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## INDUCING DESERTION.

John Marten Arrested on Complaint of a Shipper's Clerk.

The Case Presents Some Points Interesting to Marine Men Which are Not Yet Decided.

A rather interesting case, and one involving a question important to shipping agents was begun before Magistrate Ritchie this morning. Six sailors, Danes and Russians, had deserted from the Danish steamer Nordkap, lying at Sand Point. The men were arrested for desertion and later on John Marten, who runs a saloon on the waterfront, was given in charge by George Macdonald, acting as agent for Wm. Thomson & Co., on the charge of having and deceiving the sailors from their ship.

This morning Harry B. Puddington appeared for Wm. Thomson & Co., and J. B. M. Baxter for Marten. The defendant pleaded not guilty.

Mr. Puddington quoted from the Merchant Shipping Act, 1894, the section which fixes a penalty not exceeding ten pounds on any person who persuades or attempts to persuade seamen to leave their ships.

Mr. Baxter pointed out, applied only to British vessels, and as the Nordkap was of Danish register the section was not applicable.

Then Mr. Puddington showed another section which stated that when it is shown that the government of any foreign country provided due facilities for the recovery of deserters, the section previously quoted might, by an order in council, be made applicable to ships of that foreign country which called at British ports.

Here Mr. Baxter called upon Mr. Puddington to produce the order in council, which made the sections applicable to Danish vessels. Mr. Puddington did not have it with him, and asked for time to go and look it up.

To this Mr. Baxter objected, and said that that was not his responsibility for the court he would advise Marten to walk out. Finally as another case was coming up, Mr. Puddington was granted time and returned later with the Canadian act. From that he read several sections which seemingly gave all foreign vessels the same privileges as were accorded Canadian, but again Mr. Baxter objected on the ground that these sections were on desertion only, and thus applicable to the sailors themselves, while there was nothing on which to hold Mr. Marten, who was not charged with being a deserter.

This point was not settled, and Mr. Baxter asked that formal information be laid against his client by some responsible person. He stated that from what he knew there was not only no evidence against Marten for persuading the men to leave the ship, but that there was not any law to support such a charge, and that he would certainly commence an action for false imprisonment against whoever made the information.

Later on the taking of evidence was begun, one of the sailors stating that a Dane living in Carleton had tempted him to desert, but that although he had been in Marten's place the latter had said nothing to him.

There is some talk of the steamboat people dropping the case, but it will continue this afternoon.

Shipping men have been greatly annoyed by the desertion of persons in the city who persuade their crews to desert, and the present case is one result of their strong feeling in the matter.

**SHAMROCK REMEASURED.**  
Her Time Allowance Not Affected—  
Light and Variable Winds For Tomorrow's Race.

**CANADIAN PACIFIC**  
NEW YORK, Aug. 24.—The Shamrock III, was measured at the dock in Erie Basin early today after having taken on board her cable and anchor, as required by the rules affecting the measurement of the cup yachts. Sir Thomas Lipton was on board, the measurement was taken by Charles D. Mower, official measurer of the New York Yacht Club, and watched by Mr. Fife, representing Shamrock III, and by Secretary Carmack, representing the New York Yacht Club.

When the measurement was concluded Sir Thomas Lipton said that he had been informed by Mr. Mower that Shamrock III's racing rank had not been affected, and that it would be unchanged. It is presumed that sufficient weight was removed to equalize the weight of the anchor and cable.

The reliance was taken out for a sail at ten o'clock this morning. The boat sailed out of the harbor with mainsail and lower headsails set. Aboard the racer were several members of the New York Club.

NEW YORK, Aug. 24.—The local weather bureau is receipt of the following from Washington:—"To observatory—The wind Tuesday over the international yacht race course will be light to fresh and variable, though mostly from some easterly point. Unsettled weather, possibly showers."

(Signed), FRANKENFIELD.  
A HOT ROLL.  
Michael Mahoney, Tired, Fell asleep, Fort Howe, Sunday, 7 p. m. Rotted, Fell asleep, Home, Express wagon, O. K.

The tinsmith employed by Emerson & Fisher received their first pay under the new schedule Saturday night. They are greatly gratified at the firm's prompt response to the request of the union.

## TURKS KILL THOUSANDS OF WOMEN AND CHILDREN.

Inhabitants of 22 Villages Massacred—Bodies Litter The Streets—Insurgents Accused of Atrocities.

SOFIA, Aug. 24.—The Turks are reported to have massacred all the women and children in twenty-two villages in the districts of Florina and Monastir and to have afterward burned the villages. They are also alleged to have killed a number of prisoners. The streets of Krushevo are said to be strewn with dead and the survivors are afraid to bury the bodies, fearing to incur the suspicions of the Turks. Following the proclamation of the revolution throughout the vilayet of Adrianople, the insurgents cut all the telegraph lines connecting the city of Adrianople with the eastern parts of the vilayet. There are unconfirmed rumors here that fighting and massacres are proceeding in the streets of Adrianople.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Aug. 24.—According to Turkish advices when the insurgents captured Vasilika in the eastern part of the vilayet of Adrianople, they killed the garrison consisting of fifty soldiers and about one hundred of the inhabitants. The insurgents are now threatening Midia, sixty miles north of Constantinople on the Black Sea, and are reported also to be attacking the important town of Kirkiliehi, thirty-two miles from Adrianople. Christian, Greek and Muselman refugees have arrived at the mouth of the Bosphorus from the neighborhood of Media, fearing a massacre there. They have been sheltered in the lazareto at Anadolika-Kavali and are being fed by the authorities. The Italian embassy has notified the ports that it holds it responsible for any injury which may be done to the consulate of Italy at Monastir and demands the punishment of the editor who insulted the consul recently by calling him a "giasur" (infidel) recently.

VIENNA, Aug. 24.—The Neu Presse's Constantinople correspondent telegraphs that a band of Bulgarians has attacked the Turkish town of Urgas, south of Inada, on the east coast of Turkey and have blown up the government buildings with dynamite. It is reported that 200 persons were killed.

## LORD SALISBURY DEAD.

Universal Regrets Expressed For The Death of England's Famous Statesman.

LONDON, Aug. 23.—King Edward's tribute to the deceased Marquis of Salisbury is given in the Court Circular tonight, dated Mariebad, Sunday. It is as follows: "The King has received with profound regret the news of the death of the Marquis of Salisbury, and his Majesty deeply deprecates the loss of so great a statesman, whose invaluable services to Queen Victoria, to the King and his country in the highest offices of state which he held for so many years, will ever dwell in the memory of his fellow countrymen."

The funeral has been provisionally fixed for the end of this week to enable Lord Edward Cecil, who is on his way home from Egypt, to be present. PARIS, Aug. 2.—The death of Lord Salisbury made considerable impression here. Although the dead statesman had retired from politics, the feeling prevails here that his disappearance will contribute to strengthen the position of Colonial Secretary Chamberlain, which circumstance is not thought likely to promote friendship.

LONDON, Aug. 2.—Messages of condolence are pouring in at Hatfield House. The senders include King Edward and Queen Alexandra, the Queen of Portugal and President Loubet. Touching references were made to the dead statesman in the pulpits of almost all the churches in the United Kingdom.

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## DELEGATE'S AND FREE BOARD

Protests at Baptist Convention Against Present System.

Encouraging Reports Submitted Today—Baptists in Province Increasing—49,316 Now.

