

MUCH BUSINESS BEFORE SYNOD

Delegates Busy At Capital Yesterday—Feeling References To Recent Deaths.

The Rothersey Collegiate School and Its Maintenance—Head Master's Report Adopted.

Fredericton, N. B., Nov. 3.—On the Church of England Synod resuming business this afternoon several reports of committees were read.

On motion of Arch Newham, in connection with this report of memorials to deceased members, a resolution was passed making feeling reference to the death of the late Rev. Dr. Pickett and the death of the late Mr. Justice Hannington.

The report of the executive committee was read by Arch Deacon Raymond and on his motion was adopted.

On the consideration of section 6, concerning the grant of \$524.39 to Rothersey College, Mr. Schofield moved in amendment that the words be added: "and a grant of \$500 be made to provide for the running track and \$500 more to pay the cost of leveling the ground and thus make a thoroughly satisfactory athletic field."

Some discussion ensued on this matter and on the matter of the college expenditure generally. The Rev. G. A. Kubring referred to the succeeding paragraph which set out that \$2417.53 had been granted by the Board of Education to cover the net deficit for the year on the college working and desired to know if this deficit arose from special circumstances or whether it was expected to be an annual thing.

Rev. W. R. Hibbard, headmaster, said his report might have some bearing on the question and it was resolved that the standing rules be suspended in order that the report might be read. This having been done the headmaster explained that the expenditure amounted to \$17,470.21 while the receipts were \$2417.53 less. When he (the speaker) took over the school there were only 25 resident pupils. This number had been increased to 37 at the end of the year and there were now 43. It would need not less than 47 boys to make the school self-supporting and he did not expect the deficit for the current year to exceed \$1,000. After some discussion the amendment of Mr. Schofield was carried. The remainder of the report was agreed to.

Board of Missions. The report of the Board of Missions was read by Archdeacon Newham. Some discussion ensued in which Canon Hoyt and Mr. G. H. Hooper, among others took part, after which the report was adopted.

At this evening's session the report of the committee on the report of the Rev. E. B. Hooper, among other things it was reported that the sum of \$1162.43 had been collected among the school children which was considered very satisfactory. A detailed list of the offerings from the different denominations accompanied the report.

In the discussion which ensued on the various departments of Sunday school work, Rev. Mr. Blackall thought that some effort should be made to inculcate the principles of temperance in the Sunday schools and he was proceeding to argue along that line when His Lordship expressed the opinion that the matter might more fittingly be considered later on when the question of temperance generally came up for discussion.

More Enthusiasm. Dean Schofield made a very strong appeal for more enthusiasm in the matter of Sunday school work and urged the appointment of some specialists. He spoke of the methods employed in the neighboring diocese of Nova Scotia and the success attained there.

Rev. G. A. Kubring followed and spoke strongly against the cigarette habit among the boys which should be eradicated wherever possible. Archdeacon Neales spoke of the difficulty in getting the services of specialists in the various country districts and he recommended sectional meetings which could be addressed by a specialist when teachers from several parishes could attend.

ISLAND GIRL GETS CARNEGIE HERO MEDAL

Miss Ratterbury Of Charlottetown Who Saved Miss Williams From Drowning Last Summer In Honor List.

Pittsburg, Pa., Nov. 3.—With the regular fall meeting of the Carnegie Hero Fund Commission, today, came the rewarding of fifty persons throughout this country and Canada for acts of bravery and illustrious conduct called to the attention of the commission during the past three months.

With the exception of the one award, made to a citizen of Canada, all the persons remembered by the commission are residents of the United States, 22 being persons living in Ohio.

Approximately \$25,000, twenty-three silver and twenty-seven bronze medals were awarded at today's meeting of the commission. Of the fifty heroic acts approved fourteen of the persons responsible for them met their deaths. In these cases next of kin received the award.

Decade of heroism during the flood at Athens, Ohio, on March 14, 1907, received the greater part of the attention of the commission.

Among those recognized by the commission today at its meeting was Miss Bertha Ratterbury, Charlottetown, P. E. I.

Special to The Standard. Charlottetown, Nov. 3.—Miss Ratterbury, awarded a Carnegie medal is a daughter of Nelson Ratterbury, wholesale grocer, of Charlottetown. She saved the life of Miss A. Well, of Charlottetown, last summer. Though only a school girl she exhibited great presence of mind in an emergency when Miss Well, who was bathing and unable to swim, got beyond her depth and was in the greatest of danger. Miss Ratterbury grasped the girl by the hair and brought her to shore.

Proceedings of Supreme Court at Fredericton. Several Cases Disposed Of Yesterday—Rule Refused In Smith vs. Clark And Adams And Jones vs. Burgess.

