

## LOCAL EVENTS.

## The News of the City and Vicinity

## SINCE YESTERDAY.

## General, Social, Personal and Political Items of Interest.

## More Fine Weather.

The weather probs today say: Light to moderate variable winds, fine and warm today and Saturday, and probably Sunday.

## Drowned in the West.

News has been received by Geo. Lyons of Welsford Queens Co., of the drowning of his brother, Ludlow B Lyon in the Spokane river, Idaho.

## Administration Granted.

At Dorchester, the Judge of Probate has granted administration in the estate of Joshua Chappell, late of Baie Verte, to the son of the deceased, G. B. W. Chappell of Fredericton. The value of the estate is \$630.

## Police Court.

The case against Henry Gill of St. Mary's who is charged with the theft of a quantity of grass from a farm at Nashwaaksis, is being tried before Col. Marsh at the police court this afternoon. R. W. McLellan and C. E. A. Simonds appear for the prosecution, and J. W. McCready for the defence.

## Socially Entertained.

Rev. G. R. E. and Mrs. Macdonald of St. John, who are here the guests of the latter's mother Mrs. Tabor, have been entertained at several social events in their honor. On Wednesday evening Mrs. W. E. Smith gave a eucbre party for them, and last evening Mrs. John Robinson held a similar function.

## Shooting at Stanley

Captain Hawthorn, A. E. Massie, D. Lee Babbitt, R. T. Mack, Capt. Winslow, C. H. Allen, C. P. Holden, G. H. Ferguson and Thomas Blaine, drove to Stanley last evening to attend the matches of the York County Rifle Association taking place there today. A team from the R. C. R., composed of Q. M. Sergt. Walker, Drill Sergt. Byers, Sergt. Shaw and several others drove up in the afternoon.

## UNEXPECTED DEATH

## In This City of Wentworth Winslow of Upper Woodstock.

The death occurred this afternoon at the residence of T. B. Winslow, Church street, of his brother, Wentworth Winslow, a well known resident of Upper Woodstock. The deceased gentleman has not been enjoying good health for some time and a few weeks ago underwent an operation at the Victoria Hospital. He was suffering from an affection of the head, and after the operation his condition appeared to improve somewhat. He remained here visiting his brothers, and as late as Wednesday last was driving about the city in company with his nephew, J. A. Winslow.

He had a turn for the worse yesterday morning and declined quite rapidly until his death, which occurred shortly before three o'clock this afternoon.

The deceased was a son of the late Sheriff Winslow of Woodstock, and is survived by three brothers; E. Byron Winslow, K. C. and T. B. Winslow of this city, and Frank Winslow until recently manager of the Bank of Montreal at Chatham, and at present travelling in Europe. He was 67 years of age and a bachelor.

The late Mr. Winslow resided on the Winslow homestead at Upper Woodstock where he carried on quite extensive farming operations. He had a large circle of friends and acquaintances, who will learn of his demise with great regret. The remains will be interred here.

## MARITIME BAPTIST CONVENTION.

## Very Large Attendance at Yarmouth—Some Interesting Statistics.

The Baptist convention of the Maritime Provinces, in session at Yarmouth, N. S., is very largely attended, about five hundred delegates being present.

During both Saturday afternoon and evening sessions foreign missions engaged the attention of the convention. Dr. J. M. Manning, of St. John, secretary of the foreign mission board, reported eight churches in mission lands, twenty missionaries at work or on furlough, fifty-seven native helpers, and a membership of 495, an increase of 111 during the year.

From all sources \$18,370 have been taken into the treasury and \$19,750 have been expended. The W. B. M. Union furnished \$8,875 of the above receipts. A most assuring and heartening evidence of prevailing enthusiasm for foreign missions was manifest when Rev. D. F. Hatt volunteered, on behalf of himself and his church to give \$100 yearly, for five years, to send to and support in India a missionary, if twelve other churches or individuals would make a similar pledge. More than half the required sum was promised, and it is probable that two young men instead of one as intended will go out in September.

The Twentieth Century Fund for missions reported large increase and abundant promise of successful consummation. From a weekling of only a few hundreds in January of this year, when Rev. F. H. Adams became its nurse, it has grown to more than half the size which was intended by its originators to mark full maturity. Of the \$26,900 pledged, Nova Scotia contributed \$13,700.

On Tuesday much of the routine work was got through before the question of Northwest missions in relation to the convention benefactions was taken from the table for discussion. Because the demands of the Twentieth Century Fund was being pressed upon the people, and because a part of this fund was to be devoted to mission work in the Northwest, it was resolved that Superintendent Stackhouse co operate with Mr. Adams and the representative of Grand Ligne missions, and if donors who have already subscribed do not object, \$10,000 of this fund be given to western missions.

Rev. W. F. Parker, of Yarmouth, read the report of the home mission board. Forty-five fields contain 85 churches. There have been baptized 264, and 54 received by letter and experience. Two general missionaries have been employed. Aid has been given to the amount of \$3,173. The treasurer reported \$1,250 balance in hand.

