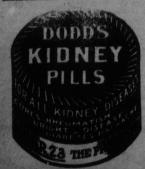
# DEMOCRATIC CONVENTION

Democratic Convention Select Wilson and Marshall by Unanimous Vote - President's Announcement that He Wants Marshall Re-Nominated Kills off Other Vive-Presidential Aspirants.



Years Superintendent of Home Missions, Resigns from all Official Positions.

Washington, N. C., June 15.—Three women and one man were drowhed in the Pamilto river, near Bath, N. C., today, when the small passenger vessel Marcen, plying, between this city and Bath, overturned. Six others aboard the boat were rescued.

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exceedingly wroth with "The Daily Chronicle," and devotes more than a column to our castigation. In one of its unctuous Easter articles this organ of Herr Ballin and the Hamburg-Amberica Line said some rather cheerless things which we transferred to this column. It spoke of the shortage of potatoes and meat, of butchers closing their shops, of a difficulty in procuring Easter lamb, Easter eggs, and Easter cake, and of the disappointment felt by so many seeing no meat in their saucepans at the great spring festival. We quoted revelations made by the "Fremdenblatt" regarding the adulteration of coffee in Hamburg, and quoted its pious wish about Hope being a little branch which they had adulteration of coffee in Hamburg, and quoted its pious wish about Hope being a little branch which they had planted this Easter, hope of victory and peace, hope of a fine summer and bounteous harvest."

And now we are angrily told that we have misinterpreted the "Fremdenblatt," and have drawn wrong conclusions about the stavation of Hamburg. We are told that the object of that article of theirs was not to point out that the stocks of potatoes and eggs, meat and coffee were running perllously low, but that it was an exhortation to holding out, "Naturally," says the "Fremdenblatt," it is also demanded, in view of the shortage of meat, that the Easter lamb should be given up, and that in view of the

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# PRESENT Recruiting S

Important Conference Held K Yesterday in Office of Premier Borden.

PRESENT PLAN A DRAIN ON INDUSTRIES

Federal and Provincial Governments to Confer With View to Adopting More Satisfactory Scheme.

work.

Mr. Abbott asked for the co-operation of the federal government along the same lines. He said that the present plan of recruiting was a serious draid on industries which are essential for the carrying on of the war.

Adjutant General Hodgins stated that efforts had already been made to control enlistments so as not to seriously affect essential industries. Sir Robert Borden afterward said that the conference would be followed by communications between the federal and provincial governments for the purpose of adopting a more satisfactory system of recruiting.

**HAMPTON** 

Hampton, June 15—Mr. A. W. Sharr left on Monday on a business trip to the North Shore.

Mrs. O. N. Chipman arrived home on Monday, after spending two weeks with her mother, Mrs. John Shaffnur, of Lawrencetown.

addressing several meetings in Fredericton. While there she is the guest of Miss Myra Sherman.

Mr. Sylvester Morrell a former resident of Hampton, but now of Boston, spent part of the week here.

Corporal Manzer of the 104th Batt., Sussex, visited Hampton friends on Tuesday.

Rev. Mr. McWilliams of Shannon, Queens Co., was a week-end guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. DeLong. He occupied the pulpit in the Baptist Church on Sunday evening.

Mrs. S. Hayward of the village, spent Sunday in Havelock, the guest

Church on Sunday evening.

Mrs. S. Hayward of the village, spent Sunday in Havelock, the guest of Mrs. S. E. McDonald.

Mrs. Hazen of St. John is visiting Mrs. Carvell this week.

Mrs. J. S. Sutherland returned on Friday from Summerside, P. E. I., where she has been visiting her parents. On Saturday Mr. and Mrs. Sutherland left for Gagetown.

The Rev. T. B. Winter of High River, Alberta, is the guest of his cousin, Rev. A. H. Crowfoot and Mrs. Crowfoot at the rectory.

Mr. and Mrs. Judson Slipp left on Wednesday on a driving trip through Queens Co. They will stop at several places en route to Hampstead.

Mrs. Philip Palmer, St. John, is the guest of her niece, Miss Minnie Travis.

Rev. F. J. Rowley attended the Methodist Conference at Summerside last week. Owing to his absence there were no services in the Methodist Church on Sunday.

Mrs. A. W. Sharp has returned from a pleasant visit to friends in St. John, Mrs. A. H. Chipman and Mrs. Morrison were hostesses at the Red

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Mrs. A. H. Chipman and Mrs. Morrison were hostesses at the Red
Cross tea on Tuesday afternoon. The
amount of money reported in the treacury was very satisfactory. Twentyfive dollars of this was voted for the
soldders' comfort, and one hundred to
be used for medical supplies.
Mrs. James H. Sproule, was the
guest of Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Sproule
last week.
The many friends of Lieut, Roland
G. Barnes of the 5th Mounted Rifes