LOCAL AND PROVINCIAL

Carleton people are talking of another public meeting on the bridge question.

McAdam Junction has been made a por and a warehousing port.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Britton, of Waltham (Mass.), formerly of St. John, are visiting friends in the West End.

There will be an excursion to St. Stephen and Calais July 13, by Dominion L. O. L., No. 141.

Miss Clara Gerow, daughter of George W. Greow, has gone to Washington t take up the study of nursing.

Mr. and Mrs. Ludlow C. Nase have returned from their wedding trip and will receive on July 13, 14 and 15 at Nerepis.

Miss Cox, accompanied by her friend Miss Babbitt, of Fredericton (N. B.), is visiting the former's mother at Charlotte-

There were 85 men at work on Douglas evenue for the street railway company yesterday, and new men are being taken

The body of Captain Smith, of the Battle line steamer Nemea, will be brought to Yarmouth for burial. Captain Smith was one of the four survivors of the ill-fated steamer City of Monticello, lost in the bay, four years ago.

A despatch from Missoula (Montana) July 1, says that Wm. Maruin, age twenty-eight, who went to Missoula from New Brunswick seven years ago and worked in the lumber camps, was drowned on June 30, while swimming, practicing for

Fish Warden Fred Belyea has laid complaint against eight Carleton fishermen for the illegal catching of shad. The mat-ter will come up before Judge Ritchie in a day or two. The fishermen will fight the case, claiming that they are not vio-lating the law.

The Union Jack is not much in evidence at Bar Harbor on ordinary occasions. In order to get one to do honor to the visiting British warships the secretary of the Y. M. C. A. of that town had to write for it to Secretary Wilson, of this city. He got it.

A delegation from the Lord's Day Alli A delegation from the Lord's Day Avarance, consisting of Rev. W. J. Armitage and other elergymen, interviewed the mayor of Halifax on Monday, with reference to Sunday labor, complaint being made that a number of small shops kept signs from the Mallory bridge near St. to have the law looked into.

The Globe states that the divorce su of Hon. George W. White, of Centre ville, Carleton county, against his wife formerly Miss Fanny Mason, of St. John has been settled, she to receive about \$4,000 and the two to live apart. The been over property matters.

Miss Georgiana Sweet, the young daughter of Charles Sweet, Brook street, received some severe burns Thursday morning. Her clothing ignited from the stove. Her grandmother, Mrs. McLeod, was quite badly burned in smothering the burning clothing on the girl. Dr. McIntyre attended to the injuries of both.

The steamer Crystal Stream when kaying Brown's Flats Wednesday afternoon struck a sunken log and the straboard paddle wheel was badly damaged. The steamer came down the river with one wheel working and it will be about a week before the will be on the route. In the before she will be on the route. In the meantime the tug Lillie is on the ruote.

Edward W. Slipp signed contracts
Wethnesday for the erection of a two story
double house on Douglas avenue, which is
to be completed this fall and will be occupied by the owner. Andrew Myles will
do the mason work and F. Neil Brodie is
the architect. The residence promises to
be one of the finest on the avenue.

When Governor Snowball and the St When Governor Snowball and the St. John people entertain the officers of the British war ships at St. John, they will be paying hopfor to at least two distinguished Canadians. Admiral Douglas is a native of Chiebec, and Commander Slayter; of the flag hip Ariadne, belongs to a well-known Halifax family.—Fredericton Heritald.

School Inspector Carter is conducting the U. N. B. matriculation examinations in the High School building, also those for the junior leaving and superior teaching licenses. John March is superintending the first and third class license examinations, and Thomas Stothart the second class. There are more than sixty young ladies and gentlemen at the desks.

The secretary of the Tourist Associa-The secretary of the Tourist Association is kept busy these days trying to place visitors who are on the lookout for pleasant country quarters. The I. C. R. officials say that never before in the history of that road have they received so many inquiries for information as to summer board, fishing resorts, etc., as they many inquiries for information as to sum-mer board, fishing resorts, etc., as they

A message to the Halifax Herald from Caledonia Monday night, said that the con-struction train on the Caledonia branch of struction train on the Caledonia branch of the Halifax and Southwestern railway reached there today, amid much rejoicing and cheering. The locomotive was decorated with flags and wreaths of flowers. A large motto was placed on the front of the engine, containing the words, "Welcome to Caledonia."

