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ST. JOHN CIRCUITS TO HAVE MISSIONARY COMMITTEES

The financial meeting of the Methodist churches of the St. John district was held yesterday. The closing session was held in Centenary church and took the form of a meeting on behalf of the laymen's missionary movement. The business sessions of the morning and evening were held in Exmouth street church.

Last evening's meeting at Centenary was addressed by Judge Wilbur, United States consul at Halifax, by J. N. Harvey, by Rev. Thomas Marshall, superintendent of missions, and others. Rev. J. J. Rogers, D. D., of Sussex was in the chair.

Judge Wilbur dealt particularly with conditions in Nova Scotia, where the laymen's missionary movement was making satisfactory progress. One result which was expected from the movement was that circuits which in the past had drawn upon the missionary funds, would be independent in the future. The speaker deplored the indifference displayed by the laity in all parts of the country. The laymen and the laymen's missionary movement seemed to be the means by which they would be aroused. The movement seemed sure of bringing about a healthier state in Christian churches.

J. N. HARVEY FOLLOWS.

J. N. Harvey followed Judge Wilbur. He mentioned the fact that the strongest point about Methodism in the past had been the activity of its lay members as displayed by the lay preacher and the class leader. However there had been a marked decrease in that activity, and in Canada with-

MISS ALMA CARTER WEEDS DR. JAKEMAN

The I. C. R. Authorities Are Considering Move at Moncton

MONCTON, Aug. 25.—Today's sessions of the Canadian Brotherhood of Railway Employees were taken up with hearing reports of committees amending the constitution, etc. Officers will be elected for the year at tomorrow morning's session, and this will probably conclude the business.

The I. C. R. authorities are considering the advisability of tunnelling Moncton's main street at the railway crossing instead of erecting crossing gates as asked by the city. The matter will be discussed at a meeting of the I. C. R. and city representatives at a meeting to be held shortly. The meeting will be held at seven o'clock. The wedding trip will be to the coast.

Before sitting Magistrate Stevens today Henri Cormier was placed upon defense in two Scotch Act cases. The executive committee of the I. C. R. Reller and Insurance Association are meeting in semi-annual session here today. Only routine business was transacted.

The deaths of P. Roy Sumner and Miss Jennie Darnier will be celebrated in the Central Methodist church tomorrow evening at seven o'clock. The wedding trip will be to the coast.

On the motion of Mr. White a resolution was passed to the effect that all circuits in the St. John district appoint missionary committees as soon as possible and that contributions be made on a weekly basis.

At the close of the afternoon sessions routine business was transacted. Rev. Dr. Rogers occupying the chair and Rev. Neil J. McLaughlin acting as secretary.

PRESENT LEADER OF THE LORDS

In view of the threatened active campaign to be shortly waged against the House of Lords, the following sketch of the leader of hereditary house is of interest at the present time.

The Earl of Crewe, Robert Offley Ashburton Crewe-Milnes, P.C., M.A., F.R.S., is fifty-one years of age. He is the son of Richard Monckton Milnes, the poet, who was described in Disraeli's novel "Concurrence" as "Mr. Yavonour." He was educated at Harrow and Trinity College, Cambridge.

The hereditary influence was strongly marked, and he quickly showed literary leanings. He wrote a good deal of verse, and his volume of poems, called "Stray Verses," remains an indication of his tastes.

But literary pursuits were not destined to hold him, and he plunged early into the stormy sea of politics. He was thirty-four when as Lord Houghton he was appointed to the post of Lord-Lieutenant of Ireland. He went there in the exciting times of the second Home Rule proposals, and, young though he was, he soon showed that he possessed stiffer qualities than those required by the mere "litterateur."

In the height of the struggle his position of Lord-Lieutenant was a hard one, with many bitter situations, with anxious days and weary nights. The loyalist gentry refused to appear at the viceregal court, and there were a hundred humiliations which would have broken a man of weaker fibre. Lord Crewe, despite his delicate poetry and gracious manners, was not the man to be easily crushed. His courtesy and unfurled dignity are remembered to this day.

True, he gained in some quarters the reputation for a touch of hauteur, but this was not the result of the circumstances, for the Lord-Lieutenant, with all his courtesy, was never the man to tend his head gently to opponents.

