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VICIOUS PARTIZAN METHODS.

It is unfortunate for Canadian Concharacter should be so misrepresented and destroyed by its newspaper prgans. The Conservative party, taken of the growing number of independent as a mass, is undoubtedly patriotic and honest and honorable in its motives; its leader is an able and publicspirited man, and is, both in public and private, a gentleman. But many of the Conservative newspapers, even those whose nearness of association to the heads of the party gives them the viciously dishonest in their handling of politics, both in their news and editorial columns, and so blackguardly in their discussion of political opponents and their motives as to prejudice the Conservative cause in the minds of all honest and independent men. By nothing may the weakness of Mr. Borden's hold and influence over his party be better judged than by the wide difference between the tone and methods of those papers and his own.

The Mail and Empire of Toronto, by reputation the premier Conservative organ, sets the pace in this dirty campaign. Seen through its columns everything Liberal is vile; every Liberal leader is a corruptionist and a thief; the highest motive of the government is plunder. Misrepresentation and unfair vilification are its chief weapons of attack. And the majority of the party's newspapers, with a few honorable exceptions, follow this lead enthusiastically Indeed, many of them-for instance, the Halifax Herald, the Moncton Times and the Fredericton Gleaner - at times out-Herod

Herod in their slander. A recent example of this style of political warfare is furnished by a long article in the Mail and Empire, purporting to come from Halifax, discussing the result of the Queens-Shel- to render several numbers, and the burne election trial and Nova Scotta politics in general. Under flaring headlines, stating that the "Downfall of John he has been rapidly forging to Fielding is Welcomed in the East," and the front in the muiscal world, until that the "Corrup Practices Exposed today he is recognized as being in the Were a Part of a Long Standing System Operated by the Liberals," the hear Mr. McClaskey in New York in article makes a most vicious and unfair attack upon the Minister of Finance, who is described as "an enemy of Canada," the head of a Tammany machine whose motive is "Corruption and Disloyalty," the traducer of the treat. No admission is being charged Roman Catholic church and the head to hear Mr. McClaskey except the genof a machine which has kept him in eral admission charge to the exhibtion power by "wholesale fraud." The last admit holders to this, as well as to all federal election in Nova Scotia is other features of the exhibition. A spoken of as "The Saturnalia of very nice programme has been ar-1904," and "A Carnival of Curruption," and Mr. Fielding's recent bringing the opening ceremonies up to visit to Europe for the purpose of the standard of the other arrangeplacing an invalid daughter under ex- ments which have been made for this placing an invalid daugnter under experimedical treatment is referred to should be packed to overflowing on sequences of his corrupt and illegal Claskey and the other programme acts. A more atrocious attack upon a which has been arranged. Canadian statesman does not mar the pages of our political history. So maliciously dishonest it is that even the Halifax Herald has refused its publication and Nova Scotians might have brief illness. She was aged 70 years, and for some 56 years had been a resisentation, manufactured for Ontario Chronicle republished it in full in or- o'clock-

der that both Liberals and Conserv atives might see how their province and its greatest man were being libeled to form the basis of opposition attacks upon the government at Otta

circulated its result will emphatically be opposite to that designed by its writer and the unscrupious paper which published it. Mr. Fielding's character is too well known to suffer from such attacks. Of his statesman ship Canada's present prosperity and the imperial benefits that have accrued from the British preference bear eloquent witness. Regarding his personal honesty not even his most bitter opponent entertains the slightest doubt Even those who, for the purpose of explaining his repeated victories in Nova Scotia, picture him as the high priest of political corruption, acquit him of any taint of personal graft. But they fail to explain why a man who resorts to "wholesale fraud" to win a political contest, who spends money like water to debauch the electorate, would hesitate to use his high position to recoup himself for the hundreds of thousands of dollars he has spent illegally-according to these accounts. So they place Mr. Fielding before the public as the strange and impossible anomaly-a man corrupt ar i wicked, a kirsistent violator of the law, a vicious enemy of Canadian morality, and, at the same time, a man who after a quarter of a century in public office, with countless opportunities for greater and lesser graft, is today as poor financially as poorer than he would have been had he stuck to his private business.

