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"STANFIELD'S" UNSHRINKABLE SHIRTS AND DRAWERS, \$1 to \$1.25 per garment.

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If so, we have dozens of remnants to which we invite your inspection. We are selling them at just half price.

Window Shades in cloth complete from 25c up.

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BIG BRITISH CONCERN
ADOPTS METRIC SYSTEM

LONDON, Oct. 17.—The Commercial Community in Great Britain is greatly interested in the decision announced yesterday by Kynoch Limited, ammunition manufacturers, of Birmingham, to adopt the metric system both in weight and measure and monetary dealings. In England the metric system is permitted legally, but it is not compulsory. Fruitless efforts have been made to get parliament to make it compulsory. In editorial articles this morning the newspaper express keen interest in the experiment.

COUNT BONI'S TROUBLES

PARIS, Oct. 17.—The hearing of the suit of divorce brought by Countess De Castellane against her husband, Count Boni, and the hearing of the suit brought by the creditors of the count, were both postponed for a fortnight today. Counsel for the Countess succeeded in having the court decide to hear the divorce suit before the creditors' suit. The Count wanted to have the latter case decided first.

BOUND TO BUILD THE SHIP,
NO MATTER WHAT IT COSTS

Emperor Nicholas Orders Minister of Finance to Hand Over the Money for a Big Warship.

ST. PETERSBURG, Oct. 17.—The admiralty intends to build a battleship of the Dreadnaught type. In order to overcome Minister of Finance Kossowoff's refusal to supply him with funds, Vice-Admiral Birtch, Minister of Marine, appealed direct to Emperor Nicholas, who brushed obstacles aside and ordered Kossowoff to transfer to Admiral Birtch \$9,000,000.

DIED ON A FOOTBALL FIELD

TOLEDO, Ohio, Oct. 17.—Louis A. Geisler, of Paulding, a senior at Ohio Wesleyan University at Delaware and right end on the "Varsity" football team, fell dead on the field yesterday after running down a punt. Heart trouble was the cause.

COMMERCIAL.

CANADA'S TRADE FOR PAST QUARTER.
OTTAWA, Oct. 16.—Canada's foreign trade for the first quarter of the current fiscal year shows an increase of \$25,744,778, over the same time in 1905. The aggregate trade was \$150,435,000, compared with \$123,689,521 for the same time in 1905. The total imports were \$80,141,527, an increase of \$12,148,582, and the total exports \$70,293,473, an increase of \$14,596,947.

There was a big increase in foreign exports. There was an increase in every branch of trade except the fisheries. In agriculture the increase is phenomenal, considering that the returns for last year were by far the largest on record.

NEW YORK STOCK QUOTATIONS.
Chicago Market Report and New York Cotton Market.

(Furnished by D. C. Clench, Banker and Broker.)

St. John, N. B., Oct. 17.

Tues. Wed.

Amalg. Copper 116 116 1/2

Anaconda 28 1/2 28 1/2

Am. Sugar Ref. 125 1/2 125 1/2

Am. Smelt. and Rfg. 16 1/2 16 1/2

Am. Car Foundry 4 1/2 4 1/2

Am. Woolen 10 1/2 10 1/2

Auction 10 1/2 10 1/2

Am. Locomotive 7 1/2 7 1/2

Brook. Rfd. Trst. 12 1/2 12 1/2

Balt. and Ohio 12 1/2 12 1/2

Che. and Ohio 12 1/2 12 1/2

Canadian Pacific 10 1/2 10 1/2

Can. Leather 10 1/2 10 1/2

Colo. F. and Iron 10 1/2 10 1/2

Colorado Southern 10 1/2 10 1/2

Den. Distilleries 10 1/2 10 1/2

Gen. Electric Co. 17 1/2 17 1/2

Gen. S. Steel 47 1/2 47 1/2

Ill. Cent. and Ind. 17 1/2 17 1/2

Kansas and Texas 38 1/2 38 1/2

Louis. and Nashville 14 1/2 14 1/2

Man. Interboro Met. 8 1/2 8 1/2

Missouri Pacific 8 1/2 8 1/2

Nor. and Western 95 95 1/2

N. Y. Central 134 1/2 134 1/2

Ont. and Western 47 1/2 47 1/2

Pacific Mail 31 1/2 31 1/2

Pac. and Gas Co. 91 91 1/2

Reading 153 1/2 153 1/2

Republic Steel 35 1/2 35 1/2

Sloss Sheffield 7 1/2 7 1/2

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INCORPORATION ACT APPROVED

Report of Home Missions Very Favorable.

