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LOCAL AND PROVINCIAL.

date of the Temple of Honor ex- has been definitely decided for 28th.

artesian well on Partridge Island is finished. A depth of 600 feet has bored.

police fund amounts to $908 and is ing. The money is in the Dominion ngs Bank.

ork on the immigration building at Point will be commenced at once. building will be completed in time for winter business.

e public schools will open on the instant and parents are reminded permits for new pupils should be ed now.

hop Casey will administer confirma- at St. Rose's church, Fairville, next ay afternoon. Solemn vespers will be ed.

omas J. Donohue, of Carleton, who Barre, Vt., had his leg broken a few ago by falling from a piazza. He is ressing nicely, however.

E. McManus, of this city, has secured contract for heating and plumbing the school house at Chatham. His ten- of $5,900 was the lowest.

m. C. B. Milford, who was in the ice of the colonial government for 13 s in South Africa, was in the city this k.

he management of the Barker House, Shediac, has, since the death of Mr. B. Coleman, been assumed by his son, L. Chauncey Coleman.

p river haying is almost finished and rly all the upland crops are in the ns.

here are about two hundred carloads hay on the east and west sides await- shipments to South Africa.

so far about 35 miles of wire and poles ve been put up on the telephone line St. Stephen.

The friends of Messrs. Fred. Chesley and alter Venning gave them a reception on ednesday.

Mr. Armstrong of the Sussex Mineral prings, was in the city this week on his ay home from Chelmsford, Mass., where factory will be set up and the mineral ter manufactured.

The steamship Dean which loads part rgo at Bangor, has been fixed to finish h deals at this port for Glasgow at s. The S. S. Queen Mary has been fixed load at this port for W. C. E. at p. t.

A meeting of the executive of the re tion committee will be held at four clock this afternoon at the city building consider matters connected with the ming visit of the Duke and Duchess of ork.

Mr. M. F. Mooney, of the Mispec Pulp ill, reports business slow this year and hat the mill is turning out only alf its capacity. Mr. Mooney left Tues- ay to attend the regular monthly meet- ng of the prominent pulp manufacturers.

The annual congregational and Sun- ay school picnic of St. John's (Stone) hurch will be held at Watters' Landing n Thursday, August 22nd. The steamer ill leave wharf at Indiantown at 30 a. m. and returning will leave Wat- rs' Landing at 5.30 p. m.

Major Astral, who was here some months ago reading palms, was arrested t Sydney for obtaining a large sum of money in exchange for the knowledge of our treasure, which, however, did not ate ize. He refunded the money and e pr cution was stopped.

A private despatch received Tuursday ening stated that Edward Kee, of Union reet, one of the passengers on the har- esters' excursion train, which was wreck- d near Winnipeg Wednesday, was slightly njured. He received a few scratches.

Miss Jessie Armstrong, eldest daughter of E. J. Armstrong, gave a lawn party to about 40 of her girl and boy friends at Armstrong, near Rothesay on Tuesday af- ternoon and evening. The young people enjoyed themselves immensely and the affair was unanimously voted a success. Many of the young people present went from the city and from near by suburban points.

There was a large crowd about the Mar- ket square band stand, West End, Thursday evening, when the Carleton band discours- ed a programme of music. During the evening, Mayor Daniel, on behalf of the West End citizens, presented Sergt. Geo. S. McLeod, recently returned from South Africa, where he has been a member of the Howard Scouts, with a gold watch, suitably inscribed. The recipient made a brief reply, thanking the donors for the appreciation.

A pretty wedding took place Tuesday evening at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Brittain, 53 Simonds street, when their daughter, Margaret, was united in wed- lock to W. Harry Van Horne, a machinist in the Straight Shore Rolling Mills. The ceremony was performed by Rev. A. H. Foster, assisted by Rev. R. R. Morson. The bride, who was unattended, wore a becoming dress of spotted muslin, and car- ried a shower bouquet of roses. On con- clusion of the ceremony, luncheon was served and many cordial congratulations given Mr. and Mrs. Van Horne by the assembled guests. The newly wedded couple received many handsome gifts. They will reside at 53 Simonds street.

A committee of ladies, of which Mrs. J. H. Thomson is chairman, are making an effort to procure a new set of regimen- tal colors for the 62nd Fusiliers. Sub- scriptions are being solicited and it is hoped to have the colors presented by the Duchess of Cornwall and York.

The Telegraph is always glad to draw attention to the good work done by the St John Business College. Our readers do not need to be told that the claim made in Messrs. Kerr & Son's advertise- ment in this morning's Telegraph can not be denied. The public will be glad to know that the last term was the most successful in the school's history of 34 years, and that its prospects were never brighter than now.

