

CANADIAN BIBLE SOCIETY.

Colportage, and Bible Distribution Among Immigrants, by the New Brunswick Auxiliary.

(Maritime Baptist.) A marked increase in liberality and energy characterizes Bible work in New Brunswick. Two colporteurs and two Bible women were employed last year by the Auxiliary of New Brunswick. Regular colportage work was done in different parts of the Province by Rev. Dr. Heine and Mr. George Elder. These faithful laborers visited, during the summer months, the French and other nationalities who now have residence in New Brunswick, and report a stir of interest and a mental and spiritual awakening. Miss Wesley and Miss Henderson, consecrated Bible women, devoted most of their time to the poor districts of St. John visiting faithfully the communities of "Foreign Born" now located in and near the city. These agents of the Society have been well received in all parts of the field, and their reports of visits made, conversation and addresses upon the Christian Life and Bible Work, as well as sales and free distribution have been most satisfactory and encouraging.

At the request of the Canadian Bible Society, the Auxiliary of New Brunswick arranged to supply the immigrants landing at the port of St. John with Scriptures in their various tongues. In the season just closed 1907-8 over 22,000 immigrants landed at St. John, requests for the Bible in 25 languages were made at the Society's depot in the Government Building, and through the faithful and effective labor of Rev. Dr. Heine and Miss Wesley, the Auxiliary furnished the Scriptures to the various nationalities giving them to each man in his own tongue.

COMMERCIAL

NEW YORK STOCK QUOTATIONS

Table with columns for stock names and prices. Includes Amalg. Copper, Anaconda, Am. Sugar, Am. Smelt, etc.

CHICAGO MARKET REPORT

Table with columns for market dates and prices. Includes July Corn, Wheat, etc.

MONTREAL SALES - MORNING

Table with columns for Montreal sales and prices. Includes Montreal Tel. and Tel., Bank of Montreal, etc.

GRANITE AND MARBLE.

To the Editor of The Star: Dear Sir—In Saturday's edition of your valuable paper and in the edition of the same date of the Times, there appeared articles referring to monumental stones and making certain comparisons between granites on the one hand and marble or limestone on the other; principally as regards durability and the retaining of inscriptions. These articles evidently had their inspiration in the same source and that source was as "identical" the imagination of some "local dealer" interested in the manufacture or sale of both of these materials.

SUMMARY.

Special meeting of Illinois Central stockholders today to authorize \$20,000,000 increase in capital stock. General meeting of steel manufacturers this week to reduce or re-fix prices. Anthracite trade dull for first time in years. Clover leaf will end its year with \$10,000,000 deficit after 4 per cent pre-ferred dividend.

ONCE ALMSHOUSE GIRL

longer a pauper and a servant, but a woman of fashion, who had come to see her father's goldfisher.

THE TIMBER MARKET

Farnworth and Jardine's wood circular dated Liverpool, May 15, has the following: The arrivals from British North America during the past month have been 5,228, against 7,245 tons registered during the corresponding month last year, and the aggregate tonnage to this date from all places during the years 1906, 1907, and 1908 has been 111,862, 108,875 and 106,875 tons respectively.

NOW WIFE OF A FINANCIER.

Today she is the wife of a wealthy London financier. Society comes to her house in Myfair, but only few know that their witty and graceful hostess was not so long ago a child of the workhouse.

PUBLIC ACCOUNTS.

OTTAWA, May 15.—Jas. McEachern, of Souris, P. E. I., was examined this morning before the public accounts committee respecting the purchase of lumber and other supplies to the amount of \$60 from the firm of Hughes and Company, of which J. J. Hughes, J. P. is a member. Before the examination of the witness was gone on with by Crockett, it was pointed out by Mr. MacLean (Lambert), that an action was pending before the Prince Edward Island courts for the disappalment of Mr. Hughes' contract, and that the public accounts committee was evidently in an endeavor to get evidence against Mr. Hughes for use in that matter. It was agreed that the present examination should be limited to the business transaction involved but that the question of Mr. Hughes' part in the matter was one rather for the committee on privileges and elections.

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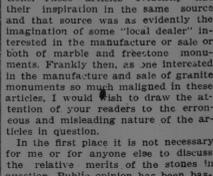
Opposition was useless. They were separated for a time as a test, just as Richard Faver was separated from her when they were married, and now she is one of society's most charming hostesses.

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BRIEF DESPATCHES

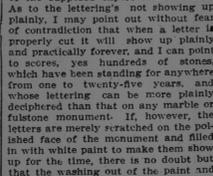
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