Quarterly Meeting of St. John Presbytery Held Yesterday—Many Matters Discussed

At yesterday afternoon's session of the Presbytery of St. John the report on home missions was read and discussed. Recommendations by Rev. J. Ross were read and accepted, and the new act of incorporation was discussed by the members present.

The report on home missions said in part that "In the spring New Brunswick was left with twelve men short for supply of mission stations. Fifteen men disappointed us, three were laid aside by sickness. There was a great deal of fruitless effort many complaints being received from those congregations who were without a supply. It was well to the end of June before any of the fields had a supply.

It is to be hoped that the whole church will awaken to a lively sense of the value of the services of faithful ministers, and realize in a greater degree than hitherto the self-sacrifice and self-denial laid upon young men offering for the ministry of our church through the increased cost of living and the time and expense involved in the work of preparation for their higher calling. The church as a whole can relieve the strain and lighten the burden imposed upon the individual and thereby open the way for a sufficient supply to meet the demand. The King's business demands have not immediate effect is called for.

"While there is no large development in any part of our province, there is improvement in various directions, e. g., St. Martin's and Norton have reduced their debt, and have paid off the Grand Bay, \$400; St. John's has paid a student in full, made an advance on their stipend and have rented a house for the missionary.

There is improvement in the synod where a congregation provides two mansees. A new church has been built at Tower Hill and Plaster Rock. A new hall has been built at Sackville.

The need which is very manifest is a larger number of ordained missionaries to give supply throughout the province. The only instance in the synod where there is likely to be some growth if an ordained minister could be secured is at Sackville, where which have eighty families, remain vacant for eight months of the year.

The revenue of this society twenty years ago was \$50. The last year the revenue was \$1,000, including home and foreign missionaries, and the synod after this report was adopted Rev. James Ross recommended the following:

1. That \$3 per week be paid to H. C. Fraser, quarter grant from the United Church of New Glasgow.

2. That the following balances be recommended for payment: Golden Grove, \$31.38; C. C. McIntosh, \$4.00; Sackville, \$56.36; New Glasgow, \$22.38; St. George, \$4.00; Cabano, \$23.38.

3. That the Home Mission committee be authorized to examine catechists reports and recommend to the General Assembly committee for payment of balances which are due.

4. That the clerk of the Presbytery be authorized to issue certificates to all students whose reports are passed.

5. That the Presbytery recommend to the board of the Century Church and manse building of the following grants: Tower Hill, \$50; Plaster Rock, \$300; Tilley, \$100; Home Mission fund, Dow, \$100.

\$100, when these have raised an equal amount.

6. That the grant to Stanley and Nashua be increased \$25.

7. That Stanley Prince be recommended as a catechist to the Home Mission committee.

8. That all congregations and mission fields with bounties be urged to contribute, however small, to the Bursary fund, in aid of young men going through colleges, studying for the ministry of our church.

The consideration of the committee's report on the system giving was concluded in the afternoon. The report was adopted with a number of recommendations for improved methods of administering the finances of the congregation.

The new act of incorporation was then discussed at length, several of its clauses coming in for lengthy discussion, and a few changes were made in the bill. Judge Forbes moved that the same committee which drew up the act be appointed to see the bill through the legislature.

It was moved by Rev. Mr. Graham that the moderator, Rev. Frank Blair, and clerk, Rev. A. H. Foster, and any members of the presbytery who shall be present on that occasion should represent the presbytery at the funeral of the late Judge Stevens at St. Stephen on Thursday.

