

WOMEN'S AUXILIARY ANNUAL SESSIONS CLOSED YESTERDAY

Report on Extra Cent-a-Day Received, Disposition of Diocesan Funds Voted on, Instructive Papers Read—Address by His Lordship Bishop Richardson.

The thirteenth annual meeting of the Women's Auxiliary Branch of the Fredericton Diocese was held at a close yesterday afternoon, after having proved one of the most successful sessions in the history of the organization. The morning's proceedings included, a bible reading, the report on Chinese work, the report of the Extra-Cent-a-Day treasurer, voting on the disposition of the diocesan funds, and the reports of the organizing committee, and the prayer partners' secretary.

The final day of the conference opened yesterday morning in Trinity school room with a prayer service led by Mrs. George F. Smith, the president. The hymn "The Morning Light is Breaking" was sung by the entire meeting and the morning prayer of the W. A. was given by the delegates.

The report of the Chinese work was given by Mrs. M. Woodman, who read a letter from Bishop White of China thanking the women of the diocese for their contribution of \$75 sent to him. He told of the work being done in China. He said that the committee of which he was in charge had handed during the last year a sum of \$25,000 to the Chinese people.

The report of the nominating committee was then read, and announced the election of officers for the ensuing year as follows: Honorary President—Mrs. Richardson. Vice-President—Mrs. Walker.

The report of the Extra-Cent-a-Day fund was given by Mrs. J. G. Knowlton, who reported that the fund had reached a total of \$150. She said that the fund had been used for the printing of the monthly reports, \$50 had been spent for an organ in the church at Whitehead Lake, \$50 sent to Trinity church, and \$50 sent to the mission at Cumberland Lake and \$50 to the rectory in Fredericton.

The report of the prayer partners' secretary, Miss Sadler, read her report telling of the work of this department. After a discussion of the reading of the branch reports the meeting adjourned for luncheon which was served by the ladies of St. John's church, the mission church of St. John Baptist and the Church of the Good Shepherd.

The afternoon session opened with the reading of reports from the different branches, including Whitehead, Dorchester, Westfield, Whitehead, Woodstock, Dalhousie, and the different St. John churches. This part of the program was followed by three very interesting papers on the "Three Essentials of a Successful W. A."

The first of these, a study, was the subject of a paper by Miss Vroom of St. Stephen. Miss Vroom said that successful study was not always pursued through the medium of books, but that members of the W. A. should make a closer study of the practical problems confronting them in the work of the organization. Several means were available to obtain success in W. A. work, among which were maps and literature showing the activities in the mission fields, Great Interest should also be manifested in study classes.

Mrs. Richardson of Fredericton then read an instructive paper on the second of these essentials, "Service." She urged that the members cultivate a spirit of unselfishness and devotion to the work of the organization, dwelling on the fact that service brings success in the end. On this point she urged the members not to hesitate to do their share in the work of the auxiliary by taking other women into consideration, and also to attend all meetings of the branches to which they belonged.

The next feature of the afternoon's programme was the reading of a paper on the third essential, "Service," by Mrs. A. L. Fleming. She classified the subject into willing, faithful, intelligent and joyful service, dwelling on each point by forcible illustrations, and bringing home to her audience, in a clear and eloquent manner, the necessity of greater service to the Master.

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JOHN PARIS, ACCUSED OF MURDER, TESTIFIED IN HIS OWN DEFENCE

(Continued from Page 10.) Paris said he got on the night train for St. John on the 3rd of August, and the train was crowded with harvesters for the West. On the station platform, he said, he saw Mrs. Henry Paris, and her son Archie, two Marcellis, Arthur McCarthy and his father. Paris also named a number of others he saw there. He said Arthur McCarthy, Archie Paris, a Maxwell boy, and one or two others boarded the train. He also named five or six whom he knew who got on the train at Amherst.

