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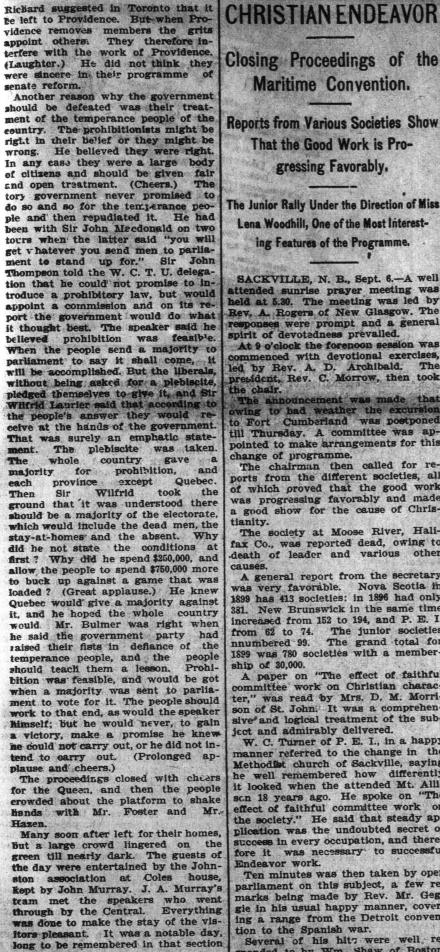
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Closing Proceedings of the Maritime Convention.

Reports from Various Societies Show That the Good Work is Progressing Favorably.

The Junior Rally Under the Direction of Miss Lena Woodhill, One of the Most Interest-

SACKVILLE, N. B., Sept. 6 .- A well attended sunrise prayer meeting was held at 5.30. The meeting was led by Rev. A. Rogers of New Glasgow. The responses were prompt and a general spirit of devotedness prevailed.

At 9 o'clock the forenoon session was commenced with devotional exercises, led by Rev. A. D. Archibald. The nresident, Rev. C. Morrow, then took

owing to bad weather the excursion to Fort Cumberland was postponed till Thursday. A committee was apnointed to make arrangements for this change of programme. The chairman then called for re-

ports from the different societies, all of which proved that the good work was progressing favorably and made a good show for the cause of Chris-

The society at Moose River, Halifax Co., was reported dead, owing to death of leader and various other

A general report from the secretary was very favorable. Nova Scotia in 1899 has 413 societies: in 1896 had only 331. New Brunswick in the same time increased from 152 to 194, and P. E. I. from 62 to 74. The junior societies nnumbered 99. The grand total for 1899 was 780 societies with a member-

A paper on "The effect of faithful committee work on Christian character," was read by Mrs. D. M. Morrison of St. John. It was a comprehen-sive and logical treatment of the subject and admirably delivered.

W. C. Turner of P. E. I., in a happy manner referred to the change in the Methodist church of Sackville, saying he well remembered how differently it looked when the attended Mt. Alliscn 18 years ago. He spoke on "The effect of faithful committee work on the society." He said that steady ap-

plication was the undoubted secret of success in every occupation, and therefore it was necessary to successful

Ten minutes was then taken by open parliament on this subject, a few re-marks being made by Rev. Mr. Geggie in his usual happy manner, covering a range from the Detroit convention to the Spanish war. Several of his hit; were well, re-sponded to by Wm. Shaw of Boston,

who is a most forcible speaker. He said the C. E. work should be done as THE WINTER PORT.

