

COMMITTEE MAKE FINAL PLANS FOR W.C.T.U. CONVENTION

Ladies Appointed To Receive Visitors—Arrange For Information Bureau in Centenary—Thanks To Friends.

The committee having in charge the arrangements for the entertainment of the Dominion Convention, met in the W. C. T. U. parlour yesterday afternoon.

The thanks of the local committee is extended to the following friends who have given financial assistance towards entertaining delegates: Mrs. John Moore, Mrs. A. P. Barnhill, Mrs. Thomas Hilyard, Mrs. Philips, Mrs. H. Miller, Mrs. W. L. Rising, Mrs. A. B. Gilmore, Mrs. Melrose, Mrs. Samuel Kerr, Mrs. F. R. Murray, Mrs. Archibald, Mrs. R. G. Haley, Mrs. W. L. Waring, Mrs. C. Miller, Mrs. A. C. Smith.

A reception committee to meet boats and trunks was appointed as follows: Mrs. C. F. Woodman, Mrs. Seymour and Mrs. Porter for the St. John Union; Mrs. J. Retallick and Mrs. Colby Smith for the John West; Mrs. Eagles and Mrs. Kirkpatrick for St. John, North.

THE REAL SIGNIFICANCE OF THE ITALIAN VISIT

Russia And Italy Enter Into Two Verbal Agreements Respecting The Future Of The Balkans And Crete.

Paris, Oct. 26.—The precise results of the meeting of Emperor Nicholas and King Emmanuel at Racconigi are revealed, according to the Liberte, which from unquestionable authorities announces that no written convention was signed, two specific engagements were made. The first was a mutual assurance of the independence and the eventual economic development of Montenegro.

OPPOSITION SNOWED UNDER

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"HUBBY'S DISCOMFITURE" EXPLAINED.



SEQUEL TO WHAT-DOES-IT-LACK PICTURE NO. 3. Well, no wonder! "Hubby's Discomfiture" is now very, very understandable.

REV. JOHN PRINGLE TO ADDRESS WOMEN'S CANADIAN CLUB

Will Speak Here Next Wednesday—Lady Tilley Re-elected President Yesterday At Annual Meeting.

The Woman's Canadian Club held their annual meeting yesterday afternoon in the Y. M. C. A. building.

The president, Mrs. Robert Thomson, the vice-president, Mrs. D. P. Chisholm, the secretary of the club, submitted her annual report. It referred to the formation of the club on March 28th, 1908, and contained the names of the officers that were then elected.

The treasurer's report was read by Miss Travers after which the election of officers took place as follows: Lady Tilley re-elected president.

First Vice-President—Mrs. E. A. Smith. Second Vice-President—Mrs. G. M. Campbell. Third Vice-President—Mrs. George West Jones.

Treasurer—Mrs. Oscar Gronlund. Secretary—Miss Travers. Board of Management—Mrs. Robert Thomson, Mrs. R. C. Skinner, Mrs. J. V. Ellis, Mrs. T. H. Bullock, Mrs. J. N. Humphrey, Mrs. J. H. Thomson, Mrs. David McLellan, Mrs. G. U. Hay, Mrs. J. D. Hazen and Mrs. John McAvity.

Arrangements were made to have Rev. Dr. John Pringle speak before the club next Wednesday afternoon.

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ARRANGEMENTS FOR S. A. CONVENTION WERE IN NOVEMBER

Plans For Big Meetings To Be Addressed By Commissioner Coombs And Others—Large Gathering Expected.

Great preparations are being made for the Salvation Army Convention which will take place from Saturday, November 6th, until Wednesday, Nov. 10th, at the Hotel Vancouver.

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BOARD OF WORKS Laid Out Double Track SUBURBITE ST. DOUBLE TRACK

Matter Again Taken Up At Meeting Last Evening And Laid On The Table Tenders Awarded For Feed For Departments—Petition For West Side Playground Goes To Directors To Report.

The request of the St. Railway Company to be allowed to double track Charlotte street was again shelved, at the monthly meeting of the Board of Works last evening.

The re-adjustment of the appropriation of the street department was submitted. The total amount unexpended to date is \$10,373.76.

The tender of Wm. A. Quilton for pressed hay at \$16 a ton; straw at \$10.50; bran, at \$23.50 and oats at 59¢ a bushel was accepted.

The tender of the city engineer said the department was waiting for curbing. The street was made of edgings and that the curbing would sink out of sight.

The chairman asked what action would be taken with reference to repairing the bridge near Stetson, Cutler and Co's mill.

The director asked for an extension of time to look into the matter. On motion this was agreed to.

The recommendation of the city engineer that the St. John Railway Company be allowed to double track Charlotte street between King and Princess streets is expected to be approved by the directors.

The city engineer reported that the McLeod building in Water street was in a dangerous condition.

The city engineer recommended that the application of the L. C. R. for ten feet of the southern side of

James McMahon Tells Revolting Story Of How He Killed His Brother-in-Law And Two Sisters On Tuesday.

