

CANADIAN UNITARIANS MEET AT MONTREAL



ARTHUR M. HILL OF ST. STEPHEN DEAD

Former Deputy Collector of Customs Passes Away.

Special to The Standard. St. Stephen, Sept. 25.—Arthur M. Hill, one of the best known residents of this town and for many years deputy collector of customs, but retired on a pension some years ago, passed away at Chipman Memorial Hospital this afternoon after a protracted illness. He is survived by his wife and one son, Prof. D. Upton Hill of Acadia University. Henry E. and Edgar Hill are surviving brothers. The funeral will probably be held Thursday afternoon.

AUTOMOBILE RACE FOR WET GOODS

Exciting Chase from Macdonald to Amherst.

Special to The Standard. Amherst, N. S., Sept. 25.—In an exciting automobile race from Macdonald to Amherst, Inspector James A. Simpson and Officer Andrew McDonald, the officers made a flying leap into the second car, one of them standing beside a woman. The officers found what they were searching for, to wit: a case of liquor which had been shipped from Montreal to Macdonald for an Amherst man. The liquor was confiscated.

WEDDINGS

Bourgeois-LeBlanc. Moncton, Sept. 25.—The marriage of Arthur Bourgeois, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bourgeois, of Moncton, to Miss Bella LeBlanc, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas LeBlanc, of Charlevoix, was solemnized today in St. Anselme's church, Fox Creek. Rev. Father Robichaud officiated. Mr. and Mrs. Bourgeois left this afternoon for St. John and the wedding trip will be extended to Boston and New York.

Kingsport, N. S., Sept. 24.—Nine persons were killed and much property damage was caused at Port Antonio in the hurricane which struck the island of Jamaica yesterday. The customs house there was destroyed and a large hotel was damaged badly. Coasting vessels were damaged.

Every 10c Packet of WILSON'S FLY PADS WILL KILL MORE FLIES THAN 50¢ WORTH OF ANY STICKY FLY CATCHER

Clean to handle. Sold by all Drugists, Grocers and General Stores.

HON. WILLIAM H. TAFT, FORMER PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES, IS ONE OF THE PRINCIPAL SPEAKERS AT THE CANADIAN UNITARIAN CONVENTION IN MONTREAL THIS WEEK. THE CONVENTION OPENED IN ST. JAMES' METHODIST CHURCH TUESDAY EVENING.

EVEN CROSS, SICK CHILDREN LOVE SYRUP OF FIGS

If feverish, bilious, constipated, give fruit laxative at once.

Don't scold your fretful, peevish child. See if tongue is coated; this is a sure sign of little stomach, liver and bowels are clogged with sour waste. When listless, pale, feverish, full of cold, breath bad, throat sore, doesn't eat, sleep or act naturally, has stomachache, indigestion, diarrhoea, give a teaspoonful of "California Syrup of Figs," and in a few hours all the foul waste, the sour bile and fermenting food passes out of the bowels and you have a well and playful child again. Children love this harmless "fruit laxative," and mothers can rest easy after giving it, because it never fails to make their little "misfits" clean and sweet.

Keep it handy, Mother! A little given today saves a sick child tomorrow, but get the genuine. Ask your druggist for a 50-cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which has directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups plainly on the bottle. Remember there are counterfeits sold here, so surely look and see that yours is made by the "California Fig Syrup Company." Hand back with contempt any other fig syrup.

ALLIES WILL NOT IGNORE RUSSIA

Assurances Received That Separate Peace Will Not Be Concluded by Britain and France.

Petrograd, Sept. 25.—Addressing the soldiers' and workmen's delegates today General Verkhovny, minister of war, said Russia yesterday received formal assurances from France and Great Britain that they would not conclude a separate peace to the detriment of Russia.

The assurances sent by France and Great Britain were in response to reports, which have been current in Russia that efforts are under way to conclude peace at the expense of that country.

Winnipeg, Sept. 24.—After a pastorate extending over 12 years, Very Rev. Archdeacon Fortin, rector of Holy Trinity parish, will tender his resignation at a congregational meeting next Monday evening, according to an announcement made today. He was ordained a priest in 1886. He came to Holy Trinity Church, Winnipeg, in 1875.

Archdeacon Fortin is father-in-law of His Lordship Bishop Richardson.

HOSPITAL SHIP AT QUEBEC CITY

Brought Eight Hundred Canadians Suffering From Wounds.

Quebec, Sept. 25.—The first British hospital ship to arrive at this port since the war began, glided alongside a wharf at the breakwater today with eight hundred Canadians, men of all ranks home from overseas suffering from wounds, etc.

