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ODDFELLOWS' GRAND LODGE TO MEET IN ST. STEPHEN

It is Expected That Almost Four Hundred Delegates Will be Present—New Constitution to be Discussed—Big Preparations.

The fifty-second annual session of the Grand Lodge Independent Order of Oddfellows will open in St. Stephen on the fourteenth of this month. Delegates from all the lodges of the Maritime Provinces will be in attendance as well as delegates from the various Rebekah Lodges of the Provinces. It is expected that over 400 delegates will visit the border city during the three days.

The Grand Encampment will open on Tuesday, August thirteenth. The Rebekah Assembly will also be held on this date. The Grand Lodge will open on Wednesday and will conclude on Thursday the fifteenth.

A public meeting and excursion on the St. Croix river will be features of the occasion. At the public meeting C. N. Skinner of this city and a gentleman from the United States will be the chief orators.

Among the business before the Grand Lodge will be the proposition for a new constitution. This matter was laid over from last year and was left in the hands of a committee composed of Robert Hawkins, Pictou; J. L. Stewart, Chatham and C. B. Allan, St. John. The committee have given notice of some amendments to the constitution.

There will be fifteen delegates attend the meeting from this city, representing Golden Rule, Sileam, Pioneer and Peerless Lodges. There are now over 100 lodges of Oddfellows in the Maritime Provinces. The officers for the ensuing year will be elected. Dr. Smith L. Walker, of Truro, the present Grand Master, will, it is expected, be succeeded in office by W. S. Rogers, of Halifax, the present deputy.

ADDRESS PRESENTED TO DR. BAYARD TODAY. Dr. Chisholm of Halifax Contributes an Original Poem and a Letter of Congratulation.

An address, inscribed on parchment and embossed in gold, has been prepared for presentation to Dr. Bayard by the members of the Saint John Medical Society this afternoon, congratulating Dr. Bayard on the attainment of the seventieth anniversary of his graduation and conveying the good wishes of the society.

The members will meet at Dr. Bayard's residence at four o'clock. The following letter was this morning received by the president of the Maritime Medical Association:

You will kindly convey the cordial congratulations of the Maritime Medical Association to Dr. Bayard of your city, on the anniversary of his seventieth year in the profession. The evidence of a useful life well and nobly lived sits radiant on his brow. May we be inspired by his example so that at our evening time too, "it shall be light." I have much pleasure in sending you this small token of the profession's esteem in the three provinces.

Very respectfully yours, M. Chisholm, Pres. Maritime Medical Assn. The following poem accompanied Dr. Chisholm's letter:

In long years of mercy bending, You have lightened many a load, Occupied your time in mending, Vases, shattered on the road.

MR. JONES CONTINUES HIS TALK ON COAL

Rejected Carloads Had Too Much Stone.

Were Not Nearly as Good as That Taken from the Phalen Seam—Only Technical Evidence Today

SYDNEY, C. B., Aug. 1.—The court opened this morning with General Manager Jones still on the witness stand and W. B. A. Ritchie questioning in direct examination, prior to the resumption of the cross-examination. Mr. Ritchie called attention to certain inaccuracies in the stenographer's typewritten transcription. Mr. Jones said that he understood from the conversation with Mr. Jack Ross that the coal company could not give the steel company the coal it was asking for. The whole lot of 212 cars referred to was not of the Phalen seam coal. There may have been some individual cars. Some of this coal was used under the boilers of the blast furnace power house and gave very poor results. The steel plant's coal requirements per day outside of the gas producer and coke ovens, Mr. Dugan, Jack Ross, Mr. McIsaac, James Ross, who were through the plant were aware of what facilities we had for storing coal. There was nothing we could do except reject the coal received which was not suitable for our purposes.

There were thirty-five cars kept on the trestle awaiting the arrival of Mr. McIsaac, an expert from Harrisburg, to analyze it. The coal was kept in the cars until Mr. McIsaac's man took a sample of it. It is still there. The 153 cars which were rejected and which the Coal Company took back, was about the same analysis on the whole as that received in June and July. We had for storing coal. There was nothing we could do except reject the coal received which was not suitable for our purposes.

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MONCTON OFFICIAL WAS BADLY BEATEN

Engine Driver Knocked Through Window by Burly Tar—Placed Obstruction on I.C.R. Track and Got Arrested.

