MATTERS OF INTEREST.

iends of the contracting parties on border will be interested in the ancement that the marriage of Miss Stanche G. Dinsmore, recently of St. then, and Mr. William T. Shirley, e of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Shirley M. Vancouver, B. C., September 16. Congratulations are extended to a cou-ple of our worthy young people.—

ent happened at Lepreau Saturday t. Hector, the ten year old son of Cameron, while playing with a synamite cap placed it on the cooking stove. It at once exploded, shat-tering the ends of the thumb and first two fingers of his right hand. The ounds were dressed by Dr. H. P. synolds and the little fellow is doing as well as can be expected.

lisbury lady, passed away at the spital in Moncton yesterday. Mrs. ith was in her eighty-fourth year. was operated upon at the Moncton pital some weeks are for stemach She is survived by three daugh-Miss Blanche Smith, at home R. Thompson Taylor, of Mone on, and Mrs. Frank Ketchum, of Salis-

Terms under which the shoe factory Il be operated by Thurell-Batchelder Co., have been agreed upon, and if the mittee soliciting subscriptions are essful in placing the amount of ack required we may confidently ext to have the factory in operation y scon. There are still a few hundollars of the stock to be placed, and the starting up of this industry pends entirely on having all this ock taken. If all the stock cannot be aced here this week it is doubtful if

E. Williams would like to see ing Irishman named McCafferty who was until Saturday night last driver in his employ, Unless the Bos-ton police can lay their hands upon the man, however, there is slim chance this coming again under the notice of his former employer. McCafferty took away with him a sum of money se to \$100, which he had secured im customers of Mr. Williams in payment of bills which had been given to collect. The bills were for the of goods of the various descripwhich the man delivered about

Trouble along the river, due to the to some extent influencing the ermen. At Chipman, yesterday, a lot of logs owned by the King, Sayre, and Holly concerns, was broken away and scattered. A gang of men were taken to Chipman by the May Queen as an endeavor to save the logs, but ey were able to do little yesterday. pieces are ever reassembeled, it will be with great difficulty.

The annual meeting of the R. L. en Club was held last evening in the office of J. Starr Tait. The officers for the ensuing year were elected as ws: President, Frank Fairweathfirst vice-president, J. Starr Tait; ond vice-president, Christopher Splane: third vice-president, Allan Agar; secretary, Gilbert E. Logan; surer, Walter H. Golding.

s Lewellyn Whelpley, daughter of alfred Whelpley of Carter's Point, left Saturday evening for Chicago, where will commence a course in nursing the LittleJchn Hospital. Miss oley was accompanied by her other, L. J. Whelpley. On Friday ening at Miss Whelpley's home, the escent Beach house, well known to I frequenters of the river, her friends ered to surprise her on the eve of departure. The feature of an evenspent in dancing and similar ents, was the presentation to iss Whelpley of a check of pleasing orticus and a gold watch

Meriam Adeline, the fourteen months' daughter of Thos. B. Hart, of ericton Junction, died very sudnly last night after an illness of little one suffered injury to the ad, and yesterday death resulted

The S. S. Karen, which will be put avana, will arrive in port today. The aren is on her way here from Besand will leave St. John on her st trip to Havana with a large cargo potatoes. She will make one trip a nth, calling at Boston on her retrips. The Karen is a comparalively new boat, being built in 1905, would make the trip to Havana in ht or nine days, She will lie at bal-

Miss E. Jean White, one of Sussex's ost popular young ladies, will gradate from Somerville Hospital on Oct. After a short visit to her home in sex she will return to Boston to ke up her professional duties there.

The hospital authorities, although a dligent search has been made, have been unable to find the mother of the Sunday morning. About five nths ago a woman giving her name Mrs. Moore, employed as a domestic one of the city hotels, became ill, was sent to the hospital. ere she gave birth to a child. On covering she returned to her former ion in the hotel. Early last monta heard the child would be a charge on her. She left the hotel and nothhe has been heard of her since.