Special to The Standard. Fredericton, N. B., Nov. 3.—This afternoon the supreme court was engaged with hearing argument in the cases of the King vs. Judge Wilson in re Fairley vs. Braithwaite and the case of Fairley vs. Duncan. Before the magistrate Braithwaite was convicted for possession of a possession carbou shot out of season. The cases were taken up on review before Judge Wilson and the conviction quashed.

Mr. Lawlor removed the cases to the supreme court on appeal under certiorari. Mr. J. J. F. Winslow showed cause against appeal on ground that certiorari did not lie.

The court considers in both cases. This morning Hon. Justice White delivered judgment on behalf of the ex parte O'Regan.

Thompson vs. Blake was stood over for the present. Smith vs. Clark and Adams—Rule refused. Jones vs. Burgess—Rule refused. The last two cases were similar and the court gave opinion that the cases tried were under the discretion of the presiding judge and that that discretion should not be interfered with.

The King vs. Alex. Monahan—Court considers. Blotted Out The Lives Of An Entire Family. North West Mounted Police Searching For Fiend Believed To Have Killed Five Near Wynyard.

TAMMANY HAS GLOOMY WORK BEFORE IT NOW

Setting Its House In Order For Four Years Of Avowed Anti-Tammany Rule—Murphy Issues Statement.

INDEPENDENT DEMOCRATS THE GREATEST WINNERS

New York, N. Y., Nov. 3.—Battered Tammany, which yesterday elected a mayor, but lost a city, took up today the gloomy work of setting its house in order for four years of avowed anti-Tammany government in New York city.

Analysis shows that the election which resulted in the defeat by the Fusion banner, than by the straight majority Democratic candidate below the mayor, was more of a victory for the anti-Tammany Democrats who had lined up with the Republicans under the Fusion banner, than for the straight Republicans. Anti-Tammany Democrats elected on the Republican-Fusion ticket, will for four years be in absolute control of the city's purse strings.

Complete Reorganization. In this board, according to the anti-Tammany Democrats, is to be found the nucleus of what they believe will provide a complete reorganization of their party in greater New York. Persistent rumors today had it that the attempt to create a new order of things for the New York city Democracy was already under way.

Charles F. Murphy, who succeeded Richard Croker as Tammany leader, came out with a formal denial of these rumors, at the same time denying a report that he was to be deposed from the leadership.

The presence of Richard Croker in the city, was a matter of considerable speculation to those who were studying the situation. It had been announced that he had extended his visit five days longer than previously announced, was regarded as significant.

Mr. Croker's visitors today included ex-Mayor Hugh Grant, Lewis Nixon, William F. Sheehan and Mayor McClellan. The retired leader said that these calls had no political significance, however.

"I am out of politics for good and all," he told his interviewers. "Not for the dollar dollars would I reconsider my determination to keep in the background. Yes, they asked me to come back—they always do that. But I'm too old and couldn't stand the racket."

Margeson to Contest Election of MacLean. Lunenburg Conservatives Decide To Oppose A. K. MacLean's Election To Local House.

Lunenburg, N. S., Nov. 3.—The executive of the Conservative party met here today and decided that J. W. Margeson, who was chosen as one of the candidates by the largest and most representative body of delegates which has met in this county for many years should oppose A. K. MacLean in the approaching bye-election. Mr. Margeson will start his campaign at once.

As soon as this was announced and became generally known the enthusiasm of the party throughout the county knew no bounds. Reports from all sections of the county received this evening point to an overwhelming majority for Mr. Margeson who is as deservedly popular with all classes. That he will win and do it handsomely is a foregone conclusion. Great gains are certain in every polling district. The enthusiasm of the party was never more intense.

In Cumberland. Amherst, N. S., Nov. 3.—The Liberal-Conservative convention called for the purpose of nominating a candidate to contest the by-election in Cumberland, to be held November 24th, met in Amherst this afternoon and was fairly well attended. Owing to condition of the roads some of the candidates were not represented, but taken as a whole the convention was a representative one. In the absence of Mr. B. Smith, K. C. R. Murray, of Springhill, was called to the chair and W. M. Manning was appointed secretary. The convention decided to place a man in the field and T. S. Rogers, K. C. was unanimously chosen, his acceptance of the same was heartily cheered by the convention. Mr. Rogers was the candidate for a canal honours in 1904. He is one of the leading members of the Cumberland bar. The fight in Cumberland will be a three-cornered one. The candidates are, J. H. Livingston, Liberal; Adolphe Landry, labor; and T. S. Rogers, Conservative. The introduction of the labor candidate in the contest introduces an element of uncertainty into the campaign. Mr. Rogers will prove a strong candidate.