The original manuscript of the first opera composed by Handel for the Royal Academy

J. V. Lantalum, immigration agent, look J. V. Lantalum, immigration agent, looked after nine immigrant girls and sixteen boys, who arrived here Tue-day from England via Montreal, where they landed from the steamer Lake Champlain. They came from the Bristol Regis Union, and Mrs. M. E. Foster was in charge of them. Mr. Lantalum had homes in New Brunswick ready for all, in fact, those wanting to adopt the children number many more than do the new comers.

Sir Louis and Lady Davies were in the Sir Louis and Lady Davies were in the city Tuesday, on their way from P. E. Island to Boston, where, on Thursday, they will sail for England. They go to see Sir Louis' brother, Captain Davies, R. N. of Bloxham, Oxfordshire, who is critically ill. Sir Louis said there was no hope for his brother's recovery—in fact, his mission was to bid him a last good-bye. He expected to be away at least six weeks, expected to be away at least six weeks, and how much longer would be regulated by Captain Davies' condition.

Rev. Dr. G. O. Gates, pastor of Germain street Baptist church, has declined the call from the Hopewell church.

OF A GREAT GRIEF.

IN THE SHADOW

Francis I. McCafferty, City Editor of the Telegraph, Sorely Be-

ferty appeared to be doing well imme

ately after her confinement last week but she had contracted scarlet fever, an

brothers, Thomas, a drug clerk in Attle boro (Mass.), and W. E. Mullally, travel-ler for the McLaugh in Carriage Company Mr. and Mrs. McCafferty were married

care in furnishing it for the comfort and

The news of Mrs. McCafferty's death wa

a great shock to the host of friends and equaintances of herself and husband. For

sympathy, but especially do his friends everywhere mourn with the bereaved hus

The universal sorrow and sympathy aroused by the death of Mrs. Francis I

McCafferty found expression Thursday

friends followed the mourners on the first stage of the sad journey to the Sand Cove

cemetery. All ranks and professions were represented, while Mr. McCafferty's

friends of the various newspaper staffs were present in large numbers, as an evi-

dence of deep sympathy for one who is himself the friend of all. The funeral took place at 3.30 o'clock from the resi-dence, 130 Charlotte street. Rev. Father

PRESBYTERY MEETING.

Rev. D. McOdrum of Moncton is

Appointed Moderator -- Standing

Committees Liected 100 004 370

The St. John Presbytery, in session her Tuesday, elected Rev. D. McOdrum, of Moncton, moderator; Rev. A. H. Foster, of St. John, clerk; and Peter Chisholm, of

St. John, treasurer.
Rev. A. D. Archibald and H. A. White

were appointed to examine the records of the church at St. Stephen, and Rev. J.

to Bailey.

The following standing committees wer

appointed:—
Home missions—Rev. James Ross, con-

Foster.
Business—The clerk, moderator, and
Revs. J. Ross and F. Baird.
Session records—Rev. J. C. Robertson,
convenor; Revs. A. S. Morton, J. Burgess, A. H. Foster, and Judges Forbes and

The next quarterly meeting will be in

A St. John Composer. Edward Sears' most recent poem, a

terian church, and those Tho have heard

Telegraph, Sun and Star.

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the hand of death.

Coroner Berryman has decided that an inquiry into the death of Charles H. Wright is unnnecessary. William Martin, of New Brunswick, was The shadow of a supreme sorrow rest drowned a week ago while practicing for a Fourth of July Swimming contest at Mistoday upon the home of one of the most

paper, and one of the most popular of the young newspaper men in the lower prov It is expected that the St. Martins rail About eight o'clock Wednesday even ing Mrs. Francis I. McCafferty passed ou vay will be ready to resume traffic in about ten days, with rolling stock got of life, leaving her husband and an infan. son, less than a week old. Mrs. McCaf

Owing to the scarcity of cars the Nor ton Baptist picnic, slated for yesterday in Rockwood Park, has been deferred un-

out she had contracted scarlet lever, and in her weak state could not survive.

The late Mrs. McCafferty was the only daughter of Mrs. M. A. Mullally, of Charlotte street, Carleton. She was born in the State of Idaho, where her parents formerly resided, but was brought here when an infant and spent her which are infant. lively appearance, there being no less ...an one large steamer, one barque and six

A Kalispell, Montana letter of July 2nd says: "Mrs. Keith, the wife of H. C. Keith, manager of the Missoula Mercantile Company at Kalispell, is seriously and her recovery is extremely doubtful."