MONCTON, N. B., Aug. 1.—Harry Novles, of London, Eng., ran amuck in the I. C. R. depot here about one o'clock this morning, and had it not been for some timely interference, would probably have killed John Forbes, an aged I. C. R. night baggage master, who was badly beaten. Novles also struck Stephen Crainy, I. C. R. engineer, knocking him through a window, and earlier in the evening assaulted Jackson Steves, a down town merchant, because the latter did not have any penny packages of matches. Novles was arrested and sent up for trial before Magistrate Kay this morning.

Novles is a big strapping fellow, belonging to London, and has been a sailor for some time. He went into the baggage room this morning and asked to have a trunk checked to Boston. He had no ticket and when Baggage Master Forbes told him to get one, he punched upon the aged official, who is seventy years old. Forbes was fearfully beaten about the head and face and staggered into the private office, where Novles followed him and continued the assault. Driver Craig, passing the window, saw the affair, summoned help, and Novles was taken away. In the waiting room of the station he threw off his outer clothing, threatening to clean out the whole room, and walking up to the second floor, he threw a bottle at a man named Goodwin, walking along the track, and a few minutes later, and taken to jail. The prisoner was brought before Magistrate Kay this morning, being sent up for trial. He had nothing to say, but broke down and cried when addressed by the magistrate.

Charged with placing an obstruction on the I. C. R. track, Albert Goggin was last night arrested at Rogersville by Police Inspector Tinley and taken to Newcastle. On Saturday night, a man named Goodwin, walking along the track, was struck by a bottle thrown across a tie lying on the rails. A special freight train coming nearby would probably have been derailed had it not been for the timely intervention of Goggin, who was tried on Friday.

The committee appointed by the board of the exhibition association in connection with holding the exhibition here next year, met last night, and will submit a report to the board at a meeting to be held early in the week.

CAUGHT THE BURGLARS AFTER A SHARP FIGHT

CAMPBELLTON, N. B., Aug. 1.—The hardware establishment of A. E. Alexander & Co. was broken into this morning at one o'clock by a couple of burglars. Charles Alexander was awakened by the burglar alarm which connects the store with the house. He and his brother-in-law, Fred Campbell, hastily dressed themselves and ran to the store. The burglars tried to make their escape when they found they were discovered, but they were immediately pounced upon and after a struggle, lasting about twenty minutes, were reduced to submission and were taken to the lock-up. One of them drew a razor during the scuffle but was unable to use it, as he was knocked down by the fist of Mr. Campbell. So far as can be learned they were found by an examination this morning.

Messrs. Alexander and Campbell are being congratulated in their plucky escape. Incidentally it will be a good advertisement for the burglar alarms that they carry for sale.

WEALTHY BOSTONIAN DIED AT LAND'S END

Edward Skinner, Spending Summer on His Farm, a Victim of Consumption

Edward Skinner, a wealthy Bostonian, who has been in the habit of spending his summers in New Brunswick, died yesterday at his farm at Land's End. Mr. Skinner was the only son of Dr. Edward Skinner, a well known physician of Boston, who is a cousin of Hon. C. N. and A. O. Skinner of St. John. The deceased who was thirty-five or six years of age, bought a farm several years ago, and usually came in the spring, remaining until late in the autumn, enjoying country life. He had for some time been a sufferer from tuberculosis and this year was accompanied by one of his sisters, for a track which Odells refused to sell, but thought the city should pay any legal expenses. Donald Fraser, Jr., who was present, said his company would be willing to stand the legal expenses if any, if the city would grant them five thousand dollars for the purpose.

The Board of Trade urged upon the C. P. R. the matter of suburban train service leaving Miramichi in the city in the morning, returning in the evening. Mr. Downie promised to look into the matter.

MOROCCANS MASSACRE NUMBERS OF EUROPEANS

FAIRLY BEATEN, SAYS BATTLE NELSON Blames a Hearty Supper for His Defeat.

BRIT'S FORMER DEFEAT WIPED OUT BY HIS Clever Work in Last Night's Fight.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 1.—"Jimmy" Britt, of San Francisco, last night gained the decision over Battling Nelson, of Hopedewick, Ill., at the end of 20 rounds of as fast and pretty fighting as has been seen in San Francisco in many years. At no time was either man in danger of a knockout until near the end of the last round, when Britt's right and left swings and uppercuts which he landed one after another at will on Nelson's face, all but put the Dane down and out.