For the sake of decency and honor; for the sake of Canada's fair name: for the sake of all that is involved in British fair play-cannot Canadian politics be conducted on a higher plane than this? There are issues before the people great enough to exclude these retchedly petty personalities. The heart of either party is honest and patriotic. The leaders of each party are high-minded men, sincerely desirous of the country's good. What corruption is practiced on both sides by dishonest partizans is deplored as strongly by honest Liberals as by honest Conservatives. Surely, in view of all this. there is ground for the two parties to meet in fair contention before the people without this despicable mud-slinging which spatters the thrower as freely as the target and in the end accomservatism that its principles and its plishes nothing save a lowering of the country's moral tone and a decrease of respect for both parties in the opinion

BRITISH IMMIGRATION.

A report has just been issued by the London Board of Trade dealing with emigration from the United Kingdom elected as Quebec's representative at to Canada, It is shown that in pro- Oxford. MacLeod is a native of Uigg, portion to population England sends P. E. I. twice as many people as Scotland and five times as many as Ireland. The numbers who came during the year of teachers as last term and a large ending June 30th last were: From England, 77,144; from Scotland, 19,509; from Ireland, 3,867.

On the basis of population England sent .25 per cent., or one for every four hundred inhabitants; Scotland .436 per cent., or one out of every two hundred and thirty, and Ireland .086 per cent., or one for each 1,153 of her population.

The busiest month of the year was, as might be expected, May last, when a total of 20,233 immigrants arrived from the British Isles.

A RARE TREAT

Harry McClaskey to Sing at the Exhibition Opening Saturday

The management of the St John ex nibition has been endeavoring to make an attraction for the opening night of the exhibition, and has succeeded in engaging Harry McClaskey, the great New York tenor, formerly of St. John. appearance of Mr. McClaskey will be elcomed by all music lovers in St. John, Since Mr. McClaskey left front ranks of tenors in America. Those who have been privileged the last year state that his beautiful voice has improved amazingly. Those who are favored to hear him on Saturday night next at 8 o'clock in the large ent hall on the exhibition grounds will certainly enjoy a musical buildings, and the season tickets will ranged for that evening, and the management think they have succeeded in Tuesday evening to hear Mr. Mc-

Mrs. Mary Lawlor, widow of James Lawlor, died Tuesday evening at her home, 248 Brusels street, after a very dent of this city. Three daughters and three sons survive. . The funeral will be consumption, had not the Halifax held Thursday afternoon at 2.50 the circuit court.

There is probably no town in the nes, as well as Woodstock and vicinity. There are a number of lines telephone can be found within two

The Union Telephone Company went Woodstock about four years ago The New Brunswick Co had then be here about ten or fifteen years. The latter charged ten dollars for a h telephone, and fifteen dollars for an office phone. When the Union Company started business at Woodstock, they charged the same fee as the N. B. Te ephone Company. The latter then a house phone, and ten dollars for an office phone. The Union Company did not change its prices.

The Union Telephone Co. has 120 nstruments installed while the New

The New Brunswick Company pur chased the M. Welsh Telephone Co., which runs through the parishes of Kent, Aberdeen and Bright, about six weeks ago and is now after a local company, called the Consolidated Telephone Co. This line extends for about six miles, and is owned by a number

The M. Welsh Company had about 3 The amalgamation of the Central-Brunswick Company, has given rise to bucto today for a visit. a lot of talk, and the people of Woodstock are anxiously awaiting developments. The automatic system in us by the Central Company is very popular, and rather than accept when he entered public life and much system exclusively, Woodstock people will organize a new company for the operation of a local service. Ten thou sand dollars can be raised at any time, and more if necessary. One ma has started the ball rolling with a subscription of one thousand. There will be no difficulty in securing a franchise from the town, but trouble may arise in getting incorporation.