HANDLING THE EDUCATION BILL

It was for his services in Ireland that Lord Houghton was made the Earl of Crewe. When Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman formed his Cabinet, three years ago, he made the Earl Lord President of the Council, and in that position it was soon seen that he was virtually leader of the Liberal Party in the House of Lords. Lord Crewe was finally held the position, but he was very old and his speeches were inaudible save to those within a few feet of him.

Tactfully, Lord Crewe stepped into the breach, dotting the 'i's and crossing the 't's of his leader.

With the arrival of Mr. Birrell's Education Bill the House of Lords had its experience of Lord Crewe as a master of detail. They were surprised. So were a great many other people who did not belong to the House of Lords.

Popular Richibucto Girl is United to Halifax Doctor

MONCTON, Aug. 25.—At Richibucto, Kent county, this morning a very pretty and interesting event took place in the person of Miss Alma Carter, daughter of William D. Carter, a well known barrister, was united in marriage to Dr. Harry Jakeman of Halifax. The ceremony was performed by Rev. A. Woodell of Halifax, who looked very pretty in a Bengali white gown. Both bride and groom were accompanied by a large number of friends. The bride was given away by her father, who was dressed in a travelling suit of old rose trimmed with Irish point lace with picture hat to match.

She was attended by Miss Clara Woodell of Halifax, who looked very pretty in a Bengali white gown. Both bride and groom were accompanied by a large number of friends. The bride was given away by her father, who was dressed in a travelling suit of old rose trimmed with Irish point lace with picture hat to match.

The groom was attended by Ray Wheeler of Montreal, who was the college chum of Dr. Jakeman when they attended Mount Allison.

The bride's present to the bride was a set of Hudson Bay furs and to the bridesmaid a pearl necklace and George A. Hutchinson of Richibucto.

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SCIENTISTS AT WINNIPEG, MAN.

WINNIPEG, Aug. 25.—The twenty-ninth annual meeting of the British Association for the Advancement of Science opened today. Committees meetings were held this morning and various sections organized and drew up the programme for the afternoon. A mass meeting was held in the Walker Theatre, Sir John Thompson, president, gave his inaugural address. Premier Roblin, Mayor Evans and Lord Strathcona welcomed the association.

The Canadian club luncheon to Lord Strathcona at noon had the largest attendance in attendance in record at such a gathering. Standing room was at a premium. J. J. Hill arrived at noon, and was met by a group of citizens. Lord Strathcona was also at the station, and there was quite a scene when the two old timers and pioneers of the west met. Mr. Hill attended the luncheon.

SUNDAY SELLING OF CIGARS IN TORONTO

TORONTO, Ont., Aug. 25.—Restaurant keepers have as much right to sell a Sunday customer a cigar as one of their guests was the decision made by Col. Denison in the police court this morning in dismissing the charge against Albert Williams, a lounge car Sunday.

MINERS KILLED

MEXICO CITY, Aug. 25.—A special despatch from Matzahaula says that fifteen miners were killed and thirty injured by the dropping of a cage into the La Paz mine there last night. The cable parted through failure of the brakes and the men dropped to their deaths. The cage was sent to the strainers of the shaft house and the strainers snapped the cables.

Contestants in The Sun and The Star's \$5,000 Contest

First Grand Prize--\$1,500 TOURING AUTOMOBILE
Second Grand Prize--\$750 PLAYER PIANO
Third Grand Prize---\$400 UPRIGHT GRAND PIANO
Fourth Grand Prize---\$350 MOTOR BOAT

..... DISTRICT PRIZES
PRIZES FOR LADIES AND GIRLS
3 European Trips
3 Trips to Boston and New York
3 Diamond Rings
3 Scholarships
3 Ladies' Desks

PRIZES FOR MEN AND BOYS
3 Trips to Boston and New York
3 Scholarships
3 Bicycles
3 Gold Watches
3 Morris Chairs

DISTRICT NO. 1

All that portion of St. John lying south of Union Street.

LADIES AND GIRLS.
MISS GRETA M. TRENTOWSKY, 139 St. James street .. 65.70
MRS. E. A. BENN, 188 Prince William street .. 12.50
MISS ESTHER MCAPPEE, 75 Prince street .. 15.30
MISS ANNIE S. TAYLOR, 120 St. James street .. 4.10
ROBERT H. MURRAY, 11 Harding street .. 3.10
MISS MARJORIE KENNEDY, 164 Carmarthen street .. 26.40
MISS ETHEL E. BARNES, 180 King street .. 65.20
MRS. THERESA M. HOPKINS, 27 .. 2.50
MRS. A. K. DUNLOP, 75 Prince Wm. street .. 12.047
MISS ETHEL E. DUSTIN, 40 King Square .. 12.047

MEN AND BOYS.

