



The Evening Times

WEATHER

Today and Wednesday, moderate to fresh west to northwest winds, fair and comparatively cool.

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ONE CENT

CELEBRATE THEIR GOLDEN WEDDING

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Farmer of the North End Sons and Daughters Will Gather This Evening to Honor the Event--The Career of a Worthy Citizen.

It is just half a century today since Richard Farmer and Miss Elizabeth Johnston were united in the bands of holy matrimony in St. Luke's Anglican church by Rev. Canon Harrison, then the rector, and this afternoon and evening Mr. and Mrs. Farmer will celebrate their golden anniversary, in the midst of their sons and daughters, all of whom are still living.

It is interesting to note that the bride and groom of the aged couple were both born in the same town, and that they were both married in the same church.

Mr. Farmer, who is not only one of the best known residents of St. John, but one of the oldest Anglican churchmen in the diocese, was prominently identified with the business world, is a veteran volunteer fireman, and was, for many years, a member of the firm of Messrs. J. N. Fisher and Co., which was one of the largest and most successful of the city.

Mr. Farmer distinctly remembers the time of the Fenian raid, when the Fifteenth Regiment was stationed at St. John, and twenty men each from Carleton Place, Portland, Pickering and other places were stationed on Partridge Island under command of Capt. George Peck.

As a churchman, Mr. Farmer holds an enviable record, having been a member of St. Luke's congregation for sixty-five years. He remembers well the opening of St. Luke's, about the year 1838. He became a vestryman in 1865, and in that capacity served for about forty years. For a like period he served as a teacher in a Sunday school, and it was only in January last that he relinquished that position, which he filled so faithfully, and was presented with a beautifully illuminated and engraved address, in a handsome morocco binding bearing his name in letters of gold.

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THE REPORTS SUBMITTED TO THE MASONIC GRAND LODGE

The fortieth annual communication of the Grand Lodge of New Brunswick, Free and Accepted Masons, opened at three o'clock this afternoon in the Masonic Hall, Germain street. Grand Master Edwin J. Everett, presided.

In delivering his annual address the grand master said that in rendering an account of his official duties during the third year in which he had the honor of presiding over the grand lodge, it was pleasing that he could report that the condition of the craft in this grand jurisdiction is in a healthy and prosperous state; that peace, harmony and brotherly love continue to prevail in all the lodges and that at no time has this grand lodge been in a better condition than it is today.

JAPANESE IMMIGRATION

The Government is Negotiating With Japan For Its Restriction.

OTTAWA, Aug. 27.—(Special)—The Dominion government is still negotiating with the Japanese government with a view to restricting the immigration to Canada to a limited number each year, no matter whether they come from Honolulu or anywhere else. It is expected that such an arrangement may be effected.

The existing arrangement is for about 500 or 600 a year, but this is overridden by the arrivals from Honolulu. Instead of making it so many from the different provinces in Japan to leave for Canada, the idea is to make it limited to this number arising in Honolulu.

The Japanese consul says that a large number of the Japanese arriving in Canada go to the United States.

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS IN ANNUAL SESSION

The Delegates Have a Parade and a River Excursion Today.

FREDERICTON, N. B., Aug. 27.—(Special)—The twenty-first annual meeting of the Grand Lodge, Knights of Pythias, for the maritime provinces, opened here at ten o'clock this morning.

At this afternoon's session Mayor McLeod will deliver the address of welcome to the delegates. There will afterwards be a street parade and at five o'clock the visitors will be entertained on an excursion on the river.

BRITISH JOURNALISTS

Thursday's Luncheon -- Woodstock Wants Them to Visit That Town.

It has been decided that the luncheon to be tendered to the visiting British journalists on Thursday next by the local newspaper men will be given at the Union Club, 12 o'clock, after which they will be entertained by the mayor and council to a sail on the harbor.

J. N. Fisher has received a letter from J. N. Fisher, who is expected to arrive here Thursday, he is taken to Woodstock and from there to Moncton and through the Tenscouche Valley to River du Loup. As the government are paying the expenses of the visitors the opinion expressed is that they might as well be taken up through the country referred to.

STEERABLE AIRSHIP WAS A SUCCESS

BERLIN, Aug. 27.—A notable flight was made by the steerable airship, which was piloted by the inventor, Professor von Zeppelin, on Monday night.

STEELE THE FEATURE

MONTREAL, Aug. 27.—(Special)—Dominion Steel continued to be the feature of the stock market this morning. After its decline yesterday afternoon the issue opened at 21 1/2 and again ran up to 24, and then once more fell back around 23 1/2.

Bonds meanwhile sold at 74, though infrequently. Nova Scotia Steel had slight activity also at 65. Other active issues were Rio 42 1/2 to 43; Twin City, 87 1/2; C. P. R., 106 1/2; Montreal Power, 91 1/2; Toronto Rails, 90; Merchants' Bank, 160.

Druce Addison will give a temperance lecture at the Salvation Army barracks, Brimley street, Thur. Aug. 29, at 8 p. m. This no doubt will be very interesting, as he knows from experience the effects of strong drink.

PUGSLEY CHOSEN

Will Enter Laurier Cabinet at Once.

Ontario Minister Not Yet Chosen--It May Be the Hon. Clifford Sifton.

OTTAWA, August 27.—(Special)—Dr. Pugsley, who is in Montreal was seen today by the premier. He will arrive tonight and will be sworn in as a member of the government by Lord Grey on Friday.

Ontario representative not yet finally settled.

TORONTO, Aug. 27.—(Special)—Globe's Ottawa special says: "There was a meeting of the cabinet this (Monday) afternoon, but on account of the absence of Sir Richard Cartwright, nothing definite was reached in regard to filling the vacant Ontario portfolio. Sir Richard arrived from Kingston just as the meeting broke up. He had a long conference with Mr. Aylesworth, when the matter, no doubt, was discussed at length. It is said that Clifford Sifton is again being urged to enter the cabinet either as Minister of Railways or Minister of Public Works. It is pretty well known here that Sifton has already been approached in regard to the vacant portfolio of public works, but declined at the time to accept. If he is prevailed upon to enter the cabinet at the present time he undoubtedly would be a source of strength to the administration, but as he is not in the city his views on the subject are not obtainable. If not Sifton, then it will likely be Gahan, although it is admitted his coming to Ottawa will be a great loss to the legislature and provincial administration. As to the vacant portfolio to the Maritime Provinces it has been, as already said, pretty well decided that it should go to Pugsley."

NEW YORK, N. S., correspondent of yesterday's Halifax Chronicle says: "The following bank changes have taken place here: In the Bank of Nova Scotia, H. W. Binney, the manager, has resigned, relieving the manager, who is away on his vacation. C. R. Hill, of St. John, has been appointed to fill the vacant position as manager during his absence. W. A. Bissett has been promoted to the office of teller. J. R. Bell, of Summerside, P. E. I., has been added to the staff as junior clerk. In the Canadian Bank of Commerce, acting accountant C. D. Matthews, of St. John, N. B., has resigned his position to have a position in Charlottetown, S. C., in the employ of the Ose Maritime Co., of New York, of which company his brother C. F. Matthews is manager for South Carolina. Matthews leaves Halifax for St. John Monday morning; leaves St. John for Charlottetown on the 3rd of September."

DREDGE LAURIER TO BE FLOATED

PORT HOPE, Ont., Aug. 27.—(Special)—After lying for five years at the bottom of Lake Ontario, ten miles out from Port Hope, and in eighty feet of water, 400,000 lbs. of dredge, known as the Laurier, is being floated to Toronto by the Wrecking Company of Sarnia, who are in charge of the work of salvage, to be pumped out and on her way to Toronto within two days. At Toronto a thorough overhauling will be given her by the Polson Iron Works Company who built her.

Five years ago the Laurier, while on her way to Montreal, in charge of tags, foundered in a storm off Port Hope. The Reid Company commenced work five weeks ago.

