

PROPERTIES

Practical seamanship at Southampton... will be given a few months' experience in the auxiliary patrol...

OBITUARY

John Killen. The death of John Killen occurred at his home, 117 Prince William street, at an early hour this morning...

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Situation Outside City Not so Good, but Expected Few Days More Will See Last Of The Rebellion.

Dublin, Monday, May 1, via London, May 2.—While the situation outside Dublin is not so satisfactory today as in the city itself, it is improving and the authorities expect that a few days should see the last of armed rebellion in Ireland.

Getting Back to Normal.

London, May 2.—An official despatch from headquarters reads: "Dublin is gradually reverting to normal conditions. The work of clearing some small districts around Irish-town is being carried out by an ever-contracting corps."

THE REGUSA WAS LIPTON'S PRIVATE YACHT

Armed Vessel Sunk by Mine was Taken Over by Admiralty and Did Patrol Duty in North Sea.

London, May 2.—The British armed yacht Regusa, the sinking of which by a mine was announced yesterday, was formerly the Erin, Sir Thomas Lip-ton's private yacht. It was taken over by the British admiralty and used as a hospital ship. Later it was armed, and before being sent to the Mediterranean, where it was sunk, was on patrol duty in the North Sea. The Erin conveyed the Shamrock IV to New York for the cup races which were to have been held in 1914.

DAMAGE ACTION IN THE SUPREME COURT

The case of Ida Belle Boddington, administratrix of the estate of Arthur J. Boddington, deceased, against the Donaldson Line, Limited, was begun before His Honor Judge McKeown in the Supreme Court yesterday morning. The seven jurors were sworn in and Alexander McKenize elected foreman. The plaintiff claims an alternative remedy, under Lord Campbell's Act and the Workmen's Compensation Act. The claim is for \$9,360 for damages.

The deceased, Arthur J. Boddington, was working on the steamship Marina, of the Donaldson Line; the steamer was lying in berth No. 4, on the west side of the harbor. On April 23rd, last year, while Boddington was at work, a board that was being lifted by a derrick engine, struck him and knocked him off the deck and down the hold, which was about twenty-five feet deep. He was being taken to the Emergency Hospital when he died. The case was adjourned at six o'clock. Geo. H. V. Belyea appeared for the plaintiff, and F. R. Taylor, K. C. for the defendants.

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BEECHAM'S PILLS

ANNUAL MEETING OF N.B. BRANCH CANADIAN BIBLE SOCIETY AT GAGETOWN

Hon. J. G. Forbes Re-elected President—Reports Show Society Had Progressive Year—Interesting Addresses by Rev. Dr. Morison, Rev. A. F. Newcombe, Rev. H. R. Boyer and Others.

Special to The Standard. Gagetown, May 2.—The annual meeting of the N. B. branch of the Canadian Bible Society was held here today. The afternoon session was held at 2.30 in the Methodist church. The reports submitted showed that the year had been a prosperous one and much work had been accomplished. The following officers were elected: President, Hon. J. G. Forbes; secretary, George Henderson; treasurer, R. T. Hayes. A strong executive was also appointed and a year of aggressive work was planned. Addresses were delivered by Hon. J. G. Forbes, Rev. J. A. Morrison, Rev. H. R. Boyer and others.

Rev. Dr. Morison. In the course of his address Rev. Dr. Morison compared the work of the Bible Society in supplying the Missionary forces of all the churches with Bibles and Testaments in over 400 languages to the part played in the war by the great munition factories of the various countries.

Good Work Done by Rev. Mr. Boyer. Now then tell me where you discover a more important work along the lines of world evangelization and Christian citizenship than this campaign that is being carried on day after day by this society. Tell me, is it not one of the greatest honors that any man or woman might desire to be enrolled as a life member of such an organization? I am more proud of my life membership in this society than I am of all the Academic degrees that I have received.

And now here I conclude what I have to say, let me speak one word of appreciation of our well-known citizens who are doing this work in these provinces. I refer to two especially, Rev. H. R. Boyer, the district secretary, and His Honor Judge McKeown, the president. To have had the best men of such a high caliber and standing in the demand upon all of our people is a heavy and insistent for patriotic cause and the money straits which have been felt in certain quarters, must have involved a tremendous amount of work upon the part of the district secretary. He has travelled through the Maritime Provinces and Newfoundland to which also the Magdalen Islands have now been added, and we all realize what that of itself means. It involves a severe strain upon the physical man, but one who is every bit physically fit. Then think also of the demand made upon his mental powers and faculties. The money details in organization, finance, oversight of collection, distribution among soldiers, the buying of the Scripture in many tongues together with all the correspondence, surely all indicate that a big, broad, highly intellectual man could possibly measure up to these diverse requirements, and all this varied work Mr. Boyer has accomplished with an assistant, surely his work attests both his great ability and his constant fidelity.

Then also let me speak a word of appreciation of our well-known citizens. Judge Forbes. My predecessor in the First Church, Chicago, John Henry Barrows, used to say that "an ounce of faith was worth a pound of epiphany." Let me say then that Judge Forbes has given long and faithful service as president of this society and the "Bible House," located on Bermuda Street, St. John, stands as a monument to his vision and energy and ability.