Sproul Lodge, No. 10, will celebrate the nniversary of the order on July 13 at Collina, Kings county, by a pienic on the grounds of Albert Brown. Speeches, dancing, etc., will be indulged in after dinner Dr. Charles H. Montgomery, of St.

John (west), who finished his medical course at McGill this summer, has reeived an appointment at the Metropolitan Hospital, New York. The new steamer Beatrice E. Waring will be given a trial trip during the lat-ter part of this week, possibly Saturday, and it is thought by the middle of next

The Carpenters' Union met last night initiated four new members and installed the officers for the ensuing term. The fin-emicial statement showed the union to be prosperous and the membership increas-

The authorities are moving to stop the illegal catching of shad in the harbor. The fish are now on their way out to sea after spawning in the river. Some that were caught yesterday were seized and con-demned by Fish Warden Belyea-

Martins. The signs forbade persons trot-ting horses across the bridge, and these signs were removed Tuesday night.

Joseph Rowe, aged fifty-three, a stone cutter by trade, and whose hailing place is Lawrence (Mass.) was found dead on the I. C. R. track near Petitodiac early the d. C. R. track near Petitoodac early Thursday morning, and his body is still at that place awaiting the legal proceedings. It is thought the unfortunate man left for Sydrey Wednesday night, and in an intoxicated state templed off the train when pasing from car to car. He had been working in this city for Add. Maxwell for some time.

Harbor Master Taylor and Supt. Walter W. Wells, of the N. B. Telephone Company, spent Thursday forencon in taking soundings on the harbor in the vicinity of Navy Island, for the purpose of locating a suitable crossing for a cable which is to be laid. They tried the depth of bottom at various places and found that the bottom just to the north of Navy Island would probably be the of Navy Island would probably be the most suitable. At present all the telephone wires run to Carleton by way of the Suspension bridge, but this cable would do away with these.

'As a last announcement about the School As a last announcement about the School of Methods at Mount Allison, which begins on Thursday, the 14th inst., it cannot be too strongly stated that the programme is the best that has ever been arranged. The subjects are of special interest to all Sunday school workers, and also to parents, and the instructors are also to parents, and the instructors are specialists in their departments. This is not a convention, but a school of instruction managed by trained men and owmen. The fee for enrollment is \$1.00. Board for each person for the term of ten days or part of the time costs \$4.00.

When purchasing a ticket get 6 Stard. When purchasing a ticket, get a Standard certificate from the station agent, and this will be signed by Charles Stewart, Esq., Sackville, which will allow you to return free.—Wesleyan.

Peerless Lodge, I. O. O F. Peerless Lodge, No. 19, I. O. O. F., on Tuesday evening installed the following of

Miles D. Morrell, W. G.; John Roberts Reynolds, R. S. S.; Wm. Earle, L. S. S.; Wm. S. Cody, I. P. G.; I. W. Cunningham, chap; Jas. R. Smith, P. G.; M. D. Brown, P. G.; H. P. Elhött, P. G., trustreewen,



CHARLES H. WRIGHT

As the Result of a Carriage Accident on Monday Evening.

THE "COMMODORE"

Was Born at Reed's Point, and the Son of William Wright, Advocate General-Lived for Many Years in England-An Enthusiastic Lover of Sports.

Charles H. Wright was thrown from h carriage Monday evening and received such severe injuries that he died at the Genera ublic Hospital Tuesday afternoon, at

omond house about 7 o'clock Monday evening, intending to drive to the Kennedy hete!, St. Martins. While driving down the Churchland road, the carriage wheel collided with a large stone and Mr. Wright was thrown to the ground, and the horse, becoming frightened, ran away. Mr.

Michael McCormack, who resides on the Churchland road, heard the horse gallop assisted to the Ben Lomond house, where it was found his head was cut in two es very severely, and his jaw was also

Yesterday morning the injured man was brought into the General Public Hospital for treatment, and was attended by Dr. A. A. Lewin. It was found that he was much more seriously injured than was at first expected. He was unable to stand the shock, and passed away Tuesday after-noon at 5 o'clock. The news of his death quickly spread

about the city, and was a great shock to his many friends. "Commodore" Wright, as he was known to his host of friends and acquaintances dence, 130 Charlotte street. Nev. Father Meahan conducted the services. The funeral proceeded by way of the Suspension bridge to the cemetery. The casket was completely covered with flowers, in the boarded at the Ben Lomond house, was fond of sports of all kinds, and was was fond of sports of an kinds, and was an enthusiastic friend of that region as a resort for tourists and anglers. He was last year and this year doing all in his power to attract attention to Black River

as a resort for deep sea fishing, and was never weary of tolling about the charms and advantages of that place and the region around Loch Lomond. The mows of the accident and of his death was a great shock to his friends in St. John.

