

Notices.  
 Convention Notice.

A meeting of the managers for Canada of the Allan, Elder-Dempster and Furness lines was held in Montreal on Friday to decide matters relating to the service to South Africa. It was arranged that the first sailing from Montreal should be by the Allan line steamer Ontario on the 18th of October. This will be followed by another sailing from Montreal in November and the winter sailings will be from St. John, N. B. The question of rates has not yet been definitely settled owing to the dearth of authentic information from across the water.

## TRAVELLING ARRANGEMENTS.

### Delegates to Maritime Convention.

Convenes in Zion church, Yarmouth on the 22nd at 7.30 p. m. The programme provides for three addresses at that meeting on as many phases of the idea of "Conquest" by Revs. C. H. Day, Z. L. Fash and J. L. Miner. The business session of the Union will be held Saturday morning from 9 to 10 o'clock. Other meetings will be held as opportunity presents during

W. J. KENNEDY, Sec. y.

D. H. MCQUARRIE, Sec'y.

F. D. DAVIDSON, Sec'y-Treas.

"Will the person who exchanged a very large old cotton umbrella for a new silk one at the Methodist supper last Wednesday night, as soon as they find out the mistake, return the silk one to the owner?"—Fairfield Journal. Not unless persons in Maine are diametrically different from most other persons. The person who mistakes a very large old cotton umbrella for a new silk one will prefer to continue in his delusion.—Christian Advocate.

DR. SPROULE, English Cataract Specialist, 7  
to 13 Noane Street, Boston.

For CHANGE OF ADDRESS, send both old and new address, and expect change within two weeks.

S. HAYWARD, President.  
Dated at St. John, July 29, 1902.

—Ago the Manufacture of—

A suspected murder case at Meductic, York County, N. B., is causing much excitement. Last June, George Marsten, who kept a hotel at that place, died under circumstances which led some persons to suspect that he had been poisoned. At the time no legal proceedings were taken in the matter, but afterwards there was considered to be evidence to justify an investigation. The body was accordingly exhumed and the internal organs subjected to examination by a chemist. The result was the finding of strychnine in sufficient quantities to cause death. Mrs. Marsten, the widow of the deceased, has been arraigned on the charge of poisoning her husband. The preliminary examination was set down for Monday of the present week.