He said that when he got off the train in St. John on the morning of the 4th, he saw Mrs. Paris and her son Archie. He said he had been in the city since July 23rd. He told of several companions he talked to at the depot before leaving for his home on Water street. He said he walked over by the Strait Shore road as far as the river, and that William Sweet answered his signal and rode with him across the river, which he did. He went to the station to get some of the fellows he knew to bring them over to his house, but finding they had already gone there. He returned home, arriving some time between 4.30 and 6 o'clock. He boys had gone, but he stayed home.

He said he moved some hay for his landlord on the afternoon of the 5th, and hauled some ashes on the 6th, and then left the city to visit his home in the country. This completed the prisoner's account of his actions between July 23 and Aug. 6, a much less detailed account than that given at the previous trial.

His counsel then questioned him as to statements made concerning his actions in the city on July 23, 5, as related by the witnesses for the Crown. Paris denied every one of them both as to having been in the park at his home. He denied ever having been in the park while Hattie Lavigne was there of having had a conversation with Walter Humphrey concerning the murder of Mrs. Paris. He said he was taken before Hattie Lavigne, a woman who had already been taken before her. He was taken before her before being taken to Truro and after being brought back.

He said he had never owned a khaki shirt, and had never during July or August worn a pair of jaced khaki riding breeches, brown coat or black bow tie. He denied all statements made by John McDonald concerning him, and said he had never seen McDonald for \$3, as he did not think he would have had it. Asked by Judge Barry as to whether he could offer any reason why McDonald would frame up such a story as he had, Paris replied: "Why, yes, I could. I could say that McDonald stole things of other people's and put them on his own, would be the best of my suggestion, which certainly is a fact, and is obtainable at any reliable drug store. This prevents food fermentation and your meals digest naturally and without pain. By following this plan you may eat all most anything without fear of indigestion."

In answer to the first question, Paris said he knew the park was off Douglas avenue. Asked if at previous trial he had not sworn he did not know where it was, Paris said that what he had said was that he did not know the exact spot where it was, and that if he had sworn anything else that was what he meant. He always had an idea that it was off Douglas avenue, and from the evidence of witnesses he now knew it was.

Asked what side of the avenue it was on, Paris looked some time, and Mr. Byrne testified him on his hesitation, and he retorted that he thought he had that privilege. He then said that what time he was at the park he did not recall, but he did not recall of ever having come up Bentley street to Douglas avenue, and did not remember seeing the South African memorial there. Mr. Byrne asked Paris if he had not told at the previous trial that he knew where the body had been found, Paris replied: "I never said such a thing."

"Did you say you never said such a damned thing?" asked Mr. Byrne. Paris reddened and replied: "May it please Your Honor, I never said that. I leave that to the Crown witnesses to say."

Paris said that he had known where the body had been found by hearing it read out of a newspaper, and remembered speaking about it to Mr. Will Hamilton and his wife, who told him that the place where the body was discovered could be found in the paper. He said they rode him across the river and he went up to get his horse to ride back to the park, but that he found the tide was running too strong, and he didn't.

In answer to Mr. Byrne he said he did not remember seeing any gun in Truro on July 26, and said that when he was tried for the theft of the gun he had denied having stolen it. He could not recall of having been examined as a witness at the Truro trial, or of having sworn that he was away from St. John for seven days.

As the hour of 6 o'clock was arrived, Mr. Byrne rested his cross-examination to allow the court to take recess till 10 o'clock this morning.

"The Way He figured." "Mother, what are you?" asked a small boy. "Gonna go to heaven, dear." "The man that has a brother who works for the telephone company?" "Oh, I see; you wait till he gets to get the right side."

The Worst 5 Years

that I remember," writes Mrs. R. Terrell, of 105, Dorian St., Montreal, "was the time I was crippled with a bad leg. The trouble all started in an ordinary bruise, but in a day or two the injured part became worse, and soon it had developed into a painful open sore which suffered intense pain, and walking about became so difficult that I had to give it up.