Mr. Keith Barber, on Monday last, com- pleted the survey of the steamer Adino Paddock, which is being placed in com- mission on the Rothesay, Long Island, Moss Glen and Clifton route by Captain Wm. A. Pitt, the veteran navigator of the Kennebeccasis. The initial trip of the Adino Paddock will be made on Saturday, leaving Indiantown about 1.30 local time for Rothesay and other points on the Kennebeccasis. In honor of the event, a party composed of C. H. La- Billois, chief commissioner of public works; Attorney General Pugsley, Sur- veyor General Dunn, Recorder Skinner, and other prominent gentlemen will be passengers on the initial trip. In future starting next Tuesday or Wednesday, during navigation, the steamer will make four round trips a day, connecting with the I. C. R. trains at Rothesay.

PERSONAL INTELLIGENCE.

Rev. H. E. Thomas, of Campbellton, is visiting relatives in the city.

Mrs. C. D. Trueman returned Monday from a short stay at Evandale. Miss Trueman left for Evandale Monday to spend a week at that pretty resort. Her guest, Miss Jordan, accompanied her.

William Edwards, of Boston, is visiting relatives in the city.

W. H. Brennan, of Summerville, is in the city.

Robert Archibald, of Joggins, is in the city.

Rev. A. H. Foster is spending his vaca- tion in Pictou.

Misses Margaret and Florrie McQuarrie, of this city, are visiting friends in New- castle.

Miss Louise Edgecombe, of Fredericton, is visiting Mrs. James B. Gillispie, Prin- cess street.

Mrs. Frank Allingham, of this city, is visiting friends in Gagetown.

Mrs. R. S. Alexander and Mrs. J. Alex- ander, of Gagetown, are visiting friends in the city.

Mrs. James W. Scribner and Miss Mabel McIntosh are visiting relatives at White's Cove.

Rev. Dr. D. J. Fraser is spending his holidays at Alberton, P. E. I.

Miss Marion Morrison, of Chatham, is visiting friends in the city.

Mr. Henry Tholens and wife of New York, are in the city and are staying at Douglas avenue. Mr. Tholens is one of the editors of the New York World, and was formerly city editor of the New York Press.

Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Beveridge, of Andover, are visiting in the city.

E. T. Horne, manager's assistant I. C. R., Moncton, is in the city.

W. S. Hooper and C. H. Sterling, of Fredericton, are in the city.

Miss Ida Foster, who has been visiting relatives in the city, has returned to New York.

Fred. Bowman, of Sydney, is in the city.

Mrs. L. R. Ross is visiting St. Stephen.

Mrs. Duncan Brown and Miss Katie Brown, of Sommerville, Mass., are visit- ing friends in the city.

J. Earle, Mrs. Breslin and Mrs. J. H. Fulton, of Brooklyn, are visiting their uncle, W. A. Smith, Fairville.

Miss L. Winnifred Winters, of Frederic- ton, is paying a short visit to relatives in this city.

Miss Jennie Smith, of Fairville, has been ill for the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Smith are visiting St. Stephen.

Mrs. Allen Crookshank, of this city, is the guest of Mrs. Spence, St. Stephen.

Mrs. F. Seeley, of this city, is visiting Oak Bay.

Miss Fairweather, of this city, is the guest of Miss Annie King, Calais.

Rev. W. H. Sampson is visiting Char- lottetown.

Mrs. Hazlehurst, of this city, is visiting New Glasgow.

Sir William Van Horne, T. G. Shaugh- nessy and C. R. Hosmer are visiting St. Andrews.

Miss Mabel Pugsley, who has been visit- ing Mrs. G. R. Pugsley, Rothesay, has returned to her home in Amherst, N. S.

Frank Galvin, of Boston, is in the city on a visit.

When Mandy's Mad.

She has a disposition sweet,
She labors like a Turk,
She keeps all things a-lookin' neat,
An' ain't afraid t' work;
But somethin' happens now an' then
That riles her t' the core,
An' one can allers tell it when
My Mandy slams the door.

She'll bustle round about the house
A-hummin' some old song;
As meek an' quiet as a mouse,
When, presto, somethin's wrong!
I've learned it doesn't do to talk—
Talk won't her peace restore—
An' so I simply walk the chalk
When Mandy slams the door.

But then I never blame my wife,
I've noticed that her sex
Have saddled on them, all through life,
The little things that vex.
An' I've seen Mandy take things good
At which I'd up an' swore,
But put me down as "sawin' wood"
When Mandy slams the door!

—Detroit Free Press.