Christian Endeavor, while 12 children of a rich future. The prodressed to represent all the months of the year, marched before her, each telling what she could toward the good cause. While May had the floor ere varied with mu ed song from Miss Carrie Weldon ; chorus, "The World Must be Con-quered," and hymn, "Praise Him." the Queen's portrait was unveiled and An address by Rev. D. B. McLeod o

"God Save the Queen" sung, in which the audience joined heartily. The ex-Charlottetown had to be omitted owin the audience joined hearthy. The cost of hon-article no one could be found ercise was varied with recitations, songs and choruses by the children, all of which were very well done. This more than filled by other good things. to non-arrival of that gentleman, an enterjainment was got up chiefly by Mrs. Andrews, with assistance in the music from Misses Trenholm and C. Weldon. At 8.30 was held the "question box" and "open parliament" on good citi-

A short letter was read by Mis Woodhill at the close of this, containing a greeting from Miss Sadie Calder

wood, state superintendent of junior work for Iowa. A bright address was delivered William Shaw, which was intended chiefly for the children, but with a happy faculty Mr. Shaw made it extremely interesting for both young and old. He told of rallies he had attended where all the children were blind; in another case deaf and dumb; how in pite of these drawbacks they were able to make their sentiments known. He spoke in touching language of or-phan schools he had visited, and brought out broad smiles from all by his description of a colored school where there were ten times ten little

This part of the programme was closed with prayer from Rev. Mr. Law-son, after which the "question box" all corruption. was instituted. Mr. Shaw answering briefly a number of questions on Chris-tian work handed in on slips from the audience. So smooth and connected were Mr. Shaw's answers that his remarks had almost the effect of an address.

Mr. Shaw is an exceptionally fluent speaker, and goes heart and soul into his subject. The questions covered a wide range, the most important points Campbell. perhaps brought out by the speake were every one's individual responsi-bility, even in tender youth, and the almost incalculable benefit of religion in the home; these points he dwelt on at some length and threw on them a strong search light. This session was closed in the usual manner, after which a short informal reception of junior members was held in the church parlor.

EVENING SESSION.

prosent. At 7 p. m. a song service was led by Mrs. Geddis Grant of Trinidad, and at 7.15 the president took the chair. There was also on the platform Rev. A. E. Crews, Toronto, and Rev. G. M. Camprise prayer meeting there was an at-tendance of fifty and a most soulbell, Fredericton, the late president of uplifting quiet hour was spent. Ser-Maritime Christian Endeavor. The ession opened with a Lymn and prayer by Rev. C. Stewart, D. D., chaplain of the University. A few announcements were made by the presihis place. dent, among them a word of greeting from the well known Dr. Clarke, head Beethoven hall, led by Rev. A. C. Crews and committee of N. B. and P. of the Christian Endeavor movement and an invitation was read from the E. I. conference, and with the followsecretary of the Dominion C. E. Convention for the delegates from the lower provinces to attend the dominion convention, held in Montreal Oct 6th to 9th. The collection was then taken up, after which important feataken up, after which important fea-ture the audience settled down to give close attention to the powerful and eloquent address of Rev. W. H. Smith, Summerside, P. E. I., on "The duties of Christian citizens to the world." The subject was a large one to be handled in 20 minutes, but the speaker did it ably. He referred to the univer-

the maritime provinces they num-red 32 churches, with 19 Christian indeavor societies

DR. BORDEN'S POWERFUL

The president said all would regret that owing to continued bad weather the excursion to historic Fort Cumber-aind had to be abandoned altogether and it was regrettable that two of th speakers promised, Judge Morse and (Hon.) Arthur Dickey, at the eleventh hour wired their inability to help carry

