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CONCERT AT FAIRVIEW

concert in aid of the Sunday
given in the Union Hall,
St. John County, on Satur-
day, Oct. 27th. The evening
at could be desired, and
the filled, with those who had
enjoy the programme, which
arranged by Geo. E. Char-
lton and Miss Florence Mahood,
together with a number of the
ple of the place.
aphone, owned by Mrs. Her-
n, added much to the plea-
sure of the evening. The pro-
gramme follows: Opening chorus,
Leaves Falling; recitation,
p and Mrs. Bee, by Edna
reading, The Wreath of the
Kenneth Black; recitation,
Exposed, by Eddie Edgett;
It Was Summer, I Remem-
ber, Ernest Charlton; Edward
Jas. Charlton and Robert
recitation, Boys, by Everett
gramophone selection, The
; dialogue, Life Insurance, by
Dunlop; Arthur
reading, The Frenzied-Faced
Lousa; quartette, The
Maple, by Bert Gamble, Ever-
et, Kenneth Black and Gar-
ry; recitation, Little Robert
oral Punishment, by Lew
recitation, Corns, by Bert
gramophone selection, Talk
tableau, Mrs. Newby's
ch cooks; recitation, Pa's
by Ernest Daley; recitation,
by Rob Floyd; dialogue,
is ill-feeling, by Miss Min-
ton, Miss Laura Gamble and
er; recitation, Little John
by Gladys Greer; mono-
the Burglar Alarm, by Flor-
ode; gramophone selection,
Works but Father, by
og Discipline, by Miss Sarah
ed John Charlton; recitation,
mma was a Little Girl, by
Igett; recitation, Grandpa's
Slang, by Lloyd Jones; dia-
logue, Hush-a-bye, Baby,
selection, Uncle John in
am; recitation, The Disap-
per, by Ursie Daley; tableau,
Under Difficulties; gram-
ophone selection, Hush-a-bye,
A Bridal Scene; re-
a Touching Incident,
From Dayton, by G. E. Char-
lton; gramophone selection, Let Me See
dose of the programme a so-
was enjoyed. The refresh-
was presided over by Win-
W. Brown, Henry Char-
Miss Minnie Charlton.
raise is due Miss Mahood,
fully trained the pupils and
many ways in making the
success. The young peo-
honorable mention for
co-operation, and for the
est shown.
ceeds will be expended in
a library for the Sunday

TEN MEN WERE DROWNED FROM FINNISH BARK

More Bodies Recovered Near Priest Pond Yesterday
Last Man Had Miraculous Escape - Deal Raft Comes Ashore from Wrecked Bark Adeona - No Sign of Life There.

(Special to the Sun.)
CHARLOTTETOWN, P. E. I., Nov. 8.—Ten men were drowned from the Finnish bark Sovinto, wrecked on Tuesday night off Priest Pond. Four bodies have been recovered. Last night only six men had remained on board, four on the forward section and two on the after. The latter two were picked off by a dory from the shore last night. One of the four men, aged seventy, unable to endure the terrible exposure, leaped overboard and was drowned. The other two were washed overboard, but the fourth held on. The wreck was observed from the shore walking backward and forward holding on to a line. At nightfall he seized a plank, leaped into the raging breakers and by a miracle escaped destruction, being dashed on the shore by a huge wave and rescued by willing hands uninjured after sixty hours' exposure and without food for that time. The Stanley had left Charlottetown today for the rescue, but only got as far as Georgetown. A special train left Charlottetown with the Minto's life boat, but it will not be needed, as the last man has left the ship. Of twenty-two of a crew, eleven were rescued. They are nearly all natives of Raumo, Finland, where the ship belongs. The captain tells a most thrilling story. When the vessel struck on Tuesday night at nine o'clock three of her masts went by the board and she broke in two. He reached shore next day at noon, being one of the few who who left in the life boat which disintegrated, throwing seven out. One man got back to the wreck. The others landed safely.

DEAL RAFT FOUND

REXTON, N. B., Nov. 8.—The finding of a deal raft on the beach today, on which are six loops of rope, by which it is supposed six men of the crew of the bark Adeona have been lashed in an attempt to reach the shore, lead people to believe that all of the crew have perished. The deal in the raft had been recognized by Stevedore A. Fraser as part of the ship's cargo. All attempts to reach the vessel have as yet been fruitless. There are no signs of life on board the wreck. The wind is still blowing a strong breeze from the north.