IS THE OLDEST BAPTIST CHURCH

COBORG, Aug. 27.—(Special)—The Wicklow Baptist church, the first church erected in Haldimand township and probably the first erected in Northumberland county, celebrated its 100th anniversary on Sunday. Rev. Dr. Cross of McMaster University, Toronto, was the preacher. Special music was provided. This church is the oldest of the Baptist denomination in Ontario, and possesses the unique record of having had continuous religious services for 109 years.

HALIFAX STRIKE OF SHORT DURATION

HALIFAX, Aug. 27.—(Special)—The strike of longshoremen working on the P. & N. steamer Kathinka, which occurred yesterday, was settled this morning. The non-union men being discharged and the other men went to work again.

WALL STREET

NEW YORK, Aug. 27.—Wall Street—Opening prices in the stock market were mostly a small fraction above yesterday's closing, and business was light. The market opened firm.

T. Elmer Burchill, son of Police Officer Thomas Burchill, will leave on the Eastern line steamer Yale on Saturday for Boston on a two weeks vacation.

Wm. Crosby and Ambrose Trainor, of the north end, left yesterday for Calais to spend a two weeks vacation.

Miss Gladys M. Wilson, of Brooklyn, N. Y., is the guest of her cousin, Miss Annie McKenzie, north end.

DID NOT GET THE RAKE-OFF

The Story of the Politicians and Kentville Rifle Range.

An Ottawa despatch of Saturday's date to the Montreal Star says: "The Kentville, N. S., rifle range has at last been paid for by the department of militia and defence, thus closing a deal which was the theme of a heated debate in parliament and of protracted litigation in the federal courts."

"Three or four years ago the government decided to buy the necessary land to establish a rifle range near Kentville, but a couple of enterprising Liberal politicians got wind of the project and grabbed up the property and offered it to the government for \$19,110. The department offered \$12,400. Two local valuers were appointed to appraise the property and they placed its value at \$29,000. Then a referee was appointed, one Crawley, and when the parties appeared before him they boosted their claim to \$45,000. The referee allowed them \$38,125."

"The opposition in parliament protested against such an exorbitant figure being paid, and obtained from the minister of militia a promise to have the matter referred to the exchequer court. This was done, and Judge Burdidge awarded the parties \$29,000. However, did not suit the proprietors, and they appealed to the supreme court of Canada, with the result that the judgment was reduced to the amount originally offered by the crown, namely \$12,400 and interest, with costs against the appellants in both courts. This is the amount just paid over by the department."

BANK CHANGES

St. John Man Going to Charlottetown, S. C., to Accept a Position.

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AN IRISH M. P. HAS BEEN ARRESTED

With Forty Other Persons on Charge of Provoking Riotous Conduct.

LONGFORD, Ireland, Aug. 27.—James P. Farrell, Irish nationalist member of Parliament for North Longford, and forty other persons were arrested this morning, and were being tried by a special court, convened being tried by a special court, convened for the purpose, on the charge of taking part in a "lawful assembly likely to become a riot."

Mr. Farrell has been holding meetings throughout his constituency at which exciting scenes occurred between Nationalists and members of the Sinn Fein society. In addition many cattle have been driven from the estates of the district.

The prosecution alleges the trouble on the ground was encouraged by Mr. Farrell and other speakers. Large forces of police are being dispatched here, trouble being anticipated.

THE LATE MISS LOCKARY

ST. STEPHEN, N. B., Aug. 27.—(Special)—The funeral of Miss Mary Lockary took place this morning. A High Mass of Requiem was held in the Church of the Holy Rosary. The deceased's brother, Father Lockary, was celebrant. Father Horn, of Calais, and Father McLaughlin, of Milltown, were in the sanctuary. Father McLaughlin delivered an eloquent sermon. Four brothers acted as pallbearers. A large congregation attended the services and funeral.

Fred C. Monahan

The death of Fred C. Monahan took place on Saturday night at his late residence, 42 Brussels street, at the age of 39 years. The deceased died with cancer of the stomach. Mr. Monahan was born in Sussex, N. B., and came to St. John 24 years ago, and has been engaged in a boarding stable on Peel street of late years.

Mr. Monahan leaves, besides a sorrowing widow and mother, four small children; also two sisters, Mrs. Stanhope, of Boston, and Mrs. William McCormack of this city, and one brother, Henry, of Boston.

The funeral took place this afternoon at the new Catholic cemetery.

JUDGE FORBES DECLARES PERJURY IS TOO COMMON

AT A COST OF \$3,000,000

Grand Trunk Will Erect New Central Depot and Hotel at Ottawa.

OTTAWA, Ont., Aug. 27.—(Special)—The plans of new central depot and hotel prepared by the Grand Trunk Railway, have practically been approved by the Dominion government.

Messrs. Hays and Wainwright, representing the Canadian Pacific, had a conference with the premier today concerning them. The depot will cost about one million and a half, and the hotel about the same amount. The hotel will be located in front of Major Hill Park. The site will be purchased from the Government for \$100,000. This amount will be handed at once to the Ottawa improvement commission and will be used in improving and extending the park towards Nepean Park. The hotel will be located in front of the entrance to the park. The Canadian Pacific representatives approve of the location of the hotel, but asked for additional track room leading towards the bridge which crosses the Ottawa River. The G. T. R. is quite willing agree to this.

REV. DR. JEWETT WEARY OF LIFE

Eminent Professor of Theology Applied Osler Theory to Himself.

NEW YORK, Aug. 27.—A despatch to the American from Los Angeles says: The Rev. Dr. Edward H. Jewett, for fifteen years professor of Pastoral Theology in the General Theological Seminary in New York, committed suicide here yesterday by cutting his throat. Dr. Jewett was 78 years old, and was living with his son-in-law, the Rev. Angus M. Porter, rector of the Episcopal Church at Redlands. He was committed at Manhattan Beach, 12 miles from this city, and was witnessed by thousands of persons, many of them children playing along the beach.

Dr. Jewett was much impressed by the so-called Osler theory and frequently remarked "I think that some day should be found out of an unbearable existence for old people who have outlived their usefulness. I think it should be provided that old men should be hit over the head with a club and mercifully killed." He had suffered for several years from chronic rheumatism.

Dr. Jewett was born in Nottingham, England, in 1830. He was the author of several works on religious thought and worship.

MORE TROUBLE ON SHORE LINE

A Hundred Italians Had to Get Their Pay on Pay Day.

About one hundred Italians who are working on a gravel train at Lepreau went out on strike last evening. Yesterday the King vs. Francis, a train of the Barker vs. Dunham, J. M. P. Whitney, A. E. Hart, T. O'Brien, R. R. Patteville, J. H. McHugh, John M. P. Robertson, W. H. Caran, F. W. Blizard, W. H. Blake, John Edwards, J. W. Morrison, James Wales, A. D. Branscombe, Arthur Foster.

The docket is as follows: CRIMINAL. The King vs. Graham. The King vs. Brady. The King vs. Francis. The King vs. Beckett. The King vs. Degan.

JURY CASES. The Lavton Co., Ltd., vs. McNeill, Baird & French. Barker vs. Dunham; C. H. Ferguson. NON-JURY. Vaughan Electric Co. Ltd., vs. Hampstead S.S. Co.; Hamington, Teed & Hamington. Jones vs. Whitaker; W. H. Trueman. Jones vs. Chase; H. H. Pickett. Jones vs. R. T. Cross; H. H. Pickett. Martin vs. Joslyn; C. J. Coster. Park Blackwell Co., Ltd., vs. Collins; C. J. Coster. W. H. Thorne & Co., vs. Bohum. Black Scott, & Lee Co., vs. Law; J. King Kelly.

APPEALS. The King on the information of John Francis Cully vs. James D. Pelys, appeal from conviction of J. A. Barnes, P. W. H. Harrison for appellant J. D. Belys.