hour wired their inability to help carry out the programme in Sackville, both being detained by unexpected law busi-ness. Mr. Dickey was down for Prof. Weldon's speech on Bribery and Cor-ruption in Politics, Prof. Weldon being unable the best bis different the Hell zenship. The questions were ably answered by Prof. Andrews, who was called on to solve some extremely knotty pro-blems, nearly all being on the line of a Christian's duty toward politics, with special reference to elections. The unable to leave his duties at the Hali-far Law School. With this double hiatus facing the convention, Dr. Bor-den, principal of Ladies' College, threw himself galantly into the special reference to elections. The speaker said that Christianity was needed at the polls if anywhere; that if the candidates were neither one's breach, taking up the political topic with such eloquence that before he was half through his remarks, no breach ideal man, vote for the better man except in some cases where the better cause should have one's influence. The right should always be kept in view. was observable except the broad one he made in the enemy's line, with his sword flashes of keen wit and unerring The better man should be elected if possible, as a country is known by the cannon shots of incontestable facts. Much, Dr. Borden began, had already been said on the subject of bribery and corruption, but much yet remainmen it crowns. No man, however poor, should sell his vote. There should be common honesty in this as in all things. A minister should preach on politics, but on the good and bad sides ed to say, for he thought, as Senat Wood had said, Canada had the danger point. The trade questions, and should make a lency of the age, were the strug of a glant beginning to feel his por At the close of this interesting feaure a most delightful solo was sung That the stand taken in the United States against too excessive accumuby Sackville's well known baritone, Thomas Murray. The song, "One lation of wealth was suggestive, the Sweetly Solemn Thought," was given with great feeling and musical extime might be coming when rich men like Jay Gould would be compelled by law to yield their gold for the needy. Where is the power to tame this giant? In the union of school and church lies The evening session closed with the benediction, pronounced by Rev. G. M. the future's safety. Let all the

churches leave their theological hairsplitting and turn their attention seri-SACKVILLE, N. B., Sept. 7,- The clerk of the weather has not smiled on the convention, Yesterday opened with cusly to this subject. The church was sometimes to blame on this moral question of bribery. He knew of one storm, and all day was alternating case where a church exchanged so many voters to a man for his subscripsunshine and showers. Today is decidedly wet and the excursion to Fort tion, that places were often bought Cumberland is given up, the pro-gramme being carried out as far as with promises of new public buildings, a province with a railway; these things possible in the church here. Owing to his duties at the Halifax law school, Prof. Weldon will be unable to be were good in themselves, but should not effect the vote of an honest man, nor should the idea prevail that the

government existed for individuals to help along themselves. On taking money for votes he had three strong SACKVILLE, N. B., Sept. 7 .- The hird and last day of the convention dawned wet and cold, but at the sunobjections: 1st, While governm money was used you simply paid your dollar tax, say, and got it back as a bribe; 2nd, demoralization of voters; 3rd, demoralization of men in the legisvice was led by Mr. Anderson of P. E. Island. At 9 a. m. were held the "De-rominational Rallies," each man to lature, that constant temptation is thrown in the way of public men to win their cause by any means, a case of needs must when the devil drives. The Methodists held their rally in These questions don't run on party lines, and the facts, the evil facts, are almost as numerous as the voters of Canada, and both parties are tainted. ing programme: Service, devotional; At the last provincial election \$100.000 Open Parliament: Is Denominational Organization a Benefit, led by Rev. A. was expended buying up the people. What can be done? Two suggestion C. Crews. Departments Social, Miss F .Johnson, Truro, N.S.; literary, Mrs. can be made: 1st, that as tempe entiments are now embodied in school books, so let pure septiments in politics be printed in the text books, and the youthful minds be early impressed with a right idea for a right govern-ment; 2nd, to enforce the bribery law with relentless vigor, and secure dis-

ion as to his church saying that maritime provinces they num-S2 churches, with 10 Christian for societies. L. BORDEN'S POWERFUL SPIECH. president said all yould regret people would come more readily and ing more heartily with a fiddle, fi he would have. Zeal was a most suc-cessful element, even one faithful soul could leaven a whole church. We should work as boys play marbles, "for keeps," remembering that eternal des-timiles rest on our faithful efforts. The audience then listened to a well rendered male quartette. It was

moved and carried that Prof. Andrews be elected to attend the dominion convention of Christian Endeavor, which is the first for all Canada.

Mr. Young, that the heartiest thanks of the convention be tendered the pastor and trustees of the Methodist church of Sackville for the use of their beautiful and commodious building to the choir for their excellent music to the committees of arrangements ; to the citizens for their hospitality and to the visiting delegates, Rev. C. A. Crews, Toronto, and Wm. Shaw, Boston.-This motion was carried. The press also came in for kindly mention another brief speech from Mr. Young.