The meeting then adjourned to resume again at St. Stephen's church in the evening, the occasion being the induction of Rev. Gordon Dickie in his new charge.

BRITISH OFFICERS CENSURED.

War Office Report on South African Stores Scandals Exonerates General Lyttelton.

LONDON, Oct. 16.—The War Office issued tonight its decision in the cases of officers involved in the South African war stores scandals. Gen. Sir Neville Gerald Lyttelton, chief of the general staff and first military member of the army council, is completely exonerated. The secretary of war, Mr. Haldane, and the army council arriving at the conclusion that it was beyond human possibility for General Lyttelton to supervise the system of supply while his whole energies were being devoted to commanding the troops.

Several officers are censured and others retired with and without pay allowed retired officers. Many others are exonerated and restored to service. A note appended to the decision states that in all the cases full allowances have been made for defects in the supply system as well as for the effects on the men of the long and severe strain of active service.

The war stores scandals were the subject of an attack by the opposition on the Balfour ministry in June, 1905, which resulted in the appointment of a royal commission to inquire into them. It was alleged that officers of the British army during the South African war worked in collusion with contractors. The contractors, it was charged, bought stores at absurdly low prices and resold them to the military authorities at enormous profits, entailing a loss to the government of \$5,000,000.

W. C. T. U. CONVENTION

A Banquet to be Held in Tremont Temple This Evening.

BOSTON, Mass., Oct. 17.—From far away Japan and Australia, and from more than fifty countries in the eastern and the western hemispheres, thousands of women interested in temperance reform have come to this city to attend the annual convention of the Young Women's Christian Temperance Union which opened here today in Tremont Temple.

The convention will come to a close on Sunday night. One of the features of the convention will be a "Welcome Banquet" to be held in Tremont Temple this evening. In the absence of the President of the World's Union, Lady Henry Somerset of England, the presiding officer at the business sessions, will be Mrs. Lillian M. Stearns, president of the National W. C. T. U. and vice-president at large of the World's Union. There will be meetings devoted to the Young Women's Christian Temperance Union, the Royal Temperance Legion and the "White Ribbon" movement.

It was arranged today that today should be observed as "Devotional Day," beginning with a service at 10 o'clock in the morning at the Park Street Church, conducted by Miss Elizabeth W. Greenwood, of Brooklyn, N. Y., superintendent of the department of evangelistic work for the World's W. C. T. U. The convention proper will open tomorrow when the delegates will be welcomed by Governor Gould and Mayor Fitzgerald.

PATHEPIC SUICIDE

OF OLD COUPLE

Husband Could Not Secure Work so He and His Wife Drank Carbolic

Acid

HAMILTON, Ont., Oct. 16.—A double suicide of an unusually pathetic nature was brought to light this morning by the finding of the bodies of Andrew Enevoles and his wife, who boarded at 11 Keith street. The couple were about 60 years of age, and the cause of the suicide was the husband's inability of the old man to procure work on account of his age. Last week he applied at the Hamilton Dams and Works for employment, only to be refused on the plea that he was too old. The bodies were found in bed this morning, and two carbolic acid bottles and two glasses told the sad tale. He left a note to his friends, and he and his wife placed their heads on a chair beside the bed for the purpose of being respectably buried in death. The Enevoles were Dams and the husband was formerly a butcher in Palmerston.

DUNLOP-McLEOD.

A quiet yet interesting event took place at nine o'clock this morning in the parlors of the Ottawa Hotel, when Rev. James Crisp United James Dunlop and Miss Nellie McLeod in the bonds of matrimony. Mr. Dunlop is a prosperous St. Martin's farmer and his bride is very popular in St. Martin's. The hotel parlors were neatly arranged for the wedding and only a few immediate friends witnessed the ceremony.