Charles Hamilton Wright was a native of St. John, a son of otherway a native of St. John, a son of otherway was horn in the old stone house that shood at Reed's Point. He was married and removed to England twenty years or hiore ago, and only returned there two or three years ago. A brother, John Augustus Warght, was for A brother, John Augustus Wright, was for many years a lawyer practising in this city. The late Charles H. Wright was about sixty-five years old.

the church at St. Stephen, and Rev. J. Burgess and Rev. A. W. Coburn to inspect the records of the church at St. James. Judge Foribes submitted his report on the general assembly, which was adopted, and a vote of thanks tendered him. Rev. B. Glover was appointed ordained missionary to Hampton, Hammond River and Rothesay, to take up his duties in September 1. READY FOR BUSINESS.

The following doctors or medicine page ed the professional examination held un-der the direction of the Council of Physitember.

It was decided to separate the district of Tower Hall from Waweig and annex it der the direction of the Council of Physicians and Surgeons of New Brunswick in St. John on June 24, 25 and 26: J. R. Disbrow, Jacquet River; R. W. L. Earle, Hampton; Leigh P. Ebbett, Gagetown; Edwin H. Freeze, Penobsquis; Robert King, Sackville; W. Vernon Lamb, St. Andrews; C. H. Montgomery, St. John (west); S. H. McDonald, St. John; S. H. McKee, Fredericton; J. Seovil Munray, St. John; B. A. Puddington, St. John; Elmer O. Steeves, Sackville; J. Theriault, St. Leonard; Catherine H. Truvis, Hampton: George H. Turner, Baie Verte. venor; Revs. L. G. Macneil, D. McOdrum, J. Burgess, D. J. Fraser, A. S. Morton, J. A. McLean, W. J. Fowler, F. Baird, A. H. Foster and Messrs. J. Willet, Judge Forbes, Judge Stevens and S. R. Jack.

Augmentation—Rev. D. J. Fraser, conveners, Pars. J. Process, J. Ross. A. D. ton; George H. Turner, Baie Verte.
The following passed the primary examination: M. Ellen Douglas, Stanley; David S. Likely, St. John.

Wedding Bells.

Forbes, Judge Stevens and S. R. Jack.
Augmentation—Rev. D. J. Fraser, convenor; Revs. J. Burgess, J. Ross, A. D. Archibald, D. McOduum, J. A. Morison, J. A. Molean, J. C. Robertson, D. McD. Clarke, and Judge Forbes, J. Widet, H. A. White and L. W. Johnstone.
Sabbath schools—Rev. A. M. Hill, convenor; Revs. Dr. Fotheringham, A. S. Morton, W. Ross, A. H. Foster, G. C. Pringle, W. J. Fowler, J. W. Nicholson, J. G. Colquhoun, G. Younger, W. C. Wanttaker, S. H. MacFarlane, and Messrs. W. J. Parks, H. A. White, A. Watson, W. S. Sutton and H. D. Morison.
Young people's societies—Rev. A. S. Morton, convenor; Revs. D. Stewart, J. Polley, Wm. Peacock, J. J. McCaskill, L. A. Molean, Messrs. A. L. Law, J. Murphy, D. McLean and A. M. McKenzie.
Church life and work—Rev. J. A. McLean, convenor; Revs. F. Baird, J. Henderson, A. Ross, M. McKay, J. F. Beairsto, R. H. McPherson, and Messrs. W. Baird and Peter Campbell.
Statistical—Rev. J. Burgess, convenor; Revs. J. Ross, A. H. Foster, A. M. Hill and W. J. Parks.
Financial—J. Willet, convenor; P. Chisping and P. Willet, Convenor; P. Chisping and P. Willet, Convenor; P. Chisping and W. J. Parks.
Financial—J. Willet, convenor; P. Chisping and P. J. Willet, Convenor; P. Chisping and P. Willet, Convenor; P. Chisping and P A quiet wedding took place Tuesd ty afternoon at the residence, of J. T. Mc-Gowan, 242 Prince Wm. street, when Miss Margaret Elizabeth McGowan, second daughter of the late Thomas H. McGowan was united in marriage to John Frederick Hargrove, of Chance Harbor (N.B.). The generoon was renformed in the presence ceremony was performed in the presence of the immediate relatives of both parties by the Rev. W. W. Rainnie.