Quite a sharp discussion on the question of the entertainment of delegates provided interest at the opening of the fourth session of the Baptist convention this morning. Leinster Street Baptist church, this year made a new departure in announcing that delegates attending the maritime convention in that church should not be supplied with free board and lodging by the members of that church, as had been the custom, but that the delegates should be responsible for their own accommodation. Probably, as one of the results of this policy, the attendance this year is rather smaller than usual. So, when a motion was offered this morning to make this system permanent a strong opposition developed. Some speakers favored the free entertainment of all the delegates, some of the ministers only, and some of none at all, claiming that all who really wanted to attend the convention could find means to do so. The debate, after waxing quite warm, was shut off before any decision was arrived at, leaving the matter of entertainment as it is now, optional with the church where the convention is held. As a mild rebuke to the policy of the Leinster street church, the Truro Baptist church, where the next convention will be held, has promised to provide entertainment for all delegates attending.

The session opened with singing. Rev. J. T. Lingley read the Scripture lesson, Psalm 91. The committee on credentials then reported that sixty-eight ministers were now registered, and eighty-five lay delegates. The committee was given permission to enter its report merely as a report of progress and the report more fully at another meeting.

Dr. H. C. Creed moved his resolutions made at the last convention relating to the entertainment of the convention, he now takes off the table. The motion was carried. Dr. Creed then moved that hereafter the church in which the convention is held shall not be expected to provide board and lodging.

Rev. Dr. Saunders strongly opposed the doing away with the old custom of free entertainment, and thought if it were to be done away with the move should be gradual.

Rev. H. F. Adams moved an amendment to the motion that some kind of provision should be made for the entertainment of visiting ministers to conventions, especially the poorer ministers, who frequently have to stay at home.

It was finally moved and seconded after considerable discussion that the motion be tabled indefinitely.

Rev. Dr. Gates, as chairman, submitted the report of the committee on the state of denomination.

It was moved and carried that the report be adopted section by section. The report showed that the total number of churches were 401; 27 in P. E. Island, 170 in New Brunswick, and 204 in Nova Scotia. The report showed an increase in membership over the last year of 378. P. E. Island now has 2,631 members. New Brunswick, 17,564, and Nova Scotia, 29,331, making a total of 49,316. The non-resident members are: In New Brunswick, 3,754, and in Nova Scotia, 5,709.

The number of baptisms this year is behind that of 1902, the total number being 1,371, of which P. E. Island reports 41; New Brunswick, 461, and Nova Scotia, 869. Three new churches were organized, one in New Brunswick and two in Nova Scotia.

The section dealing with the ordination of ministers stands over to receive omitted names. The report closed with the suggestion that there should be more field work.

Rev. Mr. Burnett moved that efforts be made to increase individual church membership.

Rev. A. Cahoon reported on the denominational funds. The report said that the finance committee for Nova Scotia met shortly after the last convention and appropriated the amount asked for from Nova Scotia among the several churches. Circulars were then sent to all the churches informing them of the allotment and asking them to endeavor to raise the amounts named.

Notwithstanding all efforts the receipts for the year are \$558.85 below the amount raised last year. The falling off is due in part to the special collection made for the forward movement fund early in the year and the collection for the twentieth century fund.

## EMMERSON'S SEAT.

Prefontaine Opposes His Appointment to Blair's Place—Fielding Trying to Arbitrate.

OTTAWA, Ont., Aug. 24.—Hon. Mr. Fielding has sent for Mr. Emmerston to talk over the latter's acceptance of a cabinet position in succession to Blair. Maritime members want their representative to hold the department of railways, but in face of the opposition developing against this it is probable that he will have to be content with another office.

MONTREAL, Aug. 24.—Word from Ottawa today states that Fielding is closeted with Emmerston in discussion over the plucking of the latter in the cabinet. Emmerston has been offered the portfolio of marine and fisheries, but is holding out for the department of railways. The principal opposition to this comes from Prefontaine, who wants the portfolio to go to Sutherland, thus freeing the department of public works for him and leaving the department of marine and fisheries vacant.

As Sutherland is not adverse to the change it is thought that against the combined efforts of these two the claims of the man from Westmorland will be fruitless.

OTTAWA, Aug. 24.—On the orders of the day Sir Wilfrid, in reply to Mr. Borden stated that the government would lay on the table tomorrow the correspondence in regard to the publication of the report of the proceedings of the colonial conference. Laurier also promised to bring down the information in regard to the transportation commission. The debate on the Grand Trunk Pacific was resumed by Hackett, who dwelt on the additional taxation which would be imposed on the people as a result of the scheme.

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## THE WEATHER.

The highest temperature today was 24; lowest, 10. Wind at noon: Direction, N.W.; velocity, 20 miles per hour. TORONTO, Aug. 24.—Moderate to fresh westerly, shifting to northerly winds; fine today and on Tuesday; not much change in temperature. Grand Synopsis—Strong breezes and moderate gales have been experienced in many localities, attended by local showers and thunder storms, but the weather has now become fine. To the East, fresh westerly to northwesterly winds, and to American ports, moderate to fresh winds, west to north.

Note.—Telegraphic messages of enquiry regarding the weather, from ports where the morning bulletin is not posted, addressed to "Observatory, St. John," will be answered without delay. Enquiry and answer cost but one rate, which must be paid by enquirer.

THE COURTS TODAY.  
In the probate court this morning the estate of the late Thompson K. Donnelly was admitted to probate and letters testamentary were granted to Eliza Donnelly, widow of deceased. The estate is valued at \$345 personally. Francis Kerr, executor.  
In the estate of the late Edward Bourke, letters testamentary were granted to Ellen Bourke, sister of deceased. The estate is valued at \$900 real and \$2,550 personal property. J. L. Carleton, executor.

In the equity court today the suit of Cushing Sulphite Fibre Co., Ltd., vs. George S. Cushing, was continued. George H. Waring was on the stand all morning under cross-examination by Dr. Fughey.

AN OPEN CHALLENGE.  
In a game of baseball at Watters' landing on Saturday afternoon the Cigarmakers' Union defeated the employees of Emerson & Fisher by a score of 13 to 6. The Cigarmakers have not been defeated this season, and have played ten games with different teams. They claim the championship of the city. They are open to play any team at Watters' landing on Saturday next.  
The Montreal express was an hour late today.

## NEW DERBY HATS.

THE NEW BLOCK FOR FALL 1903 has just come to hand and we will be pleased to take orders for one of "our own make" of Derbys.  
The best hats on the market at the prices: \$2.00, 2.50, 3.00.

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To treasurer Acadia University.....	1,558 86
To treasurer Ministerial Education.....	242 94
To treasurer Ministerial Education and Annuity Fund.....	\$111 64
To treasurer Annuity Fund direct.....	60 24
To treasurer N. W. Mission.....	171 78
To treasurer Grand Ligne.....	155 52
To treasurer Grand Ligne.....	106 30
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To treasurer postage, discount, etc.....	162 05
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The report as a whole was adopted. The report of the treasurer for P. E. Island was next submitted. The report of the foreign mission board was then read by Rev. Dr. Manning, secretary-treasurer. The report showed that there are now more than 5,000 missionary stations and 15,000 out stations. These stations are manned by about 17,000 missionaries (men and women), and there are about 70,000 native helpers and other workers—making a total of about 87,000 Christian workers in the field today. There are about 1,700,000 Protestant communicants in the foreign field.

The Rev. S. C. Freeman, of Queens Co., N. B., and Rev. J. A. Glendinning were added to the missionary force in the past year. Miss Martha Clark, the only missionary on Furlough, expects to return to her work this autumn. The report spoke feelingly of the death of Mrs. R. Sanford, wife of the Rev. Rufus Sanford, one of the pioneer missionaries. The report showed that \$7,024.83 had been received towards the twentieth century fund, \$4,790.43 of this amount coming from Nova Scotia, \$2,243.99 from New Brunswick and P. E. Island.