BROWN BROTHERS THROW UP CONTRACT

Central Railway Commissioners Have Taken Over the Work—The Browns May Resume in the Spring
(From Friday's Daily Sun.)
Brown Brothers have thrown up their contract for rebuilding the Central Railway and the commissioners, Senator King and George McAvity, have taken it over. They will finish up what ballasting is necessary in order to put the road in a safe condition for the winter.
The contractors have had difficulty in getting sufficient men, and this together with the greater cost of doing the work in the winter time, caused them to ask to be relieved of their contract, until spring at least, when they may take it up again.
The terms of the contract called for the completion of the work on the first of August last, but it is very little more than half finished at the present time.
Mr. McAvity said last evening that since the commissioners had taken over the work they had experienced the same trouble in getting men that the

GRAVE FEARS FOR FARMER'S WIFE

Believed to Have Been the Victim of Robbers
Body Found in Pool of Blood—Police as Yet Have No Clue to the Murderer

(Special to the Sun.)
SYDNEY, Nov. 8.—Report of disaster after disaster in the gale which has swept the Maritime Provinces coast keeps coming in, and the storm is now taking rank with the memorable gale of August 1873 in the number of marine tragedies. Besides the loss of life on the New Brunswick and Prince Edward Island coast, one steamer running from Sydney, the Finn, is now believed to be at the bottom of the Gulf of St. Lawrence, and grave fears are entertained about another, the Symra, Captain Holstad, which left Sydney for Montreal on Sunday morning a few hours before the hurricane laden, and it is feared that in a sea which drove the Reid-Newfoundland company's steamer Bruce back into North Sydney for shelter, something which has only happened once since 1873, the Symra will be wrecked. At any rate she had not been reported in the St. Lawrence up till late this afternoon, and she was due at Montreal on Tuesday. This morning the tug Douglas H. Thomas left the International pier to search for the Finn, about whose fate there is so much mystery. It is believed that the report of the wreck of the Symra, the big collier struck on either Byron Island or Bird Rocks, seamen familiar with this coast say the crew would have a chance of escape, for the transatlantic steamer, which was a reef near Bird Rock on which she might have struck, and if she did she would soon be pounded to pieces.
Some years ago the steamer Turret Bay struck on St. Paul's Island, a thick fog. A few of the crew who were on the forecastle scrambled up the cliff, but Captain Keaton backed the vessel off, not knowing how badly she was damaged. Immediately she plunged bow first to the bottom, dragging down thirteen men in the vortex. There was no sea running when this happened, and the captain saw that if the Finn struck on any of the Magdalen group her crew would have a very slim chance of escape.
On the other hand, if she managed to weather Byron Island and drifted through the strait between this island and Bird Rock and her machinery became disabled she might drift down the west coast of Cape Breton and finally be reported from Traverses or Prince Edward Island. This is now the theory which can account for her being afloat, and the experience of the little steamer Gwent lends some color to this belief.

TEMPORARY TRUCE IN TELEPHONE WAR

Matters in Moncton about as They Were - Another Scott Act Offender Fined
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DOMINION W. G. T. U. TO MEET IN FREDERICTON

Resolution Passed With This End in View at Fredericton Meeting - At Point of Death.
(Special to the Sun.)
FREDERICTON, N. B., Nov. 8.—At the afternoon session of the W. G. T. U., a resolution was passed to invite the Dominion union to meet in St. John next year. The usual votes were also adopted. At four o'clock Miss Byron addressed a large meeting of children at the Opera House, her subject being the evil of cigarettes. The convention closed this evening with a largely attended meeting at the Methodist church, at which the president, Mrs. Grey, presided. Miss Mahan gave a most excellent address on the object and working of the union. The silver medal given to the union for completing the best journalistic work during the year, it was announced, had been won by the Campbellton union, and the medal was presented by Mrs. Bullock to Mrs. Adams in a brief and appreciative address. The banner for the union getting the greatest number of new members was won by Fredericton, and was presented to Mrs. Robinson by Mrs. Bullock. Perth union was the successful winner of the banner for obtaining the greatest number of Y. members. The meeting closed with the singing of God be With You. We Meet Again, and the Benediction was pronounced by the Rev. Mr. McConnell, pastor of the church.
In the supreme court this afternoon the case of the Steery executors against the Federal Life Assurance Co. was concluded. The court reserved its decision.
Miss May Whelpley, daughter of the late G. T. Whelpley, is lying tonight at the point of death, and no hopes are entertained for her recovery.

SEIZED BY RUSSIAN CRUISER

LUBECK, Germany, Nov. 8.—The Lubeck, Eisenbahn Zeitung, a reliable paper, prints a sensational story today to the effect that the German steamer Jan Minlos, with a cargo of explosives, destined for the Russian Government, was recently fired on by a Russian cruiser and seized in spite of the fact that the captain showed a permit from the Russian Marine Ministry.
The steamer encountered, where they should have a hundred they had less than a dozen.
In the event of the contractors not resuming the work, Mr. McAvity said that the commissioners would be amply protected, as they had retained 15 per cent of their money.