The Shediac Light & Power Co. ave purchased a large turbine water from E. Leonard & Sons. to are installing a pumping plant at

Harry Hermsen, leading man with the opera company which is now playing The Burgomaster at the Opera. House, received word last night of the sudden death of his father, George Hermsen, which took place at his home in New York at 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon. It was during the intermission of the second and third acts that the telegram was handed to him. Though greatly distressed by the had news Mr. Hermsen, rather than cause an inter ruption in the performance, bravely went on with his part. The audience was not aware of Mr. Hermsen's great bereavement and could not detect any failure to do his part justice. Mr. Hermsen will not go home as the fare-

will take place today. Mr. Hermsen's, father had been ill for some time and his son was greatly worried about him. The telegram last night was first handed to Mr. McClure, manager of the company. He decided at first that he would not hand it to Mr. Hermsen until after the but thinking it might contain good news, later changed his mind. The carpenters and joiners enjoyed

a very pleasant outing last evening, it being the celebration of their eighth anniversary. About eight o'clock upwards of seventy-five left their hall and drove in buckboards, accompanied by the Carleton Cornet Band, to Clairmont Hotel, Torryburn. On arriving the band played several selections on the lawn in front of the hotel which was beautifully lighted and decorated for the occasion. Later the given and were responded to by Secretary; P. C. Sharkey, Morrison Ship Laborers' Union; Cummings, Painters' Union; Trafton, Carleton; Cornet Band; Russel, Typographical Union. During the evening the band delighted the crowd with both instrumental and vocal music. Arriving home shortly after midnight all expressed themselves well pleased with the evening's outing.

A very enjoyable time was spent last evening at the whist entertainment held in St. Malachi's Hail under the auspices of the St. Vincent's Alumnae Society. The proceeds will be devoted to St. Vincent's library. The St. Jo-seph's orchestra furnished excellent music, and Miss Agnes Scully was heard in a very pleasing reading. There were about sixty whist tables, and the games were much enjoyed by all. J. Calnan was the winner of the gentleman's prize, a bill book, while Miss Kathleen Mooney also succeeded rm and accompanying freshet, is in carrying off honors, winning the confined to the farmers but is ladies' prize, which was a sterlin ver belt pin. Fred McCullough and Mrs. E. Walsh came in for the consolation prizes. The hall was beautifully decorated for the occasion, and during the evening cake and ice cream were served by the young ladies of the par-

The shippers of the province yesterday made a request to Wm. Thomson & Co. that the Munson Line sailing from Hayana be postponed from October 10th to October 20th in order that they may have an opportunity of get-ting the potatoes into better shape. The request has been complied with

J. Douglas Trueman, a son of the late Judge A. I. Trueman, left last evening for the University of Wiscensin, where he will take a post-graduate course in engineering. Mr. Trueman is an arts graduate of the U. N. B., has a B. Sc. from the School of Technology, Boston. He spent last year as a member of a survey party in the Godganda district.

A double wolding in which two sisters figured, took place yesterday in Bridget's church, Chapel Grove. The Misses Dunn were the brides, while Daniel Downey and Harding Gillen, both of Adelaide street, North End, were the grooms. Rev. Fr. Borg. nann of St. Peter's church was the officiating clergyman. John Bradley supported Mr. Downey, and Thomas Gillen performed the same office for

WILLIAM KERR

CHATHAM, N. B., Oct. 5 .- The funat eleven hours. About a week ago eral of William Kerr was held yesterday afternoon at three o'clock from his residence on the Richibucto road. A large number gathered to pay their the route between St. John and of the Miramichi district were reprelast token of respect and many parts sented. In the funeral procession there were over 70 carriages. The services were conducted by Rev. George Wood, Duncan Henderson and G. F.

Dawson, and the interment was in Riverside cemetery. The pail bearers were William Scott, David McLean Robert Murray, Charles A. Gunn, Ed. Johnson, Robert Walls. The oldes sons, William and George Kerr, of Minneapolis and Mr. Frank Fowler, of Malden, Mass., reached here in time for the funeral. JOHN ROBINSON

John Robinson, one of the oldest resident of this province, died at the home of his son-in-law, Fairfield St. John county, on Wednesday, Sept. 29th, in the 100th year of his age. Deceased was born in Londonderry (Ireland). tle infant who dled in the hospital Oct. 23rd, 1809. He came to this country seventy-five years ago. Before leaving his native land he married Mary Roiston, of Londonderry (fre.) He had three brothers, Rev. William, James and Walter, who remained in Ireland. Four children survive him; James, of the firm of Hasty & Co., Detriot, (Mich.); Nicholas, car inspector, Portland, (Me.); and John A. the youngest, with whom he lived on the minal code, so as to give provincial homestead; also one daughter, Mrs. officers furisdiction to enforce the law Thomas Galbratth, of Lorneville, N.B. when municipal officers are negligent,

laid to rest beside those of his wife.