HAROLD CASSON, 197 King Street, East .. 22.50
GEORGE COX, 178 Sydney Street .. 3.70
HAROLD FINLEY, 17 Duke Street .. 672.95
FRANK MCANUS, 26 White Street .. 7.60
JOHN J. HARLEY, 111 Prince Street .. 23.70
GEORGE O'NEILL, Dufferin Hotel .. 2.70
CHARLES M. PHEENEY, 14 Orange Street .. 2.50
L. F. MCGRATH, Park Hotel, King Square .. 153.00
F. CYRIL HOPKINS, 111 Prince Street .. 2.70
HERMAN BARTCH, 116 Charlotte Street .. 6.20
B. H. DUNFIELD, 71 Dock Street .. 161.70
H. EVERETT HUNT, 41 Charlotte Street .. 5.07
W. F. FINN, 140 St. James Street .. 2.90
J. W. FINN, 140 St. James Street .. 257.60
WALTER GILBERT, 14 Charlotte Street .. 257.60

DISTRICT NO. 2

All that portion of St. John City north of Union street, including West Side and North End.

LADIES AND GIRLS.

ALICE DUFF, 5 Chubb Street .. 4.60
ALICE M. HANE, 53 Murray Street .. 10.70
MRS. C. NICHOLS, 74 City Road .. 11.50
MRS. NOBLE BEEZARD, Pukio Road .. 22.40
MISS JENNIE WATERS, 36 Victoria Street .. 45.70
MISS FRED BROOKING, 38 Simonds Street .. 35.10
MRS. F. H. HOWELL, 31 Rockland Road .. 142.00
MISS MARGARET MCCONNELL, 36 Simonds Street .. 150.00
MISS SADIE PURDY, 33 Rodney Street .. 75.30
MISS NETTIE A. FIDGON, 28 Douglas Avenue .. 28.00
MRS. FRED BROOKING, 38 Simonds Street .. 28.00
MRS. E. SIMPSON, 122 Tower St., W. .. 28.00

MEN AND BOYS.

ROBERT BARTLETT, 40 Peter Street .. 4.70
ARTHUR CALLAN, 197 Paradise Row .. 42.80
WM. T. COGGAR, 148 Rockland Road .. 81.80
GEORGE ELLIOTT, 228 Douglas Avenue .. 12.63
WM. KEITHLIN, 19 Delhi Street .. 2.20
GEORGE W. LONDON, 368 Maymarket Square .. 4.20
ARCHIE MCARTHUR, 50 Peter Street .. 94.40
DOUGLAS MCCARTHY, 50 Peter Street .. 2.20
JOHN H. C. MCINTYRE, 3100burg Street .. 132.30
EDWARD MCLEAN, 41 Acadia Street .. 3.80
JACK MCQUARRIE, 75 Exmouth Street .. 16.70
FRANK R. MERRITT, 30 Main Street .. 2.90
FRANK J. SCULLY, 151 Prince Street .. 4.72
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RAYMOND SIMPSON, 181 Tower Street .. 40.70
THOMAS SWENEY, 25 Union Street .. 16.70
FRED E. TOWNSEND, 37 Wright Street .. 148.10
MYLES H. PIERCE, 154 Main Street .. 29.40
KENNETH A. CARLETON, 71 Ludlow Street .. 3.00
WM. MCINTYRE, 30 Simonds Street .. 4.10
CHAS. L. HAMILTON, 566 Main Street .. 121.44
HAROLD VINCENT, 164-5 Waterloo Street .. 4.10
HAROLD MCKAY, 28 Wright Street .. 10.50
GEORGE A. WHITTAKER, 53 Mill Street .. 121.60

JOHN THOMPSON, 129 St. James, West .. 87.190
AVARD W. LEWIS, 33 Frederick street .. 3.70
RONALD CARLIN, 41 Gullford street .. 5.10
PETER W. BOORASS, 111 Main street .. 3.00
HEDLEY A. NORTHRUP, 138 Elm street .. 91.80
WALTER H. GOLDING, Nickel Theatre .. 701.30
J. A. MAILMAN, West St. John .. 653.310
MISS KATHLEEN MALLORY, Fairville, N. B. .. 8.250
HARRY H. MCQUEEN, 373 Brussels street .. 37.000
L. V. PRICE, 14 Waterloo street .. 37.000
W. E. STONE, 30 Kennedy Street .. 9.000

DIVISION NO. 2

All that part of the Province outside of St. John.