NEW BRUNSWICK PROVINCIAL

Agricultural Exhibition

AND INDUSTRIAL FAIR,

—AT—

Fredericton, N.B., Sept. 17, 18, 19, 20, 1901.

A fine array of special attractions. Excursion rates from every direction.

All entries should be addressed to the Assistant Secretary, who will furnish prize lists and all further information on application.

JOHN A. CAMPBELL, M. P. P., President. A. S. MURRAY, Secretary.

J. DARELL JAGO, Assistant Secretary.

THE P. R. A. MATCHES.

St. John Marksmen Beaten in the Elder Cup Competition in the Closing Day at Sussex.

Sussex, Aug. 13.—The Provincial Rifle Association matches began here today. The day opened very darkly with a heavy driz- zle falling, but about 9.30 o'clock a slight breeze from the north drove the fog off the range, making fair shooting weather. The attendance is below last year. The following is a list of the winners in the matches shot off this morning:

Nursery, range 500 yards, 7 shots.—Pte. Langstroth, 74th, Capt. W. H. Fairweath- er, 8th Hussars, Capt. Mersereau, 73rd, tie for cup and money prize, 32 each.

	Points.
Mr. A. B. Murray, $6	31
Pte. A. McIntosh, 8th Hussars, $5	31
Mr. G. A. Dodge, Moncton, $4	29
Mr. A. R. Chipman, St. Stephen, $4	28
Corp. E. B. Haggartz, 8th Hussars, $4	28
Sergt. A. Pringle, 71st, $4	26
Pte. H. Stevenson, 73rd, $3	24
Mr. A. F. Budd, St. Andrews, $3	22
Lieut. S. R. Anderson, 74th, $3	22
Mr. W. McK. Weldon, Moncton, $3	21
Lt. E. O. Stevens, 8th Hussars, $2	20
Mr. M. Nelson, St. John, $2	19
Mr. W. Baird, St. John, $2	6
Capt. Dunning, 62nd Fusiliers, $2	-2

The All Comers.

All comers range, 600 yards, 7 shots.—Capt. J. M. McIntyre, 74th; Mr. Hunter, St. John; Mr. H Sullivan, St. John, tie 34. First prize, $10; 2nd, $9; 3rd, $8

	Points.
Capt. R. H. Arnold, 8th Hussars, $5	33
Capt. G. S. Kinnear, 8th Hussars, $5	33
Capt. E. A. Smith, R. L., $5	32
Mr. H. H. Bartlett, St. Andrews, $4	32
Mr N. Treadwell, St. Andrews, $4	32
Sergt. W. E. Forbes, 73rd, $4	31
Mr. A. B. Murray, Stanley, $4	31
Sergt. H. A. Chandler, 8th Hussars, $4	31
Pte. H. Langstroth, 74th, $3	30
Sergt. L. A. Langstroth, 74th, $3	30
Major J. T. Hartt, R. O., $3	29
Mr D. C. Rawlings, St. Andrews, $3	28
Maj. J. H. McRobbie, St. John, $3	28
Capt. S. B. Lordly, R. O., $3	28
Lt. B. Henderson, 24th, $2	28
Sergt. Maj. J. T. McGowan, 3rd R. C. A., $2	28
Mr. J. Ward, Moncton, $2	28
Mr. L. Hatfield, St. Andrews, $2	28
Capt. O. W. Wetmore, 74th, $2	28
Maj. F. H. Hartt, 62nd Fus., $2	23
Lieut. H. Douglas, 71st, $2	27

The Prince of Wales match finished to- night and was won by Captain O. W. Wetmore, of the 74th, with a score of 80 points

Sussex, Aug. 14—The following is a list of winners in the matches shot this morn- ing:

Association.

Ranges 200, 500 and 600 yards, seven shots at each distance.