SYNOD IN A WARM TALK OVER REFORM RESOLUTION

Suasion vs. Law-Finally Decided to Urge Federal Miss Connolly Locked in Her Government to Action—College Report Read.

10 o'cleck this morning. The session was opened by the reading of Scripture by the Moderator, Rev. James Sinclair, and prayer by Rev. Mr. Gillis. After the reading of the minutes by the clerk, the routine work of the day was taken up. The report of the Board of Directors of the Hallfax Ladies' College was read by Rev. Mr. Lang, in the absence of Rev. Dr. Cummings of Halifax. It showed that the ollege was in a better state both as to the number of students and financially than it had ever has been before, The reports of different committees were received.

Dr. Smith touched a match to the powder when he again read the resolution in reference to the Synod recommending to the government that provincial officers be instructed to enforce the law in places where the municipal company sat down to dinner after ones refused. Dr. Sedjewick again opwhich the usual round of toasts were, posed this on the ground that the and were responded to by Synod were going beyond their powers.

Farren, President; Breen, The discussion called forth speeches ary; P. C. Sharkey, Morrison, from nearly everybody who could get to the platform. The feeling ran very high in the matter. Dr. Pringle made a reference to the members of the So-cial and Reform Committee lobbing around Ottawa which was strengly resented by many present. The meeting adjourned at 12.30.

On the opening, Rev. Mr. Lang read the report of the Halifax Ladies College. It stated that the college had been thoroughly inspected and everything found in a very satisfactory condition. The total number of students last year was 534. More of our college. Last year the attendance was lege. We must make an effort to further increase it. The course in elocution has been re-organized covering a period of two years. Competent teachers have been engaged and there is no reason why this course should not be a great success. The first session success. The income for the year was

ability has been reduced \$1000. the Ladies College was unanimously approved. Judge Forbes and the Rev. George McMillan were appointed. Rev. W. H. Spencer submitted the report on behalf of the augmentation committee. He reported progress all along the line. The committee had

done and is doing a great deal of good. Unlike the foreign mission board, it has no debt, and is able to report a balance on hand. Murray Harbor North and Murray Harbor South on P. E. I., became self-sustaining during the year. Georgetown circuit has been receiving \$200 a year from the fund for 21 years. The board introduced the envelope system, that is systematic giving in this circuit, and \$1000 was raised over and above the running ex-

penses for the year. Henceforth a circuit to receive from this fund, must pay into the board \$5 per communicant and \$500 from the congregation. At the session of 1908 the board was given discretionary powers to deal with congregations whose funds were not satisfactory and it accordingly urges that wherever possible the envelope system of giv-

ng shall be adopted, This year the board has promised to aid the churches to the extent of \$433 more than last year. It was moved by Rev. Mr. Spence and seconded by Rev. Mr. Archibald, that the report be received. The section in reference to the board collect-

ing \$5 from each communicant, and 500 from the congregation caused a lot The question was raised by Dr. Faloner whether the Synod had the authority to pass such a resolution

was finally decided to pass it and if it were not legal it could be thrown out by the assembly.

Rev. Dr. Rogers said the committee had prepared a report on Evangelism. There seems to be a feeling that it is time our clergymen took a more active part in the great questions of moral vice. The committee did not favor the suggestion of a previncial campaign.

he results of Evangelism in the west confirmed them that there must be dequate preparation for such work. Nineteen Presbyteries west of Montreal are planning for simultaneous campaigns this coming fall. In the simulaneous campaigns held in the west the ministers were inexperienced, yet in spite of this fact, great results were | pills. obtained. The committee suggested that the subject of Evangelism be offered to Presbyteries whenever the op-portunies offer. Second, that the prinipal and faculty of our college deliver ectures on Evangelism to the theolo gical students during the coming year. Thirdly, that an appeal for prayer along these lines be sent to all cur.