MONCTON, N. B., Aug. 29-The first nan to be prosecuted by the I. C. R. under the vagrant act was brought up in the police court this morning. He was Frank McLellan, hailing from Halifax and was arrested off the night express at the I. C. R. depot last evening for stealing a ride on the train He was brought before Magistrate Kay this morning and was fined twenty-five dollars or three month fail

The Citizens Band and a number the Knights of Pythias, who were in lodge returned home this morning and report having had a splendid time in St. John

LONDON, Aug. 28.-Among the newly lected Rhodes scholars are R. C. Read, Ontario; Arthur Moxon, Nova Scotia A. G. Cameron, Prince Edward Island Ralph Freeze, New Brunswick; A. R. MacLeod, Quebec; Austen Bothwell, Northwest Territories; J. J. Penny, Newfoundland; Stuart Beech. toba; H. R. Bray, British Columbia. MacLeod, who Alexander R. ominated last fall by McGill University to the fourth Rhodes' scholarship placed at McGill's disposal has been

REXTON, Aug. 29.-The schools here copened yesterday with the same staff enrollment of pupils. His Lordship Bishop Barry of Chat-

ham will confirm the children of St. Aloysius church at Richibucto Tuesday, Sept. 3rd, and at Big Cove Sept. 4th. The Presbyterian Sunday school pic nic was held Saturday afternoon Graham's Point. A great many were present and enjoyed themselves much. A small private piente was held at Richibucto the same day,

The farmers in this vicinity are mornopeful since the recent rains. The late grain and root crops have been very much benefited. ses Mollie and Nellie McGillicud dy who have spent their vacation with friends here, returned to their home in

St. John Saturday. Mrs. Henry Martin of Cambridge Mass., is visiting friends here. Miss Mamie O'Leary of New York who visited Miss McInerney, has re

turned to Buctouche. Chas. McLean, wife and children of Berlin, N. H., who have been visiting friends in Richibucto, left for home this

James McDougall and son left yesterday for Rochester, N. H. where they will spend the winter. Mrs. Alex Barnett of Richibucto ha cone to Nelson, B. C., to join her hus-

Wm. Brown of Amherst, N. S., is in town. John Wathen of Harcourt is visiting

friends here. Woodville Ingram of Harcourt visited Rexton Saturday

Thos. Brown, who has been seriously ill of typhoid fever, is able to be up. Mrs. Patrick Whalen of East Branch

as recovered from her recent illness. DALHOUSIE, Aug. 29 .- August term of the circuit court opened here today at eleven o'clock, his honor Judge Hanington presiding. The following barwere present: J. C. Barberie Jas. S. Harquail. William Murray and J. V. Magee. His honor addressed the grand jury at some length, and referred to the pleasure it gave him to attend the circuits in this county. He was pleased to see the town had improved in many respects since his last visit and so many grand jurors present, and also to see that there was no criminal business. His honor also explained why grand juries were required to attend, although there was no business, and the very important part they took in the administration of justice The jury retired and elected William W. Dougherty foreman and recon mended that certain improvements b made to court house. There being no business before the court they

for an order to file papers under the naturalization act in the case of Peter Poster, a pedlar of Charlo. William Murray made the like application in the case of Bernard Shriar after which the court adjourned' sine

Jas. S. Harquail made an application

discharged.

Miss Gertrude McDonald, court stenographer, is here today attending Miss Marion Haliburton of Halifax of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. LaBillois.

ELGIN, N. B., Aug. 28.-The long continued dry weather is seriously af-fecting the butter factory here. The upply of milk is not nearly up to the There is probably no town in the provinces which is supplied with telewheat crop in this vicinity failure. The potato crop is very poor. ng through that district, and a Late potatoes may be a fair or the wet weather continues. Rev. H. A, and Mrs. Brown are attending the meeting of the Baptist

tion in Liverpool, N. Rev. Thos. Allen, retired Methodis for the last four years, expects to ove his family to his new house at Petitcodiac

School opened here Aug. 27, with L. R. Hetherington and Miss Margaret Johnston as teachers, and a good number, of pupils enrolled. Albert County Teachers' Institute meets here Oct. 4th and 5th.