YESTERDAY AN EPOCH MARKER FOR AVIATION

Henry Farman Beats All Aeroplane Records For Duration And Distance—Wright Machine In Good Flight.

BADDECK IS AGAIN TO THE FOREFRONT

Moumelon, France, Nov. 3.—Henry Farman, the English aviator today won the Michelin cup, beating all aeroplane records for duration and distance. He covered a little over 232 kilometres (144 miles) in four hours, six minutes and twenty seconds. The previous best record was made by Farman at Bethany aviation field, Rheims, in August last when he won the Grand Prix de la Cham-



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page, travelling 180 kilometres (111.78 miles) in three hours and four minutes, 50 2-5 seconds. The weather today was ideal, it being grey and windless, although the cold was severe. The aviator was given an ovation when he landed.

At College Park. College Park, Md., Nov. 3.—Flying records were broken in more ways than one on the government aviation field today. In the morning, Lieutenants Humphreys and Foulers, of the signal corps, remained in the air 61 3-4 minutes, and in doing so exceeded all endurance records that had been made by any of the pupils of the Wright brothers in this country.

THIS SUICIDE A ST. JOHN MAN

Sussex, N. B., Nov. 3.—A man who from all appearances committed suicide some time Tuesday night by shooting himself through the head and who was found Wednesday afternoon lying along the I. C. R. track about 80 yards east of Salmon River bridge by the crew of the east bound freight was this evening identified as John Oram of St. John.

The train crew on finding the body immediately notified the station agent here, who advised Coroner Burnett of the facts. The coroner went to the scene and after viewing the body and surroundings ordered its removal to Mr. F. W. Wallace's undertaking room, Sussex, where an inquest will be held tomorrow at 10 o'clock.

A 38-calibre revolver was used to do the deed. The ball entered the head just above the right ear, coming out through the left ear. The revolver was a new one and in the chambers were two loaded cartridges and one empty one.

Oram was a man between 40 and 50 years of age and was clothed in a working suit of dark Oxford and black felt hat. In his pockets were found a pair of ladies kid gloves, box of black thread, jack-knife, pipe, box of cartridges and a note book with only one word, Oram, on it. David Alton was the only man here who could identify him.

Censure For Pilots In Montezuma Case. Grounding Of C. P. R. Steamer Laid To The Doors Of Pilot And Captain By Acting Commission.

Montreal, Nov. 3.—Pilot LeBlanche was censured this morning by Capt. L. A. Demers, acting wreck commissioner, in his judgment in the case of the grounding of the C. P. R. steamship Montezuma at Cape a Roche on her last inbound voyage from Antwerp. Captain Demers declared he was opposed to the time-honored custom of river pilots handling a wheel during the whole trip up and

LOD CHARLES ADMIRES MUCH IN CANADIANS

Finds Them Strong, Healthy, Cheery And Energetic, The Best Specimens Of The British Race.

THINKS IT PROVIDES FOR CANADA'S DEFENCE

London, Nov. 3.—Speaking at the Royal Colonial Institute, Lord Charles Bessford said that the future of Great Britain was black and we could only hold our own by keeping our supremacy at sea. The navies of the Empire should be interchangeable, and should have the same discipline and uniform signals. He had found the Canadians strong, healthy, cheery and energetic. The best specimens of the British race he had ever seen. The Canadians loyalty was unbounded, their energy was splendid and they could very well have sat still on this question of defence, for they could shelter themselves behind the Monroe Doctrine. But they were too proud an offshoot of the old stock to do that; they had determined to defend their trade routes.

Having alluded to the excellent feeling between Canada and the United States Lord Bessford declared: "I do not talk of having a fleet deficiency in this city today, we should rather aim at having such an Empire fleet that nobody could attack at all."

JUDGE FORBES GETS UNIQUE RECEPTION

His Honor Speaks At Annual Meeting Of Maine Bible Society At Portland And Is Tendered Enthusiastic Welcome

Portland, Me., Nov. 3.—When His Honor Judge Forbes of St. John rose to address the one hundred annual meeting of the Maine Bible Society in this city today he was accorded one of the greatest receptions ever given a public speaker in this vicinity.

His Honor, who is president of the New Brunswick Bible Society and vice-president of the British and Foreign Bible Society, spoke for over an hour and during the course of his address was frequently applauded.

Rev. John C. Perkins, D. D., and William D. D. Secretary of the American Bible Society also spoke.

WOMEN APPOINTED TO POSTS IN NEW YORK

New York, N. Y., Nov. 3.—Mayor George M. McClellan appointed three women to the Board of Education today and thereby conceded one of the principal demands of women suffrage organizations.