Nelson did the greater part of the leading from the start to finish, but he was outdone by Britt in cleverness and ring generalship, and by gameness and ability to take punishment.

Referee Welch, after announcing his decision, gave Nelson only two rounds out of the twenty. His defense showed up better than ever before, and he found his man almost at will, and from the tap of the opening gong until the end of the last round there was no lack of stamina in his blows.

Anything, he showed up stronger in the last few rounds than in the first fifteen, and in the last half of the fight Nelson's hitting powers obviously diminished.

While Britt took no foolish chances he gave Nelson plenty of close quarter opportunities to put him out if the latter had been able to land. Nelson disappointed many of his admirers by his wisdom. In the last eight or ten rounds he swung with right and left scores of times and missed by a small margin.

Britt made the following statement after the fight: "I have been going round two years claiming myself Nelson's master and not making any cry as is custom of defeated fighters. I did my time and the result you see. I never drew a long breath. I am willing to meet any 135 pound man in the world."

Nelson was seen in his dressing room. He said: "I have no excuses. Britt fought a good fight but I think he won in the last round. I think I ate too much supper. I can't stay, but I am willing to meet any 135 pound man in the world."

The club made thirty per cent of receipts and the fighters sixty per cent to winner and forty to the loser. The total receipts were in the neighborhood of \$25,000. Approximately 10,000 persons were inside the building.

JAPANESE DISARM THE KOREAN TROOPS

SEOUL, Aug. 1.—At 10 o'clock last night Japanese troops surrounded the Korean barracks and issued disbanding the Korean army of 7,000 men. Seven hundred Koreans gathered at the Great Bell during a thunderstorm, were dispersed by a company of Japanese soldiers. The barracks are guarded by machine guns. Two thousand of the Korean garrison will be disbanded and disarmed today. The proclamation disbanding the troops says that the disbanded soldiers will be granted one year's pay. The Emperor's bodyguard will not be disbanded.

A Serious Outbreak at Casa Blanca During Which Many Were Murdered—Europe Must Take Prompt Action—Governor in Danger.

LONDON, Aug. 1.—The morning papers comment strongly on the state of anarchy as revealed by the massacre at Casablanca, Morocco, and declare that it is evident that the Sultan is powerless to preserve order. The powers, therefore, they assert, are bound to take measures to exact retribution and stem the lawlessness. The Daily Mail says: "Nobody would blame France for deciding that it is useless to proceed with a policy which merely toys with the fringe of the question. In the end, however, the Moroccan difficulty must be solved in Berlin before the case is closed."

The Daily Graphic declares that the whole of Morocco is laughing at the inability of Europe to secure McLean's release. The Algerian compromise, it says, is worse than useless, and the time has arrived for the powers to authorize France and Spain to occupy Fez.

"It is impossible to believe," says the paper, "in the face of Casablanca massacre, that Germany will longer oppose drastic action of the kind, and nothing less will meet the grave exigencies of the situation."

TANGIER, Aug. 1.—Dr. Morall, who arrived here last night on the German steamer which brought a number of Jews and refugees from Casablanca, is the bearer of a report that the French Chargé d'Affaires here, showing that the slaughter of Europeans in Casablanca was an outcome of a policy war preached by the Arabs for the extermination of Europeans.

On Monday a number of Arab chiefs entered Casablanca and demanded that the harbor improvement works cease. The Pasha of Casablanca pointed out that the work was being done with the sanction of the Sultan. Thereupon the chiefs replied that the Sultan was no longer their ruler, as he obeyed the Europeans. They then began to incite natives at the Europeans in the town. On Tuesday morning the natives began their attack by stoning a French soldier and when the man tried to flee he was surrounded and backed to pieces. This was the signal for a general attack and as soon as the French soldiers were killed some men who were known the French and Spanish residents rushed to their respective consulates for protection. During the flight at least eight were murdered. M. Douville, the French consul, demanded that the Pasha provide an escort for the recovery of the bodies. The Pasha pleaded at first that he had no cartridges, but upon further representations he finally supplied a escort. When this rescue party, however, reached the scene of the attack it was charged by a number of Arabs to attack the French and Spanish consulates. The French consul, however, reached the scene of the attack it was charged by a number of Arabs to attack the French and Spanish consulates.

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