HARCOURT, Aug. 29.-Mrs. George instruments installed while the New Toby of Waterville, Maine, is visiting Brunswick Telephone Company has her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. S. Jones. Boyce and Robt. Dunn, who were visiting relatives in Beersville have returned to Boston, also Mrs. Geo. Beers and Mrs. David Beers, Nathan MacLean of New England is

here visiting his relatives. Robt, Sweetnam returned to Joggins N. S., yesterday aafter a visit to his aunt, Mrs. Thos. Ingram David Clarke has returned from Nor-

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Buckerfield, T. H. Buckerfield, Miss Belle Morrison formerly the Union Co.—with the New and Mrs. James Brown went to Richl-

FREDERICTON, Aug. 29.-A brilant and highly interesting wedding, which has been looked forward to for some time, was celebrated this afternoon at the parish church, when Miss Agnes Clifton Tabor, second doughter of the late Charles Clifton Tabor, late of H. M. 15th regiment, was led to the altar by Jack Hall Allison Lee Fair weather, barrister, son of A. C. Fairweather of St. John. The which was entirely reserved for the guests, and to which the public denied admission, had been beautifully and artistically decorated about the sanctuary, altar and pulpit with lilacs ferns, sweet peas, dahlias and other flowers by the young lady friends of the bride, and presented a most imposing appearance. The ceremony was performed at three o'clock by Rev. J. John yesterday attending a grand R. DeWolfe Cowie, rector of Fredericton, assisted by Rev. C. W. Forster curate. The bride, who was given in marriage by Rev. Thomas W. Street was attended by Miss Louise Wadmore daughter of Lieut. Col. and Mrs. Wadmore of Halifax, and Miss Grace Winslow, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Winslow of this city, as brides The best man was W. Harry Harrison of St. John, while Stewart L. Fair-weather, St. John; Charles Hilden Allen, L Ralph She Winslow of this city, acted as ushers The service was brightened by the excellent work of the full choir, was in attendance. The hymns, The Voice that Breathed O'er Eden and O Perfect Love, were sung, and as the bridal party left the church the wedding march was played. The bride was becomingly gowned in

ivory satin en traine, trimmed bertha. She wore a white tulle veil with orange blossoms and carried bouquet of white roses. The brides maids wore costumes of pink silk muslin with trimmings of white valencie nes. They wore pink panne hats with pink roses, and carried bouquets eweet peas. The groom's present to the bride was a handsome pearl necklace, which was worn during the ceremon and was much admired. To Miss Wadmore le gave a pearl fleur de lis brooc while to Miss Winslow he gave a gold signet ring. The bride, who is one of this city's most popular young ladies, was the recipient of many handso presents from friends not only in this city, but also in St. John, Upper Canadafi, England and the United States The invited guests numbered about 100 in all and included the Misses Fair weather, A. C. Fairweather, the Misses Domville, Mrs, W. G. Lee, Mr. and Mrs. Davidson, and Rev. A. W. Daniel of Rothesay.

After the ceremony the wedding party were driven to the home of the bride's mother, King street, where reception was held, followed by

The floral decorations at the house were most beautiful and on the lawn cheon was served from a marquee flags being draped so as to shut off view from the street and at the same time adding greatly to the appearance. On the C. P. R. express the happy couple left for their honeymoon, to be spent in upper Canadian cities, and or their return will reside in St. John, The bride's going away costume was a blue cloth tailor-made suit.

ANTIGONISH, N. S., Aug. 29.-Antigonish was the scene of a very pretty wedding today at 3 p. m. in the Baptist Church, when Miss Gladys Whid den, eldest daughter of C. E. Whidden, of this town, also granddaughte of the late C. B. Whidden, was given in marriage to Rev. Ralph M. Jones son of Dr. Jones of Acadia. The officiating minister was Rev. W. A. Snell-The church was prettily decor ated with flowers and a beautiful floral arch, in the centre of which was large handsome bell of sweet pea blos-Under this the bridal party The bride, who entered leaning on her father's arm, looked charming in white silk, the bridesmaids, Miss Maude Christie and Miss Emma E. Whidden, sister of the bride, were becomingly dressed in figured voile. The bride was the recipient of many beautiful and costly presents. The groom's present to the bride was crescent brooch set in pearls, and to the bridesmaids pearl brooches. happy couple will leave for St. John and other places at 5 p. m., followed by the good wishes of a host of friends after which they will go to their home in Chester, Vermont, where Rev. Mr. nes has the unanimous call as pastor of the First Baptist Church.

NOVA SCOTIA'S NEEDS.