J. King Kelly submitted naturalization papers for Louis Rudenick, Joseph Weitzel, Hyman Light and Bonnett Trusky, all of Russia. The civil docket will be taken up tomorrow and the criminal cases on Thursday.

Mrs. McPherson, of Houlton, Me., who has been visiting her mother, Mrs. Anne Cody, at 42 St. James street, is dangerously ill, and her husband and four children, who were sent for, arrived today.

THE BRITISH JOURNALISTS ARE SEEING MONCTON TODAY

MONCTON, N. B., Aug. 27.—(Special)—Secretary Faver, of the I. C. R. Employees' Relief and Insurance Association, has issued the report for the month ended August 25th, in which there were five deaths, and a total of \$2250 paid out in death claims. They were as follows: D. M. Vanstone, engineer, Newcastle; G. E. Allen, fireman, Truro; Joseph Foran, book-maker, River du Loup, \$229 each; N. Bouchard, Lewis, \$500; H. Oulet, River du Loup, \$1,000. Fees and levies for the month are: Class A, \$1.80; Class B, \$1.10, and Class C, 75 cents.

THE TIMES NEW REPORTER

The engineer of the new ferry steamer Premier, of the Kennebecasis, has been notified to be in readiness to take the Ludlow in tow on Thursday if she tries to turn turtle when the British journalists are on board. Turtle-ship will be a part of the men at the dinner on board. All who went on the first trial trip of the Ludlow, when she cavorted around a barrel off Partridge Island, are expected to attend the blow-out on Thursday.

One hundred Italian laborers got off the track on the Shore Line yesterday, and it took the wrecking crew until some time this forenoon to get them on again.

Mr. Peter Binks says that any man who has watched a group of men working on a sewer or elsewhere about the streets knows why the appropriation is so neatly used up and so little done. Mr. Binks says it takes nine sewer workers to do a man's work.

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THE GREATEST OF THESE "THEIR HEARTS DESIRE, ETC.

(Continued)

"Will you tell me what I am to do—what I can do? Now that I am better I won't trouble you longer than I can help. There must be something in the world that I can do, some place I can go—anywhere from here, it does not matter where."

"What can you do?" echoed Sir David, as if he hardly understood her. "We can do nothing now but go on with it—there is no other way."

"It was Isabel's turn now to stare aghast, uncomprehending."

"Go on with it—what can you mean?"

"What I say," reiterated Sir David impatiently, the smouldering irritation of overstrained nerves always ready to burst into flame. "We have no choice left, you cannot go away—you must surely see that—we must go on with it."

"We—we—what have I to do with it?" cried Isabel, flinching from dull, white misery into a blaze of scorn which transfigured her. "How can you—how dare you think so meanly, so miserably of me? Am I to blame?—is it my fault that I am here? Do you think because I have been tossed aside among the waifs and strays of life that I am ready at your bidding to act such a lie? To act it? To be an inmate in every breath, every word, every look? No, no, no—it would be like selling my soul. I can take no hand in it. Whatever I may be, I have at least my own self to be true to."

"It is not for my own sake," he said, rather faintly. "God knows I have no right to ask anything from your hands—but for her sake—my wife's sake."

"But that is the dreadful part," cried Isabel, her passion mounting with her words. "It's that I can't bear, to go on cheating that good, sweet woman. Oh, how good she is! I didn't know there were women like her. Since—since I know, it has been horrible. I have felt like a murderer—the whole of my life she looks at me—and when she calls me her darling, her dear child, and when she kisses me—oh, burns, and she strikes her hand to her forehead, and she puts her hand to her forehead, and she says 'I thought she was my mother—' to know what she is not is the cruellest loss of all, but I can't go on with it. I have kept silence till now because I was too lost, too bewildered to speak, but a hundred times over, when she's been so patient and good to me, I've nearly screamed out the truth—I've no right to your love, to your care, I'm not your child, I'm not your Isabel." Suddenly she stopped in mid-breath. "Where is her own child—

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question is settled," exclaimed Basil Conyers, as he came upon Isabel leaning over the balustrade of the garden terrace, her eyes wandering listlessly over the formal Italian garden—a changed scene now, for the lingering summer had fled before the autumn frosts, which had laid its glories low.

"The brilliant many-hued mosaic of flower beds lay a waste of shriveled blooms and blackened stalks, while the statues of nymph, or goddess, or frolicsome faun, laughing Hebe, rose-garlanded Flora, or bountiful Ceres—alien shapes under that cold, overclouded sky—seemed gazing in forlorn wonder over the desolation around."

And Isabel's gaze was as forlorn as theirs, while over her young beauty an indefinable change had passed, as real, if not as outwardly devastating as the frost-blight over the garden. With her proud, delicate face set in the ruddy glory of her hair, she must always be beautiful, but something was gone from face and eyes, something which could never be restored—the something perhaps which Urdine lost when, to her sorrow and her salvation, she found her soul. The sheer, unquenching joy of youth, which had made the girl's whole personality so radiant, was quenched—that zest in mere life which makes of common food a feast, of each returning day a new beginning, all of fresh promise, and which gives edge and point to all existence—the first spark and effervescence of life—that was gone, and what had taken its place?

Conyers could no more have answered that question than he could have analyzed the change which, like Lady Stormont, who had been quick to notice it, he was ready to attribute to the effects of Isabel's illness. It would soon pass away, he tried to assure himself; but when she turned toward him there sprang up before him, in sharp contrast with her usual look and the dreary autumn scene, that glowing day when the garden was in all its glory, and when for the first time, with opened eyes, he had looked into his wife's face. After all, it was only that brief illness which had wrought the change, he was wondering doubtfully, wistfully, as Isabel answered indifferently.

"Yes, I believe we are to start next week."

"The sooner the better; you'll be glad to get away from here now, I should think," looking over the sultry river to the half-seen hills, dim under rainy cloud-fringes.

"I shall, indeed," she answered with such sudden emphasis and fervor that Conyers was somewhat surprised.

"Well, you've a great time before you," he said heartily. "Switzerland—Italy—Venice—Rome, that's the program, isn't it?"

"Yes; but, of course, they are only names to me yet."

"The reality will seem all the more wonderful then, and you'll be able to lay in again a whole new stock of first impressions. I am to come and try if I couldn't see things again through your eyes. I might serve as escort sometimes when Sir David wants a day off. He has decided to go, too."

"Yes," answered Isabel.

Conyers was silent. Was this the reason why the girl's joyous expectations seemed so wholly quenched. He had been surprised to hear that Sir David was to be of the party, though since her illness he had shown a careful, scrupulous courtesy towards his daughter, such as is never needed where there is real understanding and affection, and to which Isabel had responded with only too evident effort. Now Basil wondered afresh, as he had done often before, what could have been said that day in the library which had so evidently deepened the breach between the two and brought this cloud over Isabel's life.

"Then you would not object if I turned up somewhere on the way?" he asked as Isabel added nothing to her last monosyllable.

"If I should?" "With rather forced animation." "But I fancy you'll be better employed. You won't want to leave the presents and the boxes to wander about picture galleries. You think I am rather lackluster about it all," before Conyers could utter any disclaimer, "but it's strange how sometimes a thing seems all that you want until you get it. I darsay I shall get more excited about it by and by, and ought to, for when I remember—" She stopped short, with a quick indrawing of the breath.

"You remember!" exclaimed Conyers, eagerly.

(To be continued.)

Daily Fashion Hint for Times Readers.



A PRACTICAL DRESS FOR THE GROWING SCHOOLGIRL.