CONSECRATION MEETING

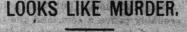
The last feature of the last s to their work. Service was led by Mr. Shaw. There was Bible reading, prayer and the hymn "I Give My Lite for Thee," sung very softly. The members from each province rose and recited a verse of scripture in unison and sang one verse of a suitable hymn. The foreign field was reprehymn. dad. This particularly solemn service was concluded with sentence prayers and a moment's silent prayer.

The consecration hymn, "Pill go where you want me to go," was then sung by Miss Jean Sprague with great feeling, and Rev. D. Fraser proounced the bened

This convention has been a successful affair. While not so many were here as was hoped for, the object of meeting has been amply attained. After the session in the evening many visited the art gallery, where Dr. Borden had kindly turned on the electric light.

SCHOOL OF METHODS ON JUNIOR WORK.

FRIDAY, Sept. 8.- A meeting to discuss methods on juvenile work was held this morning under the able direction of Miss Woodhill, Halifax, N. S. Among those taking part were Mrs. S. M. Hicks, Summerside, P. E. I.; Rev. G. A. Lawson, Isaac Harbor, and Wm. Shaw, Boston. The proceedings, which went quite fully into details, were interesting and most helpful. Nearly all the delegates got away by the two express trains today.



Coroner's Inquiry Into the Death of Clara DeWitt.

A Verdict That Death Resulted from

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What the Common Council Did Friday-The Mayor Will Not Move Unless Blair Orders. After the common council had dis-

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cussed the winter port crisis for some time on Friday morning. Mayor Sears informed the board that he has already arranged for a committee to see the minister of railways. He though Mr. Blair's own interests were bound up with St. John.

Ald. Colwell agreed with Ald Macrae that a strong stand should be taken at this juncture by council and people tive of politics. Ald. McMulkin said it would be

good thing to see Mr. Blair before anything was done. Ald Robinson said Mr. Blair and Mr.Shaughnessy were then in consult-ation at Montreal (Mr. Blair was then by mere reading, and add meditation

in Quebec). Ald. Maxwell, Seaton, Waring and Millidge more or less strongly endorsed Ald. Macrae's position, that now was the time for the city to stand up for its rights, no matter what effect its attitude might have on any political party or railway corporation. Ald. McGoldrick said he did not un-

derstand the question, but, like the mayor, he was inclined to take counsel with Mr. Blair. After much debate, the following re-

ns were carried unanimously: Moved by Ald. Macrae, seconded by Ald. Colwell: Resolved, that a delegation on behalf of the city be appointed to wait upon the min-ister of railways, if necessary the dominion government, for the purpose of obtaining such changes in their I. C. R. policy as will bring into harmonious action all matters be-tween them and the C. P. R. Co. relating to New Brunswick and maritime province rail-way business, with a view of ensuring the winter port business of this city.

WRY Mover by Ald. White, seconded by Ald. Macrae:

Resolved. That this council views with alarm the unsettled state of railway affairs which now exists and which threatens to de-stroy the expert trade of the city of St. John for this year at least, and expresses the hope that the gevenment of the dominion of Can-ada may adopt such a railway policy as will allow the expert trade to be carried on as it has been in the past.

has been in the past. The mayor announced as the dele-gation: Ald. Colwell, Macrae, Max-well, Christie, Waring and Seaton.

After the meeting had broken up, Ald. Colwell and Macrae wired Mr. Shaughnessy of the C. P. R., asking him for the exact position of the negotiations. They received a tele-graphic asurance, in reply, that de-faits information, would be forthing this morning.

There was a report Saturday, and it met with general belief, that the C. P. R. and Mr. Blair have come to an understanding to which the G. T. R. has agreed. The arrangement is said to provide for a continuance of the present agreement for eight months. No official confirmation of the report has been received.—Globe. ing to which the G. T. R.