The District Secretary, Rev. Henry B. Boyer, M. S. T., district secretary for the Maritime Provinces and Newfoundland, gave a helpful survey of the work in New Brunswick

which shall stand and flourish long after many of the present denominations of separate Christian communities have forgotten their distinctive faith and the larger vision of the Kingdom of God.

During the past year. He stated that the province occupied a unique position in that it possessed one of the great harbors of the Dominion. Through this gateway there came every year thousands of strangers to Canada, their intent. The Bible Society is rendering a national service in that it meets these strangers and presents to each a free gift some portions of God's Word in his own tongue.

The Honorable J. G. Forbes, president of the New Brunswick Auxiliary, gave a brief survey of the work carried on by the British and Foreign Bible Society. He emphasized the vital relationship existing between the various Christian denominations and the society. He stated that in 1915 nine new languages had been added to the number circulated by the society, bringing the total to 490; that over 10,000,000 copies of the Bible, in whole or in part, had been circulated during the year, and that of these over 3,500,000 had been given free to soldiers and sailors and prisoners of war, or placed in military hospitals.

Rev. A. F. Newcombe. The address by Rev. A. F. Newcombe, M. A., B. D., dealt with national reconstruction after the war. In the process of national reconstruction, the speaker said, many influences will be at work, many forces will play their part. What will be the place of the Christian Church in this reconstruction? The answer will depend upon the spiritual wisdom, the spiritual strength, the spiritual power which the church will be able to bring to the situation which will present at once an appalling crisis and an unprecedented and superlative opportunity.

Runs a thrill of joy prophetic, trembling on from east to west, And the slave who'er he covers, feels the soul within him climb To the awful verge of manhood, as the energy surges.

Immediately when the stress of the struggle shall have passed, the nations that are worthy of the great days to the serious work of reconstruction. They will be devoted to liberty. The teaching of Scripture regarding the value of human life, and the liberty which each one is entitled to, will be the first and foremost lesson at last in the genius of national life and purpose. In the development that will occur, national plan will be the first and foremost opportunity to accomplish the highest service. The nations which will have learned the lessons of true life, which will have suffered in vain will be able to build on foundations of such foundations alone. In such a system, the Scripture will be allowed to fasten its selfish bonds upon the state, dragging it down to the level of historic corruption. Graft and other forms of political corruption will be fought as persistently as has been the germ and the German. The most gigantic menace to national life and growth, the drink traffic, will be treated as the worst evil among men deserves. The system that encourages industrial unfairness or social snobbery will find little sympathy in the days before us. We shall not be able to forget even if we should be so unworthy as to be willing to do so, that sons of the palace and boys of the cottage lay down together to die on the fields of sacrifice, and that the very opportunity of the world's new day rests upon the fact that rich and poor, aristocrat and plebeian, scholar and unlearned, the industrial lord and the day laborer, were comrades in the fight for liberty. Man is to have a chance because of his worth.

Promotion for St. John Man. W. B. Bamford, for the past six years division freight agent of the C.P.R. here, has been appointed to the same position in Toronto and will take up his new duties on May 15. While his friends here will miss him, they will be glad to hear of his promotion.

Hotel Arrivals. Royal. W. P. Lowell, Quebec; W. F. Humphrey, Montreal; P. Blouin, Quebec; W. E. Stevens, Boston; M. McLeod, Sydney; C. E. Oak, Bangor; J. McKenzie, K. Kuhn, Montreal; O. S. Crockett, Fredericton; W. C. Akhurst, Halifax; W. E. Bell, T. N. Beaulieu, H. V. Ball, J. Wilcock, B. Battle, J. A. VanTilburg, G. Stephen, Montreal; J. H. Stratton, L. Col Grant, J. Allison, L. Gardiner, Montreal; C. Russ, Toronto; Mr. and Mrs. Mosley, London, Eng.; S. D. Simmons, Fredericton; H. C. Read, Sackville; G. P. Stockton, London, Ont.; W. E. Honsell, Windsor; S. T. Coates, Amherst; K. McDonald, Antigonish; J. McPeak, St. J. Trites, Sackville; M. Neeson, Chicago.

Dufferin. J. T. Rice, Derry, N. S.; Roy Sypher, Cookshire; Mrs. Langfield, Toronto; Miss Laundry, do; J. Sankin, Toronto; Miss E. M. Hinton, Bathurst; Oran Hinton, St. John's; F. L. Tuttle, Moncton; M. C. Raley, do; Mrs. W. S. Barclay, Calgary; H. M. Stanway, Montreal; L. C. Haley, Yarmouth, N. S.; F. D. Slinger, Moncton; G. Lawson, do; P. E. Poirer, Sydney; I. Goldman, New York; J. H. Barry, Fredericton; Gerald Richards, do; T. Watch, Halifax; J. M. Donald, do; Joe Rivers, Gloucester; J. F. Steeves, Moncton; D. S. Dyer, do; J. F. Freese, Sussex; Serjt. Major Arditt and wife, do; D. G. Whidden, Montreal; H. Henderson, Sussex; W. J. McMuckley, Toronto; J. Rooney and wife, Kentville; E. L. Jack, do; Mrs. A. J. Toomey, Milton; Darrah, Halifax; Mrs. James Keen, Digby; S. L. Gates, Port William; H. D. Lewin, New York; Mac Sharpe and wife, Malden, Mass.; E. M. Dixon, Montreal; S. Hyden, C. H. Briggs, C. Bergeron, do.