At the close of the year there were reported eight churches with a membership of 513. There are about 70,000 over last year of 18. There was a total increase of 66, of which 47 were baptisms. There are nine male missionaries, two of whom were added to the staff last year. There are six wives of missionaries and six single ladies, a total of 21. There is one ordained pastor, 47 preachers and evangelists, 6 colporteurs, 29 Bible women, 13 teachers, of whom 10 are men and 3 are women, making a total of 107 workers in addition to the missionary staff. There are seven principal stations and 22 outstations. The villages in which Christians live number 30, but there are 180 which receive monthly gospel preaching. The total number of villages of all kinds is 3,099. The harvest truly is plentiful.

There are 60 Sunday schools, with 56 teachers. These schools have an average attendance of 1,000. Twenty-three scholars were added to the churches during the year. There are two boarding schools, one for boys, which is located at Bimlipitam and the other for girls, at Bobbili. It is expected that these shall be used by all the stations. There is a hospital at Chitacole, built especially for the benefit of women and children. This is for the use of the entire mission.

The financial statement of the report placed the total of the receipts at \$23,418.83, and the payments at \$31,018.87.

Today is dry and the wind is blowing hard till the dust is flying beautifully. This is especially the case on Portland street, for the watering cart does not venture in its travels any further than high street. The residents of Portland street are wondering if water is scarce.

At Bathurst tomorrow afternoon the investigation into the charges against the liquor license commissioners there will be continued by Premier Tweedie.

The Portland baseball team, playing today in Waterville, will be here for two games on Friday and Saturday of this week.

Summary of Receipts.

N. B. Western Association.....	\$ 872 15
N. B. Southern Association.....	1,558 52
N. B. Eastern Association.....	1,217 08
	\$3,647 75
Expenses—Postage, stationery, etc.....	12 25
Payroll.....	\$2,765 53



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TO LET—Cottages containing eight rooms (self contained); also flat of six rooms. Enquire of M. J. WILKINS, 351 Haymarket Square.

FURNISHED ROOMS TO LET—AT 117 Elliott Row. Cheap rent. Apply on premises.

HELP WANTED, MALE.

Advertisements under this head: Half a cent a word. No less charge than 10c.

BOY WANTED to learn the drug business. Apply at McDERMOTT'S Drug Store, 337 Charlotte street.

WANTED—A smart boy, 13 or 14 years of age for light office work. Must be neat and tidy in appearance and a good writer. Chance for advancement. Apply in own handwriting. P. O. Box 156.

WANTED—At once, a boy about 13 or 14 years of age to learn the Printing Business. Apply to SUN PRINTING COMPANY, St. John.

If you are making less than \$20 per week, write us. COOPER, Drawer 33, London.

GENERAL AGENTS WANTED in each town for special accident, sickness, death, fire, life, and general insurance business. Liberal terms to reliable men. Write Box 376, Montreal.

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WANTED—Girl for general house work, to go home at night. MRS. J. G. ARMSTRONG, 138 St. James street.

WANTED—A girl in a family of three. Apply to MRS. F. A. BROWN, 233 Main St.

WANTED—Capable girl for general house work. Small family. Apply to MRS. F. W. ROACH, 13 Richmond street, city.

WANTED—At once, neat makers. Steady work guaranteed. Apply to D. & J. PATTERSON, 77 Germain street.

WANTED—An assistant cook. Apply at once at 30 King street.

MILINERS WANTED—A number of first-class milliners wanted for good positions in provincial towns. Apply at once to BROCK & PATERSON, Ltd., 30 and 32 King street.

WANTED—Two girls wanted to learn paper box making. THB D. F. BROWN CO., Canterbury street.

WANTED—In short time a lady bookkeeper. Good at figures. Write MAC, Box 35, St. John.

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Erysipelas, Eczema, Eruptions on the face or body, Barber's Itch, Salt Rheum, Blood Poisoning of Wounds, Ring Worm, Hives, Redness or Bad Skin, and all inflammatory eruptions or swellings are quickly cured by **BIDDY MARTIN'S EXTRACT.**

For sale by all druggists.

FOR SALE.

Advertisements under this head: Half a cent a word. No less charge than 10c.

FOR SALE—A bargain—A second hand cooking stove, six holes, high shelf, burns coal or wood, excellent bakes, in good order. Apply after six p. m., at 17 Garden street.

FOR SALE—Freehold lot, 4x10 1/2 feet, on the southeast corner of Carmarthen and Broad street, with tenement and barn facing on Broad street and tenement facing on Carmarthen street on rear of lot. Will be sold as one or separate if desired. Part of purchase price may remain on mortgage. H. H. PICKETT, Bartlett.

FOR SALE—One 1/2 in. Pine Door, 6 ft. 6 in. by 1 1/2 in. with 3 glass panes. Apply Sun Printing Co., St. John.

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—A quantity of revolver or rifle ammunition, No. 45 Colt. Apply to CHACK SHOY, Star office.

FOR SALE—An arc lamp, complete, nearly new. Apply to Sun Printing Co.

FOR SALE—A quantity of steam pipes and iron, fifty-six pound weights. Apply at Sun Office, St. John.

FOR SALE—A Metal Furnace, capacity about 500 pounds. It has a fire brick lining, with smoke and ventilating pipes complete. Apply Sun Printing Company, St. John.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Advertisements under this head: Half a cent a word. No less charge than 10c.

Mrs. Wm. Stackhouse, confinement nurse, has removed from Millidge Avenue to 33 Sewell street.

Wheeler & Wilson, New Home and No. 23 Domestic SEWING MACHINES, from \$25 up. All kinds of machines repaired. Needles, Oil and supplies for all sewing machines. Headquarters for Edison Phonographs and Records. Office at YAMIE & CO., WORLD, only agent, 105 Princess street, St. N. B., Opposite White Store.

ANTED—About 1st October, six or eight a day, with modern conveniences. Reasonable locality and rent. To C, care of paper.

ANTED—About 1st October or later, three or four rooms in central locality, furnished or unfurnished, with board or without. Apply T. H. F., care of this paper.

LOST.

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LOST—On Winter street, on Friday last, Fox Terrier Pup. The finder will oblige by returning it to 24 Summer street.

LOST—On Tuesday morning, Aug. 18, a Gold Locket and Chain, initialed G. McN. Please return to 275 Prince William street and receive a reward.

LOST OR MISLAIN—About two or three weeks ago a gold pencil case. The finder will confer a great favor by returning same to W. E. Foster, at the office of YAMIE & CO., corner King and Canterbury streets.

THE COLLAPSE OF DANIELS.

(Collier's Weekly.)

A somewhat seedy-looking person called on George H. Daniels, general passenger agent of the New York Central Railroad, recently and asked for a pass to go to Buffalo.

"Ah, indeed?" said Mr. Daniels, sitting a bit at the unexpectedness of it, "May I ask on what grounds?"

"On the grounds of the New York Central Railway, of course," explained the visitor with refreshing coolness; for it was a hot day. "I can walk over the grounds of anybody else."

And Mr. Daniels was so overcome by the explanation that he could not hold his pen in his hand long enough to sign his name to the needed document."

REASONABLE CURIOSITY.

(Glasgow Evening Times.)

A motor car on the London and Brighton Road passed over a dog, but did not apparently hurt it. The driver, however, stopped the car, jumped out, and gave them an with the dog a sovereign. "I hope you will accept that as a peace offering," he said.

The man pocketed the coin, and, as the car exploded off on its course, he muttered, "I wonder whose dog it is!"

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LORD SALISBURY.

Since the Duke of Wellington died, the death of no Englishman has caused such universal sorrow as that of Lord Salisbury. The Iron Duke was mourned in England perhaps to a greater extent than any preceding English statesman, but it is an empire which mourns today the man who had not a little to do with its making—an empire beside which Britain of the last century, great as it was, appears a little thing, and which is big with promise of incomparably greater development before this cycle of years shall have rolled past.