(Montreal Star.) A nice gentle earthquake that would

TRUE BILLS FOUND IN TWO CASES

County Court Opened Yesterday—King vs Kerrigan will be Tried First if Readu

The August sitting of the county court opened Tuesday with Judge Forbes presiding. In addressing the grand jury his honor briefly reviewed the cases which were to come before the court. He dealt with the criminal cases and remarked that St. John for seaport town was remarkably good morally. He also spoke in glowing terms of the excellent work done by the St. John police in capturing Collins, the suspected murderer. Referring to the case of the King vs. Re-Sally his honor remarked that there was no doubt that an assault had been committed, and he felt that the law should deal with such cases in a

The King vs. Kerrigan was next spoken of by his honor. He said that in this case James Kerrigan was charged with throwing an iron belaying pin from his vessel at the Christopher brothers in their fishing boat. His honor remarked that the harbor was at all times beset with dangers without much additional risks being mposed. He then briefly reviewed the case of the King vs. O'Brien, saying that this was a case of assault and

The following is the list of grand jurors summoned: James E. Stanton, Geo. F. Barnes, S. J. Hatfield, W. G. Scovil, Joshua Ward, James A. Seeds L. L. Sharpe, Charles Robinson, J. C. Doherty, F. A. Dykeman, J. E. Secord J. H. Noble, J. H. Northrup, 'F. S. Purdy, James E. Quinn, Charles H. Ramsay, H. C. Parkin, J. V. Russell G. L. Campbell, S. C. Drury, J. D. Driscoll, David Magee, Charles D. Jones, P. J. Smith.

The following were called as petit jurors: Edward J. Harrison, F. C. Melick, John Rhea, F. E. McManus, L. H. Bill, G. W. Parker, J. W. Morris C. A. Clarke, F. L. Tufts, D. R. Coles. C. E. Vail, J. M. Reid, Michael J. Cullinan, Thomas Graham, W. T. Burditt, M. D. Austin, M. J. Nugent, S. J. Withers, O. G. Withers, G. H. Perry, Frank McCafferty. , The grand jury after being out for

ne hour through their foreman. Chas. D. Jones, returned true bills in the cases of the King vs. Kerrigan and the King vs. Sally, but in the case of the King vs. O'Brien they would conafter hearing more evidence which is to be submitted to them by the attorney general.

The docket for the court was made up as follows:

The King vs. Leo Sally, indecent assault-Hon. H. A. McKeown for the The King vs. John Kerrigan and Kerrigan, aggravated assault.

The King vs. James O'Brien, theft. BASTARDY DOCKET. The King vs. Robert Johnston-G. R.

Vincent, clerk of the peace, enters this him No. 1. Everett, grand master, Al-CIVIL DOCKET.

Jury Cases. Appleby vs. Appleby-J. B. M. Bax-J. W. Vail vs. Rupert Wry-J. B. M.

Non-Jury. J. Morrison vs. Green-MacRae and

Lockhart et al vs. J. B. Gunter-Macae and Sinclaair. J. M. Titus et al vs. Joseph Beatty -A. A. Wilson Simeon Jones Company vs. John A. Humble-H. H. Pickett. Shane et al vs. Erron et al-MacRae

and Sinclair Empire Cloak Co. vs. Erron et al-MacRae and Sinclair. Mitchell, G. S., Zion No. 21. Susser James vs. Carter et al-W. B. Wal-No. 8; Geo. W. Rothwell, G. P., Ash lar No. 36; Robt. Clerke, G. T., Hiber Dr. MacRae applied for naturaliza tion papers for Anastoasis Papagerigioui, a Greek. E. R. Chapman also

WHOOPING COUGH.

applied for naturalization papers for

Mark Minesky.

Aron Liezerman, Wolfe Horowich and

"My three youngest boys had whooping cough this winter, and we could get Cornfield, P. G. P., Carleton Union No. nothing to help them until I sent for Dr. Chase's Syrup of Linseed and Turpentine. It arrested the coughs at once and they kept right on improving until they were cured at the cost of one dollar. Thas was not a large bill 37; F. E. Danville, P. J. G. W. for so dangerous and distressing an ailment."-Mrs. Wm. Ball, Bracebridge, Ont.