Between the ages of twelve and fourteen the school girl grows so fast that it is almost impossible to keep her in clothes of the proper size. Her skirts seem to grow shorter daily, and waists take on a snug fit that is neither attractive nor comfortable. To obviate this, very practical dresses, which might be called variations of the Russian blouse—are considered the best form of dress for girls of the above-mentioned years. Made of some serviceable fabric, such as mohair or panama, the material is cut in one piece from the neck to hem and laid in deep box pleats, either pressed or stitched of the waistline, and from thence they spring out to form the skirtfulness. The under-arm seam flares from the waistline and the bottom of the skirt is finished with a deep hem for future alterations. The back of the dress is made the same as the front, and there is a tailored belt which fastens in the front through a strap like that on the under arm seam, through which the belt is run. A yoke effect is created in this model with light blue cloth braided with black soutache, and the neck is cut round. The material of the dress is a navy blue serge. Full sleeves, puffed to the elbow are gathered into a wide stitched cuff of the serge trimmed with two bands of hercules braid.

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CONSERVATIVE MEETING WAS A DECIDED SUCCESS

Opera House Filled and Much Enthusiasm Was Aroused by Messrs. Borden and Bergeron—The Audience Also Insisted on Hearing Mr. Fowler, and Gave Him a Great Reception.

A big crowd filled the Opera House Tuesday night to hear R.L. Borden, the Conservative leader and J.G.H. Bergeron, who are touring Canada in the interests of their party. Mr. Borden, when he appeared and when he finished was most heartily cheered, and throughout his speech, which occupied about an hour and a half, he was frequently applauded. He spoke with telling deliberation, and besides outlining the platform of the Conservatives and dwelling effectively upon each plank of the policy, he launched a detailed and severe indictment against the Liberal administration, charging it with violating its pledges, encouraging corruption, and deliberately shielding the malefactors who were robbing the people of Canada.

Mr. Borden's references to the equipment of national ports, to an effective transportation and cold storage policy, and to the necessity for a quick, cheap and adequate freight service to British and Europe, commanded close attention. He referred upon some of his critics in effective fashion, and closed by urging the party to put its best men forward as candidates and by predicting victory for the Conservative party when the government goes to the country.

Mr. Bergeron made a rattling speech and laughter and applause greeted almost every sentence.

Dr. Daniel, M. P., who introduced Mr. Borden, spoke at some length and was accorded a fine reception.

George W. Fowler, M. P. for Kings-Albert, who sat on the platform, responded to insistent calls from the crowd when Mr. Bergeron had finished. Mr. Fowler made a fighting speech of his own peculiar kind and evidently was much appreciated by the crowd, judging by the demonstration it evoked.

St. Mary's Band gave the Conservative leader a musical reception at the entrance to the Opera House last evening, where he was received by the committee and members of the Borden Club. The interior of the Opera House was gay with flags and streamers, the work of the Borden Club, and appropriate mottoes such as "Our leader Canada's next premier" were hung round the balcony. The horses and stage were also artistically decorated. The Opera House was well filled at 8 o'clock and a large and representative gathering of Conservatives not only from St. John but from other constituencies occupied seats on the stage. Among those on the platform were:

Senator Josiah Wood, G. W. Ganong, M. P., Gerald White, M. P. (Renfrew), R. D. Wilton, M. P., G. W. Fowler, M. P., Dr. Wm. Bayard, Dr. Silas Alward, W. H. Thorne, Dr. R. F. Quigley, J. D. Hazen, M. P., Dr. A. W. MacKas, R. Harwell, M. P., J. de Wolfe Spry, Dr. P. D. Tiley, W. W. Hubbard, O. S. Crockett, M. P., Dr. J. W. Vanwart, Dr. O. E. Moorhouse, Mayor H. F. McLeod, Dr. Fredericton, Jas. H. Crockett, C. H. Thomas, Thomas Robinson, James Pinder, ex-M. P., M. G. Teed, W. S. Fisher, ex-M. P., J. E. Wilson, H. H. White, H. H. Pickett, R. B. Emerson, Leon Keith, Donaldson Hunt, J. N. Harvey, H. A. Austin, J. E. Wilson, Archibald McLean, William Lewis, Fred Lewis, E. F. Grayson, Dr. G. G. Melvin, Dr. J. C. Mott, H. H. Mott, P. A. Dykeman, H. A. Powell, K. C. B. L. Gerow, Geo. A. Blair, Geo. Elliott, Dr. Ramsey, Daniel Myles, R. McLeod, V. Belys, G. Fred Fisher, James Myles, J. McKinney, Miles E. Agar, H. W. Woods, W. D. Turner, J. S. Tait and A. B. Maggs.

The entrance of Mr. Borden accompanied by Dr. Daniel, J. D. Hazen, M. P., P. P. Bergeron and others brought a cheer from the audience, followed by three and a tiger for the Conservative leader.

Dr. J. W. Daniel, M. P., in opening the meeting, said he was very much pleased to greet the leader of the Conservative party and of his majesty's opposition in Canada. Apart from the desire to honor him by their presence, those who had attended would no doubt receive a great deal of instruction and information and have a great deal of light thrown on the political issues of the day.

He read a letter from Hon. George E. Foster expressing regret at his inability to be present.

He referred to Geo. W. Fowler, M. P. whose rough and ready methods he rather liked. Concerning Mr. Borden he said they were glad to have the leader of the opposition. He was the first man of any public importance who advocated the nationalization of the port of St. John in common with the ports of Montreal and Quebec.

Dr. Daniel then eulogized the Conservative policy and passed on to an arraignment of Sir Wilfrid Laurier for having discarded avowed policies.

Dr. Daniel closed with an appeal for clean and honest government, and a closer connection with the motherland. His eloquent eulogy of the flag called forth cheer after cheer.

On Mr. Borden rising to speak he was greeted with three hearty cheers. The Conservative leader paid a tribute to the late Dr. Stockton.

This was the fourth meeting of his campaign, he said, which would extend through every province of Canada, except P. E. Island and he hoped to speak there later on. He referred to the recent meetings in Nova Scotia which were very largely attended on every occasion.

A Liberal organ had remarked in connection with his visit that he would no doubt observe a great change in public sentiment in this part of the country, and he agreed with the statement if it was made a little more comprehensive. He found all over the country a great change in sentiment. "I allude to public opinion becoming tired of the rule to which they have been subjected for the past eight or ten years. There is a noticeable change in public opinion throughout the length and breadth of Canada. (Cheers). The people have become tired of the scandals, the ever increasing scandals, not only in parliament but in the committees of parliament. They have become tired of the men in public life, ministers of the crown who stand up in parliament and attempt to hide and condone the scandals," said the speaker.

He referred to his having been likened to Sir John Thompson, and said he considered no greater compliment could be paid him, for when charges were laid at the door of public departments under his administration he did not stand up and vote down an investigation and protect the criminals. That was not the course pursued by Sir John Thompson or the Conservative administration. How different a course is the present government pursuing! "How many times have I and my friends here seen me on the treasury bench stand up and vote down investigation and resort to every trick to stifle it."

"The Conservative party," he said, "stand for elections being conducted without bribery and fraud, and while we stand for electoral reform and better enforcement of the law the Conservative party has an opportunity for doing great service by running elections in conformity with the law in future."

Mr. Borden went on to speak of the attitude of the Liberal party on the occasion when Sir Wm. Laurier, ex-M. P. for Westmorland county, was before the committee on privileges in 1898, and to the response of Sir Wilfrid Laurier to his (Mr. Borden's) motion that certain charges against a retiring officer should be investigated. The premier had replied that no better matter could engage the attention of the house and the motion had passed. When they went before the committee the Liberal majority took the matter out of their hands and in spite of overwhelming evidence wasted time until the end of the session, when the hearing was not concluded. At the next session he contended no further investigation was necessary and the accused man went free.

"I say," continued Mr. Borden, "it acts like these by the Liberal government and its followers that have made possible the frightful election scandals which have prevailed since that time. (Cheers). I charge direct connivance in those frauds. That is what we brought to light could never have gone on but for the act of Sir Wilfrid Laurier and his colleagues in 1898."