Kansas City, Oct. 26.—James McMahon confessed that he murdered his sister Miss Rose McMahon and Mrs. Alonzo Van Royen and the latter's husband Alonzo Van Royen on a farm near Kansas City, Kas., last Tuesday.

"I killed my two sisters and brother-in-law and I was crazy when I did it," he shouted, rising out of his chair and pacing the room.

"On Saturday night the Commissioner and party will conduct a special meeting at 7 p. m. at the Hotel Vancouver.

On Sunday he will conduct three special meetings in the Opera House. There will be a special holiness meeting at 11 a. m. and a special salvation meeting at 7 p. m.

Special rates are being run to the city and there is expected a large influx of Salvationists from the different parts of the Maritime Provinces.

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FREE KINDERGARTEN ELECT OFFICERS FOR THE ENSUING YEAR

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Second Vice-President—Mrs. S. D. Scott. Third Vice-President—Mrs. E. C. Elkin.

Fourth Vice-President—Mrs. C. S. Landon. Secretary—Dr. Margaret Parks. Treasurer—Mrs. C. F. Woodman.

The following committees were appointed: Finance—Mrs. R. T. Hayes, Mr. T. H. Estabrooks, Mr. W. F. Hatheway, Mr. W. E. Earle, Mr. Alex. Watson.

Auditors—Mrs. G. F. H. Buerhaus, and Miss Ethel Jarvis. Supervisors—Mrs. G. U. Hay, Miss Jarvis, Miss Louise Murray, Mrs. Berylus.

Press committee—Mrs. Harry Roberts and Mrs. H. H. Pickett. Clothing—Mrs. E. C. Elkin for the Portland street school; Mrs. John Bullock for the Brussels street school; and Mrs. T. N. Vincent for the Waterloo street school.

The following ladies were elected as members: Mrs. A. R. Melrose, Mrs. S. D. Scott, Miss Alice Estey and Mrs. T. S. Simms.

THIS INSTITUTION PUTS BAN ON SNORERS

Paupers In Steepy Workhouse Sleep With Their Heads Beneath The Bedclothes To Escape Penalties Exacted.

London, October 26.—In the long dormitories of the Steepy Workhouse all the pauper inmates now sleep with their heads beneath their bedclothes. It is for fear they should be caught snoring.

The Steepy guardians have ruled that a sleep disturber is a man apart, at the workhouse the process of dividing the inmates into classes for snorers and non-snorers is now in progress.

"It," he said, "an inmate complains that he cannot get his proper rest because of the snores of another, questions are asked of other inmates in that particular ward, and the night attendants may be asked to keep an ear open. Should it be found that the complaint is justified, the snorer is no more hard breather, but a stargard performer, he is moved to a ward where we have one or two deaf people."

"The men are the worst snorers; we have no complaint about the women. Certainly some of the old men snore very loudly, but we should not think of moving a snorer on the unconfirmed complaint of a single individual."

But the really remarkable part about the new scheme is that though detailed evidence has been gathered about the nocturnal noises made by some inmates, each convicted snorer declares that there is some terrible mistake—since he was a baby in the cradle he has never been known to snore. There have been suggestions of a letter to the papers signed "Falsely Accused Snorers" or an appeal to Mr. John Burns.

ALGONQUINS TO PLAY AGAIN ON THURSDAY

Squalls May Be Expected The Latter Part Of The Week When A Terrific Storm Is Anticipated To Set In.

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EXAMOUTH ST. M. A. CLARENCE JAMESON

"NEW FOREST" FAIR OPENED LAST NIGHT

Many Attractions Much Admired By Large Crowds—Rev. Samuel Howard Performs Ceremony.

There was a large attendance at the opening of the Exmouth street church M. A. A.'s new Forest Fair last evening.

Mr. John E. Wilson, M. P., and Hon. Robert Maxwell, M. P., also spoke briefly, congratulating the society on the beauty of the fair and wishing them every success.

At five a Japanese game, San Toy was conducted. The prize winners were Miss G. A. Dalzell, pickle dish; and Mr. Albert Drake, hockey skates.

At the Ferns Miss Beatrice Irvine won a glove holder and Mr. C. B. Ward an umbrella in the air gun contest.

The prize winners at the shooting gallery were Mr. J. A. Porter, slippers Mr. John Scott, razor.

At the Excelsior table Mrs. W. A. Chase won a lady's hand bag, and Mr. Gordon Allen 2 1/2 pounds of tea.

The results of the first day's voting for the most popular booth were: Maple 64, Log Cabin 36, Cedar Grove 2.

The fair will be opened every evening up to Friday. On Thursday a supper will be held in the church school room, and those who attend will afterwards be admitted to the fair free of charge.

ABSOLUTE DIVORCE IS GRANTED IN THIS CASE

Suit Of Greenlaw vs. Greenlaw Concluded At Fredericton—Case Of Gay vs. Gay Adjudged.