The adoption of the report was moved Rev. S. J. McCarthy, of Newcastle, and seconded by Rev. William McNally of Truro.

The resolution in reference to asking the government to amend the cri-

and seventeen grandchildren and twenty-six great grandchildren also survive. In religion, Mr. Robinson br. Sedgewick again took exception to the resolution on the ground that ton supplied by the same firm, who report having just shipped a fee portable mill to J. W. Kirk-rick, Diligent River, N. S., and a state of the church before leaving it was beyond the sphere of the synod and with the consent of his seconder, Rev. J. J. McCaskill, moved an amendment of the house, his remains were taken to ment to the effect "that it is the the Black River burying ground and strong impression of all members of the synod that it is of the greatest

The fourth session of the Presbyter- Importance that all existing laws dealian Synod met in St. David's church at ing with the liquor traffic and set out by the criminal code should be rigidly enforced." The discussion on the motion and

amendment aroused a great deal of Rev. Mr. Grant said that in communities the authorities would not enforce the law and in one place he knew of a council which wanted make a law that all fines should be remitted to the liquor dealers. In Halifax today the law would not

be enforced unless the commissioners enforced it. In many places in Nova Scotia the officers would not lay the information and private citizens were doing it at their expense. Dr. Smith said resterday we asked the Dominion government to legislate in reference to questions of moral reform, and wherein did this differ? He thought the synod were taking a very illogical stand.

Dr. Pringle, of Sydney, said the mo tion was going to be carried. We have a lot of men lobbying around the house at Ottawa to get measures passed and we had better give them something to do or dismiss them. Many of the ministers took exception to the use of the word lobbying

by Dr. Pringle. Rev. Mr. Ireland took the floor and for a while it looked doubtful whether he was going to get a hearing. Judge Forbes-"It would not do to turn down Ireland," Mr. Malcolm-'Ireland was never in

authority." Mr. Ireland said there was an element young ladies were attending Edgehill in the Presbyterian church strengly and Mount Allison than their own opposed to the course pursued by those who were preaching legislation. the largest in the history of the col- ; favored moral-suasion, and it was only in this way after all that anything could be accomplished along these lines. Judge Forbes said he was as much in favor of the enforcement of the law as anybody. He had seen too many young men's lives ruined by this terrible traffic to feel otherwise. He has opened with every prespect of success. The income for the success. The income for the success. \$28,831.54, and expenditures \$28,737.12, broken reed, I tell you, whether it is of \$94.42 on the right | Dominion or Provincial. The ministers side. During the year the current li- have to get down to the moral side and preach it from their pulpits. Water At the annual meeting held last Fri- can rise no higher than its source. God day the recommendation to ask the save the church if she is depending on Synod to hominate two shareholders to a lobby at Ottawa to dure the social represent the Synod on the board of vice. We have year after year been calling on these brazen gods to help us, with what result?"

Senator McGregor said he was a strong supporter of law, but he did not believe in putting on the shoulders of others, what we can do ourselves. Who is to judge whether the law is being Mr. McCaskill said. We are here discussing moral reform and 'morals' means temper." He hated to see such a high feeling running among those

present. Will Deminion and provincial overnments enforce the law any better than the municipalities? they a higher standard? We have got to get back to the moral sentiment of the people. The discussion brought out Rev John Hawley, who on rising, said this

was the second time in twenty years that he had ever addressed the Synod. He favored the motion, Rev. A. A. Graham said that in the whole province St. John was the only place where the Chief of Police was appointed by the provincial government and in no place was the law better enforced. The police are hired by him and to this fact, was due the stringent enforcement of the liquor law especially. On a vote being taken the original

motion was carried. The Synod ad-

journed at 12.30. It will assemble this

afternoon at 2.30.