Mr. Borden referred also to the election in St. James division, Montreal, which was stolen and for which only a light sentence was imposed and to what took place in London (White). In the latter place he said the Conservative candidate polled 105 votes against 144 for Mr. Hyman but it was shown that 102 of the 144 votes were bribed by payment of \$808 and the votes were handed over to each man after the election.

"Where did that money come from?" continued the speaker. "Whose money was it? When we consider the exorbitant prices paid to middlemen who must contribute the money to buy votes, and the end from the pockets of the people of this country. Are we to submit that men, stand up in parliament who are not representatives of the true will of the people but of the money of the people? I say no. The people of Canada will not stand for it." (Cheers).

Mr. Borden proceeded to refer to the case of Wagner, the interpreter who after serving two terms in prison was prominent in an election campaign in the northwest where barrels of beer were given to voters. He spoke of the exposure of the case by G. W. Fowler, M. P., in parliament and of a demand for an investigation being voted down. The government's absolute disregard of the public trust was outrageous.

Taking up the question of civil service reform, Mr. Borden referred to reforms in Great Britain and the United States. He would not say that examination was the best system, but it was better than the system now carried out in Canada. At present nine-tenths of the time of the members of the party in power were taken up with appointments which was unfair to the people.

Immigration, he said, was another point which required attention, and urged the necessity of peopling the west with the best class of settlers rather than with indiscriminate hordes.

Touching on the subject of the public domain, Mr. Borden contended that development should be for the interest of Canada and not the speculator. He referred to land deals by which the government without forms of law or by tender had permitted the land to pass into the hands of speculators. The land for the settler was said to have been part of the Liberal platform but no article in the obituary faith had been more scandalously violated.

Dealing with public franchises, Mr. Borden said while the capitalist might be given a reward he should not receive all that arose from the growth of the country. He advocated that when the whole cost of bonds as in the case of the G. P. P. was guaranteed by the people of Canada some share in the common stock should be given in return. It would create an interest in the enterprise and be a safeguard against unjust legislation.

With regard to the control of public utilities, Mr. Borden referred to the support given the government in establishing a railway commission. He stood for reorganization of the commission with a larger personnel and jurisdiction. While the Conservative party would not ally itself with corporations, it would safeguard both capitalist and people.

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A COBALT SMELTER TO COST \$2,000,000 COBALT, Aug. 26--Within the next few days it is confidently stated that the first sod will be turned in North Cobalt.



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LAST NIGHT'S MEETING

Mr. R. L. Borden must have been well pleased with the reception given to himself and his colleagues at the St. John Opera House last evening. The audience in turn must have been impressed by the dignified bearing, the manifest sincerity, and the quiet, argumentative style of the Conservative leader. He made no attempt to arouse party enthusiasm by oratorical methods, but rather to appeal to his hearers on broad grounds of public policy. In his quiet way he was at times very severe in his criticism of the government, but his evident purpose was to show that the Conservative party had been the party of constructive statesmanship in Canada and could now be relied on to reform the administration, just as in 1878 and succeeding years it had introduced and carried out the National Policy. His language was temperate and well chosen, his manner dignified, and his statement of the case from the Conservative standpoint couched in terms of moderation. It was an impressive rather than a controversial address, and the audience followed the speaker with the close attention which indicates an interest strongly aroused. He had around him on the platform a strong group of active party men, including not a few who had heard and cheered Sir Leonard Tilley, Sir Charles Tupper and Sir John Macdonald; while the audience of ladies and gentlemen which filled the auditorium was one to inspire a speaker to give them of his best. It is a healthy sign to see so general an interest in political affairs manifested at a time when the general elections are still assumed to be some way off. If everywhere Mr. Borden is as well received, he will have the assurance that he enjoys the confidence and respect of his fellow citizens in even larger measure than when he assumed the duties of leader of his party. And that assurance, in the heat of party conflict, is worth much to any man. In contrast with Mr. Borden's measured sentences was the speech of Mr. Bergeron, who made a slashing attack upon the government, in approved campaign style, provoking much merriment by his wit and sarcasm, and appealing very effectively to party traditions and the memory of the great leaders of the party in the past. The chairman, Dr. Daniel M. P., and Mr. Bergeron made it clear that they regarded Mr. Foster's services as a party man with much favor, and although he was not on the list of speakers the audience declined to be dissuaded until he spoke. When he would have ceased they urged him to go on. His remarks showed that he has lost none of his vigor of speech, nor of the fighting quality which has distinguished him in Kings county contests in years past. As the audience remained until after eleven o'clock, it may fairly be said that St. John people are warming up to a decided interest in the political situation, which is likely to develop even more heat before many moons have waxed and waned.

SELECT THE IMMIGRANTS

Mr. Bourassa agrees with Mr. Bergeron regarding the class of immigrants coming to Canada and the class that should come, as well as upon the question of the government's responsibility in the matter. Mr. Bergeron last evening contrasted the Donkhorbs and Galicians with the people of the British Islands and northern Europe in a way that stirred his hearers to laughter, but his remarks were justified by the facts. Mr. Borden also made a strong appeal for the filling up of the west with a strong race, worthy of Canada. Mr. Bourassa, as will be seen by a despatch in this issue, is even more vigorous in his denunciation of present methods than are the opposition speakers. The point made by Mr. Borden is worthy of serious attention. There lies between the settled east and the rapidly filling west a broad stretch of unsettled territory. There is a disposition to speak of eastern and western interests as if they were in some sense separate. To ensure harmony of feeling and national purpose it is necessary to fill up the west with people in sympathy with British institutions, to the end that there may be a united Canada, bound by the strongest ties to the empire. Moreover, if this country is to fulfill its highest destiny it could choose the best people—and it can do so. It has the "last great" richest fields of promise in the

world today, and it should develop the strongest nation, physically, intellectually and morally that the world has known. In the formative period care must be exercised or the hoped-for result will not be attained. A Vancouver despatch states that the situation with reference to Japanese immigrants has reached an acute stage, and there is talk of forcible efforts to prevent their landing. The Japanese consul general reminds Canada of the treaty rights of his country, and observes that his country will not agree to discrimination. The government at Ottawa is said to be conducting negotiations with Japan. It would be very easy for firebrands in British Columbia to create an international crisis. This is a time for pacific measures.

The Baptist convention has endorsed the resolution of the Maritime Board of Trade for one technical college for the maritime provinces, and would not have it located in a university town. This appears to be a reasonable proposition.

The dirigible airship appears to be an accomplished fact. One of these machines was successfully operated for half an hour against a strong wind at Berlin last night, with four aeronauts on board.

A COP'S REWARD.

The big bells and the little bells and all the clocks in town were on the point of striking midnight when the cop who was about to lean up against a lamp post and catch a few minutes sleep was approached by a trampish looking man who began: "Sir, I was in this town fifteen years ago." "Well, what of it?" asked the officer.

"I was homeless, friendless and alone broke."

"You look that now." "Not a place to shelter my head—not a penny to buy food. I was discouraged I was ready to commit suicide. In fact, I was on my way to the river to end all when I encountered you. Some man—same red hair and whiskers—same sneer in his voice. But you were good to me, you at first started to club me, but when you saw tears in my eyes you put your arm around me and asked what was the matter. I confided all to you. When I had done so you put your hand in your pocket and handed me out a five-dollar bill and told me to go and try again. "Sir, I remember me!" The cop didn't. He hadn't been on the force for a year. But he thought he saw something coming to him and he lied about it. "Ah, I knew you would remember," continued the other. "With the five dollars and your blessing I went away. I went to South Africa. I discovered a diamond mine. I made millions. Every day and all the time I thought of you, but now, at last, I am here to reward you. Take this sealed envelope and remember that a kindness is never thrown away, and that virtue is its own reward." The man placed a sealed envelope in the officer's hands and walked away. The cop turned to the gas light and opened it with his heart pounding his ribs. It contained a note of hand, due ten years hence, for a million dollars. He saw the tramp in the darkness and started for him on the run, but he wasn't in it. There was a thumping of the pavement ahead of him for a moment, and then he was all alone in the street. JOE KERR.