But whatever Greater Britain in after time may become, Lord Salisbury will always be an example to its leaders. No better type of public man can ever be produced. He had nothing to gain from the political servitude to which he bound himself. Indeed for the last ten years of his life he had much to lose in the way of comfort and health by holding on. But the country needed him and he quietly gave to it all strength and ability that was in him until circumstances came that allowed him to step from the treadmill and sit and rest for a short year before he died. Sincere, a hater of shams, self-repressing always, he worked for the public for nearly fifty years. During all that time, in spite of the magnitude of the measures with which he had to deal, no suspicion of self interest or the slightest disloyalty to the highest traditions of his race and his position ever attached to him. Great as a statesman above any of his contemporaries, he was not less great an Englishman. The memory of him for many years will lighten the political and private ideals of his countrymen.

A DIFFERENT PROPOSITION.

Government papers are claiming Mr. Borden went directly against the previously announced policy of the opposition when he favored the construction of a line through central New Brunswick. It is true the opposition objected to this scheme as advanced by Sir Wilfred, who favored the transfer of the road, as soon as built, to the Grand Trunk, which would be in a position to completely destroy the usefulness of the I. C. R. According to Mr. Borden's proposition the new road and the old one against which it might otherwise compete, would be under the same management and could work together. There is considerable difference between the scheme which the conservatives opposed and that which is now a part of their policy.

LOOKS BAD FOR LIPTON.

The showing of the cup defender in Saturday's race is rather dampening to the hopes of those who have been backing the Shamrock. In a wind supposed to be favorable to the Shamrock, the Reliance gained steadily both in reaching and running and it is difficult to see what conditions could arise which would give Sir Thomas Lipton's crack craft a better chance. However, Sir Thomas himself has not lost confidence and those who follow his fortunes will whistle tomorrow for half a gale which will either favor his boat or prove the defender's superiority in every department of sailing.

Sir Wilfred Laurier's Empire speech at the banquet of the Imperial Congress in Montreal was characteristic of the man whose chief claim to fame is the fact that he can speak eloquently in two languages. He found free trade with the empire impossible; a common tariff impracticable, but announced his belief in some sort of a bargain or treaty which he talked of very eloquently but forgot to explain.

The Imperial Congress which has just closed its sittings in Montreal, considered many important questions at considerable length without coming to a decision on any one. Practically every resolution of importance was a compromise one. Notwithstanding this, the value of the congress will be great, even if it only serves to bring to the English delegates a little appreciation of the Empire of which Canada is the greatest section.

A Laurier paper comments on the number of new faces seen at the recent Conservative demonstration at Toronto. The fact is an interesting and encouraging one. It is evidence that the young men of Canada are showing their interest in the party that has done most to make Canada what it is today, the party of sound hopes and sane methods of realizing them.—Montreal Gazette.

LOCAL NEWS.

Reporting a reception on board the magnificent Lord Brassey, chairman of the Imperial Congress, the Montreal Star says:—

"Among the guests who enjoyed Lord Brassey's hospitality was Lord Fitzroy, who was handsomely gowned in black, with black hose."

THE PEOPLE SHOULD HAVE IT.

The Globe points out that the gross receipts of the Canadian Pacific Railway last year were six millions in excess of the customs revenue of the country. This fact convinces the Globe that more railway development is needed. It might be observed that the Canadian Pacific earnings have not increased much faster than the taxations. Both have exhibited a rapid growth.

But what is the right conclusion from the fact that the Canadian Pacific system has a revenue of nearly \$44,000,000 from all sources; Senator Ellis seems to think that because the Canadian Pacific is a good dividend paying asset it follows that the Canadian people should build another transcontinental railway and present it to Senator Cox and his associates so that they also may gain from it a revenue equal to the customs taxation of Canada. We should say that the argument is the other way. If there is business for another transcontinental railway, and if there is so much money in it let the railway pay for the railway so far as it can. There is no possible obligation on the part of the people to make Senator Cox richer than he is.

The argument of larger railway earnings is in favor of Mr. Borden's policy. If the people are to pay for the railway and the railway is to earn large sums of money the people ought to own the railway and receive the earnings.—St. John Sun.

THE YACHT EXPERT.

He meets you on the corner, He halts you on the car, He calls you up by telephone And tells you from afar. He braves you in your office, He stops you in the street—The man who knows Reliance Or Shamrock's sure to beat.

He talks of shrouds and rattines, Of binoculars and bows, Though all the while you may not care If Reliance be a scow; He figures up the pressure Upon the Shamrock's mast, And proves by Euclid's theorems That she is mighty fast.

He cites the wind and weather As factors in the game, And shows that calm and howling gales Produce results the same. He walks with sailor swagger, A yachtman in the eye, But generally you will find, Was never on a yacht.

NEXT CHALLENGE.

FROM SCOTLAND. If Sir Thomas Lipton fails to lift the America's Cup, the Toronto Globe is able to say that, in the event of his seeing fit not to challenge again immediately, a challenge will go from Scotland; and the interesting part of the story is that it will be sent by a lady—the wife of one of Glasgow's millionaires.

Her husband and wife were staying lately at the Queen's Royal Hotel, Niagara-on-the-Lake, and the former told a Globe representative of his wife's intention. It had been her dream for years, he said, to make an attempt to lift the cup, but of late there has been no opportunity on account of Sir Thomas' repeated challenges. She did not wish her name mentioned meanwhile till the result of the present races were known.

The story of the lady's ambition is interesting. About seventeen years ago the millionaire was a common laborer in Glasgow, but with a grudge peculiar to Scottish folk he and his wife set to work together to achieve success. They were rewarded, and one of the first monies laid aside by this lady was a sum sufficient to build and run a yacht capable of winning, if that were possible, the America's Cup. The money has lain by ever since for this specific object.

It was told the Globe representative that arrangements had already been made with Messrs. Denny, the great Clyde yacht-builders, to undertake the work if the challenge becomes necessary and is accepted.

The couple left Niagara-on-the-Lake nearly a fortnight ago, and are now in New York, whence they will return to Scotland after the cup races. Both were strongly of the opinion that Scotland should get more of the credit of challenging for the cup, considering that nearly all the yachts which have gone across for this estimable purpose have been built on the Clyde.

DEATHS.

WILSON—In this city, on Saturday, Aug. 22nd, 1903, Joseph Wilson, aged 65 years. Remains will be removed on Tuesday morning, 25th inst., to I. O. R. Depot, at 1 o'clock, thence to Upham, Kings Co., funeral services Tuesday afternoon at Upham Baptist church. Interment in Baptist cemetery there.

ROBERTS—In this city, August 22nd, the infant child of Dr. and Mrs. W. F. Roberts.

EMERY—On Monday, August 23rd, 1903, Edgar L. Emery, third son of Elizabeth A. and the late James Emery, aged 21 years. Funeral from his late residence, 68 Elliott Row, on Wednesday, 26th inst., at 2:30 o'clock.

LOCAL NEWS.

David Bois has been reported for doing a junk business in the city without being a ratepayer. Mr. Vera, deal laden, from St. John, reached Sharpness the other day.

Sch. Adeline, from New York with coal came in yesterday morning. Tug Springhill, with one coal laden barge from Parrsboro, reached St. John yesterday.

SAILOR SUITS FOR BOYS.

No. 3 Co., 3rd Regt. C. A., will meet at their drill shed this evening for return of clothing and receipt of pay. Rev. Mr. Parker of Windsor, N. B., addressed a large gathering of sailors at the Seamen's Mission last night. A social will be held tonight, when Miss Upham, missionary among the Boston sailors, will be present.

No. 4 Co., 3rd Regt. C. A., will meet at their drill shed this evening at 7:30 o'clock for return of all clothing issued and receipt of pay. Str. Manchester Trader, from Montreal for Manchester, before reported as having foundered, was reported as having returned to the bay on the government steamer Lansdowne the last trip, and with view of making the stations with a visit to the coast.

Rev. A. S. Green, who is attending the Baptist convention, now in session in this city, will speak at the Sparr Cove mission, north end, this evening at 8 o'clock.