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not be without them. I can highly reany form of Kidney Troub! 2." We let you try Gin Pills before you buy. Write National Drug & Chemical Co., (Dept. B. N.), Toronto, and a free aple of Gin Pills will be sent you by return mail. 50c. a box, 6 for \$2.50,

WHOLESALE LIQUORS

WM.L. WILLIAMS, Successor to M. A. Finn, Wholesale and Retail Wine with much sympathy. The funeral is and Spirit Merchant, 110 and 112 Prince announced for Friday at 2.30 p. m.,

AT LOCKSMITHS

Room, Jumps from Window

A highly romantic story comes from Hampstead, which shows how large a part determination plays in the true romance. The persistence of the young lady in the case will be much admired. Near the quarry at Hampstead there lives with her parents a young lady of sixteen, named Connolly. This maiden's fancy was ensnared by a dashing young farmer, who at this time of year journeys about the country with a threshing machine. This young man, whose name is Searle, halls from Jones's Creek. The girl's proposed match was for some reason not regarded with approval by her parents. They forbade her to have anything to do with him, but she announced that she was going to follow him. This stage reached, Miss Connolly was locked in her bedroom upstairs. Love laughed at the locksmith, however. Determined to reach her wan-

dering lover, the girl jumped from the second story window. Her people heard her fall, and on running around the house, found her struggling ineffectually to rise, Sie had sustained a very badly sprained ankle. Dr. Jenkins was called, and under his treatment the girl remained in bed for three weeks. Within the last day or two she managed to get a way from the parental surveillance, and sought out her lover, who had by this time reached Brown's Flats. time reached Brown's Flats. On her return she announced at the village store that she was now Mrs. Searle, and that her husband would join her when the harvest days were

ALL MINISTERS ARE **NOT PREVARICATORS**

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FEW TEMPTATIONS

For Every One Who Quits One Thousand Will

be Attracted

NEW YORK, Oct. 6 .- "An honest man is honest everywhere and a minister of the gospel has fewer tempta-Have tions than any other man,"

This was the partial answer today which is attended by John D. Rockefeller, to the sweeping charge of Rev. D. H. Carrick of Lawrence, Kas., who car conductor because he said that "all ministers are liars and it is impossible for a minister to succeed and tell the truth."

"Maybe, though," Dr. Aked said, temptation of the minister is to withhold the truth lest he offend. I do not believe hat the truth from the pulpit does offend. It may drive six away but for those six it will attract

"I do not believe New York ministirs fear to denounce sin and misconduct. Personally I think there has been enough denunciation from the pulpit. Far too many have cried 'Down with all that is up.' The Christian doctrine is: 'Up with all that is Hell-centred religion is thing of the past." In one thing, however, Dr. Carrick Dr. Aked are in hearty accord and that is that ministers are nig-

gardly paid. The only advantage in small salaries, Dr. Aked says, is that it prevents anyone from entering this work unless his heart is really in the "For myself," he said, "I believe

that the present selary of every min-ister of the gospel should be doubled. A man should not be made to feel that when he enters the ministry he leaves all other ambition behind. It man hesitates to ask a girl to share poverty and hardship. It is norma and right to consider the future of those dependent upon you. "Everywhere the cost of living has creased; everywhere prices are higher; only the salary of the minister remains the same. It is one of the first duties of the Christian church to increase the salaries of her ministers."

MISS MARY E. LEWIS

Miss Mary E. Lewis, who has been a resident of the Home for Incurables since March, died at that institution yesterday morning. For some time she has been quite a sufferer. Before Miss Lewis went into the home she was very active in the religious and charitable work of the Cathedral par-ish, of which she was a member, and particularly in the St. Vincent de Paul Soicety. Friends will hear of her death William St. Established 1870. Write from the residence of her brother, for family price list. 28-11-1y. Prince William street

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ON LIVES AT SEA

New Act Passed by Lords

of Pounds Were Made by Gamblers

LONDON, Oct. 6.-Gambling on lives at sea will be made a punishable offense in Great Britain by virtue of the Marine Insurance (Gambling Policies) Bill), which, on its second reading, was unanimously passed the other day in the House of Lords and therefore practically only needs the royal assent to become law. The object of the bill is "the prohibition of gambling on loss

by marine perils." If any person effects a contract of marine insurance without having a bona fide interest either in the safe of Rev. Charles F. Aked, pastor of arrival of the ship or the safety of the the Fifth Avenue Baptist church, cargo it will be deemed to be gambling on loss by sea dangers. The punishment will be imprisonment with hard labor for six months or a fine of \$500. left the ministry and became a street | Further, the gambler must forfeit to the Crown any money he may receive

under this gambling contract, Lord Hamilton, of Dalzell, the government spckesman, told of the business, which, according to information "Dr. Carrick means that the main gathered by the Board of Trade, was being done in this sort of gambling recently