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RESIDENCE FOR PREMIERS

OTTAWA, Aug. 26.—It is understood that the government has secured the Currier mansion on Sussex street, later owned by Senator Edwards, as an official residence for the present and future premiers. The building is a handsome structure, located in well wooded grounds. It is quite convenient to Rideau Hall. Sir Wilfrid Laurier lives in a private house on Laurier avenue at present.

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IN LIGHTER VEIN

A TARTAR. His Lordship—So the beggar you turned out this morning was coarse and abusive? Valet—Abusive, my lord! Why he might have been your lordship himself.—Harper's Weekly. NO! IMMUNE. Even the courageous know fear, said the policeman who had a record for bravery. Ever scared? Sure. My politics was wrong, and I was afraid I'd lose me job.—Philadelphia Ledger.

CANT FORGET IT

But what is your objection to him, dad? You were young yourself once, remember. I know my dear, I know. Do not remind me of the fact. It was then I met your mother.—Ally Sloper. Half-Holiday. NO CAUSE FOR WORRY. I was talking to O'Connor this morning. Pat, and he spoke slightly of your veracity. Did he now? Well, well, well. Are you going to let it go at that? What a'd'd O do about it? Why, if a man called me a liar I think I should try to get satisfaction in some way. Yes. So w'd O. But what do O care when they talk about me veracity as long as it is anything the assessor can come down on me for when O pay me taxes?—Chicago Record-Herald.

HEREDITY

Fond Mamma (a little anxiously)—Don't you think the baby is a trifle—well, high-colored? Peaceful Family Friend (inspecting the lobster-tinted infant)—Oh, he's only what one ought to expect from the offspring of such a literary man as his father. Fond Mamma (brightening)—What's that? Peaceful Family Friend—He's just well red.—Baltimore American.

BAPTISTS DISCUSS CANADIAN UNION

The Matter Brought Up at Yesterday's Session of the Maritime Convention.

Woolville, N. S., Aug. 26.—The Baptist convention resumed business this morning. Rev. Dr. McIntyre reported proceedings passed by a joint committee of the Baptist Societies on August 18th. The resolutions recommended the appointment of a joint standing committee of the Maritime Baptists, and twelve from the Maritime Societies, to meet at Tiverton some time this month. The ministerial aid and annuity fund reported that during the year twenty-five ministers, and seventeen widows and ten children received annuities amounting to \$7,780.00 from the ministerial relief fund; sixteen persons received \$1,218.10. The receipts for the year are \$2,071.65; disbursements \$2,071.25. The most important question before the convention is the proposed Canadian Baptist Union, this was brought before the convention by the reading by Dr. Creed of a formal report of the joint committee held in Montreal in July last. The report of the Nova Scotia home mission was read by Rev. J. W. Porter. Dr. Gordon and Dr. Brown, of the joint committee to consider the proposed union of the Baptist Union of Canada, were introduced. Dr. Brown told that Acadia had sent some of her best men to Ontario. He said he thought that the time had come when Canadian Baptists should be united with the Maritime Baptists. Dr. Norton, who followed, said that he had come to listen rather to the discussion between the maritime convention as to the proposed union. Rev. C. W. Corey and Rev. Chas. Freeman of the Northwest also spoke on union, and Hon. Geo. E. Foster moved that a convention resolve affirm the principles of union as adopted at Liverpool, N. S., last year. A resolution on technical education was moved by E. D. King, K. C., deprecating the establishment of a school for technical education at Halifax and advocating its establishment in other parts of the province. One central technical school for the maritime provinces was advocated. Rev. Dr. McIntyre, Rev. D. Hutchison and Rev. Rufus Sanford also spoke in favor of union.

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K. OF P. GRAND LODGE OPENS AT FREDERICTON

Grand Chancellor F. A. Marr and Grand Keeper of Records and Seals, James Moulson, Present Annual Reports—The Order in a Healthy State and Good Progress Being Made.

FREDERICTON, N. B., Aug. 27.—The twenty-first annual session of the grand lodge Knights of Pythias opened here this morning at 10 o'clock. Grand Chancellor F. A. Marr, of Halifax, presided, and Vice-Chancellor A. J. Tingling, of Moncton, was present with other grand lodge officers. There was a good attendance of representatives from all parts of the maritime provinces. The reading of the minutes of last convention was dispensed with, and they were adopted as printed in the journal.

The report of the committee on returns and credentials was received and the grand lodge rank conferred on a number of past chancellors. The annually reported grand chancellor was received and is in part as follows:—

To the Officers and Members of the Grand Lodge, Knights of Pythias, Domain of the Maritime Provinces:

"As grand chancellor of the domain it affords me great pleasure to extend fraternal greetings to you and all at the twenty-first annual convention of our grand lodge; and I sincerely trust that our deliberations will result in material and lasting benefit to the brotherhood to which we have the privilege of belonging, by developing to the highest point the cardinal principles of our noble Pythian order—friendship, charity and benevolence—culminating the forward movement prevailing in other beneficent organizations throughout the continent.

"When you elected me as grand chancellor, although fully aware of the duties incumbent upon me as your executive officer, assure you, I am much disquieted as to my ability to administer your affairs in conformity with the high standard the order of Knights of Pythias has attained. As you had, however, deemed me worthy to fill the position, it devolved upon me to justify your confidence to the fullest extent within my power. Having given my best efforts to that end it is gratifying to report that the year has been a successful one, largely owing to the hearty co-operation of the subordinate lodges. For the numerous evidences of fidelity and kindness shown towards me during the year, I desire to extend my heartfelt acknowledgments, particularly to the grand keeper of records and seals, in whom I certainly found not only a trusty friend and fellow worker, but a regular Pythian encyclopaedia.

"He referred to a number of official visits he had made to various parts of the domain, the majority of the lodges being called on during the term of office.

"Under the list of dispensations granted was one authorizing all subordinate lodges in the domain to suspend church services on the anniversary of the order.

"He reported having approved of the by-laws of Victoria Lodge, No. 17, P. G. Greville, and St. John Lodge, No. 30, of St. John.

"Reference was also made to the institution of a new lodge at St. John in November last.

"Mention was made of the fact that Ivanhoe Lodge, of Woodville, has applied for the restoration of their charter, which they surrendered some years ago. The application was granted.

"Referring to the military department, he says:—While I must admit that my knowledge of the military branch is not as complete as I would like to be, I certainly consider that it should be a part of every lodge in our domain, and I believe that if more active endeavor was applied for the subordinate lodges would take more kindly to it. Major-General Stobart recently visited several of the lodges in our domain and no doubt good results may be expected as a consequence. For my part I am anxious to see that the order is able to assist in preserving permanence and obviate the contingencies of suspension of lodge members. In future I shall make every endeavor to stimulate the creation of Uniform Rank as one of our most valued accessories."

"Referring to the changing of the date of the grand lodge convention this year from September to August, and also of the promulgation of a permanent password in place of the semi-annual password.

"Concerning the Supreme Lodge meeting in Boston in 1906, he says:—December 1, 1906, and subsequent dates, I received from Grand Chancellor Scott, Domain of Massachusetts, communications re attending at Supreme Convention to be held in Boston, 1906, wherein he depicted in glowing terms the many attractions proposed and asked to be informed as to the probable attendance from this domain. To these letters I replied that I would notify all our lodges and at a later date would give him a definite reply. I have already stated that many lodges have formed Boston Clubs and are preparing to deal with the proposed visit. I would earnestly request that prompt attention be given to this matter and that our incoming grand chancellor will vigorously forward the movement. From what I have learned of the Massachusetts Domain I would urge every effort on the part of our members to participate in this convention and enjoy the time of their lives. Since the inception of the new Grand Chancellor of the Domain of Massachusetts the same enthusiasm is being put forth, and I have already received numerous letters from the chairman of the executive committee (Bro. D. F. Woodworth), urging on the good work, which correspondence has had my close attention as per letters in reply submitted."