WINNIPEG, Aug. 29-A prominer itizen, well versed in railway matters informed the Tribune yesterday that a leal has been closed between the Canadian Northern Railway and the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway for the con struction of a line of railway to Hudson's Bay. The starting point of the posed new line is in Saskatchewan and Regina is spoken of as the western erminus, although reports of the companies are not absolutely agreed. The fact is that both Canadian Northern Railway and the Grand Trunk Pacific roads were glad to get over in this manner as both fear that James J. Hill has his eye on the Hudson's Bay outlet, said the Tribune's informant. The cost of the line, he added, will no be a serious matter to the corporations, as the government land grants will go a long way to paying practi-cally the whole cost of the construc-

KENORA, Aug. 28-A freight train was wrecked west of here yesterday and the brakeman killed. Details are supposed to be suppressed even to the name of the victim. Hibernia 3; Joseph A. Magilton, P. M.

CASTORIA For Infants and Children. The Kind You Have Always Bought shake the apples from the trees might make a hit in Nova Scotia about this season.

MASONIC GRAND LODGE SESSIONS ARE ENDED

P. M. Hibernia 3; Geo. H. V. Belyea,

S. W. U L, of P, 10; J. J. Daley, P. M

21; James Lamb, J. W. Zion 21; Murray Heustis, P. M. Zion 21; C. B. Lock-

nart, P. M. Carleton Union 8: Fred. Sandall, P. S. G. W. St. John 2: Geo.

Day, P. G. P. N. B 22; F. W. Wis-

dom, P. M., Albion 1; F. W. Thompson, P. D. G. M., Hibernia 3; R. W. Whit-

ock, P. M. Sussex 7; A. A. Laflain, W. M. Sussex 7; Geo. A. Chamberlain, P.

M. N. B. 22; John C. Edwards, W. M.

inthian 13: T. Dyson Walker, W. M.

Yesterday the annual meeting of the

terest was manifested both by the

gates. The visitors were greatly pleas-

their brother Masons in this city and

will return to their homes cherishing

kindly feelings toward them.

The Grand Royal Arch Chapter of

New Brunswick Masonic Lodge met at

eleven o'clock this morning, when W.

B. Wallace, H. P., delivered his ad-

dress. In his address Mr. Wallace

made reference to the flourishing condi-

tion of the order and spoke of the

generous way in which the Masons had

responded to the call of their brethren

who were stricken in San Francisco,

Mr. Wallace made a touching reference

master, James D. Fowler, of Frederic-

ton, and he recommended that a

memorial page be set aside to his

the late Robert Morrison, past high

priest of the Sussex Chapter, No. 9.

Mr. Wallace said that since the last

meeting he had visited Carleton Chap-

ter, No. 1; Fredericton Chapter, No. 2;

Woodstock Chapter, No. 8; Sussex Chapter, No. 9; Union Chapter, No. 4;

Mount Lebanon Chapter, No. 5 and St.

Stephen Chapter, No. 6. He found the

dition of these chapters excellent.

The election of officers was then pro-

ceeded with and resulted as follows:

E. L. Hagerman, D. G. H. P.: W. R

Gould, G. K.; E. G. Vroom, G. Sec.; E.

J. Everett, G. Treas.; J. T. Hartt, G.

D. W. Kyle, G. R. H. C.; W. L. Ellis, G. P. U. I. S.; Fred F. Sandall, G.

W. S. Marvin, a gentleman of 85 years

The appointment of committees was

Executive-Peter Campbell, A. I.

Ritual-W. B. Wallace, Hon. J. V.

ecorder; C. O. Cushing, G. C. of H.;

W. B. Wallace, re-elected G. H. P.

mory. He also spoke very highly of

the deputy grand

to the death of

ed with the reception accorded them by

bers here and the visiting dele-

ia 3; F. H. Wetmore, P. M. Cor-

on 21; Jas. R. McLean, P. M. Zion

W. B. Wallace, K. C. Re-Elected His Priest of Grand Royal Arch Chapter -Visitors Enjoyed Themselves Grand Lodge of New Brunswick Masons was brought to a close. The sessions were well attended and much in-

The Grand Lodge of the Ancient and Honorable Fraternity of Free and Accepted Masons of the Province of New Brunswick began its annual session at three o'clock Tuesday afternoon Everett, Grand Master, occupied the throne in the East and opened Grand Lodge in ample form. On his righ was R. W. George Ackman, of Monston, Deputy Grand Master, and on his left the V. W. the Rev. W. H. Sampson, Grand Chaplain