	Points.
Capt. J. Manning, R. O., cup and $12	92
Capt. R. H. Arnold, 8th Hussars, $10	91
Sgt. H. A. Chandler, 74th, $9	91
Sgt. W. E. Forbes, 73rd, $8	89
Mr. H. Sullivan, St. John, $6	89
Pte. H. Langstroth, 74th, $6	89
Maj. J. H. McRobbie, 8th Hussars, $6	89
Pte. S. D. Thomas, 71st, $6	88
Mr. D. C. Rollins, St. Andrews, $5	87
Capt. F. W. Foster, 3rd R. C. A., $5	87
Sgt. L. A. Langstroth, 74th, $5	86
Sgt. Maj. J. T. McGowan, 3rd R. C. A., $5	86
Maj. J. T. Hartt, R. O., $4	85
Mr. H. H. Bartlett, St. Andrews, $4	85
Capt. G. S. Kinnear, 8th Hussars, $4	85
Capt. C. J. Mersereau, 73rd, $4	85
Mr. J. Hunter, St. John, $4	84
Lt. S. B. Anderson, 74th, $4	84
Sgt. G. L. Murray, 8th Hussars, $4	84
Mr. N. Treadwell, St. Andrews, $3	83
Lt. S. S. Wetmore, 74th, $3	83
Capt. E. A. Smith, R. L., $3	83
Capt. O. W. Wetmore, 74th, $3	83
Mr. A. Carter, Moncton, $3	83
Mr. A. A. Rigby, St. Andrews, $3	83
Maj. F. H. Hartt, 62nd Fus., $3	82
Mr. W. A. Lordly, St. John, $2	82
Corp. E. B. Haggerty, 8th Hussars, $2	81
Mr. J. Ward, Moncton, $2	81
Maj. J. N. Kinnear, R. O., $2	81
Lt. J. L. McAvity, R. C., $2	80
Capt. S. B. Lordly, R. O., $2	80
Pte. Rigby, 3rd R. C. A., $2	80
Mr. L. Hartford, St. Andrews, $2	80
Lt. E. O. Steeves, 8th Hussars, $2	79

Counted out—A. McIntosh, 8th Hussars.

Tyros:

Mr. G. A. Dodge, Moncton, $2.

Mr. W. McK. Weldon, Moncton, $2.

Mr. A. F. Budd, St. Andrews, $2.

Grand Aggregate.

The highest aggregate scores in the All- Comers, Domville, Prince of Wales, Pro- vincial and Association matches win the grand aggregate. The winners are:

Capt. O. W. Wetmore, 74th, National Rifle Association silver medal, badge and $10	300
Capt. Wetmore came first last year, with the same score.	
Capt. R. H. Arnold, 8th Hussars, Dominion Rifle Association silver medal and $8	298
Sgt. W. E. Forbes, 73rd, Provincial Rifle Association silver medal and $7	297
Maj. J. H. McRobbie, 8th Hussars, Dominion Rifle Association bronze medal and $5	296

The matches closed this evening.

In the grand aggregate, Captain O. W. Wetmore, of the 74th, leads, making 300 points, winning the National Rifle Asso- ciation silver medal and badge and $10.

Kings county carried off the Elder cup again, although St. John tied them in number of points made, but Sergeant Langstroth, 74th, made the highest score on the field, 95, and Kings county led at 500 and 600 yards.

In the match for the Domville cup, Captain O. W. Wetmore, 74th, and Sergeant W. E. Forbes tied. In the shoot off Sergeant Forbes won.

In the match for the governor general medals, the silver medal was won by Major J. T. Hartt, R. O., 45 points. For the bronze medal there was a tie by Sergeant L. Langstroth, 74th; Major F. H. Hartt, and Mr. Treadwell, of St. An- drews. In the shoot off Sergeant Langs- troth won, making 14 points.

Woman Killed.

Freedom, Me., Aug. 14—While driving near her home today, Mrs. Lucinda M. Billings was thrown from her wagon and instantly killed, her horse becoming frightened and overturning the wagon. Mrs. Fred Ritchie, who was with her, was also thrown and rendered unconscious and may not recover.

Mrs. Billings, who was 71 years old, was the widow of the late Dr. Billings, well known throughout the state.

MR. HICKMAN RETURNS.

Immigration Agent of New Brunswick Talks Respecting His Recent Visit to England.

W. A. Hickman, the immigration agent of New Brunswick, who has been busily engaged in England, arrived home last Saturday. Mr. Hickman, in an interview with The Telegraph Tuesday stated he had had a busy year's work. When he arrived in London last November he found a large quantity of correspondence which had collected during his absence and he gave this his immediate attention. He next devoted his time in London to ob- taining newspaper notices regarding the province, and reserved the spring for lec- tures, believing that it would be more ad- vantageous and productive of better results to arrange his work in this manner. He found, however, that the correspondence grew heavier during the winter, and early spring, and was almost compelled to aban- don his proposed lecture tour.