The vessel had an uneventful voyage. Painted a light color, she presented a great contrast to the vessels which have been visiting this port in their war paint during the past three seasons.

BRUTAL HUN HAS SHAMEFUL IDEA

Would Punish Belgians Again for Alleged Ill-Treatment in Africa.

Amsterdam, Sept. 25.—"As fully justifiable reprisals" for the alleged ill-treatment by Belgians of German non-combatants in German East Africa, Dr. Carl Peters, a German scientist who some years ago made explorations in Africa, makes the suggestion, which the Hamburger Nachrichten prints prominently to this effect: "That double the number of Belgian men, women and children of superior social standing, be compelled to march in winter time, inadequately clad and fed prison fare, from ten to fifteen times between Constanza on the Black Sea and Riga, on the Baltic Coast."

PRaises NEWFOUNDLAND.

London, Sept. 25, via Reuter's Agency.—The Daily Telegraph editorially takes occasion to applaud the feats of the Newfoundland regiment and the value of Newfoundland to the empire. It says: "It is already certain that when the war is over no community of the British empire will have better cause for pride at the patriotism and valor of its sons than Newfoundland."

Toronto, Ont., Sept. 24.—Returned soldiers who were affected by the order-in-council of January, 1916, cancelling working pay will rejoice to hear that this order has now been repealed, according to official information received here by the G. W. V. A.

Nature Says

"I can remedy most ills, and help you to escape many ailments, if you give me timely aid." Naturally, Nature prefers

BEECHAM'S PILLS

Largest Sale of Any Medicine in the World. Sold everywhere. In boxes, 25c.

COUNSEL WILL FURTHER ARGUE N. B. RAILWAY VS. KING IN OTTAWA COURT

Expropriation Cases Heard Yesterday by Sir Walter Cassel—Judgment Reserved—Further Evidence Required in Other Cases.

No less than four cases concerning the expropriation of land by the government for the erection of the grain elevator at Reed's Point were heard in the exchequer court yesterday by Sir Walter Cassel presiding. The following cases, arising out of the expropriation of land by the government, were heard: King vs. Vassie & Company, Ltd.; King vs. Allison; King vs. Prudential Trust Company, Ltd.; and the King vs. Petrie Manufacturing Company, Ltd. After the evidence of both parties had been submitted the judge decided to reserve judgment in all cases. In the first named case F. R. Taylor in company with the law firm of Barnhill, Ewing & Sanford, appeared for the defendants, and D. Mullin acted for the crown.

The case of the New Brunswick Railway vs. the King, brought out two legal points, which furnished sufficient grounds to have the matter further argued before the presiding judge at Ottawa next month. This is a petition of right brought by the applicant to recover damages for injuries and loss to his lumber land along the line of the International Railway. It is claimed that the fire started on the right of way and spread to the land in question resulting in the destruction of a large amount of timber for which heavy damages are claimed.

It was contended by Mr. Mullin representing the crown that on the authority of Chamberlain vs. the King decided by the Supreme Court of Canada in 1903 the exchequer court had no jurisdiction, as the injury did not happen on a public work in view of the fact that an amendment was passed in 1910 in consequence of this decision, giving a right of action where the injury does not occur on a public work, it was contended by the counsel for the applicant that there was cause of action in this court. This amendment, however, was to affect the I. C. R. and

REFRESHER COURSE TO BE GRANTED RETURNED MEN COMMENCING OCT 1ST

Returned Men to Be Granted Opportunity of Receiving Promotions—All Will Re-enlist as Privates.

The Military authorities have decided to grant a refresher course to all the applicants who are thought competent to act as instructors at the military depots to be established in the Dominion. The course will open at Halifax on Oct. 1st, at the Wellington Barracks, and all returned men who have sent in their application will be required to take the course and providing they pass the standard set by the authorities they will be given a position in the depot, which it is considered they best can fill. There is no guarantee that the men will be granted a certain rank, as this all depends upon a man's ability and the showing made at the course. The returned men will enlist as a private in the Canadian Expeditionary Force, but will not be permitted to go overseas save in exceptional cases. During the course they will be given the rank of acting sergeant and later will be promoted to the rank which it is considered they are best able to hold.

Parties living outside of St. John and who have received advice of the acceptance of their application, can by writing to the G. S. O. of this command secure the amount of their transportation to Halifax. It is not known definitely just how many from this province will attend the course, but a considerable number is anticipated.

P. E. I. Railways only, so it will fall upon the plaintiff to show that the International Railway is a part of the I. C. R. This evidence will have to be submitted at the next hearing in the case.