Among other Grand officers presen were R. W. F. J. G. Knowlton, Treasurer: R. W. J. Twining Hartt Grand Secretary; Wor. W. L. Ellis, M. D., Senior Grand Deacon: Wor. Frank Tufts, Grand Director of Ceremon ies. There were also many past grand officers, representatives of other Grand Lodges, Past Masters and represents tives of private lodges in the jurisdiction. The Grand Chaplain led the mem bers in their invocations to the Throne of Grace, and they recited together the twenty-fourth Psalm

The Deputy Grand Master announce ed that the Credential committee was posed of Messrs. D. Dearness. Fred H. Hartt and Percy B. Hunter That committee reported a constitu tional number of lodges represented. After some preliminary business was settled the Grand Master delivered his annual address

The report of F. J. G. Knowlton, the Grand Treasurer, showed a substantial balance in the treasury. J. Twining Hartt, the Grand Secretary, in his report stated that twenty-five dispen sations had been issued from his office during the year.

Organist; Robert Clerk, Grand Tyler. The evening session was called for 8.30 for election of officers. As the re tary of a chapter of the lodge was sult of the election the following gen elected this morning an honorary memtlemen will hold office for the con ber with past grand rank. year : Edwin J. Everett (re-elected) Most Worshipful Grand Master; Geo as follows: Coggan, of Sussex, Deputy Grand Mas-Geo. W. Rothwell, of McAdam ter; Dodge, J. V. McLellan, LeB. Wilson, Jct., Senior Grand Warden; John Mc-Kenzie of Woodstock; Junior Warden; Rev. G. F. Scovil, Grand Chaplain: F Ellis, Alexander Burchill, T. A. Godsoe, J. G. Knowlton, Grand Treasurer Robert Clerke, Grand Tyler. The re George Ackman, Geo. Day, LeB. Wilson, G. H. Harrison, A. L. Dodge and mainder of the officers will be appointed by the Grand Master today. E. G. Vroom Library-J. V. Ellis, A. McNichol, These officers will be installed at three o'clock this afternoon.

The Order of Grand Council of High On the recommendation of a sub Priesthood met at ten o'clock. Excommittee appointed for the purpose cellent Companion, Alexander Burechell, presiding. He conferred the ore the Grand Lodge of Alberta was cognized as a brother lodge. This odge has been started since the organ in attendance to receive it. The elecization of the new province, and this s the first official recognition of its exresulted as follows Geo. Ackman, President; G. H. Harrison, S. U. P.; W. istence by New Brunswick Lodge.
The Grand Priesthood will meet to

Ewing, G. O., St. John's No. 2; Harvey

Wm. J. Watson, G. S., Carleton Union

nia No. 3; J. A. Hoyt, G. M., Albion

Lodge No. 1: M. J. Stevens W M

Keith No. 23, Moncton; A. McNichol

P. J. D. W., N. B. No. 22; Spencer

K. Howard, P. M., Ashlar 36; A. Skil-

len, P. M., St Martins 31; H. E. Gould.

8; G. Hugh Morrison, P. M., Wood-stock 11; C. Fred Chestnut. W. M.,

Hiram 6; T. L. Morrison, P. M., Hiram

michi 18; James McIntosh, D. D. G. M.

Mjramichi 18; A. R. Campbell, P. S.

W., N. B. 22; A. H. Campbell

B. 22; T. A. Godsoe, P. D. G. M., Al

bion 1; Thos. A. Peters, P. D. G. M.

George 12; J. H. Yeomans, J. W.

ven 37; John McAllister, P. G.

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M., Miramichi 18; George Coggon, P.

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M., Zion, 21; E. L. Hagerman, P.

Farmer, J. W., St. Mark's No. 5: C.