OPEN SITTINGS OF PARLIAMENT ONE CRIMINAL CASE ON DOCKET HOUR EARLIER AT DORCHESTER

Premier Moves Resolution That Commons Sit at 2 p. m.—C. N. R. and Grand Trunk Matters Before House Today.

Ottawa, May 2.—A resolution providing for the commencement of sittings of the house at two o'clock in the afternoon of tomorrow instead of three o'clock was adopted after some discussion of the members assembled. The prime minister told Sir Wilfrid Laurier that all the government legislation up to the present decided upon had been announced and he promised that the correspondence and other documents relating to the proposed Company would be presented to the house tomorrow. Sir Robert Borden said that he had decided to move that the sitting of the house begin at two o'clock each afternoon in deference to the opinion of many members who had thought the business could be disposed of as expeditiously as if morning sittings were held.

Hon. George F. Grahame said that when he was leader of the opposition in the Ontario legislature, he had been able to reach an agreement with the late Sir James Whitney whereby business was thoroughly considered and despatched without the necessity for more than two or three evening sittings during the session. He thought the house might adopt such an arrangement next session. Sir Robert Borden replied that by meeting at noon the United States congress was able to dispose of its business without having many evening sittings. The members of the government, he asserted, would be well pleased if a plan could be devised whereby it would be unnecessary for the house to sit on Monday nights throughout the session.

HOTEL ARRIVALS

Royal. W. P. Lowell, Quebec; W. F. Humphrey, Montreal; P. Blouin, Quebec; W. E. Stevens, Boston; M. McLeod, Sydney; C. E. Oak, Bangor; J. McKenzie, K. Kuhn, Montreal; O. S. Crockett, Fredericton; W. C. Akhurst, Halifax; W. E. Bell, T. N. Beaulieu, H. V. Ball, J. Wilcock, B. Battle, J. A. VanTilburg, G. Stephen, Montreal; J. H. Stratton, L. Col Grant, J. Allison, L. Gardiner, Montreal; C. Russ, Toronto; Mr. and Mrs. Mosley, London, Eng.; S. D. Simmons, Fredericton; H. C. Read, Sackville; G. P. Stockton, London, Ont.; W. E. Honsell, Windsor; S. T. Coates, Amherst; K. McDonald, Antigonish; J. McPeak, St. J. Trites, Sackville; M. Neeson, Chicago.

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Judge McKeown, Dr. A. P. Barnhill, J. A. Tilton, F. A. Peters, J. G. Harrington, H. C. Mearns, E. A. Goodwin, T. H. Estabrooks, H. A. Porter, H. C. Rankin, G. E. Barbour, G. A. Kimball, C. H. Peters, E. L. Riving, committee for St. John.

Judge Crockett Presides Owing to Illness of Justice McKeown—A Lengthy Civil Docket.

Special to The Standard. Dorchester, May 2.—The May sitting of the Supreme Court convened here today, His Honor Mr. Justice Crockett presiding in the absence of Mr. Justice McKeown, who is reported ill. While there is but one criminal case on the sheriff's calendar, the civil docket is a large one. It is doubtful if the cases can be disposed of this week. The following barriesters are in attendance: M. G. Teed, K. C.; E. A. Reilly, K. C.; W. B. Chandler, K. C.; W. H. Chapman, K. C.; E. A. Reilly, J. T. Allen, T. T. Goodwin, J. P. Byrne, Major C. L. Hanington.

The following is the complete docket for the session: J. T. Allen vs. The King vs. Howard Gill, indicted on two counts, bigamy and adultery; Major C. L. Hanington for the crown, James Friel for defendant remanet.

Non Jury Docket—Medley G. Shillhall vs. The Tribune Printing Co., Ltd., M. G. Teed, K. C., for plaintiff; James Friel for defendant; Alfred D. LeBlanc vs. Thomas W. Madden, for plaintiff; E. A. Reilly, K. C., for defendant; Alfred D. LeBlanc vs. Peter J. Venot, E. A. Reilly, K. C., for plaintiff; James P. Byrne for defendant; James H. Corbett vs. A. Cavour, Chapman vs. J. L. Allen, barrister; W. B. Chandler for defendant.

Injunction Cases in Chancery Court At Fredericton.

Special to The Standard. Fredericton, May 2.—In the Chancery Court this morning the hearing was postponed upon an injunction order to restrain the Palmer, McLeellan Co. of this city from continuing to use its present corporate name. The order had been obtained by the John Palmer Co., who claimed that the name of their rival company here is an infringement upon their own corporate name as the original manufacturers of certain shoe-pack products.

A Boy Arrested.

Detectives Barrett and Briggs yesterday afternoon arrested a boy on suspicion of breaking, entering and stealing goods from seven different buildings between April 15th and 17th.