A large meeting was held in Liverpool with the lord mayor in the chair. This lecture was productive of good results, and also gave him an introduction to the press of that city. Two lectures were de- livered at the Imperial Institute, presided over by Lord Derby and Mr. Duff Miller, respectively. Lord Derby made a very favorable speech at the close of the lec- ture, and the London papers gave excel- lent accounts of the proceedings. The London Daily Telegraph published an in- terview with Mr. Hickman and as a re- sult he received some 800 letters regarding New Brunswick. This interview started the ball rolling and Mr. Harmsworth, of the Mail sent for Mr. Hickman and asked for a column interview, which was gladly given. The Daily Graphic and Financial News also published lengthy interviews, and these were republished in the provin- cial press throughout Great Britain. Just before leaving England the Post, Gentle- man's Journal, Pall Mall Magazine, Anglo- American and other journals applied for matter for publication. Mr. Hickman had a number of very favorable letters from persons who had been in New Brunswick, and these, when shown to the London press, had great influence upon its action. After the publication of the articles, in the English press, on New Brunswick, the correspondence increased rapidly so that in the last four weeks Mr. Hickman received over one thousand letters, the greater number being from men who had either a moderate or considerable amount of cap- ital to invest. A good many of these per- sons have since come to the province. The New Brunswick government has succeeded in getting probably the finest class of im- migrants ever obtained by any colonial government. It is difficult to estimate the number of people who recently emigra- ted into the province, as only those who have come directly under the eye of the local government officials either in Eng- land or this country can be counted. Rough estimates place the number at be- tween 600 and 700. Mr. Hickman said that no government office in London has had the freedom from complaints that the New Brunswick office has enjoyed. Other colonial governments spend much more money in the service. West Australia may be taken as one having almost the same population as New Brunswick and the government of that colony spends an- nually in the support of its London office for the encouragement of immigration, in- vestment of capital, etc., $25,000. West Australia pays its agent general a salary of £1,500, while the secretaries of the various Australian colonies receive £600 to £800 per annum.

PROVINCIAL TENNIS TOURNAMENT.

Results of the Opening Day's Play on Lorndale Court, Truro.

Truro, Aug. 14.—(Special)—The first pro- vincial tournament of Nova Scotia com- menced on the Lorndale Tennis Court this morning and will likely continue the re- mainder of the week. Lorndale has four double courts, surrounded by promenades; has nice dressing rooms and is well furni- shed with comfortable settees. A large number of visitors from all parts of the province are taking part in the tourna- ment. Play started this morning and the results of the day are are as follows:

Ladies doubles—Mrs. H. Johnson and Miss Graham, Halifax, defeated Miss An- derson and Miss White, Halifax, 6-4, 6-4.

Ladies singles—Miss Yorston, Truro, de- feated Miss Weston, Dartmouth, 6-3, 6-0.

Miss Bigelow, Truro, defeated Miss E. White, Halifax, 6-0, 6-1.

Gents' singles—C. Grant, Wanderers, Halifax, defeated J. S. Bentley, Truro, 6-0, 6-4.

Semi-final ladies' singles—Miss Graham, Halifax, beat Miss Yorston, Truro, 6-4, 3-6, 7-5.

Gents' doubles, preliminary—H. V. Bige- low, Dr. Stanfield, Truro, beat C. W. An- derson, L. L. McKinnon, South End, Hal- ifax, 6-4, 6-1.

W. P. McKay, J. S. Bentley, Truro, beat N. K. Cunningham, W. E. Jardine, An- tigonish, 6-0, 6-1.

C. E. Gregory, H. H. Creerar, Antigo- nish, beat S. Tupper, J. S. Lithgow, Wan- derers, Halifax, 6-4, 3-6, 11-9.

Gents' singles, preliminaries—Capt. An- derson, Garrison, Halifax, beat E. W. Rhodes, Amherst, 6-2, 6-0. J. S. Rodges, South End, Halifax, beat C. E. Gregory, Antigonish, 6-3, 6-0.

First round—E. P. Almon, Wanderers, Halifax, beat F. S. Coombs, St. George's, Dartmouth, 8-6, 3-6, 6-2.

J. Douglas, Amherst, beat E. J. Mur- phy, Wanderers, Halifax, 6-2, 1-8, 9-7.

Mixed doubles, preliminary round—H. V. Bigelow, Miss Bigelow beat E. W. Rhodes, Miss G. Pipes, Amherst, 6-4, 6-4.

First round, mixed doubles—C. Grant, Halifax, Miss Blanche E. Nelson, Truro, beat F. S. Coombs and Miss E. White, Dartmouth, 6-1, 6-2.

Gents' singles, preliminaries—L. H. Crowe, Bedford, beat W. P. McKay, Tru- ro, 4-6, 7-5, 6-3.

Gents' singles, first round—W. T. Fos- ter, Dartmouth, beat W. E. Jardine, An- tigonish, 6-1, 7-5.

EDISON AT SUDBURY.

The Celebrated Inventor is Looking After Canadian Nickel Lands.

Toronto, Aug. 13—(Special)—The On- tario government today was advised of the presence at Sudbury of Thomas A. Edison, the celebrated inventor. His visit there is the direct result of an inspection of the mines building at the Pan-Ameri- can exposition, where he saw the exhibit of minerals from Ontario. It is understood Mr. Edison will endeavor to acquire some nickel lands, with an object of securing nickel for his industries.