"Among the recommendations he makes to grand lodge are the following:—That a committee be appointed to take into consideration ways and means whereby our subordinate lodges may become better acquainted one with another, forming a connecting link either by visits or correspondence.

"That this grand lodge in future hold its annual convention on the last Tuesday in August.

"That Chignecto Lodge, No. 11, Crescent, No. 24, Collingwood, No. 23, receive prompt attention by this Grand Lodge, whereby they may become active, energetic and a valuable asset.

"I recommend that charters be issued to Saint John Lodge, No. 30, and Drummond Lodge, No. 28, in lieu of warrants under which they are working."

"In concluding, he thanks the officers and members of the order for their assistance, and says:—I have no hesitation in expressing the opinion that the condition of our order throughout this domain as indicated in the review I have had the honor to place before you, is, with one or two exceptions, fully abreast of the times in which we live and bright with hope of increased usefulness in developing the

PEOPLE OF NOTE



Thomas J. O'Brien

Mr. Thomas J. O'Brien, the newly appointed United States ambassador to Japan, is a lawyer by profession and was born at Jackson, Michigan, on July 30th, 1842. He graduated in law at the University of Michigan in 1865 and immediately began the practice of his profession. He married on September 4th, 1873, Miss Della Howard. Mr. O'Brien made rapid advancement as a lawyer and was counsel for the Grand Rapids and Indianapolis Railroad from 1871 until 1883. He had been minister to Denmark since 1905, when he was appointed to succeed Ambassador Wright as the American representative to Japan. His home is in Grand Rapids, Mich.

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Halifax, N. S., Aug. 26.—There is a likelihood tonight of a general strike along the Halifax waterfront, caused by the action of the longshoremen employed by Rickford & Black, who stopped work at noon today on account of the company employing a non-union man. The men, sixty in number, were engaged in discharging cargo from the steamer Kaituma, which arrived yesterday from Jamaica, Santiago and the West Indies. At noon they notified the company they would stop work unless they discharged the man. The company refused to do so, and the men went out, and no effort is being made for a settlement. The employers say they will not go back until the man is discharged. The strikers are carrying on a strike of their own accord, and are not being supported by the men's demand.

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LIPTON LIKELY TO CHALLENGE FOR CUP

New York, Aug. 26.—A special cable from Dublin today to the Sun says: "When it was rumored at Kingston the other day that Sir Thomas Lipton was about to challenge for the America's cup through the Royal Irish Yacht Club, the story was not believed. The officers of the club doubted it and the secretary was so certain it was not true that he authorized the publication of a contradiction. The Sun correspondent is in a position to state that the rumor has a foundation in fact.

WEDDINGS

A very pretty wedding took place on the 19th, at Smith's Cove (N. S.), the summer home of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Flagg of this city, when their daughter, Winnifred Wells, was united in marriage to Robert Edgar Hills, of West Newton (Mass.). Rev. Mr. Glendinning officiating. The bride was becomingly gowned in white tulle and silk, with hat to match and carried a bouquet of roses. The parlor was transformed into a bower of green, and the wedding party stood under a large bridal veil which a shower of rose leaves fell at the conclusion of the ceremony. The dining room was beautifully decorated with ferns and crimson.

MEMBERSHIP

During the year there were 210 additions to membership and 138 deductions, making a net gain of 72.

The members on June 30th, 1906, were 2,082, and on June 30th, 1907, it was 2,154.

NEW LODGES

On November 12th last St. John Lodge, No. 30, St. John, N. B., was instituted, starting with a membership of forty-three. The officers and members of this lodge are expected to attend the lodge is likely to be one of the best.

LODGES RESUSCITATED

A little more than a year ago Ivanhoe Lodge, No. 7, of Woodville, N. B., surrendered its charter. Through the efforts of Brother Holyoke, who was a member, a number of the former members petitioned for restoration of charter. Their request was complied with. As the members are enthusiastic, and a number of applicants available, it is confidently expected that Ivanhoe will soon be in a prosperous condition.

ROCKAWAY LODGE, No. 23

Rockaway Lodge, No. 23—Last fall the members of Rockaway Lodge, No. 23, Sydney, Nova Scotia, decided to surrender their charter. The Grand Chancellor advised them to reconsider the matter, and they did so. The lodge resumed work, and seems to be getting along better than formerly.

SUBORDINATE LODGE CONSTITUTION

Owing to a revision of laws by the supreme lodge, a revision of the constitution was necessary. This I made, and submitted a copy to the committee on law and supervision. The committee will report thereon.

BOSTON, 1908

The next convention of the supreme lodge will be held in Boston on the first Tuesday in August, 1908. The members of the order in this domain should arrange to take advantage of this favorable opportunity of witnessing and taking part in the great parade, and enjoying the pleasures of camp life for a few days. Many in this domain have frequently expressed a desire to attend the convention, but are unable to do so because of the expense. If you go, you will be happy; if you don't go, when the boys come back and tell you the great time they had, you will be sorry you were not in Boston the first week in August, 1908.

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A Raspberry Seal will be held this evening by the Ladies' Aid Society of Carmarthen street Methodist Church at Mrs. Robertson's on Wentworth street.

OPERA HOUSE ATTRACTIONS

The Klark Urban Company will on Monday next open a week's engagement in the Opera House. They will open in Labor Day matinee. The Bonnie Briar Bush will be the Opera House attraction Sept. 9, 10 and 11. Robert Mantell is coming to the Opera House Sept. 18 for five performances including The Merchant of Venice.

ROUTE OF THE FIREMEN'S PARADE

At a meeting of the fire department in No. 1 Hook and Ladder station last night Chief Kerr presided. Details of the approaching tournament were decided on and the executive was given full power to complete arrangements. The route of the procession Monday forenoon was laid out as follows: From King street east to Went-

REV. DR. RALPH BRECKEN DEAD

Toronto, Aug. 26.—The death of Rev. Dr. Ralph Brecken occurred in Toronto General Hospital tonight. Deceased came to Toronto six years ago from the maritime provinces where he held important pastoral and university appointments at various times. The family consists of widow, one daughter, Kate, and two sons, Rev. Egerton, and Paul.

THE COUNTY CONVENTION OF THE W. C. T. U.

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THE EVENING TIMES, ST. JOHN, N. B. TUESDAY, AUGUST 27, 1907.

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THE WEATHER

Forecast--Today and Wednesday, moderate to fresh west to northwest winds, fair and comparatively cool. Synopsis--Since yesterday morning a few local showers have occurred in the Maritime provinces, chiefly confined to the eastern portion, but the weather generally has been fine. Winds to Banks and American ports, moderate to fresh west and northwest. Salbreux, west, 14 miles, cloudy.

Local Weather Report at Noon. Tuesday, Aug. 27, 1907. Highest temperature during last 24 hours 64. Lowest temperature during last 24 hours 50. Humidity at noon 66. Wind at noon 12 degrees (S.W.) 2.54 miles per hour. Clouds. Some drizzle last year--highest temperature 62, lowest 56, fog and rain. D. L. HUTCHINSON, Director.

THIS EVENING

Motion pictures, illustrated songs and banjo solos at the Nickel. Happy Half Hour moving picture show. Performance at the Odeon. Victoria Roller Rink. Raspberry Social in Carmarthen street Methodist church.

NOTICE TO ADVERTISERS

Advertising for Saturday's Issue During the Summer Months Must Reach this Office Before 6 O'clock Friday Afternoon. Positively no Changes Can be Handled if Held Back Until Saturday Morning.

LATE LOCALS

John Balcon, a former St. John man, died in Boston last Sunday.

Steamer Yale arrived this morning early and landed 379 passengers. She leaves tonight with a full return list.