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CASTORIA.

the Chinaman's report on the late war with Spain, "the Spaniards were all talkee-talkee, the American all

At the close of his remarks a pleasing solo was given by Miss Alice Hart, one of Sackville's leading soloists. The Rev. H. Waring of the Baptist church, Truro, N. S., gave an original address on "The intellectual ment in Christian Endeavor," in which he treated the subject of criticisms on the prayer meeting and hymns, and said that faults would

undoubtedly be found, but if the real fervent spirituality was there is was far better than anything "icely cold, faultily faultless." Much might be said of lifting the prayer meeting to a higher level and the brightest hop

was the young people. Of Bible study he said we should keep studying always, not expecting to master such a book to study before we could have a real blessing from the sacred writ. It was regretable that Mr. Waring had to re-

duce his fine address owing to lack of time.. After a hymn the last speaker. Rev. D. Fiske, Florenceville, N. B., led the open conference on Sunday school work, subject-"Our greatest needs." Mr. Fiske's address was ex-

tremely good. AFTERNOON SESSION.

The programme was altered very considerably owing to change of plans with regard to the Fort Cumberland excursion. The session opened with a short social meeting led by Arthur Bill.

At 2.30 the president took the chair. A comprehensive report on the junior work was read by Miss Lena Woodhill, superintendent of maritime junior Among other points sh societies. stated that the work is going and growing, but not yet full grown; each growing, but not yet full grown, each province has opportunity for numerical growth yet. There are 100 junior soci-eties in the three provinces, with a total membership of 2,008, Nova Sco-tia having 1,710, New Brunswick 980, and P. E. Island 318. During the last and P. E. Island 318. During the last year 61 juniors graduated into the senior societies. Amount raised for missions last year was \$655.41, and work has been done in sending boxes of clothes to the mission field, providing toys for sick children and other acts

of Christian kindness.

Every month is held a temperance meeting. The banner societies are numerically, the Main Street Baptist St. John, N. B., which has a member St. John, N. B., which has a member-ship of 145; financially, Windsor, N. S., Baptist, raising largest amount, \$60, and St. John's Presbyterian, St. John, N. B., which raised largest amount for ons. \$60.

ndssions, \$60. Miss Woodhill closed her extremely good paper with the hope that the new century would be conspicuous in its opening by a further marked im-provement all along the line. A well rendered song from Miss Alice Mart was listened to with great plea-

sure. JUNIOR RALLY.

The junior rally then took place un-der the direction of Miss Lens Wood-bill. Part of the platform was cleared for the little ones and they marched in in thme to musis. The principal exercise was "The Junior Calendar," which was a very prettily got up sflair. A young girl represented girs,

did it ably. He referred to the univer-sal brotherhood of man. Before Christ man had fellowship only for his own tribe, but as Christ's empire embraced the whole world, so must the Christian be cosmopolitan in his citizenship. He thought the greatest need was enlightenment of public opinion, that we needed, 1st, personal loyalty to Christ in both our homes and abroad; 2nd, loyalty to the state, on which topic much excellent political advice was given, extreme partiz-

anship of the press was frowned down as giving youth in particular the im-pression that all the right was on one side, all the wrong on the other; 3rd, loyalty to church, to help along all D. McGreegor, with the following pro-bar of particular the im-in the Methodist church, led by Rev. good works and not leave it for two or three faithful soult to bear unaided the heat and burden of the day. After a soul-stirring chorus, in which all joined, the Rev. J. W. Mc-Connell, Charlottetown, P. E. I., gave an address on "The duties of the Christian citizen to his own country,

neighborhood and town." Mr McConnell is a forceful orator and brought home his arguments like sledge hamers. The address had an almost entirely political cast and was frequently interrupted with applause as some point roused patriotic feeling. The speaker started by saying: "Be not simply good; be good for some-thing." While loyalty was good, the white flag of Emmanuel should come even before the Union Jack; that the time might yet come when on all things could be written "Holiness to the Lord." He said he considered it and M. Hunt. the Christian's duty to take part in At two the afternoon meeting openpolitics, but carefully and prayerfully, so as to advance the cause for good. The party without Christian guidance could not fail to go entire to the evil

there was a percentage for right, pure and simple, and what was needed was and simple, and what was needed was a rousing of public conscience. On the temperance question he said we had not yet received our discharge from the war on liquor traffic; that while last autumn the cause received a blow, it is resignation of once from in hearth. W. S. Leslie, Montreal, member of re-ception committee for Dominion C. El convention, made a few pleasantly worded remarks, inviting all endea-vorers to attend this convention to be