All members of Nos. 1 and 2 Scouts Companies, as well as those of St. John's, St. Paul's, St. Mary's and Douglas avenue Christian church companies, Boys' Brigade, are requested to meet at the Seamen's Mission on Sunday school on Tuesday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

The board of management of the Seamen's Mission are much encouraged, having secured the services of Mrs. Alexander Manuel as collector. Mrs. Manuel is well known in this city as a very estimable lady, and has done excellent work for the above institution in many ways in the past.

Henry O'Leary, a member of the police, having been given in charge by his wife for assaulting and beating her in their home on City Road. The police were called in to try and make peace in the family, but failed. O'Leary had \$3 on his person when arrested.

BAPTIST CONVENTION.

(For today's proceedings see page 1.) At the afternoon session of the Baptist convention on Saturday the resignation of Rev. H. R. Hatch as secretary of the 20th Century fund was read.

The report of the nominating committee was heard. It was as follows: 20th century fund committee—Rev. Messrs. Hutchinson, Cahoon, Manning, White, Parker, Day, Corbett, Shute and Gates.

Pastors H. E. Adams and H. C. Newcomb were appointed to fill the vacancies made by the retirement of Pastors P. S. McGregor and W. F. Parker. Rev. W. W. Clarke, Bro. F. W. Emerson.

A resolution favoring the formation of a historical society for the collection and preservation of the history of Baptists in the provinces, introduced by Rev. J. W. Brown, of Halifax, called forth considerable discussion.

E. J. Grant submitted the Home Mission report. The past year was one of faithful service on the part of the board and missionary pastors, although the visible results were not so good as in previous years.

Pastors H. E. Adams and H. C. Newcomb were appointed to fill the vacancies made by the retirement of Pastors P. S. McGregor and W. F. Parker. Rev. W. W. Clarke resigned from the board and Rev. I. W. Porter was appointed to the vacancy.

Reports received from most of the different districts show them as a rule in a prosperous condition, but a few are in need of help. A. F. Baker and H. C. McLean, evangelists in the employ of the board, had done good work under difficulties. One hundred and five were baptized and ten added to the church by letter and experience.

Mr. Price's report on the work of the home mission board was read and approved. Rev. W. A. White is laboring as general missionary among the African churches.

The last clause of the report dealt with the fact that many college graduates are going to the states and that churches here remain vacant because no men are available to fill them. A suggestion out of this difficulty is in the convention policy, proposed last year, that the home foreign and college board should engage a man to press the claims of the denominational enterprises closer to the church.

An alternative report suggested that Clyde withdrew from the convention plan and allow the home and foreign mission boards to press the claims. This last section was strongly opposed by Dr. Trotter, who said that young men could not be expected to work for \$12 a year. He thought the young men would stay here if they received living salaries.

Secretary Grant supported the clause which was finally referred to the members of the home mission board present, and Drs. Trotter, Manning and Gates.

At the evening session Rev. D. Price spoke in the interests of home missions; which work he said was in a critical condition. There were fourteen pastorless churches last winter, and at least favored men are required. Mr. Price favored paying better salaries.

Rev. J. A. Gordon spoke at some length on the Grand Ligne mission and Fellers' Institute, pressing the claims of these institutions in a clear and convincing manner. \$5,021.13; balance on hand, \$1,796.43; church edifice fund, \$1,604.67; expenditure, \$1,112.74; balance on hand, \$300.83; French mission fund, interest from investments, \$120.00, paid to New Glasgow church, \$115, to H. M. board, \$10; to general fund, \$7. The report of the N. B. Home mission board was read and adopted.

On Sunday morning the convention

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sermon was preached in Lelander Street Church by Rev. H. F. Wallace, of the first Baptist Church, Halifax, and formerly pastor of Brussels Street Church in this city. The sermon was deep, philosophical and highly instructive. The speaker's theme was: "The Bible as Religious Literature, Inspired and Inspiring," while he took for his text II. Timothy III, 15 and 16: "And that from a child thou hast known the holy scriptures, which are able to make thee wise unto salvation through faith which is in Jesus Christ. All scripture is given by inspiration of God, and is profitable for doctrine, for reproof, for correction, for instruction in righteousness." In the afternoon addresses were made by Rev. C. W. Townsend, Rev. Z. L. Fash and Rev. W. T. Stackhouse, while the evening sermon was preached to a very large congregation by Rev. H. R. Hatch of Wolfville, N. S.

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SPORTING NEWS.

BASE BALL. Amateur League Standing. Franklin's... Won. Lost. P.C. 18 11 630. Clippers... 17 12 686. Portland... 11 16 407.

Eastern League. At Newark—1st game, Providence, 2; Newark, 1. 2nd game, Providence, 2; Newark, 4.

ATHLETIC. Estman Back from England. Ebridge Estman, Carleton's colored sprinter, is back from England. He says he is now under the management of a prominent English track racing manager and on New Year's day he will be on hand across the pond to show his dusky heels to some of Britain's best runners.

YACHTING. To Disqualify Shamrock. LONDON, Aug. 23.—The possibility of the disqualification of the Shamrock III, on account of the over-plus waterline, as a result of having been measured without her anchor and chain on board, has created a mild sensation here and a full explanation of the difficulty is anxiously awaited.

THE RIFLE. Spoon Matches. Spoon matches under the auspices of the St. John Rifle Club were held on the St. John rifle range. There were 19 competitors, divided into three classes, A, B and C.

CRICKET. Menonon Team on Tour. MONCTON, Aug. 23.—A Cricket team leaves here on Sept. 24 for a tour of Massachusetts, playing in Lowell, Worcester, Lynn and Everett.

THE OLD COUNTRY v. CANADIANS. One of the best games of the season was played on Saturday afternoon on the Shamrock grounds, an eleven made up of cricketers from the old country, giving battle to twelve local Canadians.

The Old Country. W. Wheeler... b. w. b. Thompson 3. W. H. Phillips... b. Thompson 3. R. E. Walker, capt... not out.

Canadians. R. D. Forbes... b. Streetor 4. H. E. C. Sturdes, capt., C. Wheeler... b. Streetor 4.

McLeod After Littlejohn. Beth McLeod is out with a challenge to Littlejohn. He says that he has \$50 to post at once to bind a match with Littlejohn to weigh in at 135 pounds.

FIRE AT LUBEC. LUBEC, Me., Aug. 23.—Factory B of the Lubec Sardine Company was burned today as a result of an explosion of gas from an oven, causing a property loss of \$40,000 and throwing four hundred persons out of employment.

CHAMBERS OF COMMERCE. OTTAWA, Aug. 23.—Delegates to the congress of the chambers of commerce of the empire, numbering 225, spent a pleasant day in Ottawa yesterday.

WILD RUNAWAY. Horse Cuts Up Lively Capers on Main and Mill Streets. A horse driven by Roy Montgomery of the west side ran away last night on Main street, having been frightened by some cause.

JUMPED OFF A CAR. John O'Leary, aged 10 years, jumped off electric car No. 54 on Winter street yesterday afternoon, and received painful injuries on his head.

FUNERALS YESTERDAY. The funeral of Wm. B. Stewart took place yesterday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock in the Methodist burying ground. Rev. Mr. Stewart, who is at present supplying in Main street Baptist church, officiated.

LABOR MATTERS. The street laborers will hold a meeting tonight in Barryman's hall, to make arrangements for the Labor Day celebration. A large attendance is requested.

DEPARTING SAILORS. Six of the crew of the Norwegian str. Nordcap, which is loading the second load of seals here for the present season, were handed over to the police Saturday night by Capt. Rasmussen for having deserted.

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RELIANCE WINS FIRST RACE.

NEW YORK, Aug. 23.—Official summary: Reliance start, 11.45.21; turn, 1.55.10; finish, 3.17.34; elapsed time, 3.32.17.