Fredericton, N. B., Oct. 26.—At the session of the divorce court held this afternoon Judge McKeown delivered judgment in the case of Greenlaw vs. Greenlaw tried in the morning.

The case of Guy vs. Guy was then taken up. Mr. G. S. Crockett appeared for the plaintiff. There was no defence. The application is made on the usual grounds. The plaintiff was called and gave evidence of her marriage which was solemnized in the presence of the Rev. Mr. MacDonald, of St. Paul's church, uniting the then happy couple.

The plaintiff, was formerly Miss Isabella Longhead, of this city and defendant, who when she married, described himself as secretary to Col. Chulic, of the R. C. R. She discovered shortly afterwards his being a servant instead of secretary.

She described her husband as being always under the influence of liquor and his treatment of an unbecoming character. She told in detail of his habits and how for several nights at a time he remained absent, at one time he remained away for a period of three months.

At the conclusion of the plaintiff's testimony on the request of Mr. Crockett the case was adjourned until Tuesday afternoon next. Owing to the inability of an important witness being unable to be present on account of sickness in the family.

WASHINGTON FORECASTS CLIMATIC DISTURBANCE

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CLARENCE JAMESON SPEAKS OF COMING CHANGES AT OTTAWA

Conservative M. P. For Digby Says Lemieux May Get Borden's Port Folio—Premier Murray For Postmaster.

Mr. Clarence Jameson, Conservative M. P., for Digby County, N. S., was in the city yesterday on his return from Ottawa.

Speaking of the coming session of Parliament Mr. Jameson said he understood several changes in the House would be proposed with a view to facilitating the business before the House of Commons.

It was proposed to appoint a committee to which the estimates would be submitted in order that all uncontroversial matters might be agreed to. He thought this would be strong opposition to the proposal.

Another proposal that ministers should table all replies to questions instead of reading them he thought might be adopted without much opposition, as the replies of ministers could be read in Hansard on the following day.

While in Ottawa Mr. Jameson heard some talk of Sir Frederick Borden handing over his portfolio to Mr. Lemieux. The opinion seemed to prevail, he said, that Premier Murray of Nova Scotia was slated for postmaster general. It was believed, from the fact that Hon. A. K. McLean had become Attorney-General of Nova Scotia that it was a step and that he would eventually be premier when Premier Murray entered the cabinet.

With regard to provincial politics Mr. Jameson said there was good chance of a turn over in Nova Scotia, and especially in Digby county.

STILL SEARCHING FOR BODY OF WM. TAYLOR

Special To The Standard. Fredericton, N. B., Oct. 26.—In the case of Allan vs. Edmundson in the York County Court today before Judge Forbes of St. John's, N. B., a verdict of \$135 for the plaintiff, the action arose out of an assault, the parties residing at Keswick, R. B. Hanson of Sillp and Hanson appeared for the plaintiff and J. D. Plinney for the defendant.

Evangelist G. M. Gahy, who is associated with Dr. Torrey the celebrated evangelist, opened an evangelistic revival at the Methodist church tonight. He is assisted by William Young, soloist with Dr. Torrey who was formerly an opera singer in England.

Up to tonight the search for the body of William Taylor, drowned at Marysville today, had been unsuccessful. Searching parties will continue grappling in Nashwaak River tomorrow.

S. S. CONVENTION IS OPENED AT HALIFAX

Halifax, N. S., Oct. 26.—The twenty-fifth annual Provincial Sunday School Convention opened at the Commercial street Methodist church yesterday morning. A large number of delegates were in attendance from all over the Province, and were happily greeted by the sunshine as well as by the kindly hospitality of the Halifax workers.

Wedding This Evening. In the cathedral this morning at 6 o'clock Mr. Leonard J. Sweeney, of this city, will be united in marriage to Miss Evelyn O'Hara, also of this city. The ceremony will be performed by Rev. A. J. Meschan. The groom will be supported by Mr. Chas. O'Neil, Miss Josephine Morris will act as bridesmaid.

DEATHS.

Barnhill—On October 27th at his residence, Fairville, George Edward Barnhill, in the 74th year of his age. Notice of funeral hereafter.

In Memoriam—In sad and loving memory of my dear father, Arthur McClaverty, who departed this life on the twenty-seventh day of October, 1906. "Gone but not forgotten," daughter, Miss Lillie M. Whitcomb, Springfield, Mass.

SCOTCH SOFT COAL

New Landing, Scotch Splint Soft Coal For Grates and Cooking Stoves. This is the first lot of this celebrated Scotch Coal brought here for years. JAMES S. MCGIVERN, Agent, 5 Mill street. Tel 42.

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A Model To \$2,000,000 the Haple Chicago Shelter.

Chicago, Oct. 26. queried the old story in Chicago, as a sign of the times, has a sorrow and grief in place of Chicago distress. It is a "hope" is being rounded by farmers can work out the soil. Old men and work, can travel of life's journey to At Oak Forest, of here, President county commission ideal of what a p into execution.

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