The bride wore a pretty costume of grey voile and commended to the presence of the property of t grey voile and carried a bouquet of white he happy couple left by steamer 8 roix on a short honeymoon trip to Bos and W. J. Parks.
Financial—J. Willet, convenor; P. Chisholm, W. C. Whittaker and Rev. A. H.

At Beulah Camp.

The camp meeting at Beulah camp round is in full swing and the accommolation is taxed to the utmost. Several new cotteges will be built in the near uture, of which John F. Bullock will erect one. The final business meeting of the Reformed Baptist Albiance took place Tuesday morning, at which it was decid

lullaby, has been set to music by Vernon Eville, organist of St. Andrew's Presby-After Over-Indulgence terian church, and those tho have heard it say the setting is very pretty. Mr. Eville has had published quite a number of compositions. Four of his works have been sold to Oliver Ditson Company, of Boston. Of the former, one is a favorite of Harry McClaskey's and has been several times sung by him in New York. Some of Mr. Eville's works are: Forget me-not, Departed Day, Loving Thee, The Radiant Morn. Be Glad, Love's Comfort, Tell It Me Still, and the lullaby. ing the renow less old remedy If people would only accustom their lungs to receive constant instalments of fresh air there would not be half nor a tenth part of the susceptibility to chill and catarrh that now exists. Pills.

MATTHEW NEILSON GOES TO MEXICO.

And W. Z. Earle is Manager of the St. John Street Railway. Railway Company, has accepted the posi-

tion of resident manager of the Mexican Light, Heat and Power Company, one o the largest corporations doing business in

way, have chosen him for the head of successful career, having among other work assisted largely in the building of

the Canadian Pacific Railway.

A number of St. John and Maritime
Province people are interested in the company which Mr. Neilson is to manage, and C. H. Cahan, of Halifax, recently visited Mexico to perfect titles to the property Assouan, and will rank as one of the biggest things of its kind on record. Mr. Neilson's successor in the manag

Mr. Neilson's successor an the manage-ment of the street railway will be a for-mer St. John man, W. Z. Earle, C. E., un-til lately connected with the Algoma Central Railway. Mr. Earle is a brother of Dr. Allen O. Earle, Q. C., and when the city of St. John built the Sand Point wharves he head an important position on the work. Mr. Earle arrived vesterda vesterday morning heard his esignation. All expressed keen regret a

MARRIED IN NEW YORK.

Wm. J. McCaffrey, Formerly of St. John, Wedded.

newspaper for insurers and insured," tells in its issue of June 24 of the marriage of a former very popular young St. John man-Wm. J. McCaffrey, who was head clerk in the Dufferin hotel here when it was conducted by Mr. Jones. The following from the Insurance Press will be read

ing from the Insurance Press will be read with much interest:—
"William J. McCaffrey, general superintendent of the New Pansterdam Casualty Company, was married in this city on Monday to Miss Cecile M. L. Cotte. The announcement of Mr. McCaffrey's marriage will surprise his innumerable friends, for "Mac." as he is familiarly known, has always been rather shy when matrimony was discussed. Atlantic City is the temporary discussed. Atlantic City is the temporary abiding place for the happy pair, who have the best wishes of a host of friends."

NEW TEACHERS

Engaged by Rev. Dr. Borden of Mount Allison for Next Term.

Rev. Dr. Borden, principal of the Ladies' College, returned last week from New York, where he succeeded in securing the services of two teachers. Miss Etta Proctor Flagg has been engaged for the domes ic science department, which will be opened in a new building at present under construction. Miss Flagg is a graduate of the Boston Normal School of Cookery an has taken advanced college work along a lied lines in the university of Pennsy vania and schools of leaser note. She spoken of as an excellent teacher, is good disciplinarian and well qualified to fill the position to which she has jus-been called. She has had considerable ex-perience in this work and she certain! her former employers.

The other teacher is Miss Mary Plummer of Zanesville (Ohio). She has been

engaged to take a position in the conservatory. Miss Plummer has studied in New York and also in Berlin under Ennest Jedlicka. She is spoken of as a goo pianist and and exceptionally competent teacher. Both these ladies will be on hand when the college opens this autur-Sackville Post.