R. Gould, J. U. P.; Peter Campbell, treas.; W. B. Wallace, recorder; W. L. morning at ten o'clock, and the Grand Chapter at eleven. Ellis, M. or C.; John M. Kenzie, The following members of the Grand ductor: J. W. McLellan, warden: D. Lodge are in attendance. W. Kyle, steward; E. J. Vroom, chaplain; Robert Clerk, tyler. M., St. John's No. 2; John V. Ellis, P. ments were made by Grand Master G. M., Carleton Union No. 8; Thos. Walker, P. G. M., Albion No. 1; J. G. Everett: J. Twining Hartt. St. John. Grand Secretary; Frank A. Godsoe, Forbes, P. G. M., St. John's No 2: Geo. St John Senior Grand Descent H W Ackman, D. G. M., Keith No. 23, Lanchlan, M. D., Milltown, Junior Wm. B. Wallace, P. D. G. Grand Deason; Frank L. Tufts, St. John, Grand Director of Ceremonies; M. Union Lodge No. 10: J. Vroom. P. G. M., Sussex No. 7, St. Stephen; R. P. Dickson, Moncton, Assistant Grand Director of Ceremonies; Alex. A. D. Steven, P. D. G. M., Sussex No. 4. Dorchester: Alex. Burchill. P. H. Campbell, St. John, Grand Sword Bearer; William A. Ewing, St. John, D. G. M., Hiram No. 7; Rev. W. H. Bearer; William A. Ewing, St. John, Grand Organist; Herbert E. Gould, Sampson, grand chaplain Carleton treas Union Lodge Portland No 10: wards, Thos. D. Walker, M. D., A. A. J. Twining Hartt, G. sec., Union Lodge, Laffin, E. Clinton Brown, S. W. Gray, Portland, No. 10; W. L. Ellis, J. G. John C. Edwards, Fred, H. Hartt, D., Albion No. 1; Frank L. Tufts, G. D. of C., Albion No. 7; Chas. Re In the afternoon general routine busison, G. S. B., Miramichi No. 18: W. A.

ness was transacted, and the officers

DEATH OF LEVERETT BELYEA

BELYEA COVE Aug 24 -This comnunity has sustained a great loss in the death of Leverett Belyea, who died at an early hour on Thursday morning at the residence of his daughter Mr. Belyea was 70 years of age and was enjoying the best of health with-in a week of his death, when while Hiram 6; T. L. Morrison, P. M., Hiram and could not be removed, although he 6; John W. Carter, P. D. G. M., Salisbury 20; J. D. Seely, W. M., Steven Belyea filled the office of deacon of the church for seventeen years. He was church has sustained a loss that will be felt for many years to come. He was ever ready to fill his place in all church matters. He was known in the munity for his uprightness in all his dealings, and honored by all who knew him, and many will call to mind

Mr. Belyea is survived by three

his hospitality.

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CONSTANTINOPLE, Aug. 29.-The Persian ambassador here has been in formed from Teheran that Turkish troops have occupied the Persian district of Margovar, comprising some twenty-five vallages. The Turkish government denies that the alleged encroachment has taken place, but never theless the ambassador has lodged an energetic protest with the Porte and has demanded the recall of the troops

The annual convention of the St. County Sunday School Association will be held at St. Martins on September 19 and will last one day. The number in attendance from the city will be large. The plan at present is to drive to St. Martins in buckboards, returning the evening by the same means. W. Hibernia 3; Percy W. Wetmore, S. programme will shortly be issued. Last. W. Carleton Union 8; E. H. McAlpine, year's convention was held in St. John. PREPARATIO RUSHED

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ST. ANDREWS, A nan, H. Higgins of W gaged this afternoon off C. P. R. platform Cove bridge, fell head to the platform, strikin and shoulders, stunnin workmen picked him taken back to the St. Dr. Harry Gove was diagnosis he found the brain, but that no b The doctor went in a patient to H. A. De house, where at four come to his senses and few days fully recover.

> HOPEWELL HOPEWELL HILL

Christopher, an old an sident of Hopewell Cap late Charles Christop week at the home of Christopher, and wa day in the cemetery Rev. Mr. Munre of t church, Riverside, con vices. The deceased le Capt. John J. Christo David Christopher of and one daughter, Mrs. Sackville

The Scott Act case ray in connection with liquor prescriptions w Squire Stuart's court adjourned for a week, considers the question defendant on his defer

MANILA, Aug. 29 .received that native v tured Armogines Sanch the Pulajames in the p e near Baybay, last escape of the bandits een cut off by the troop vent the arrival of ref ulajames from Samar s greatly improved.

a convention of t cently held at Nelson, bia, S. S. Taylor, form Co. N. B. was proposed for the local legislature, run. The choice will b red. Hume and Dr. H