Ruben McLeod, brother of the bride, was best man, and Miss Lottie Long was bridesmaid. The bride was attired in a pretty white muslin wedding gown trimmed with white lace and ribbon, while Miss Long's gown was of white muslin, white lace and blue ribbon. The wedding party arrived in the city yesterday, having been driven by John C. Boyer, the St. Martin's lively stable proprietor, who placed his team of greys at their disposal. After the party drove to the Ben Lomond House for dinner, and this afternoon will go to St. Martin's, where they will reside. Mr. and Mrs. Dunlop are the recipients of a large number of handsome and useful presents.

No word has yet been received from Capt. Wright. It is expected that he will finish inspecting the Bothwell today. Inspector Dalton will also send a report stating the result of his inspection.

Alaska Seal Jackets!

For Seasons 1906-7.

These handsome garments will be worn in a variety of styles, the principal being a 24 inch PLAIN JACKET, the BLOUSE the same length, and both in longer lengths.

MAGEE'S are making some beautiful garments in THIS FUR, and guarantee them to be

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Jackets made to order in any style.

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FALL RUSH OF RIVER

Freight HAS STARTED

Lots of Potatoes Coming Down Now—They Sell at \$1.25 Per Barrel—Hay Is Scarce

Freight traffic on the river has been rather dull for some little time, owing to the fact that up-river farmers were busy with their potato digging, and also that those who had stock to send in were holding back in the hope of obtaining higher prices. But the Carleton County potatoes have been glutting the St. John market, and the river farmers find that unless they send their supplies down right away they will likely be shut out altogether. Accordingly, very heavy freights were brought down yesterday on all of the steamers, and it is expected that the rush will continue from now until the close of navigation. Large quantities of potatoes were received yesterday, almost all of them being of the Delaware variety and they sold on an average at \$1.20 to \$1.30 per barrel at the boats. The Carleton County potatoes known as Green Mountains, bring about \$1.20 here.

Hay is comparatively scarce in the city, and is fetching from \$10 to \$12 per ton. There was a little rush of poultry yesterday. The demand for Thanksgiving is good, and the supply also large. Chickens sell at from 70 cents to 90 cents a pair, and turkeys from 18 cents to 22 cents a pound.

CITY'S BUILDING

BOOM CONTINUES

Permits Ahead of all Records—Structures by C. P. R. and Rolling Mills

MONTREAL, Oct. 15.—Building permits were issued today from the office of the building inspector aggregating more than \$100,000. All previous records for this season were smashed. There seems to be no let up to the building boom. Besides factories and office buildings, fine dwellings are being constructed in all parts of the city, and it is now thought that building operations will be continued during the winter months.

The Canadian Pacific Railway Company were given a permit to construct a new building on Osborne street, at a cost of \$38,000. The building, which will be used as an express office, will be 176 feet long by 87 feet deep, two stories high and concrete throughout. The Montreal Rolling Mills were given permission to construct a new factory on Notre Dame street, at a cost of \$25,000. The structure will be 68 feet by 68 feet, and will be three stories high.

The Southern Company took out a permit to erect a printing office on St. Alexander street. The building will cost \$25,000 and will be 38 feet deep, with a frontage of 35 feet.

Ex-Alderman Valliers is constructing sixteen tenement houses on Marquette street. The new buildings are estimated at \$3,000. The other permits granted for smaller dwellings in every ward of the city.

McGILL STUDENTS

GO PROSPECTING

They Overturn Their Canoe, Lose Provisions and are Finally Rescued by Indians

It is reported at Quebec that two McGill University students, who left here some time ago laden with supplies, to endeavor to reach the Chibougamou mines near Lake Mistassini, narrowly escaped death, first from exposure and then from loss of provisions, while attempting to return from their uncompleted journey. As the story goes, they could not without guides manage to get their supplies up the many rapids and portages leading north from Lake St. John through the forest. In attempting to descend a heavy rapid in their canoe, the latter struck a rock and broke in two, throwing both prospectors and all their supplies into the water. One of the young men contrived to swim ashore. The other clung on to the rock, but was compelled to remain there. It is probable that both would have perished but for the accidental passing down the rapid a day and a half later of a couple of Indians in a canoe, who consented for a stiff consideration to take the two students back to civilization.

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