In a splendid 12 to 15 knot breeze, over a windward and leeward course of 80 miles, the schooner Reliance, today, beat Shamrock III, by exactly nine minutes actual time, or 7 minutes and 3 seconds, after deducting 1 minute and 57 seconds allowance to Lipton's third challenge.

It was a royal war fight for the ancient trophy which carries with it the yachting supremacy of the world. By a strange coincidence, the first race in the cup series of 1903 occurred on the anniversary of the day on which the old schooner America captured it.

The Reliance beat the Irish boat 3 minutes and 4 seconds in a thrash to windward and 5 minutes and 28 seconds in the run home.

Nautical sharpshins who had already made up their minds on the fact that the Reliance could take the measure of the challenger in any kind of weather, regard today's test as conclusive, although they hardly anticipated so overwhelming a victory.

The single criticism he and his friends made of today's race is that the only shift of wind which occurred was to the advantage of the defending yacht.

It must be conceded that the Shamrock showed herself a wonderful boat in beating to windward, perhaps the ablest craft in this respect ever sent here on a cup-hunting expedition.

The honors of the start were captured by the American skipper, Capt. Writing timed his approach to the line with Shamrock very badly, and in an effort to keep off until the gun boomed he almost lost his bowsprit as he luffed up across. Barry, as usual, went over in a windward berth four seconds behind his rival.

For thirteen miles challenger and challenged fought a magnificent duel, sailing between two lines of excursion boats. All this time the wind was increasing.

The critical period of the race came at 1.40, a little less than two hours after the start. The mark float was two miles away, and the relative positions of the boats was about the same.

This was the only thing that marred a truly run race. But from that time the Reliance steadily increased her lead in windward work until she was three-quarters of a mile ahead.

The scene at the finish was soul-stirring. The excursion boats gathered there burst forth with a terrific din, and the patriots shouted themselves hoarse. Then the immense concourse of vessels waited nine minutes longer until the Shamrock, with a slight rent in her spinnaker, but majestic looking even in defeat, swept by between the stake boats.

The Erin steamed into her haven at the Sandy Hook after the race with the American flag flying at the mainmast, and another at her bow, a tribute to the winner.

NEW YORK, Aug. 23.—Shamrock III, was towed from her moorings inside Sandy Hook to the Erie Basin, where she was at once placed in dry dock. When the water had been pumped out it was found that the straining to which she had been subjected in the heavy windward thrash yesterday had apparently started some rivets, for a gang of dockyard hands was set to work tightening them up.

It is unlikely that the re-measurements will alter the time allowance in any apparent degree, as Sir Thomas Lipton said that should the additional weight of an anchor and chain, which will be aboard when the tape is placed over her increases her sailing length, the original figure will be re-

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SUSSEX FIRES. SUSSEX, N. B., Aug. 23.—Saturday afternoon about 5 o'clock fire was discovered in one of the wick houses near the I. C. R. station, but by the prompt action of the firemen the flames were soon extinguished.

INDIAN LOCKED UP. Gabriel Bare is 57 years of age, and his present address is central police station. Gabe is about as sick as Indians are made, at least the police say so, and it is because of this ability on his part that he is now behind the bars.

BRITISH EDITORS. MONTREAL, Aug. 23.—A change has been made in the itinerary of the British editors, who will now reach St. John August 31, leaving that evening for Halifax, where they will spend Tuesday, returning to Quebec and sailing for home on Wednesday.

DROWNED AT BATHURST. BATHURST, Aug. 22.—Capt. Hedon of the Norwegian bark Gerhard was drowned in Bathurst harbor this afternoon about 5 o'clock. With two sailors he started in a small sail boat to reach town from the vessel in the roads, six miles from Bathurst.

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BRIDE SAILS ALONE ON WEDDING TRIP.

NEW YORK, Aug. 22.—John Kreschmann will arrive in Savannah, Ga., by the steamer City of Macon today, after nearly a week's separation from his bride because of his yielding here to a temptation to take one last drink ashore. The two came to New York on their wedding tour and were booked to return home to Savannah by the steamer Nanticoke, which sailed from this port last Saturday. They were on board in time and were waiting for the start when Kreschmann became thirsty and went ashore. His bride is an ardent temperance advocate, so he hit on the subterfuge of telling her that he had to leave her for a few moments to hire a couple of steamer chairs on the dock. When he got ashore he hurried across West street before he looked after the chairs. He then returned to the pier just as the steamer cast off, leaving him on the dock waving a dejected goodby to his frantic bride. He tried to get a tug to overtake the steamer, but the effort was wasted and he had to wait for the next sailing day and go alone to the end of his honeymoon trip.

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LOCAL NEWS.

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At the parsonage Saturday evening Rev. Mr. Coffin united in marriage Henry Burns and Susan Ann Stewart of St. John.

Mrs. Chas. Donald, of Adelaide street, is visiting relatives in Boston. She left St. John on the Calvin Austin Saturday night.

A party of several St. John young ladies are holding a picnic today at Musquash, going from the city this morning by buckboard.

Henry Dawson, known in St. John minstrel circles as the "Irish Doctor," left on Saturday morning to join the Calais Minstrels. He will be gone for some weeks.

Wm. F. Reynolds, son of Geo. H. Reynolds, of Halifax, died very suddenly Saturday morning of acute congestion of the lung. The deceased, who was eighteen years of age, was employed with A. B. Book & Co., and was very popular.

Holland R. McGill, a recent graduate of the Normal school, who acceptably filled the position of principal of the school at Fredericton Junction last year, has been offered the position of principal of the school at Milltown in succession of the late Mr. Sutherland.

At the Portland Rolling Mills on Saturday a young son of Thomas McGowan met with a painful accident. He was working around a horse shoe machine in some manner his right hand came in contact with the cog wheels, cutting off three fingers. The boy was taken to the hospital, where his injuries were dressed.

Work was begun this morning on the extension of the Rockwood Park gardens, under the care of Gardener Smith. The new plot will extend from the northern and eastern side of the present grounds to the western end of the lake and up to Burpee avenue, and it is hoped that by next summer the new gardens will be a veritable beauty spot.

Rev. Adam S. Green, A. M., of the Baptist convention, pastor of the Zion Baptist church, Eruro, preached to a well filled church at St. Phillip's last evening and will assist Rev. Mr. Coffin at the Indiantown mission this evening. The first grand jubilee reception will be given Rev. Mr. Coffin by the Ladies' Aid Society next Thursday evening, in which the jubilee singers and the old folks will take part.

There has been a great deal of complaint this summer by sea captains that sailors have deserted from their vessels. On Saturday six deserted from the steamer Nordkap at Sand Point, but these were all placed under arrest Saturday night and John Martin, a sailors' boarding master, has been arrested charged by George MacInnis, agent for Wm. Thomson & Co., with having decoyed the sailors away. Sergt. Campbell and Policeman Crawford arrested the sailors.

The Sunday school lesson yesterday was about the Friendship of David and Jonathan and the Golden Text was "There is a friend that sticketh closer than a brother." Little Bill's father had carefully taught him the Golden Text and after he returned from Sunday school his mother asked him what it was. He proudly replied: "There is a Chum 'at's stickier 'an a Brother." Little Bill is three and a half years old and his baby brother is only four months.

HURRY UP FIRE, fuel economy, charcoal.

THE RUPERT ON THE ROUTE.

The D. A. R. steamer Prince Rupert, having completed the introduction of her new shaft, made a trial trip down the bay on Saturday evening. The machinery was found to work all right and the steamer went on her regular route to Digby this morning. The Yarmouth is now tied up at the wharf where she will be fitted with a new smokestack. This has been made by Flemings, and is a little longer than the old one. It is lying on the wharf and will be placed in position at once. The work will take about ten days.