Good Thing for P. E. I.

Charlottetown, July 7-The Dominion Packing Company is amply fulfilling the expectations of its promoters. It is accepting all the beef, pork and sheep offered it, paying good prices in cash for all products offered it. It has twenty-nine purchasing stations along the P. E. Island railway, with sheds, yards and scales attached where they have their own purchasing agents. The prices are uniform at all the stations, so that the most distant farmer is not discriminated against by reason of transportation charges. For instance, six cents per pound is the standard price at present paid for live pigs delivered at any station.

High Price for Hay.

High Price for Hay.

Halifax, July 7.—Hay is the article in which the interest of the provision trade is centered at present, and it has been causing considerable excitement for the past two weeks. It is worth almost twice as much as it was last fall. It is quoted at from \$14 to \$16, and there is little to buy. The recent rains have caused an easier feeling, but holders are yet not inclined to name a price. This applies both to New Brunswick and Quebec. As to Nova Scotia hay there is hardly a pound to be had at any figure. Even from Quebec a dealer was only able to obtain quotations on eight carloads this week. Quebec hay can be sold here at a good profit, but the New England market can take about all that Quebec can export.

\$60,000,000 Estate Goes to Two People. San Francisco, July 8-The Huntington estate in California has been equally divided between the two heirs of the late C. P. Huntington. They are Arabella Huntington, his widow, and H. E. Huntington, a nephew of the deceased millionaire.
This is the first division of the \$60,000, 000 estate, and a distribution of the eastern properties will soon follow.

DECREASE IN BIRTH-RATE IN EMPIRE A CAUSE FOR ALARM SAYS BISHOP OFRIPON.

Emigration Returns to Dominion Continue Satisfactory, Showing an Increase of 51 Per Cent. Over Last Year-London Papers Pay Little Attention to Canada's Proposed Railway:

inglican church, spoke in the House of Lords yesterday, dealing with the ques tion of physique and races. He asked Are we sending to the colonies in suffi tent quantity and quality a race calculate fil the destinies of the British people He deplored the diminution of the birth rate in Canada and other colonies. We square miles. We are not bringing i uture. If the child, once welcome in burden, then I despair of the empir the chair of Economics in Toronto Un

Montreal, July 7—(Special)—A special young men of Canada. He states that London cable says: "The Bishop of Ripon, one of the finest orators in the his conviction that Canada was then slowly moving either toward annexati "The board of trade emigration returns

continue to show a satisfactory Canadian increase, namely a total of 9,989 up to the end of June, compared with 6,617 for the same period, 1902, or an increase of 51 the total number of emigrants, compared with 24 per cent last year. Emigration to the United States totalled 20,853 compared with 34,061, or a decrease of 34 percent. Canada's total for six months was 5,926, compared with 3,406, or 26 per cent., compared with 20 per cent. last year.

"The Canadian government transcontimental railway scheme excites only fragmentary newspaper comment. The cable-grams state the facts too vaguely for the average Englishman to clearly appr

MARCONI READY FOR COMMERCIAL BUSINESS.

versity, has recently issued a book which,

But Arrangements Have Yet to Be It Was Decided to Rebuild the Made With the Postal Authorities of Britain.

Glace Bay, July 8-Manager Vyvyan anunced last evening that the Marconi

able experimenting and much hard work, is, we are ready now to receive messages, and every night we are flashing messages from the steel towers across the Atlantic to Poldhu. The receiving apparatus has all been installed, and is now tuned with that of Poldhu. In a few days we will nouncement to the press. I am not at liberty to disclose anything as to the nature of the announcement, but the public will know it in a short time. We have succeeded beyond the question of a doubt, but everything is now in readiness.