COUNTY S. S. ASSOCIATION.

Annual Convention Held in the Carleton Methodist Church Thursday — Delegates and Officers Elected.

St. John County Sunday School Asso- ciation annual convention, held in the Methodist church, St. John West, opened at 2. 39 p. m. Thursday. In the absence of the president, Rev. C. T. Phillips, Mr. E. R. Machum acted as chairman. Rev. George Steele opened by reading of scrip- ture and prayer.

Miss Alice E. Estey, corresponding sec- retary, read the statistical report, show- ing that there are 65 schools in the coun- ty, with a total membership of 9,847; average attendance of all, 6,050.

Mr. R. G. Haley, treasurer, read his report, showing a balance of $1.08.

Mr. Robert Reid, home department superintendent, read his report, showing 22 departments with a membership of 913.

Miss Jennie Robb, primary superintend- ent, read her report.

Reports were read from various parishes.

Rev. George Steele conducted an inter- esting and instructing normal lesson on the Book of Genesis. Rev. A. Lucas, field secretary, gave a half hour talk on Prov- incial Work. After singing, Rev. D. Stewart, of St. Martins, closed the after- noon session with prayer and benediction.

At the evening session Rev. H. Penna conducted, from 7.30 to 8 o'clock, the de- votional exercises. Rev. George Steele acted as chairman.

Mr. Robert Reid read the nominating committee's report, as follows:

President, Mr. Harry A. Irvine.

Corresponding secretary, Miss Alice E. Estey.

Recording secretary, Miss Jennie B. Robb.

Treasurer, Mr. Enoch Thompson.

Superintendent temperance department, Mrs. T. H. Bullock.

Superintendent home department, Miss Whitman.

Normal superintendent, Rev. T. F. Foth- eringham, D. D.

Primary superintendent, Miss Trimble.

Vice-presidents—Simonds West, Mr. Le- Baron Jordon; Simonds East, Miss E. Johnston; Fairville, Mr. J. F. Black; St. John West, Mr. W. O. Slipp.

Additional members of executive—Rev. A. Foster, Mr. W. N. Thorne, Mrs. Manu- el, Rev. Geo. Steele, Mrs. D. A. Mor- rison, Mr. T. Hayes, Rev. R. R. Morson, Mr. T. S. Simms, Mr. W. J. Parks.

The report was received and adopted. The chairman called for the president- elect to come to the platform, and as Mr. Harry A. Irvine stepped on the platform he received a hearty reception from the members of the convention. He made a few remarks, thanking the convention for the honor conferred upon him. He then called on Mrs. T. H. Bullock, temperance superintendent of the Provincial Sunday School Association, who conducted a con- ference on the temperance work.

Rev. R. R. Morson gave an interesting and instructive address on the Sunday school teacher's opportunity.

After singing a hymn, Rev. J. D. Free- man gave an address on the Sower, which was of great encouragement to the Sunday school teacher.

In the evening session the following delegates were appointed to attend the provincial convention at Fredericton, Oct. 8 to 10: Miss A. E. Estey, Messrs. E. Johnston, E. Thompson, W. J. Parks and Rev. Mr. Stewart.

News of the Local Fishing.

Halifax, Aug. 15.—Reports from the fish- ing centres are:

Nova Scotia.

Digby—Hake and herring plenty; cod and haddock scarce.

Lockeport—Cod fair; herring reported.

Liverpool—Cod fair; herring, mackerel and squid scarce.

Lunenburg—Cod and mackerel fair.

Spry Bay—Cod fair.

Salmon River—Mackerel fair; cod scarce.

Canso—Cod fair; mackerel scarce; no squid.

Ingonish—Cod and squid fair; mackerel scarce.

Mabou—Cod and hake plenty; haddock fair; mackerel scarce; no herring.

Prince Edward Island.

Alberton, Kildare, Tignish and Water- ford—Cod and hake plenty; mackerel re- ported hooking freely and netting off the coast.

Malpeque—Cod fair; no mackerel.

Quebec.

Gascons—Cod plenty; squid fair.

Newport Point—Cod fair on banks and in shore; bait scarce.

Grand River—Cod and herring fair.

Perce—Cod plenty; herring fair.

Little River, Seven Islands and Carai- bou Islands—Cod fair; squid plenty.

Sheldrake—Cod fair.

Mutton Bay—Herring fair.

Long Point—Squid plenty.

Grindstone, Magdalene Islands—Mack- erel plenty; cod fair.

Southwest Point—Squid fair; cod scarce; no herring.