"Certain people," he said, " have been in the position in which they could find out something wrong with the ship, and instead of going, as rightly disposed persons would do, to the owners and telling them, in order that life and property might be saved from destruction, they have kept that information to themselves. On a recent occasion a person in this way profited by £6,000 from the loss of a ship."

Lord Hamilton instanced the case of bet of 9 to 1 that the snip would go to the bottom on one single voyage."

Lord Ellenborough told of an instance of a ship only worth \$45,000 on which \$25,000 worth of insurance had been piled up. Another instance was given of a ship which, with its crew and cargo, was taken along the coastof South America and deliberately run on a shoal. The ship got off, but was run on another shoal. This did not succeed, but on the third attempt the ship went to pieces and some of the crew died of fever afterward.

BONNELL-THOMPSON At six o'clock this morning in St.

Stephen's Presbyterian church, Rev. Gordon Dickie officiated at marriage of Miss Annie Mae Thompson, daughter of Mrs. Wm. Osbcrne Thompson, of Hazen street, and Mr. Raiph C. Bonnell head of the furnish ment of Oak Hall, son of Mr. F. S. Bonnell, of Cliff street. Miss Thompson wore a gray tailor-made travelling suit with hat to match. The bride, who was unattended, was given away by Mr. Wm. Thompson, of Hingham, Mass, and the uskers were Dr. Donald Malcolm and Fenwick C. Bennell, brother of the groom. Although no inritations had been issued, a large numher of friends assembled at the church to witness the ceremony. Immediately after the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Bonnell left by the Boston train on a honeymoon trip to Boston, New York and other American and Canadian cithoneymoon trip to Boston, New York and other American and Canadian citales. On their return they will reside at 16 Cliff street. Among the many beautiful gifts received by Miss Thompson was a valuable case of silver from the firm and staff of Oak Hall. announced for Friday at 2.30 p. m., beautiful gifts received by Miss Thompthe firm and staff of Oak Hall,

GENERAL BUCHAN

DEAD AT MONTREAL

One of the Best Known Soldiers in the Canadian Permanent Force-Was 62 Years Old.

MONTREAL, Cct. 7-General Lawrence Buchan, one of the best known at 7.45 this morning, in the 63rd year of his age. leaning on that you are leaning on a So Declares Rev. Dr. Cases Cited Where Thousands He was a son of the late David joined the Queen's Own Rifles, Toronto, in 1872. He retired from that corps in 1881 and was appointed Adjutant of the 90th Rifles on the outbroak of

the Riel rebellion in 1885 and served throughout the campuign. He was appeinted to the pern nent force as Captain commanding the Mounted Infantry at Winnipeg in 1885. He was transferred to Fredericton in 1891 to Toronto i 1892, and to Quebec in 1897. In 1894 he was sent to England to take a special course of instruction and while there was attached successively to the Infantry, Artillery and Cavalry. He has had a distinguished career and has been known as an active and efficient officer in every command where he has served. His wife was Mary Fenton, daughter

of the late W. G. Patterson, D. L. S. BAPTISTS SOLIDLY IN

Young People's Convention Pledges Hearty Support - R. H. Gushing Transferred

to Plaster Rock.

FAVOR OF TEMPERANCE

MONCTON, N. B., Oct. 7-The United Baptist young people's provincial un-ion which has been in session here for two days, closed last evening. The most important feature of closing was the passing of a resolution placing the convention on record as being in absolute sympathy with the aims and purposes of the New Brunswick Tem perance Federation, and resolving that a man who paid so much on his gam- the convention urge the nomination of bling insurance that "it amounted to a candidates only who are pledged to give their individual support to prohibition of the liquor traffic, and further resolving to give support and influence to elect only candidates so pledged. The sessions of the convention were very largely attended and

very successful. R. H. Cushing, divisional engineer of been transferred to Plaster Rock, and Twelve year old Fenwick Colpitts, son Provincial Constable Colpitts, wandered away from home Monday, Ind last evening was located at Sussex. The boy had been visiting his grandmother and at noon time ran away.

