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THE FLAG FLOATS OVER HIS MISSION

Neil Shaw of West River an Evangelist of Note A Hero of the Civil War and a Brother of Alexander C. Shaw of West River—Frequently Visits Home.

The following interesting account of a West River man is from the Boston Globe of a recent date. The Globe also has a photo of Mr. Shaw and his mission building: Few men in eastern Massachusetts are better known than Neil Shaw, evangelist, who resides on Aborn st. and conducts a mission on Pleasant st. He was born in West River, P. E. I. June 10, 1834, and came to this country some 30 years ago. He lived for a time in Sandwich, on Cape Cod, and then settled in this town. By trade he is a carriage builder. During the civil war he served in Co. B, 7th Massachusetts regiment, and is now a member of Union post 50, G. A. R. Since early manhood he has been an enthusiastic Christian, and for a long time went about as an evangelist. He used to be a conspicuous figure in the devotional meetings of the Second Adventists and Methodists. He is now a member of the Episcopal church. Several years ago he became deeply interested in mission work in this town and his first formal innovation was the establishment of a mission in a building on Washington st. formerly devoted to the sale of liquor. Subsequently he opened a mission in the more central section of the town, where he remained until he erected the present mission building on Pleasant st. In his efforts to establish permanent mission headquarters, he was assisted by all of the Protestant churches and by E. C. Swift of Chicago and others. The mission building, which has a seating capacity of 100, is nicely furnished. The floor is carpeted and the walls adorned with numerous pictures. The building is heated with a stove, lighted by electricity, and the seats are all cushioned. There is a pulpit and organ on the platform. All of the local clergymen assist in the services, which are held at times on Sundays and week days, so as not to interfere with regular church services. Mr. Shaw makes a specialty of caring for unfortunate men, and in the winter itinerants are privileged to sleep in the mission building and secure their meals free of expense in his home. He pays special attention to men addicted to intemperance, visiting them at their homes and acting as their friend whenever they are arraigned in court. Mr. Shaw is a member of the 11th Massachusetts regiment association, representing his brother, Colin Shaw, of Co. I, 11th Massachusetts Infantry, who was mortally wounded at the battle of Gettysburg. Every time a service is held in Shaw's mission building an American flag is raised in front of the mission. This flag was given to Mr. Shaw by a Boston man. Mr. Shaw has a wife, son and daughter. Mr. Shaw above referred to is the seventh son of the late Donald Shaw of West River, where his youngest brother Alexander C. now resides. Two other brothers are yet living in the U. S., Ewen in Delaware and Malcolm in California. Mr. Shaw frequently visits his brother at West River where he spends a month or two in the hot season.

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ACADIA UNIVERSITY, Wolfville, Nova Scotia, has conferred the degree of D D upon the Rev. J. A. Gordon, pastor of the First Baptist church, Montreal. Dr. Gordon was born in Prince Edward Island, of Scotch parents, and received his earliest education at the local school of Montague Bridge. He first filled the position of clerk to the court, eventually attending Acadia University. He received his ecclesiastical training at Newton Theological Institute, Mass., and was called to the church of his old pastor at East Point. He has officiated in Yarmouth, N.S., Leinster street church, St. John, and Charlottetown. Two years ago he was appointed to the First Baptist church. He had the degree of M A bestowed upon him by Acadia University eleven years ago and has been a member of the home missionary board, president of the New Brunswick missionary board, president of the foreign missionary board, president of the maritime Baptist convention, and member of the governing board of Acadia College. Since coming to Montreal Dr. Gordon has done remarkably good work in relieving the First Baptist church of its very heavy financial burden. He is much beloved by the congregation to which he ministers.—Montreal Witness.

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