LADIES AND GIRLS.

MRS. ARTHUR ESTABROOK, Bristol, N. B. .. 100.00
MISS CLARA KELLEY, Loggieville, N. B. .. 55.70
MISS GLADYS LANGSTROTH, Hampton, N. B. .. 29.70
MISS KATHLEEN MALLORY, Fairville, N. B. .. 8.250
MRS. H. E. MANN, Campbellton, N. B. .. 340.80
MISS CAROL NEWMAN, Shediac, N. B. .. 29.40
MISS DOLLY REID, 130 Main street, Fairville, N. B. .. 5.40
MISS FLORENCE SWEET, Pennfield, N. B. .. 172.50
MISS M. HELEN WALSH, Fredericton, N. B. .. 53.070
MISS MARY KENNEDY, Fairville, N. B. .. 17.90
MISS MARTINA DOUCET, Bathurst, N. B. .. 296.470
MRS. COLIN I. INGERSOLL, Grand Manan, N. B. .. 4.080
MISS GEORGIAN EMMERSON, Edmonstoun, N. B. .. 80.940
MISS HELEN KEATING, Randolph, N. B. .. 25.120
MISS VESTA MCLEAN, Summerford, N. B. .. 227.440
MISS KATHLEEN R. RUSSELL, Lower Derby .. 15.90
MISS L. MUIR, Bellefleur Creek, N. B. .. 25.190
MISS MILDRED L. ROIRAND, Woodstock, N. B. .. 35.820
MISS HELENA BOTLAN, Fairville, N. B. .. 5.120
MISS STELLA PARKHILL, Moncton, N. B. .. 140.80
MISS LEVICA MASON, Head of Millstream .. 260.40
MRS. H. C. MERRITT, Bathurst, N. B. .. 21.000
MISS ADA JEAN EMMERSON, East Florenceville, N. B. .. 5.120
MRS. J. D. MCNUTT, Truro, N. S. .. 6.120
MISS M. FLORENCE CUMMINGS, Sussex .. 4.070

MEN AND BOYS.

KENNETH BARBOUR, Riverside, N. B. .. 72.940
WILLIAM BELL, Richibucto, N. B. .. 864.220
STANLEY P. BROWN, Main street, Sussex .. 200.200
W. A. BROWNELL, Amherst, N. S. .. 134.640
LOUIS MCNEIL, 77 Main street, Moncton .. 5.100
J. CHESELEY FORAN, Dorchester, N. B. .. 62.960
PERCY GIGGEY, Hampton, N. B. .. 62.960
HAROLD A. HANSON, Fairville, N. B. .. 284.000
D. M. HAMM, Grand Bay, N. B. .. 124.610
J. VERNON JACKSON, Moncton, N. B. .. 12.400
WILLIE MCKENZIE, 17 St. John street, Fredericton, N. B. .. 12.400
FRANK O'BRIEN, St. Stephen, N. B. .. 32.900
MERRITT STEVENS, Dorchester, N. B. .. 3.070
C. HUMPHREY TAYLOR, Hartland, N. B. .. 453.420
F. X. LEBLANC, Buctouche, N. B. .. 81.440
W. J. MCNEIL, New Brunswick .. 8.210
C. C. TURNER, Acrostook Jet, N. B. .. 402.460
NEIL A. DREW, Hampton, N. B. .. 61.080
CLIFFORD RITCHIE, Granville Ferry, N. S. .. 44.610
EMERSON C. RICE, Wickham, N. B. .. 1.220
STANLEY YOUNG, Woodstock, N. B. .. 247.130
ALBYN KELLY, Grand Falls, N. B. .. 191.950
C. C. MAIN, M. D. Edmonstoun, N. B. .. 36.480
ARTHUR D. ROUSE, Corn Hill, N. B. .. 802.450
GEO. W. GIBSON, Woodstock, N. B. .. 69.210
W. W. STEEVES, Petticoat, N. B. .. 17.290
LAWRENCE ROBINSON, Moncton, N. B. .. 61.110
FRED B. FLAHERTY, Bathurst, N. B. .. 27.090
FRANK B. L. HATTON, Bathurst, N. B. .. 941.350
T. M. WRIGHT, Campbellton, N. B. .. 61.110
J. R. SHARPE, Shubenacadie, N. S. .. 61.110
R. SEYMOUR WRIGHT, Hopewell Cape .. 219.000
L. P. ROY, Chipman, N. B. .. 4.000
J. SIDNEY MACMASTER, St. Andrews, N. B. .. 4.000

