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The St. John and King's County Baptist Sunday School Convention.

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The St. John and King's Counties Baptist Sunday School Convention convened in the edifice of the Hampton station Baptist church May, 27th, 10 a.m. First vice-president in the chair. This meeting was occupied by an informal discussion and planning for the afternoon and evening session. The afternoon session was opened by devotional service of one-half hour led by Rev. 8. D. Ervine, after which reports were received from about twenty schools. A lengthy discussion touching the advisability of running our work along Baptist lines, and the necessity of placing a Sunday school missionary in the field to organize schools, convention and for the general circulation of Baptist literature took place. Convention passed a resolution pledging its sympathy and support to any such missionary as the provincial Baptist Sunday School Convention might elect. The subject of the home department of our Sunday school was discussed, also resolved that on the second Sunday in July or as near that date as convenient be appointed as children's day, and passors be requested to preach a sermon to the children. On motion the time and place of next meeting was left in the hands of the executive. At the evening session a public platform meeting was addressed by Rev. Dr. Carey on the general purpose of Sunday school work, Rev. R. M. Bynon on why Baptist doctrine should be taught in Baptist Sunday schools. Bro. O. P. Brown on the Holy Spirit as a teacher. S. D. Ervine on the qualifications of sunday School teacher. Suttable music was rendered by the choir. This convention was considered a success by all present, notwithstanding the very rainy day.

S. D. Ervine, Sec'y. The St. John and King's Counties BapMews Summary. 3

A fire at Parrsboro Friday destroyed a ouse owned by Laurence V. Brown.

If rumor is true Rev. T. DeWitt Talmage is worth considerably more than \$500,000.

Business failures in the Dominiou this week numbered 37, against 29 in the corresponding week a year ago.

The Florida legislature has passed an act to prohibit the instruction or attendance as scholars at the same school of white and colored persons.

The Canadian Pacific directors have aunounced that they will resume payment of the four per cent. dividend which was paid up to two years ago.

The petition to unseat J. B. Lauzen, the Local member for St. Boniface, Manitoba, on the ground of clerical interference, was dismissed on Thursday.

The Carlisle, at Woodstock, furnishes an attractive table for its many guests. The proprietor, Mr. C. I. Taylor, is well-known as an obliging and competent hotel man.

Mining

The mining convention in session at Rat
Portage had an excursion on a steamer
Thursday and visited the famous Sultana
mines. Among those on board was Robert
Jarvis Gilbert, of St. John.

At Black Brook, five miles below Chatham, Thursday, a spark from the chimney of George J. Vaughan's mill destroyed a large boarding house owned by Mr. Vaughan and occupied by some of his mill-

The late Mr. Molsen, of Montreal, left, in addition to bequests already mentioned, \$52,000 to his sister and family. \$4,000 to Rev. W. S. Barnes, \$5,000 to the Unitarian church, \$10,000 to Montreal General Hospital, \$30,000 to Fraser Institute and \$10,000 to Bishop's College School.

It is the intention of Hon. S. A. Fisher, Minister of Agriculture, to go to Japan and see if there is a market there for some of Canada's dairy and other products of the farm. He had a conversation on the subject with the ex-Premier of Japan, when that gentleman visited Ottawa a few days

ago.

Within the past few weeks workmen have been busy decorating the grave of John Boyle O'Reilly in Brookville, near Boston. The grave is planted with Irish grass, dotted with shamrocks brought from O'Reilly's early home. The huge bowlder is completely hidden by climbing ivy transplanted from a castle in the poet's native land.

An application for leave to appeal to the Supreme Court of the United States from a decision of the Circuit Court at San Francisco refusing to stay the execution of the death sentence on Theodore Durant, was granted on Thursday. As the United States Supreme Court does not meet again until October next, this virtually means a respite for six months at least.

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The French government has submitted to the powers proposals on the subject of Cretan autonomy. Russia supports the proposals and it is believed Great Britain also favors them. An armistice has been signed between the Greek and Turkish military commanders in Thesaly and Epirus. The ambassadors of the powers and Tewfik Pasha, the Turkish minister for foreign affairs, held the first sitting of the peace negotiations at Constantiople on Thursday.

The monthly statement of the U.S. public

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The monthly statement of the U. S. public debt shows that the debt, less cash in the treasury, at the close of business on May 29, 1897, was \$996,684,052, a decrease for the month of \$1,560,080. The statement of May, 1896, showed a deficit of \$5,782,875. The receipts from customs during the last month amounted to \$16,875,011, an increase as compared with May, 1896, of nearly \$6,000,000. The receipts from internal revenue amounted to \$10,683,011, a decrease of \$877,098. The deficit for the eleven months of the present fiscal year eleven months of the present fiscal year amounts to \$32,273,121.

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Everett P. Wheeler, of New York, in the international arbitration conference, last week urged a revived effort to secure the ratification of the treaty with England which has just been rejected by the Senate, Prof. Braco, of Vassar College, spoke eloquently in behalf of closer relations with France. Rev. Fay Mills believed that the silver senators of the west had opposed the treaty with England conscientiously, and that the war spirit ceased in the world only with better industrial and economic organ ization. Rev. Philip Moxom justified the ization. Rev. Philip Moxom justified the sharp criticism of the Senate for its recent

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The Government and the Plebiscite.

sion last week at O ment represented b Hon. Messrs. Fisher proposed plebiscite esolution adopted b which resolution c pledges given by M a plebiscite bill at th stated that, unless the people as a distir tions, it would not Premier's promise. resolution were also dressed the Governme While there did not doubt but that the G good faith and that the unavoidable, the dele