BIRTHS

REINECKE-At Clansholm Alberta, Sept. 29, 1939, to Mr. and Mrs. Otto L. Reinecke, a daughter,

MARRIAGES

NELSON-COPP .- At the residence of the bride's father, Mr. and Mrs. Nor-d. man Copp, West River, Albert Co., J. E. Shanklin, Trueman Nelson of Hopewell Cape to Edna Vera Copp of West River.

WEAK MAN RECEIPT FREE

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CROWN IN BO

Produces Woman Whom "Eye Opener" Alleged Was Enticed Away

Swears That She Was Never Intimate With Sir Frederick

Declares Emphatically That He Didn't Induce Her to Leave Home

Springs Sensation When She Tears Up Her Photo in Court

KENTVILLE, N. S., Oct. 13.-The crown hurled a bombshell at the defence in the Carruthers' libel case today when they produced in court Miss Hesther Chalifour, the woman whom it was alleged had been enticed away from her home in Ottawa by Sir Frederick Borden, Minister of Militia. She was brought here from Baltimore, and most emphatically denied that she was ever on intimate terms with Sir Frederick or had ever received him at her apartments or elsewhere. He in nowise assisted her financially, and denied everything that had been imputed against her. Miss Chalifour's entry into court produced quite a flur-ry, and her presence was most and pected by the defence, as they had had! no intimation of her being in town.

Sensational Incident

Miss Chalifour, however, was the central figure in a sensational incident before she left the stand, and she startled both judge and jurors by tear-1 ing up a photo of herself when it was handed to her for identification. She ing through the court and cast a look of scorn upon Mr. Ritchie, who had | been cross-examining her somewhat severely.

It was a case of daughter against mother, and the enmity there was very great. Miss Chalifour is a daughter of Mrs. Allison (the star witness for the defence) by her first husband. Oth- s er interesting features of the day's evidence was the statement by Mrs. Allison that she wrote letters that appeared in the Eve Opener and the statement by the defendant Carruthers that he had large batches of the Eye Opener in his possession and that he had distributed them about at various times. He also admitted that he was not on friendly terms with Sir Frederick Borden, and that while he (the witness) had held the government office of postmaster and superintendent of the Savings Bank Department there were financial irregularities in his officee and that he lost his position.

W. M. Carruthers

When court opened this afternoon the first witness called to the stand was the defendant, W. M. Carruthers. He was examined by Mr. Ritchie and admitted that he had handed a copy of the "Eye Opener" to Ar. Pineo. There was a general election on at the time. Mr. Ritchie here made an attempt to draw certain evidence from the witness which was objected to by Mr. Roscoe and a lengthy argument by counsel followed. After Mr. Ritchie had finished his argument. Mr. Roscoe rose to reply. Then Mr. Ritchie oblected to Roscoe's right to reply, but the court ruled in favor of the latter and he proceeded. Mr. Roscoe then quoted authorities to show that the private life and history of members of parliament cannot be inquired into, it is not a matter of public inter-

Mr. Justice Drysdale admitted the Mr. Carruthers then said that at the time, he believed that the letters had a ring of truth about them and from knowledge of Bir Frederick thought that the stories were cor-

To Mr. Roscoe the witness said that had not had any convesation with Sir Frederick for 13 or 14 years. He s not on good terms with the minis ter. He was at one time postmaster at Kentville, but lost that position. The witness said he had no differences with the minister. He had trouble financially while holding the position of ostmaster. There were irregularities the savings bank department of which he had charge. The shortage, De he said, had not been made good su far as he knew. "How many Eye Openers did you

have?" asked Mr. Roscoe. "I cannot say how many copies a Me ad. I was a subscriber to the paper." I had at least twenty or thirty copies. I gave them around to different persons. I circulated them quite freely. So far as I know no other person had copies of the paper. They did not! come through the mail. They were left pair at my shop."

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