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tion of Epworth League meant the withdrawal from the interdenomina-tional fellowship of Christian Endeavor, he would resign his office in 24 hours; he was a trustee of Christian Endeavor and did not think that compatable with his office as secretary of Epworth League. Dr. F. E. Clarke has expressed hearty approval of the Methodist plan of Epworth League of Christian Endeavor. An Epworth League was then organized in the N.

gramme: Praise and prayer service; C. E. and Loyalty to Church, Rev. J. S. Sutherland; Some Characteristics of Presbyterianism, Rev. A. Rogers; C. E. and Home Missions, Rev. J. W. Falconer; C. E. and Foreign Missions, Rev. S. A. Fraser; C. E. Work and the Holy Spirit, Rev. H. L. McLean; Endeavors' Half Hour; Pastor's Half Hour; Questions and Resolutions. The rally of the Baptist body was

held in their Main street church, led by F. W. Emmerson, president of Maritime B. Y. P. U. and Rev. G. A. Lawson, with the following programme: Devotional service; reports from societies; conference on junior work and Christian culture; addresse by Revs. E. E. Daly, H. V. Davies, G. A. Lawson, Messrsr. F. W. Emmerson

AFTERNOON SESSION.

At two the atternoon meeting open-ed with song service, led by Rev. W. C. Matthews. After a short time of prayer and praise, President C. Munro took the chair and called on D. M. Morrison, secretary for minutes of last 24 hours preceding. Mr. Munro then read a wire from John S. Smith, W. Burgello, W. S. ar conception could not fail to go entire to the even one. On bribery and corruption he spoke strongly. He said that while the state of things was appalling, it was not true, as had been said, that every man had his price. In every party regrets expressed by convention on his resignation of office from ill health. worded remarks, inviting all ender worded remarks, inviting all ender vorers to attend this convention to be vorers to attend this convention to be to a second time. That the ques-tion should be taken out of party poli-tics, where it did not belong; that Quebec should not be allowed to set the moral pace for the dominion, that a good plan would be to send several million Eibles to that province, after the reading of which matters might wear a different complexion. The speaker closed with a bright view for the coming year, saying we were not only heirs of a rich past, but parents Doore. After. Wood's Phospholine, Seid and recommended by si able medicine discovered for the model in the speater of the congregationalists, stated that as there were only two on behalf of the Congregationalists, stated that as there were only two of them present, they could not gather to any great extent; he himself visited the Methodist and Prasbyterian ral-lies and they seemed most successful (while he was present). Mr. Morri-son stated that the Disciples of Christ also did not meet, there being but down present. He same a little inbut four present. He gave a little in-

ent for every man who sells his vote. Toward the close of his speech Dr. Borden said a Scott act election was shortly coming for Westnorland Co., and urged everyone to do all he could to prevent a carnival of free rum. In a few remarks to Christian Endeavorers he said: Make the most of yourselves, physically, mentally and spiritually; above all things, spiritually. Frequent and hearty applause was tendered Dr. Bor-

war, the fact that while the bullet had slain its hundreds, the incompetency of the war department had slain its thousands. He handled the subject in a frank, manly manner, and said that while moneyed politicians were allowed to run state affairs, such mistakes were to run state affairs, such mistakes were bound to occur. But America was taking a serious view of the question, and he trusted before long only men that stood four square would be put into power. Mr. Shaw's reference to the friendly relations between England and the United States brought down the house.

After music and prayer the meeting adjourned.

EVENING SESSION.