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READ PAPER BEFORE ECLECTIC CLUB "Adventure" was the subject of an interesting paper read by Rev. R. M. Legate, minister of Knox Church, yesterday, before the Eclectic Club which met last evening at the Sign O' Lantern Hotel, Princess Street. The club was also entertained by papers on the same subject by Rev. R. M. Legate, minister of Knox Church, yesterday, before the Eclectic Club which met last evening at the Sign O' Lantern Hotel, Princess Street.

GRAIN STEAMER GOES ON SHOALS Brockville, Ont., April 27.—The steamer Jayland, of the Canada Steamship Lines, carrying grain for Montreal, ran ashore today on a shoal in the St. Lawrence, three miles east of Clayton, N. Y. The craft is in a dangerous position.

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DEATH CLAIMED NEW BRUNSWICK SENATE MEMBER

Hon. F. B. Thompson Died at Ottawa Yesterday Following Illness of Ten Days.

Ottawa, April 27.—After two weeks' illness, the death occurred early today in St. Luke's Hospital of Senator F. B. Thompson, Fredericton, N. B., and his passing removes a veteran who for nearly half a century has been a prominent figure in the Maritime Provinces and for twenty years has been a member of the Canadian senate. The Senator's illness began with a severe cold two weeks ago, and heart trouble developed.

His son, Alex Thompson, of Fredericton, was summoned to Ottawa, but the Senator called and his condition seemed to be improving steadily and Mr. Thompson returned home a few days ago. However, yesterday, the Senator's condition became very grave and his friends were unable to see him. He passed away quietly about four o'clock this morning. Death is attributed to angina pectoris.

Funeral arrangements have not been completed but the body will be taken for interment to Fredericton. Besides his son, the late Senator is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Gregory, wife of Judge Gregory, Victoria, B. C., and Mrs. E. Winslow, also of Victoria. They are expected to come east for the funeral.

F. B. Black, Sackville, N. B., is a nephew and Mrs. A. R. Tibbit, Ottawa, is a sister-in-law. Senator Frederick P. Thompson was summoned to the Senate in 1912, when Sir Wilfrid Laurier was in power. Prior to his elevation to the Senate, Mr. Thompson was more active in the affairs of the New Brunswick Legislature than in Federal affairs, while he also took a keen interest in the affairs of the County of York for six years he was a member of York County Council and for three years was warden. In 1878 he was elected to the Provincial Legislature in which he sat till 1886. That year he was appointed to the Legislative Council and resigned in 1891 to contest York for the House of Commons at the general election in Liberal interest. He was again elected to the Provincial Legislature in 1899 and was still a member when he was summoned to the Senate on February 8, 1902.

Senator Thompson was an outstanding business man. He was vice-president of the People's Bank, absorbed by the Bank of Montreal, and was managing director of the New Brunswick Telephone Co. He was also president of the Victoria Hospital and the Victoria Light Co. He was also president of the Victoria Light Co.

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ANTHRACITE COAL FOUND IN ONTARIO Believes Pennsylvania Seam Projects Northwards into That Province. Toronto, April 27.—Presence of anthracite coal in the Sudbury district has been established beyond doubt by the satisfaction of A. F. A. Coyne, Toronto, consulting geologist, and C. B. W. Anderson, analyst of the Department of Science, Government of British Guiana. "It is not a question of opinions at all with me as to the presence of a high grade anthracite coal being established," Mr. Coyne said, "The sediments in which I find this anthracite to occur are officially classified as Upper Huronian, with no fossils. Yet I found fossils and have classified them, and am strongly of the opinion that the Pennsylvania series project northward into Ontario."

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STOVE SOLD OUT Acting on instructions from Sheriff Wilson, auctioneer Post offered for sale, yesterday morning, the contents of the Old Price Fruit Store, Sydney Street, whose proprietor, Norman Stovell, left the city recently, owing his creditors about \$5,000, and was declared an absconding debtor.

Among the goods offered for sale were a sofa, furniture with upholstered cushions, cabinet and all accessories, two cash registers, refrigerators, two stoves, many dishes, glass, china, crockery, cutlery, knives, forks, spoons and other goods such as are carried in a candy and ice cream shop.