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NO LOVE LOST.

Wm. Faber Hates the Hospital and Vice Versa—There Are Reasons—What Each Says.

William Faber, a German sailor, called at the Star office on Saturday to make many charges against the General Public Hospital. This is the second time Faber has complained and his story has not become any weaker through age.

He says that early in June he was admitted to the hospital, where he was operated on by Dr. Skinner. Six days later and before his wound was healed, he was discharged. After this he went to work and held a job for nineteen days, or until he was unable to continue any longer. The work hurt him and he went on board ship. On the first day he strained himself and being unable to do anything towards earning his pay, he was advised to go to the hospital again. A permit was procured from the American consul by the captain, and Faber went with the admission, but the permit was kept and he was told to come back again. On the following day he was admitted and after some hours' delay was given a bed and told to stay in it. Here he says he remained for ten days without any medicine or dressing, and finally he was asked to get up by Dr. Pratt. A second operation was necessary a few days later and after this Faber was kept in bed. During the fifth week of his stay he was able to get out, but was ordered to stay in bed. His back was sore, he says.

Saturday morning he was turned out of the hospital because he asked several times for dressing. This is Faber's side of the story, but the hospital staff tell a very different tale. Dr. Lunney, who was quite taken up with Faber, on his first visit, just as long as they could, but finally his conduct became such that it had to be stopped, and when warnings seemed to be useless, the man was dismissed. It was thought that he was quite able to be about, and if he had been careful his wound would have entirely healed. But as has since been learned, he acted directly contrary to the advice given him and came back to the hospital for further treatment. He came in the afternoon and as his case was one that might wait, he was told to return next day during the hours devoted to receiving patients. Another reason for this delay was that Dr. Lunney, remembering the previous trouble with Faber, was averse to admitting him and wished to consult the visiting physician. When Faber was given a bed he was warned that unruly conduct would not be tolerated, but in spite of all that was said he was just as bad as before and made himself obnoxious not only to those who had to attend him, but to the other patients who were in the ward. Faber was given attention all the time he was in the hospital, the operations were successful and he was getting along very well. But he kept asking for things which had been refused him, and grumbled when the nurse was not running about for him all the time. On one occasion he chewed up the thermometer with which his temperature was being taken. Then he would turn away talking loudly all night and disturbing the other patients. The climax came when he made insulting remarks to one of the nurses, and defied Dr. McDonald to put him out. This was on Friday night, and on Saturday morning he was dismissed.

About the thermometer Faber says he went back to pay for it, but was not allowed in the building. Dr. Lunney says that on this occasion he had the man put off the grounds and threatened to call him in charge to the police if he goes back there making a disturbance. This is why Faber is going around town telling of the cruel treatment he received.

SIR THOMAS SAVES LIFE

Yaelt Club of Newark, N. J., Rewards Him For Rescuing Its Commodore Last July.

NEW YORK, Aug. 24.—Sir Thomas Lipton has been elected an honorary member of the Eureka Club of Newark, N. J., for rescuing Rear-commodore Zeigler and a party of friends from a catboat which was disabled July 20 last. The boat met disaster near the small wharf sailing near the Erin's anchorage at Sandy Hook. Sir Thomas headed the rescuing party in a launch from his yacht.

DISRESPECTFUL COPS.

Three Witnesses in the Police Court Show Room for Considerable Improvement.

"He gave a fine military step on horseback," said John Callahan, sergeant, of the police, who was the poet laureate, of the chief of police of our city. It is a pity that the lamented John had not extended his sonnet to include some other humbler members of the force in a visit and nod of recognition of their inability, not to say extremely respectful attitudes when in the police court. Only this morning one of the officers coming up to court in a hurry, donned a jacket bearing the stripes of a sergeant. With this garment half buttoned he addressed the court in a most familiar way, lounging with folded arms upon the magistrate's desk. His legs were unconsciously crossed to add to the careless pose of his dignified attitude. Such conduct, unfortunately, is the rule and not the exception in this court. Time and again officers who should know better, or should be better instructed if they do not know, treat the privileges of the court as they would the witnessing of a baseball game or a scrap in Blood Alley. Policemen are no soldiers nor perhaps, is strict military etiquette to be required of them, but surely it is not too much to expect a dignified and respectful bearing from the officers of the law when present at the administration of justice. Outside of the chief and the deputy these remarks apply with almost equal force to every member of the force. Lawyers and citizens who have frequent occasion to visit the court often remark upon these exhibitions of lounging and disrespectful conduct, which may not be intentional but certainly are not calculated to impress onlookers favorably with the marie of the police force of St. John.

PERSONALS.

Rev. H. H. Roach and Mrs. Roach, of St. John, were in Annapolis last week. Miss Mary Mills, of Kentville, N. S., is spending several weeks in St. John. Mrs. J. W. Peters, of Bridgetown, N. S., is in town on a visit. Miss Corrie, of Bedford, N. S., is in town visiting relatives.

Miss Pauley, of St. John, who has been spending several weeks in Kentville, returned home last week. Miss Harrison, of St. John, is at Camp Robinson, at Millford.

Mrs. E. S. Dibblee arrived home from Carleton county last week. Miss L. M. Coy and Miss Stevens, of Boston, and Mrs. A. W. Saunders, of Quispamsis, are visiting friends in the city and at "Craleigh," Silver Falls.

Miss Constance de Bury left on Saturday evening for New York.

S. W. Kane, who has been away on account of ill health, has returned much improved and took up his duties in the customs house today.

Mrs. David Brown, of Elliott Row, and children, have gone west to join Mr. Brown, who left for that country some time ago.

Dr. Blois Hanington, of Philadelphia, is visiting his father, T. B. Hanington, postmaster.

Joseph Phillips, president of the Team of County Loan and Savings Co., Toronto, arrived by the I. C. R. from Halifax at noon.

Rev. Joseph Putzer, C. S. S. R., professor of canon law at the Redemptorist College at Ithaca, N. Y., who has been spending his vacation at St. Peter's church rectory, will leave for home today.

Chas. E. Burnham of Digby is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Burnham, Westside street.

Miss Annie Ingram left this morning for Yarmouth and Boston by the Prince Rupert.

Mrs. Bulman of Charlottetown is visiting Dr. and Mrs. McAlpine, Princess street.

The marriage will take place in October of Walter McH. Olive of Mission, Washington, and Miss Ida Foster, sister of W. E. Foster of this city, at present matron of a St. Louis, Mo., hospital.

Rev. G. J. Bond, editor of the Guardian, Toronto, passed through the city Saturday night on the way to Montreal from Newfoundland, where the funeral of his wife was recently held. His little boy accompanied him.

Mrs. Peter McLaughlin, Mrs. Thos. O'Neill and Miss Anna O'Neill, of Brooklyn, N. Y., are the guests of Mrs. D. J. Gallagher, 2 Chipman Hill.

A CONDEMNED ENGINE.

At the fire in Carleton on Saturday night old No. 3 fire engine, which has been taking the place of the Carleton engine No. 6, while the latter was in the shop, broke down from sheer old age. Old No. 2 had already been condemned by the mechanical superintendent as unfit to be worked at a fire in consequence of the weakened condition of the boiler. The expected came on Saturday night when under an increasing steam pressure the tubes expanded and burst, throwing the water in the boiler into the furnace and quenching the fire. Fortunately the repairs on No. 6 were completed on Saturday, so Carleton will not have to be without sufficient fire protection.

THIS EVENING.

Bandmann Opera Co. opening performance in The Country Girl at the Opera House.

No. 2 Co. 3rd R. C. A. meets at drill shed.

No. 3 Co. 3rd R. C. A. meets at armory at 7.30.

Rev. A. S. Green speaks at Spar Cove mission.

Meeting of street laborers in Berryman's hall.

Grand Council Cryptic Rite meets in Masonic hall at 8.30 p. m.