All branches are dull at Arichat, Des- cousse, Port Malcolm, Port La Tour, Sand Point, Meat Cove, Port Hood, George- town, Gabarus, West Arichat, Paspebiac and Isaacs Harbor.

Bait and Ice.

Bait can be obtained at Douglastown, Gabarus, St. Ann's, Caraquet, Pubnico, Port La Tour, Lunenburg, l'Ardiose, Ari- chat, Canso, Queensport, Campobello Isl- and, Fox Island, Guysboro County, Whale Cove, Swallow Tail, Flags Cove and Seal Cove, G. M.

Ice at Arichat, Digby, St. Mary's Bay, Tiverton, Granville, Freeport, Westport, Douglastown, Isaac's Harbor, Hawkesbury, Lunenburg, Georgetown, Yarmouth, Pub- nico, Lockeport, Port Malcolm, Liverpool, Whitehead, Port Mulgrave, Panmure Isl- and, Canso, Souris, Port Mouton, Queens- port, Prospect, Hubbard's Cove, Guys- town; Fox Island, Guysboro County and Port La Tour.

Frozen bait at Bayfield, Souris, Port Mouton, Gabarus, Queensport.

A fortune awaits the man who can find a substitute for sponges. New York deal- ers are wondering what is to become of their business, for, while the supply is not increasing, the demand for sponges grows larger every year. Five years ago the price began to go up, and this season's quotations show an advance of 100 per cent over those of 1895 and 1896. Many varieties cost the buyers on the fishing grounds more today than they formerly sold for in the local markets.

Midsummer Clearance Sale!

July practically marks the end of the Clothing Season. As we have done a large business the past season, and reaped a fair reward for our work, we can afford to close out the balance of our SUMMER STOCK at whatever price it may bring.

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BAPTIST CONVENTION.

Annual Gathering of the New Brunswick Organization Will Be Held in Hartland Sept. 12.

The eighth annual gathering of this body is arranged to take place at Hart- land, Carleton county, September 12th to 16th, and promises to be of especial in- terest. The meetings will open on Thurs- day, 12th, with the sessions of the provin- cial Sunday school conventions. There will be a public platform meeting on Thursday evening, at which addresses will be given on different phases of Sabbath school work.

The regular convention will open on Fri- day, at 10 a. m., with J. R. Richards, president in office for the current year. The convention has had but one treasurer since its organization in 1894, Mr. J. S. Titus, of St. Martins, who has efficiently discharged his duties to the satisfaction of all, receiving and disbursing during this period many thousands of dollars.

The Friday evening session will be taken up with addresses on temperance. A number of prominent workers in this de- partment have been invited to speak. At several of the day sessions a considerable portion of the time is to be devoted to the subjects of the Bible summer school, which, by resolution of last year, was in- corporated with regular convention work. Several papers and themes of an interest- ing character will be presented on various topics now under discussion among evan- gelical Christians.

On Saturday afternoon the annual meet- ing of the Baptist Annuity Association will be held. The funds of this society, endowed largely by the late Capt. Brad- shaw, of Hampton, have recently received an important enlargement through a be- quest from a wealthy gentleman of Sussex. The object of the association is to relieve needy and infirm ministers and their fami- lies, and its mission in this direction has already proved of a most beneficial char- acter.

The programme of Saturday evening will be taken up with home missions and educational addresses. Among the speak- ers invited are several prominent work- ers, both within and without the prov- ince. Rev. A. T. Dunn, D. D., the home mission secretary of Maine, has written intimating his intention of being present, and will speak on Home Mission Work as the Basis of Denominational Progress. The doctor, who has had long experience in this service, is a scholarly and talented speaker, and his address is expected to be one of the treats of the occasion.

The preacher of the convention sermon for Sabbath, 11 a. m., is Rev. R. Barry Smith, now settled in Cambridge, widely known is different parts of the province.

Sabbath afternoon will be devoted to foreign missions, northwest missions and Grand Ligne. The sessions will close with an evangelistic service on Sabbath even- ing. Arrangements have been made for return of delegates at reduced rates on the various steamers and railway lines and as the point is easily accessible both from Maine and New Brunswick sides, a large gathering is anticipated. By special favor, the I. C. R. will issue with its standard certificates, through tickets over C. P. R. direct to Hartland, with free return.

AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY.

Their Annual Show Will Be Held at Moosepath, September 24--Races May Be Held.

A meeting of the directors of the St. John Agricultural Society was held Tues- day in order to take up the report of the committee, to prepare a prize list for the fall show at Moosepath. There were present Wm. Mullen, S. T. Golding, B. V. Millidge, S. Creighton, R. R. Patchell, J. F. Watson, T. Fred. John- son and the president, Dr. Frink.