As the fire started by a section man, who, it is claimed, built it to keep the fire away, Mr. Mullin has also entered that in his defence, stating that he was not acting within the scope of his duties in so starting the fire.

PROVINCIAL COMMITTEE ON VOCATIONAL EDUCATION

First Meeting Held Last Night in Government Rooms—Session Mostly for Organization—Director of Manual Training to Make Survey.

The first meeting of the Provincial committee on Vocational Education was held last night in the Government rooms, Prince William street. Fred Magee M.L.A., acted as chairman and Premier Foster, Dr. J. Roy Campbell, M.L.A., Rev. Fr. Tessier, St. Joseph's, and Mr. Peacock, director of manual training and A. M. Belding were the other members of the committee present. The meeting was largely an organizational one and the subject under discussion was the obtaining of the necessary information at home and abroad, to enable the committee to submit a report and recommendations to the next session of the legislature, as to what New Brunswick should do as a beginning to introduce vocational training, and to make the whole educational system minister to the actual needs of the pupils.

The chairman and Mr. Peacock told of what had already been done along vocational educational lines in Nova Scotia, Alberta and other provinces and some of the American states notably Indiana. Information will be obtained from these provinces and states and submitted to the committee.

It was decided to have Mr. Peacock make a survey of the province with the committee. The question of vocational training for returned soldiers in co-operation with the Dominion authorities was also considered. After the committee adjourned on the invitation of Dr. Campbell they were entertained to supper at his home on Elliott Row where a very pleasant hour was spent.

LIQUOR SMUGGLING

Special to The Standard. Edmundston, Sept. 25.—Jesse Plourde, of Port Kent, is under arrest in Maine charged with smuggling 22 gallons of gin, 18 bottles of whiskey,

Pains Over Left Kidney

Warned This Captain That The Kidneys Were Responsible For His Pains and Aches—Freed of Pain and Suffering by a Well Known Medicine.

Hereford, Que., Sept. 11.—Captain Peabody is well known all through this section, and his cure by use of Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills has aroused great interest in this great medicine. The Captain had been suffering for a long time, and could never get any treatment to afford lasting relief until he began using Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills.

Captain A. Peabody, Hereford, Que., writes: "For years I suffered from indigestion, rheumatism and neuralgia. Lighteninglike pains would shoot all through my body, and I also had severe pains over my left kidney and through the hips. I doctored for years and tried all kinds of remedies, but the only result was money spent without relief. At last I read in Dr. Chase's Almanac of his Kidney-Liver Pills and decided to try them. One box made such a change that I sent for five more. Before I had finished them the pains in my kidneys and hips had disappeared, and I was clear of those sharp, shooting pains through the body. I still take these Pills occasionally to keep my bowels regular, and would not be without them, as I have them to thank for my cure."

"I can also speak highly of Dr. Chase's Catarrh Powder & Linseed and Turpentine. The former cured me of catarrh in the head, which caused frequent headaches. I am completely cured of this now, and breathe freely as when a boy. The Linseed and Turpentine proved of great benefit for a bad cough which bothered me continually for three winters. Last winter I took one bottle of the Linseed and Turpentine, and have not been bothered with a cough since."

Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills, one pill a dose, 25 cents a box, all dealers or Edmondson, Bates & Co., Limited, Toronto. Don't be talked into accepting anything said to be just as good. Imitations and substitutes only disappoint.

Montreal, Sept. 24.—This city's deficit will be \$2,255,000, according to a report prepared for presentation to the Board of Control. The shortage of funds is to be felt in every branch of the service from sidewalk and street work to police and fire protection.

THIS MEDICINE WOMEN VALUE

Positively Relieved Suffering

More Convincing Proof.

When Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound was first introduced to the curative powers were doubted and had to be proved. But the proof came, and gradually the use of it spread over the whole country. Now that hundreds of thousands of women have experienced the most beneficial effects from its use its value has become generally recognized and it is now the standard medicine for women's ills.

The following letter is only one of the thousands on our files. "I cannot feel that I have done my duty until I tell what Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has done for me. I suffered from female troubles so I could hardly drag around and do my work. I was very nervous, and had dizzy spells, heat flashes, and headaches until life was a burden. My husband brought me a bottle of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and I soon began to improve. I continued its use and am now free from all pains and aches that made life a burden. You may use this letter in any way you like for I want the world to know what a grand medicine Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is."—Mrs. G. O. LOWERY, 911 S. Barrett Ave., Denton, Texas. Write the Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass., for free advice.

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isn't just a purgative. Quite the contrary.

It makes purgatives unnecessary by keeping the liver lively.