"Negotiations are now pending with the postal anaborities in England regarding like her birth of measures, and as soon as

postal anahorities in England regarding the handling of messages and as soon as there are concluded our wireless system will be permanently established, and in a short time we will be open for commercial business. The report concerning the serious illness of Signor Marconi is erron-cous. He was not errously ill, he had suffered from a cold, but is now in good health. We expect him at this station, but he has not intimated to us as to the time he will leave for Canada. When he but he has not intimated to us as to the time he will leave for Canada. When he arrives he will find the station fully completed and instruments set for the transmission and reception of messages. We have been engaged in conducting a series of tests. They are completed. Everything works splendidly, and the success of the wireless system across the ocean is assured. We sent messages up to last night, and tonight we will also transmit them,

bert County Sunday School Convention. The annual convention of Albert county

Sunday school association was held in Sur-rey Methodist church on the 7th with an

The following new appointments have been made to the teaching staff of Acadia Seminary:—
Vice-principal—Miss Adelina Putnam, of Newtonville (Mass.), graduate of Wellesley College 1899 and M. A. of Harvard, 1992. She spent a year abroad in travel 1902. She spent a year abroad in travel and art study and has also had exper-

and art study and has also had experience in teaching.

Director of piano and general director of the musical department—George Pratt Maxim, who has filled important positions and will in September return from Europe, where he has been pursuing advanced study in piano and organ under such noted teachers as Philipp and Ouilmant, of Paris, and Leschetizky, of Berlin. Voice-Miss Ursula Archer, student in

Toronto and London, and formerly of the staff of Toronto College of Music. Violin—Miss Evalena Warren, a graduate of the Ithaca Conservatory of Music, specializing in violin. Miss Warren has had considerable experience as a teacher for five years during the summer.

Domestic science—Miss Annie A. Bool, who holds a diploma in domestic science from the Training School in Truro, and has two years, experience in teaching this has two years' experience in teaching this branch in Chester. She holds a B license

White uniforms have been introduced into the Austrian navy for summer wear. The change is acceptable, as the officers were formerly compelled to wear black.

Normal School diploma.

ALBERT COUNTY COUNCIL IN SESSION

Court House on the Old Site --Other Business Transacted.

Hopewell Hill via Albert, N. B., July 8 -(Special)-The semi-annual session of the Albert county council convened at the Cape yesterday, Warden Leaman and all he councillors except Councillor Goggin

the councillors except Councillor Goggin of Elgin being present. A number of bills were passed and the report of Scott Act Inspector Stiles received, which showed a balance in favor of the municipality. It was ordered by the council that Scott Act fines in future be paid in by the magistrates to the secretary treasurer. By motion of the council the salary of Secretary-treasurer W. O. Whight was increased from \$500 to \$600, and Fred G. Moore was appointed county auditor.

KNOWS THE MURDERER OF EDWARD SCRIBNER.

A Bangor man who is both well known and reliable, stated on Tuesday that he felt certain that Edward S. Scribner, formerly of St. John, who was found dead on Boston common at one o'clock on the morning of the Fourth of July, was murdered by two men who formerly lived in Benton, Maine, and with whom he had some conservation concerning Scribner last

January.

The Bangor man said that last winter, while he was living at Benton, where Scrib-ner also lived at the time, he engaged in ner also lived at the time, he engaged in conversation with several men concerning Scribner and his affairs, and that two of the men declared with freedom and emphasis that they bore a life-long grudge against Scribner, and that they "would follow him to the ends of the earth" for the purpose of revenge—that they would kill him at the first good opportunity.

They declared that they had been dogging Scribner for a long timel and had

Sunday school association was held in Survey Methodist church on the 7th with an opening session on the evening of 6th. Several things combined to make the attendance small, and another month will probably be chosen after this year.

W. W. Burns presided. A. W. Leeman, secretary, had to leave for county council meeting after first session. In interest, instruction and inspiration the delegates present said it was equal to any they had attended, if not better.

The provincial field secretary, A. Lucas, was the only visiting instructor present to help county workers, and his help on 6th Work were gladly received by teachers and officers present.

W. W. Burns said that after the new information cast upon his organized work he was induced to accept re-election though he had previously decided he would not. H. H. Tingley is first vice-president and Miss Z. Myrtle Foster is corresponding secretary with a list of department and miss can be head previously addresses was that delivered by Rev. Mr. Ganong, pastor of Hillsboro Baptist church, but all the work was good.

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Scribner is dead, and evidently was murdered, and it is likely that the Bangor man's story will receive careful attention from the Boston police.—Bangor News.

Double Tracking I. C. R. Considerable railroad work is being done in the vicinity of Halifax just now and there is lots of employment for railroad building laborers. Reid and Archibald, who have the contract for making the roadbed for double tracking the I. C. R. between Halifax and Bedford, have 140 men, with a number of teams, working between Richmond and Rockingham and on Saturday afternoon the pay roll totalled up about \$2,700.