The prize list was taken up section by section and was approved with a few amendments.

The date announced for the fair was the 24th September.

The Telegraph will publish the prize list, so that it will be available to all who desire to exhibit. Committees were struck to select judges and to arrange stock and produce. It is probable that the executive committee will arrange a series of races for the afternoon. The show promises to be the most interesting held here for some years.

THE TRACKMEN'S STRIKE.

Manager MacNicoll Will Meet Chairman of the Brotherhood With View of Settlement.

Montreal, Aug. 13—(Special)—A director of the C. P. R. states that the chairman of the C. P. R. Brotherhoods will have an opportunity of meeting General Manager MacNicoll now that he has returned from his western trip. He intimated something will be done then to- wards settling the trackmen's strike, or at any rate a modus vivendi will be ar- ranged.

U. N. B. SENATE MEETS.

Mr. E. B. Jack, C. E., to Succeed Prof. Dixon in the Chair of Engineering.

There was a meeting of the Senate of the University of New Brunswick Tues- day afternoon in the Equity Court room, at which the chancellor of the University, Dr. Thomas Harrison, Judge Barker, Judge McLeod, J. D. Hazen, M. P. P., Hedley V. B. Bridges and George W. Mersereau. The resignation of Professor Dixon from the chair of Engineering was presented and accepted, a resolution being adopted recognizing the valuable services rendered the U. N. B. by the retiring professor, who has accepted a professorship at Dal- housie University, Halifax, N. S.

The matter of the appointment of a successor was taken up and Mr. Ernest Brydone Jack, B. A., C. E., was appoint- ed to the chair of Engineering in the U. N. B. Prof. Jack is the youngest son of Dr. Jack, formerly president of the Uni- versity, and the predecessor of the pres- ent chancellor. Prof. Jack is therefore a province boy by birth and education. He entered the Fredericton High School in 1884 under Mr. G. R. Parkin and after a brilliant school course matriculated at the U. N. B. in 1887 at the head of his class, winning the York county scholarship At the U. N. B. he took first class honors in mathematics for his second, third and fourth years, and first class honors in natural science for the fourth year. The present civil engineering course was start- ed at the U. N. B. in 1889 and Prof. Jack took that course in addition to his other work for the balance of his course. After graduating from the U. N. B. in 1891 at the head of his class Mr. Jack entered the Reussdaer Polytechnic Institute of Troy, N.Y., where he took the full four year engineering course in three years, gradua- ting in 1894 with the degree of C. E. In 1898 Prof. Jack was elected an associate member of the American Society of Civil Engineers, the representative engineering society of the United States, and the re- quirements for admission to which are very rigid. Such is the brilliant record of the new U. N. B. professor of engineering. His practical experience in field work has also been extensive. He has been engaged on surveys for the St. John Valley and Riviere du Loup Railway; had charge of a levelling party on the Short Line survey, between Harvey and Moncton, and has also been engaged as assistant engineer on the Buffalo, Rochester and Pittsburg Railway and on the Delaware and Hudson Canal Co. From 1895 to 1896 Professor Jack was engaged in the engineering and drafting department of The Pennsylvania Steel Co. From 1898 to 1900, he was employed with The Keystone Bridge Works, and the Carnegie Steel Company, and for the last year and a half of that time held the posi- tion of engineer in charge of one of the branch offices, having some 15 engineers working under his direction. In May, 1900, Professor Jack accepted the position of engineer in charge of the drafting de- partment of the Fort Pitt Bridge Works, which he has held until the present time. In that position, Professor Jack had 20 engineers under him and was entrusted with the responsibility of hiring all the men, etc., for his department. During this busy period of active engineering work he has been employed on some very im- portant pieces of engineering construction, among which were certain sections of the structural work for the Boston Subway, the Southern Union Station in Boston, the Allegheny River Bridge for the Allegheny & Western Railway, and the Riverside Drive Viaduct of New York.

FACTORIES BILL PASSED.

Government Supporters Denounce It As Surrender to Irish Obstruction.

London, Aug. 14—The house of commons passed the factories bill to a third read- ing last night after a heated debate which arose out of the action of the government in withdrawing a clause including laun- dries within the scope of the bill, because the Nationalists strongly objected to offi- cial inspection of the Catholic convent laaundries on the ground that such in- spection would be subversive of the dis- cipline it is necessary to maintain in re- formatory laundries conducted by nuns for fallen women.

Many supporters of the government hot- ly denounced it as a surrender to Irish obstruction.

The Conservative papers attribute the result to Mr. Balfour's mismanagement of the house in driving important business into the last days of the session.

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