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A sanitary sweeping compound—cleans floors, brightens carpets, absorbs germ-laden dust. Its use is strongly recommended in homes, schools, offices, factories, hospitals and all public places where people congregate—as a sanitary precaution.

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**NEGOTIATIONS FOR UNITING CHURCHES DROP**

Waterloo Street Meeting Has Letter From Tabernacle Body

**FORMER CHURCH IS CALLING PASTOR**

Invitation Extended to Rev. J. D. Wetmore, Formerly of City

Negotiations for the uniting of the Tabernacle and Waterloo street Baptist churches are off for the present. It was announced at a business meeting of the congregation of Waterloo street church last evening. A communication was read from the Tabernacle congregation in which it was stated to be the opinion of their members that the interests of their work could best be served by their remaining in the location where they were at present. The Waterloo street congregation would consider union only if their building was used, it was decided to drop the project.

A unanimous call was extended to Rev. J. D. Wetmore to become pastor of the Waterloo street church, and an answer is expected from him very soon. Rev. Dr. Wetmore was for some years pastor of the Tabernacle church, and has served several of the churches at various points in the province. His last regular pastorate was at Fredericton Junction, and he had to give up the work there on account of ill health. Of late his health has improved and for the last year he has been applying at God's.

The meeting, which was largely attended, was presided over by Deacon W. B. Kierstead.

**COMES TO CITY TO MEET BARRISTERS**

Sir James A. M. Aikens Will Be in Saint John Next Wednesday

A prominent Canadian who is expected to arrive in Saint John next week is Sir James A. M. Aikens, K. C., M. A., of Winnipeg, who is Lieutenant Governor of Manitoba and president of the Canadian Bar Association. In his capacity as president he will be in Saint John next Wednesday. In the evening at the Admiral Beatty Hotel, he will meet at dinner members of the bar of this city, as well as others from outside places.

The annual meeting of the Canadian Bar Association is scheduled to be held in this city on September 22 and 23 and it is probable that plans in regard to that gathering will be discussed during Sir James' visit here.

The Canadian Club will entertain Sir James at luncheon at noon on Thursday. It is expected that about 20 members and guests of the club will be present to hear him speak.

**FIRST AUTO PARTY HERE FROM STATES**

J. A. Duncan Allowed Over Roads to Parrsboro, Where Mother is Dead

The first party of automobilists from outside the province to reach Saint John this season arrived in the city yesterday, via St. Stephen, and left in the afternoon for Moncton. The visitors were en route from Minneapolis, Minn., to Parrsboro, N. S., and the party was headed by J. A. Duncan, who was called to the latter place by the death of his mother.

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Many friends in this city will wish him success. Before going to Ottawa Mr. March was a reporter on the Saint John Standard. After leaving here he was for a time on the Ottawa Journal before going with the Canadian Press. Later he has been with the Montreal Star. Yesterday fellow-members of the press gallery presented a club bag to him. Mr. March is a son of the late Dr. March of Saint John.

**ALMANAC FOR SAINT JOHN, MAY 8.**

A.M. P.M.

High Tide . . . . . 8:35 High Tide . . . . . 5:02

Low Tide . . . . . 2:31 Low Tide . . . . . 9:31

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