Take small doses regularly—a larger dose only if you're sure you need it.

That's been the rule of hearty, sprightly, happy folks for 50 years.

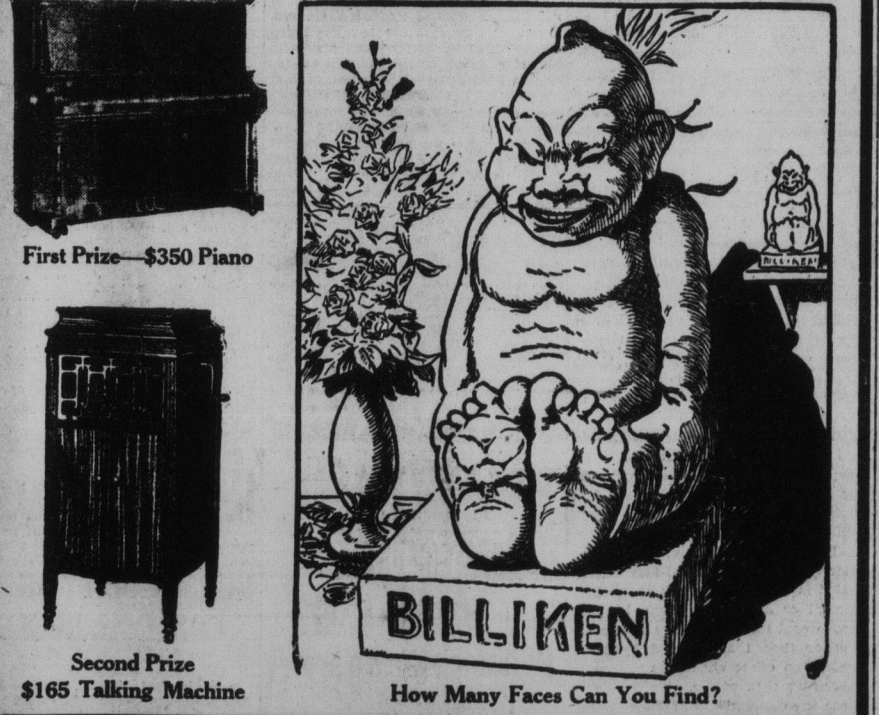
CARTER'S LITTLE PILLS

Colorless faces often show the absence of iron in the blood. CARTER'S IRON PILLS will help this condition.

FREE! FREE! FREE!

The Person Sending in the Best Solution of the Lucky Billiken Puzzle Will Get This \$350 Piano, Free. The Next Best Solution Will Get This \$165 Phonograph

This Contest is Open to All Send in Your Answer Now



Everyone Sending an Answer to the Lucky Billiken Puzzle Will Get a Beautiful and Useful Souvenir Whether Answer is Correct or Not.

HOW MANY FACES CAN YOU FIND? There are old faces, young faces, funny faces, crying faces, every kind of a face imaginable. Gather the family round, let everyone look. There are faces there—twelve all together. How many can you find? Some find five, some find seven. It is possible to find twelve. HOW MANY CAN YOU FIND?

DIRECTIONS. Mark the faces plainly and distinctly on this or on a separate sheet of paper or other material. Write your name plainly and distinctly, also write your address distinctly. Put three cents postage on every letter and bring or mail every answer to THE AMHERST PIANOS, LTD., ST. JOHN, N. B.

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If you care to see nice fur coats you may inspect them at your leisure in our

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There are more than twenty-five different models made up in all the smartest styles, and over seventy-five coats in this one Fur alone.

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The Only Exclusive Furrier in St. John.

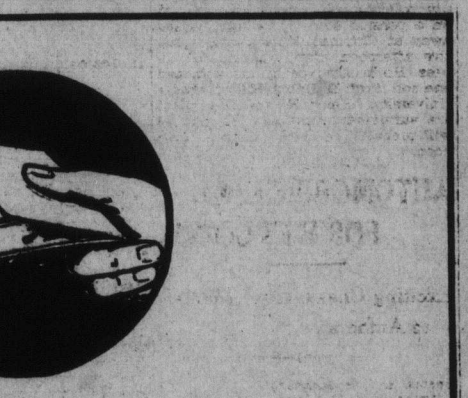
HESTER

24.—Miss Frances Tuesday last for us will continue her school.

St. John is the school.

ery spent Tuesday with friends, and are spending a few days in Melrose this week, guests of Hon. P. G. and Mrs. Mahoney.

Master, Ralph Toed and Jim Best left this week to continue their studies at Rothesay Collegiate School, Rothesay.



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