STENSLAND AND CASHIER HERING ON THE STAND

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KILLED HIMSELF TO AVOID ARREST

Kingston Insurance Agent Charged With Forgery
Was Popular as a Business Man - Had Been Drinking Hard - Member of Several Societies

(Special to the Sun.)
KINGSTON, Ont., Nov. 8.—George Zeigler, insurance agent, took his life after having fled to prevent arrest for forgery. He was found this morning lying in a shed beside a house in Barfield with a revolver beside him. Two wounds were in his side. On Monday last he tried to discount a note endorsed by two leading citizens. They were asked if they had signed the note. They said it was a forgery. Then the discovery was made that the note previously discounted was a forgery. As he failed to rectify the matter, a warrant was issued, but Zeigler had fled. He was absent all Tuesday and Wednesday. This morning his body was found. Zeigler was about 35 years of age, and was quite popular as a business man. Later he had been drinking, and it is supposed the criminal acts were done while intoxicated. His father was found drowned at Lake Ontario park several years ago. Zeigler began his career as a printer, which he followed until seven or eight years ago, when he went into insurance and real estate business. He was married, an Oddfellow, and a Forester.

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COMMISSIONERS DISCUSSED QUESTION OF REBATES

Insurance Agents Ask for Legislation Making Rebating an Offense - All Agents Given Rebates, It is Claimed, in Order to Get New Business - Some Interesting Evidence Submitted.

(Special to the Sun.)
OTTAWA, Nov. 8.—The insurance agents were before the insurance commissioners today at their own request. They asked for legislation making rebating an offense, but asked that the Dominion should go slow in copying the experimental legislation of the state of New York. They did not think that rebating should be placed upon the expenses of a company in obtaining new business; there should be no limit on the amount paid agents' commissions, and there should be no further limit on the company in the matter of investments. The greatest publicity should be given to the expenses and other business of companies. The safety of the policyholders could be guaranteed by publicity better than by legislation.
The agents asked for a board to examine candidates to become insurance agents and grant certificates as accountants are now granted.
H. C. Cox, agent of the Canada Life east of Toronto, stated that in his company commissions ran from 75 per cent of the first premium on first class policies down to two or two and a half per cent. On a single premium policy the ordinary renewal rate was paid. In eastern Ontario, where the company did its largest business, the agent's commissions ran from forty-eight to fifty per cent. Eight hundred dollars a year would be the average earnings of a man agent. To write a hundred thousand dollars a year would mean traveling expenses and hotel bills, and the agent would not be able to get a rebate. They were not high.
Mr. Parks said no, but we would have the commission rebate to employ agents who did not have certificates.
Commissioner Kent said that would be making a close corporation.
Mr. Kent asked if the head office understood what was the rebate.
Mr. Cox said that an agent would get 40 per cent if a man could not get a rebate from one agent, he could get it from another agent. To do business every agent had to give rebates.

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PROVINCIAL NORMAL SCHOOL WILL HAVE BETTER ACCOMMODATIONS

Committee Appointed to Look Into the Matter - Irregularities Interfered
FREDERICTON, N. B., Nov. 8.—A meeting of the Board of Education was held this afternoon. The number of students was considered of arranging for better accommodations for Normal School students at the school. The matter came before the Board on presentation from the Principal Bridges. The number of students this year exceeds that of former years and there is lack of room.
The Board appointed Hon. Mr. LaPlante, Hon. Mr. Sweeney, with the chief superintendent to inquire into the matter and make arrangements. It was also decided to appoint a temporary teacher at the school to take the place of Dr. Creel, who is confined to the house through illness.
The evening Government met in regular session. They had before them the consideration of both the Perth and St. Leonard's incorporation, and in each case decided against issuing a proclamation being the Act into force, on account of irregularities.
The Government will remain here all day tomorrow but no business outside of routine is expected to be dealt with.

SACKVILLE

SACKVILLE, N. B., Nov. 8.—Sackville, 329 tons, Capt. O. E. Ratford, arrived in port Nov. 6th with 308,164 feet of kiln lumber for Rhodes, Curry & Co., Amherst.
Sch. Helen, of Rockland, Me., 123 tons, Capt. Chas. Trynon, arrived the 7th of November with 107,800 feet of lumber for Rhodes, Curry & Co., Amherst.
Sackville Curling Club have elected the following officers for the ensuing year: President, A. B. Copp; vice president, J. F. Faulkner; Sec. Treasurer, W. J. Sweetser; Chap. Rev. B. Borden; managing committee, T. M. Murray, H. A. Ford, Dr. E. R. and W. I. Goodwin.

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D HIMSELF IN THE CALAIS JAIL

Me., Oct. 31.—A man named Kaye of Milltown hanged yesterday in Calais jail. Kaye tended to kill his wife and was sentenced for drunk thirty days and put under keep the peace for four years ago, working as a clerk in the store. Of late years he was working in the cotton mills, he appeared of a quiet disposition, whiskey got too strong for him, and he evidently was insane. He leaves a large family. He was a native of New York and his wife was a native of New York.

A NATURAL DEATH TOO

FRANCISCO, Oct. 31.—Wm. a composer and musical director yesterday at the Lane hospital a short illness. "The Story Ever Told" and "Brown" are two of his most songs.