It is the first time in more than a quarter of a century that women have gained representation on the Board of Education and the news, heralded through women's suffrage ranks tonight, was welcomed as a victory.

U. S. HAS POSTAL DEFICIT. Washington, D. C., Nov. 3.—A postal deficiency of \$17,479,770, an increase of \$549,491, over last year, was announced in the annual report of the year ending June 30, of Merritt O. Chance, the auditor of the post office department, which was made public today.

I. C. R. CONDENSED BY NORTHCLIFFE

English Newspaper Magazine at Truro Raps Government Road—Chain Around People's Neck.

C. P. R. the Great Immigration Office -- What The Road Is Doing For Canada.

Special to The Standard. Truro, N. S., Nov. 3.—Lord Northcliffe, the principal owner of the London Times, the London Daily Mail and Paris Daily Mail, accompanied by Lady Northcliffe and W. Beach Thomas, the well known English expert on agriculture, passed through Truro today. Lord Northcliffe, who was travelling in the private car Commonwealth, on his way from Grand Falls, Nfld., was desirous, with Mr. Beach Thomas, of inspecting the Truro Agricultural College with a view of comparing notes with Professor Cummings on the large agriculture areas now being opened up in Newfoundland. After two hours stroll in the park, in which the whole party was greatly delighted and which reminded them, they said, of the beautiful parks attached to Germany and Austria cities. The party was escorted over the farm by Professor Cummings.

Believes in Canada. Lord Northcliffe on previous visits had expressed himself as a great believer in the destiny of Canada as a whole and not only the great west where he spent his holidays in winter, but of the Maritime Provinces and the east in general. "I have long been of the opinion, and that opinion is confirmed by Professor Cummings that Nova Scotia, Cape Breton and New Brunswick present opportunities to a certain class of north of England and Scotch farmers, which are not offered by the west. For young men of great energy and comparatively small capital who have the year before them in which they can wrestle with the clearing of the land or for the man from Dakota with a great experience in similar climates, Alberta and Saskatchewan are good countries for a very numerous class of the English and Scottish tenant farmer with capital, who is unable to obtain a farm at home. The Nova Scotia farms many of which are more or less deserted nowadays, are just the place for English farmers with capital, men who are not too old to adapt themselves to the slightly different surroundings they find here. We should not forget that the west is largely the child of the railroads.

The C. P. R. is the greatest immigration office in the world, he said, it has assets all over the world. It's reading matter is poured by tons into the Old Country. We hear nothing of Nova Scotia and its sister provinces. (The speaker is well known at home nowadays than Halifax, the Montreal and Moosejaw than St. John or Truro. It is a pity, because the chances here for a good living are so much easier here for young farmers than for the same men in Cheshire, Aberdeenshire or Yorkshire. I ascribe a great deal of the ignorance of the east at home to the paucity of the Canadian Pacific, the Canadian Northern and G. T. P. people, all of them booming the west.

"The Intercolonial Railroad seems to me like a chain round the neck of this far part of the Empire," he said. "It is a warning to any one, like myself, who sometimes indulges in the dream of state ownership of British railroads. With its army of officials, its late trains, its antique locomotives, it reminds one of the railroads of Spain, with the exception that in the Canadian Pacific, the Canadian Northern and G. T. P. people, all of them booming the west.

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Inquest Being Held Into Death Of Italian. Inquiry On At Moncton Into Death Of Alexander Stella Who Was Shot By New Brunswick Yesterday.

Moncton, N. B., Nov. 3.—Coroner Ross commenced an inquest this evening into the death of Alexander Stella, an Italian 38 years of age who was fatally shot early this morning while going to work on the Grand Trunk Pacific about 22 miles from Moncton. From the evidence adduced it appears that Ernest Mullin, aged 22 of Red Bank, Northumberland County, who was employed by Corbett Floesch as a storekeeper had taken a rifle along to shoot game, he was on a flat car handling the rifle, when it was discharged, the bullet entering Stella's body near the shoulder. He was brought to Moncton hospital but expired in about an hour after arriving. Mullin swore that he did not know Stella personally and as there had been no trouble of any kind it is generally thought that the shooting was accidental. Mullin feels his position keenly. The dead man leaves a wife and two children in Italy.

Pellagra and Hookworms Travel Hand in Hand. Columbia, S. C., Nov. 3.—Bellagra and Hookworms travel hand in hand,

in their death-dealing work and until the hookworm is roused the successful treatment of the co-existent pellagra is useless to attempt, according to a paper by Frederick F. M. Sandwith of London, which was read before the International Conference on pellagra here today. One hundred and fifty prominent physicians and scientists from all sections of the United States are in attendance.