## PERSONAL INTELLIGENCE.

## Movements of People in Whom Our Readers are Interested.

W H Banks, of St John, is a guest at the Queen.

C L Merritt, of Woodstock, is a guest at the Queen.

F S Mordock, of St John, is among the guests at the Queen.

G B Hopkins, of New York, registered at the Queen yesterday.

Rev J S and Mrs Gregg, of Andover, are in the city, en route to Kingsclear.

Rev J J Teasdale is to occupy the pulpit of Centenary Church, St John, Sunday evening.

Mrs T G Loggie and her son, returned last evening from an extended visit to relatives at Pictou, N S.

Rev Willard McDonald and his sister Miss McDonald, returned last night from their vacation to Windsor N S.

Hon L P Farris, Commissioner of Agriculture came up from St John this morning and is a guest at the Queen.

Miss Fannie Brewer, left last evening for Texas, where she will spend the winter visiting her uncle Mr O B Grieves.

Mrs Walter Read, of Marysville is a guest of Dr and Mrs Read at, the Methodist parsonage.—St Stephen Courier.

Miss Olive Inch of Boston, who has been spending her holidays here, is to return to the Hub by this evening's train.

Rev Dean Harris, who has been residing in Fredericton since early spring, expects to spend the winter in the West Indies.

Rev Dr Allan T Hoben, of Wisconsin, who has been spending a few weeks with his parents at Gibson, returned to the west by last evening's train.

George P. Barrett of the Herald office, was a passenger on this morning's boat for St. John where he will spend a few days attending the exhibition.

Governor Snowball, arrived at St John this afternoon, and will open the exhibition to-morrow evening, when he will be joined by his private Secy. R S Barker and Capt Lister A D C.

The Misses Mabel and Nellie Sterling daughters of Sheriff Sterling, left yesterday afternoon for Morris, New York, to be absent two months. They will visit Montreal, Toronto and Niagara en route.

O B Grieves, who, with his wife and family, has been spending some weeks here visiting relatives and renewing old acquaintances, left by last evening's train for Virginia, where he will remain a month before proceeding to his home at Beaumont, Texas.

## A Convenience.

The Herald is for sale every evening shortly after publication at the stores of Miss Dunlap, Cor. Northumberland and Brunswick sts., P. Burns, King st., and A. E. Eardley, corner St. John and King streets.

## ALMOST A TRAGEDY

## Serious Stabbing Affray on Highway Bridge Last Night.

## FREDERICK HARRIS AND ERNEST PARENT BADLY WOUNDED

By a Knife in the Hands of George Donahue.

## AND HAVE LODGED A COMPLAINT AGAINST THEIR ASSAILANT IN THE POLICE COURT.

A serious stabbing affray occurred on the highway bridge about 10.30 o'clock last evening. At that hour George Donahoe, aged 20, an employe of the Douglas boom, who had been spending the evening in town, was on his way to St. Marys when he was accosted by two other young men, Frederick Harris, an employe of Palmer's tannery, belonging to St. Marys, and Ernest Parent, who lately returned from South Africa and also lives at St. Marys.

It is not exactly known what Parent and Harris did to arouse Donahoe's anger, but it is known that they became involved in a quarrel in the midst of which Donahoe drew a jack knife from his pocket and began slashing at his adversaries. Harris, who had clutched with Donahoe, was cut four times on the breast and thighs, and Parent, who ran to the assistance of his companion, received three cuts, two on the breast and one on the right thigh.

After having temporarily rendered both Parent and Harris hors de combat, Donahoe broke away and ran across the bridge, going in the direction of St. Marys.

Parent and Harris, who were on their way home when the fracas took place afterwards proceeded to Wilfred Coombes' drug store and had their wounds dressed by him. It was found that the wounds inflicted by Donahoe were quite deep, and bled profusely, but were not of a dangerous nature.

This morning the victims of the stabbing affray came to the city and lodged a complaint against Donahoe with Police Magistrate Marsh.

It has been learned that Donahoe spent last night at Morgan's boarding house at St. Marys, and went up to the Douglas boom this morning. To those whom he conversed with at St. Marys in regard to the fracas, he stated that he had been attacked by Parent and Harris and had been compelled to use his knife in self defence.

Donahoe belongs to Carlow in the parish of Mangerville, and has hitherto borne a good reputation.

The highway bridge has of late been the scene of a great deal of rowdiness after nightfall, and it is to be hoped that last night's fracas will arouse the police authorities to a sense of duty.

## Royal Palace Tea.

Are you satisfied with the tea you drink? If not, just try a pound of Royal Palace, 40 cts. per pound at G. T. Whelpley's.—d.



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## Unexpected.

THE SUCCESS OF OUR

## CLEARANCE SALE of all Summer Goods

During JULY exceeded by far our expectations.

And as sale is to continue during the month of AUGUST, to make room for Fall Stock, part of which has already arrived, we would respectfully invite inspection of our stock which will be offered at a great reduction.

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