Uncle Walt The Poetic Philosopher

The world isn't fond of the kicker who kicks regardless of reason or rhyme, who grumbles and fusses and puts in his kicks at knocking, and fierce in this land, with his wild, indiscriminate kicks; and people agree that he ought to be canned, or pelted with vitriol bricks. The kicker who kicks with some judgment and taste, does good as he moseys along; he knows that a kick is too precious a waste, and what, in all conscience, is wrong. He kicks at injustice and folly and sham, wherever he finds them. He goes to the show and he kicks at the ham whose acting is tiresome and coarse; he kicks at the author whose novels are rank, he kicks at the singer who equawks; he kicks at the statesman unloading his junk in congress, and drawing the rocks. He kicks at the cheap and the tawdry and stale, wherever they're hanging about; he kicks that so many good men are in jail, and so many to unfortunates are out.

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G.P.R. TO BUILD RAILWAY FROM MINTO TO GIBSON

To Connect With Minto Mines; Which the Company Will Purchase.

The projected railroad line from Minto to Gibson has emerged from the position which it has occupied for years past as a might-have-been section of the Central, and is now so much of a probability that surveying is shortly to commence.

The C. P. R. is the concern interested. H. P. Timmerman, industrial agent of the railway, is understood to be conducting the negotiations on its behalf, while the provincial government is being represented to some degree by W. W. Hubbard, deputy superintendent of agriculture, and A. B. Wilmut, immigration agent.

Messrs. Timmerman, Hubbard and Wilmut drove from Fredericton to Minto on Tuesday, presumably to look into the question of route, and right of way. At Minto it is reported that surveying of the line is to be commenced immediately, and the report is creating some excitement there.

As a proposed part of the Central Railway, the Minto-Gibson line has been surveyed on two or three other occasions, an dthe track was actually laid for some distance, while a quantity of sleepers were purchased for it, but never used.

An outlet for the products of coal fields at Grand Lake, which the C. P. R., as reported in yesterday's Sun, is said to be acquiring with a view to making themselves free from the effects of such strikes as those now on at Sydney and Springfield, is the chief reason for that company's proposed action in supplying a much-needed railway connection and opening up a new section of country.

WHY SCHWAB VISITED SYDNEY

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Mr. Schwab wrote the management and asked if he and his engineers could inspect the process, and he was told that he would be welcome.

Mr. Schwab is a blunt outspoken gentleman, and while he praised the plant, he also had some criticism to make. Mr. Merick's report on the company's ore area impressed him greatly. He said that he used to hear about the company's 100,000,000 to 200,000,000 tons of ore in the Wabigoon, and thought that somebody was romancing. He was awakened to the facts, he said, by Mr. Merick's report.

BAT NELSON ABOUT TO TAKE LONG LAY-OFF

Back to the woods! That's Battling Nelson's dope. He says (strange as it may seem) that notoriety bores him and that he is about to take a long lay-off, hitting Yellowstone Park, Indian villages and his ranch at O-Bar.

"They won't have a word to say about me for a couple of months," says Bat. "Let these other fellows get the boots and knocks for a while. I've been busy with my book and real estate deals for the past three months, and I think that if I beat it away from the noise and bustle and rampus of the big towns for a while they might find some things to write about. Some people say I'm making a free lunch of the papers, and get more notice than Bill Tatt and Evans Tumble together.

"Well, you fellows can have a rest now. The next time you see me I may have a full beard or I may be in China. On the level, I won't write a letter nor send a telegram for months. I'll be far away that it will cost \$8 to send me a postal card. Me for that simple stuff for awhile. After that I'll come back, and the best lightweight in the world at that time can have a chance at the title and a \$500 side bet to boot."

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