At-7 o'clock was held the opening song service, led by Rev. Donald Fra-ser, who made a few remarks after the customary prayers and hymns. At 7.30 the chair was taken by the president, and the minutes were read president, and the minutes were read of that day's sessions. Mr. Morrison drew attention to the magazine, En-deavor Banner, published in Montreal, copies of which were in all the pewa-The speaker of the evening, Rev. A. C. Crews, Toronto, then took the floor with the subject Elements of Success in C. F. Wert, Marr of bis clear with the subject Elements of Success in C. E. Work. Many of his clear, forcible remarks would have applied equally well to vork of any kind equally well to work of any kind, sacred or secular. The meaning of success was the successful termination of anything attempted, and for this a high aim was needed; too many aimed at nothing and hit it. The aim of the C. E. Society was: 1st, above all, to save souls; 2nd, a training school for the church; 3rd, to develop Christian character. What was needed in this and every work was a single of inand every society was a spirit of in-dustry and perseverance. A French-man's definition of C. E. was "society man's definition of C. E. was "society of Christian activity." There are so many people in the church that were busy doing nothing, and many more helping them do it. Many don't act, not from indifference, but for want of a leader; they need some one to say, not "go on," but "come on." It is not advisable to think too humbly of one's self: exercise has more falent: use it. advisable to think too humbly of one's self; everyone has some talent; use it, put people on committees and in offices till they are good for a great deal. Another element of success is trying work, even the best will become second best if used all the time without change. Many mid in speaking of modern churches, "What would J. Wesley think?" He would venture to

juries Received at the Home of

Her Step-Father.

FREDERICTON, Sept. 8.—The in-quest on the death of Clara, the six-year-old daughter of Chas. DeWitt of Victoria Mills, this city, was held at Dr. Coulthard's office tonight. R. S. Boone was elected foreman. Dr. Van-wart was called, and testified to hav-back held a cost maritum complexities

Mr. Shaw was then called on, and came well to the front, as usual, with a very spirited address. He said his came well to the front, as usual, with a very spirited address. He said his subject, his own country, was a big one for a small man, but he preferred this, and doubtless the audience like-wise, to a big man and a small sub-ject. His remarks touched chiefly the sore spot in the late American-Spanish war, the fact that while the bullet had slain its hundreds, the incompetency of the war department had slain its thousands. He handled the subject in a frank, manly manner, and said that been known to have beaten his chil-dren badly on several occasions. Mrs. DeWitt was very reticent and would not admit that her husband had ever been cruel to the children. At 11 theock the jury retired, and after half hour's deliberation returned the beau wing verdict: "We, the jury, do upon our oath say that the said Clara Wright came to her death through convulsions resulting from the injuries received at the hands of Charles DeWitt, step-father of said child."

Charles Dewitt, charged with having caused the death of his step-daughter, will be arraigned at the police court Monday for manslaughter.

FUNERAL OF J. A. SINNOTT.

APOHAQUI, Sept. 10.-The funeral of the late James Albert Sinnott today was extended by the largest number of people ever brought together on a similar occasion in this section of the country. The service, which was co ducted by the Rev. C. W. Hamilt was held in the Methodist church here, and over one hundred carriages followed the remains, which were laid to rest in the Methodist cemetery at Berwick.

SALARIES INCREASED.

There was joy in the post office yes-terday, for the following clerks have had their salaries increased \$40 each: John Montgomery, J. S. Clark, T. L. Reed, W. J. McClaverty, Alex. McMulin, E. B. Kierstead, A. T. Moore

A. W. Lingley. The following letter carriers have received an increase of 350 each: Geo. Withers, supt.; J. J. Ryan, J. Rossiter, D. Killorn, L. H. Roberts, H. T. Deidens, F. N. Barking, L. McMonagle Bridgeo, F. N. Perkins, J. Melfonagle and C. W. Magee. Geo. Harrison, office keeper, also re-ceives an increase of \$30.

(Chicago Tribune.) "In American waters," said Badleigh Mildue, spelling out a headline in a scrap of newspaper that had blown against him as he lay in the shade of a tree by the way-side. "Wot the Sam Hill is American wat-

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