresponding Secretary, Miss Daisy Weddall, Fredericton; Treasurer, Miss Grace Peters, Devon; Secretary of Christian Stewardship, Miss Helen Young, Fredericton; Finance Committee, Mrs. William Kesson, Devon; Miss Grace Peters, Devon; Mrs. Harry A. Smith, Fredericton; Mrs. W. H. Vradenburg, Fredericton; Miss Helen Young, Fredericton; Strangers' Secretary, Miss Isabel Everett, Fredericton; Associate Helpers' Secretary, Mrs. William Munro, Taymouth; Secretary of Young Women's Work, Miss Helen Taylor, Fredericton; Superintendent of Mission and Baby Bands, Miss Carrie Dunbar, Marysville; Secretary of Mission Monthly, Mrs. Harry Peters, Devon; Supplies Secretary, Mrs. A. T. King, Sheffield.

Delegates to the Conference Branch meeting at Truro June 1st, 2nd and 3rd, are Mrs. V. A. Harshaw of Fredericton and Mrs. Claire Young of Taymouth.

**Inaugural Service.**

The inaugural service of the Presbyterial which marked the union of the women's missionary organizations of the former Presbyterian, Methodist and Congregational bodies into one organization in the United Church of Canada, was held Tuesday night in the Wilnot Church. Representatives of three churches

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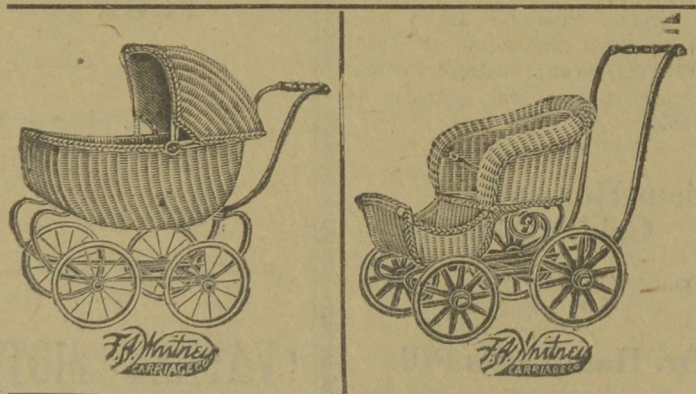
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