Social at Seaman's mission.

Baptist convention in Leinster street church.

DRAWING TO A CLOSE.

The annual mid-summer furniture sale at Amland Bros., Waterloo street, is drawing to a close, as this is positively the last week to secure rare bargains in all kinds of furniture at greatly reduced prices. This big sale is the most successful ever held by this well-known firm, and hundreds of people have taken advantage of the low prices. Those who are going into housekeeping in the near future or are about to furnish their homes with up-to-date furniture and carpets should not miss this sale.

WEST INDIA LINE.

The Dahome left Bermuda at 6 p. m. on Saturday for this port, where she will be due to arrive on Wednesday.

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MORE LAND FOR CANADA.

Government Steamer Off For Hudson Bay—Will Take Possession of New Territory.

The steamer Neptune, with the Dominion government scientific party on board, left at four o'clock Saturday afternoon for Hudson Bay, on a scientific and exploring trip, which is expected to occupy sixteen months.

From Halifax the Neptune will proceed to the coast of Labrador, where the radar coast near the Hudson Strait, where an Esquimaux interpreter will be added to the party. Leaving that port she will go to the Cumberland Gulf, and thence to Baffin Land, where the whaling station in that dreary northern land will be inspected. She will return, passing down the Hudson Strait and going into the northwest part of Hudson's Bay to look for suitable winter quarters for the start of the Chesterfield Inlet. It is expected that the ship will go into winter quarters about the first of November, and as soon as the winter has set in good and hard she will be made the centre of sledging expeditions, which will radiate from her in all directions. Mr. Low, the geologist in charge, will lead a dog-sledging expedition into the interior, and expects to be absent from the ship from about the middle of March until some time well along in June. It is not thought that the ship will break loose from her winter quarters until early in July. Before leaving the Inlet, in the spring, a police post will be erected, which it is the intention of the government to maintain permanently.

An extensive programme is planned for the ship as soon as she breaks loose from her winter quarters. The eastern entrance to the strait to meet a coal vessel which will be sent to replenish her depleted stores. After coaling she will go up Baffin's Bay to Greenland, along the coast of the east side of Baffin's Bay, calling at Cumberland Gulf, passing into the Hudson Strait, and returning into Chesterfield Inlet to the police post previously established, where Major Moodie, of the Mounted Police, governs Hudson's Bay, will be landed. This will be some time in September, 1904. The Neptune will then go into the Hudson Strait where she would remain as late as possible in order to test the navigability of the strait. As soon as the time arrives when there would be danger of getting nipped by the ice if she remained any longer, she will leave for home, and it is expected she will return here in November, 1904.

One of the duties of the expedition will be to report on the extensive poaching operations carried on in that great sea by the Americans. The Canadian government has always held that the three-mile limit does not apply to Hudson Bay, as it is all inland waters. American vessels have for years entered the sea and enriched themselves with the products of the fishery and of the sealing grounds. It is the intention of the government to try to put a stop to this wholesale poaching, hence their decision to establish police posts, etc., around the shores.

DISCIPLES IN SESSION.

PICTOU, Aug. 22.—The annual meeting of the Disciples of Christ of New Brunswick and Nova Scotia opened here Thursday night. There is a large attendance of delegates.

On Friday, Aug. 21, business session was held. Out of twenty-six churches in New Brunswick and Nova Scotia, twenty-one reported. These have a membership in the provinces of 1,689; non-resident members, 52. The value of the church property is placed at \$53,900, amount given to home missions, \$256.89; to foreign missions, \$491.55.

The home mission board reported an expenditure of \$1,200 for the year. The convention ratified the proceedings of the committee appointed at the last convention to incorporate the Maritime Christian Missionary Society.

At 10 a. m. the business session of the Maritime C. W. B. M. was held, and the following officers elected:—President, Mrs. D. A. Morrison, St. John; vice-presidents for Nova Scotia, Miss Gertrude P. Barnes, L. A. Miles, St. John; for New Brunswick, Mrs. W. Ford, Milton; Miss Kennedy and Miss Williams, P. E. Island; for New Brunswick, Mrs. Flagler, Mrs. H. E. Cooke; secretary, Mrs. L. A. Miles, St. John; treasurer, Mrs. Bryon D. Lingley, St. John.

The following delegates from St. John are present: Reva J. C. B. Appel, G. Nelson Stephenson and Messrs. J. S. Flagler, Geo. F. Barnes, L. A. Miles, Mrs. M. Miles, W. A. Barnes, Bertha W. Barnes and Mrs. D. A. Morrison.

TRIED TO HIGH DIVE.

An English sailor, considerably under the influence of liquor, was the cause of some excitement on the Ferry floater Saturday night.

The merry tar, highly hilarious, zig-zagged his way down the floats about 10.30, bound for his ship lying in Carleton. Quite a number of people had gathered on the floats waiting for the collision were ludicrous in the extreme. He was constantly compelled to change his helm and narrowly missed a few women's trailers. At last he brought up against the rail with a heavy crash amidships. He had not been long in that position when he took it into his head to give an exhibition of high diving, and making a sudden sweep towards the edge of the floats, was in the act of jumping over, when arrested by a number of hands. Those who caught him had some difficulty in holding him, as he jocularly declared that it was his intention to give them a sample of diving as it should be done. The arrival of the ferry cut short his antics, and he was hustled on board by vigorous hands and sat on all the way across. He caused no little trepidation among the women passengers.

LOOTLATE FOR CLASSIFICATION.

TOOT.—Yesterday morning, on a sarge, on the City Road, a lady's grey jacket. Finder will be liberally rewarded by returning same to MRS. JOHN LAW, 171 City Road.

BOYS' School Shoes, in Box Calf, Kid, Buff Leather, at \$1.00, \$1.15, \$1.35, 1.50, 1.75, 2.00

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E. O. Parsons, West End.

Big line of Vacation Gaps, 25c. to 75c. Straw Hats, 25c. to \$5.00 each. Light, Cool, Felt Hats, 75c. to \$2.00. Feather Weight Stiff Hats, \$2.00 to \$2.75. THORNE BROS., HATTERS AND FURRIERS, 93 King St.

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A SEVERE STORM.

On Saturday night the city was visited by a severe thunder storm.

No very serious damage was done in the city, though while the storm lasted some slight inconvenience was felt by the street railway service. In the North End one dynamo was put out of working order, and the entire apparatus saved only by the prompt action of the engineer and staff.

On Paradise row a large tree was struck and a chunk taken out of it as if it had been hit by a circular saw.

In front of George W. Roben's drug store a man received a slight shock from the store adjoining the electric lights were burned out.

At St. Martins, Loch Lomond and Black River the storm was very severe, but all escaped any serious damage.

On the Manawagonish road the two story wooden house, situated about a mile from Fairville, and owned by George E. Day, of this city, was struck and destroyed by a fire threatened with destruction by rain. The house is occupied by a family named Moore. The lightning struck the former window on the upper story and penetrated the

bedroom in which some children were sleeping. The bolt then separated, part going out into a hall and down to the lower hall; another part out to the outside window, striking the sash with it, and a third part down to a corner of the house, setting fire where it struck. The fire was discovered by a man passing at the time, and was extinguished with the help of neighbors. No one was injured.

FREDERICTON, Aug. 23.—The storm passed over here at 7.15 last evening. It lasted only thirty minutes. At Marysville a barn was struck and a number of cattle killed. The storm was first felt here about 8 o'clock and continued for three-quarters of an hour. The telephone service was somewhat interfered with.

CHATHAM, Aug. 23.—The storm here was felt with unusual severity, and considerable damage was inflicted. A number of people received more or less serious shocks. One man, John Johnson, a Swede, is lying unconscious, being very severely if not fatally injured. To cure Headache in ten minutes use KUMFORT Headache Powders.