Mrs. Chas. A. M. Strange, a former resident of Carleton, but who has for many years been living in Boston, died on board a steamer on the 26th instant, while on the way to Provincetown.

The interment of Rev. William Doherty, who died on Tuesday last, took place in Mount Pleasant cemetery, Bangor, last Friday morning.

Word has been received here that Fireman W. Wordly of the C. P. R., a former St. John man, was killed in an accident which occurred near Muskoka, Bangor, the engine having gone through the temporary trestle.

The Brass and String Bands of the No. 1 Corps, of the Salvation Army in charge of Ensign Cornish, assisted by Ensign Birch of the Boston Home Staff, will conduct a special musical meeting in the Army Barracks at Carleton Wednesday night.

Yesterday's Bangor Commercial says: "Indications point to a large crowd to go from Bangor to St. John to attend the firemen's muster and horse races Sept. 1. The special train leaves Bangor at eight o'clock Sunday morning, Sept. 1. A large number of firemen as well as other residents of Bangor, Brewer, Old Town, Bar Harbor and other Maine towns will make the trip."

A jolly camping party returned to the city yesterday after spending a week at "Chief View Camp," Loch Lomond. The party consisted of Miss Fannie Cairns, Miss Hasy Cairns, Miss Maud Dalry, Miss Ethel Dalry, Miss Jessie Craig, Miss Margaret Mosher, Brookline, Mass.; Miss Florence Mitchell, Moncton; Mrs. Porter and Miss Annie Gathers.

PERSONALS

Miss Grace Fitzgerald, of the Nova Scotia Telephone Co.'s staff in Halifax, is visiting. Miss Sadie Kenny, 209 Germain street.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry W. Tower, wish to thank their many friends for kindness and sympathy in their recent bereavement.

Fred A. Lawson, for six years in the employ of R. G. Dun & Co. in this city, left yesterday for Winnipeg to join the company's staff in that city. Mr. Lawson's work in St. John brought him into touch with the citizens generally, and he had a very wide circle of friends who wish him success in the west. He was an active member of the Royal Kennebecasis Yacht Club.

Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Martin, of Grand Manan, N. B., announce the engagement of their daughter, Emma Louise, to Miss Brougham F. Johnson, M. D., of Norton, N. B.

Miss Edythe Cumming has returned home, having spent a pleasant vacation in Fredericton, the guest of her brother.

Mrs. George Garnett and children have returned from their summer home, Garnett Settlement.

General Superintendent Downie of the C. P. R. went to Megantic last evening.

Fred A. Lawson left last evening for Winnipeg to enter the employ of R. G. Dun & Co. there.

Miss Lily May Shevan, of Westmount (Que.), arrived in the city yesterday and is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Shevan, Summer street.

Misses May and Mina Kelley returned yesterday after a pleasant visit to Grand Manan, where they were the guests of Dr. and Mrs. Frank E. Smith, Point De-Net cottage, North Head.

Miss Gertrude MacDonald, court stenographer, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. John Newell of Boston, returned yesterday on the steamer Aurora from Grand Manan.

Dr. E. G. S. Draper and wife of Philadelphia, who have been spending part of the summer at Brown's Falls, will leave on the steamer Yale tonight for their home.

Miss Jennie Burns, Elm street, came home yesterday after a vacation spent at Upper Gagetown.

Professor J. A. Cowan, president of the Kansas City Conservatory of Music and Art, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joshua E. Cowan, of the North End. He will leave for Boston on the Yale this evening.

Mrs. McGaffigan, Miss McGaffigan and Miss Bessie McGaffigan are on a visit to the Annapolis valley.

ENJOYABLE OUTING

The Water Lily Club of Perry's Point held a most enjoyable outing last Thursday on the beautiful grounds of Hedley Dickson, so pleasantly situated between the Kennebecasis and Hammond rivers. After a beautiful repast under the spreading "beech-nut" trees, to which all did ample justice, games were indulged in, among the most interesting being the fat woman's race, the winner being the lady of the greatest avoirdupois, and a general favorite in the neighborhood. As the day declined and the party repaired to the hay carts for the homeward trip one and all declared it to be the event of the season.

LEASING THE CITY'S LAND

Is the Safety Board or the Director Right in the Matter.

The aldermen are wrestling with the problem of what shall be done with certain city property on the Manswagosh Road. An application was received at the safety board meeting last evening from R. P. Hamm, offering \$60 a year rental for a lease of the property known as the Mott lease. This lot of land was formerly leased by H. H. Mott, and the buildings thereon were burned about two years ago. Since that time there has been no tenant. There was considerable discussion on the matter last night, and it was finally decided by a vote of 5 to 2 to give Mr. Hamm a lease for \$75 a year.

Some of the aldermen not at the meeting, however, were of the opinion that a greater revenue should be derived from this property. It consists of twelve acres of good farm land, with a frontage of 600 feet on the Manswagosh Road. There is also a space at the rear for a reserve road.

Director Wisely's plan is to divide the property into building lots and rent them separately, as it is claimed there would be great difficulty in disposing of them, as it is a desirable location.

The contention of those who support the recommendation is that Mr. Hamm will put up fine residences, costing in the vicinity of \$5,000, and that this would tend to increase the value of adjoining lots owned by the city.

Judging by the adverse comment, however, it is possible that the council will throw out the recommendation on the ground that the city's interests would be better conserved by following the plan laid down by the director.

NO HURRY ABOUT A NEW DIRECTOR

Aldermen Satisfied With Present Happy-Go-Lucky System of Affairs.

Several interesting matters are likely to be brought before the board of public works at their regular monthly meeting tonight. The committee appointed to consider the applications for the vacancy in the directorship are expected to deliver a report, but so far as can be learned they are not unanimous on any of the applicants. Some support F. W. Holt, others favor W. Z. Earle, while several are inclined to think that one or two of the applicants from outside the city would be good men for the position. Not one, it is understood, is in favor of the appointment of the former director, R. H. Cushing. It is altogether likely that no appointment will be made until the first of the year, and that the heads of the departments will be considered.

Another matter that will require the attention of the members of the board is the allocation of berths to the steamships for the approaching winter season. Chairman McGoldrick has received several communications from the General Superintendent of the C. P. R. and Wm. Thomson & Co. asking that this matter of allocating berths be decided as soon as possible so that the necessary arrangements may be made for the winter season. No answer has yet been received by the city from the C. P. R. regarding the allocation of berths at Sand Point. A number of matters of routine will also occupy the attention of the board.

CELEBRATE THEIR GOLDEN WEDDING

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Having spent twenty years in the employ of Samuel and Thomas Jordan, Mr. Farmer started business for himself, as a lumber dealer, on Portland bridge, in 1889, and after a successful career retired in the year 1895.

Mr. Farmer was born in St. John on the 4th July, twenty-seven years ago, and there is only a few months difference in age between himself and his wife.

Mr. and Mrs. Farmer moved into their present home just six months after they were married. The house which is still practically as good as the day it was finished is a landmark in the history of the old town of Portland. Mr. Farmer says that when he first moved into it, Main street looked very different from what it does today. Directly opposite--on the site now occupied by No. 5 engine house, stood a barn, and the nearest house was that of William Murray on the north-east corner of Acadia street, and on either side of the thoroughfare were fences, such as those commonly seen in the country districts. Shoe stores, hardware stores and dry goods shops were not to be found in Portland in those days and if one desired to purchase such articles they had to "go to town," as they called it then.

It might also be noted that Mr. Farmer, whose photo accompanies this sketch, has for a number of years filled the office of secretary of the Union Hall Association in a very acceptable manner.

Prior to her marriage, Mrs. Farmer was Miss Elizabeth Johnston, daughter of the late James Johnston. Both bride and groom were born in this city where they have resided all their lives. Their groomsmen was Samuel Jordan, and the bride-maid was Mrs. John Johnston, now a sister-in-law of Mrs. Farmer.

The children of the happy couple--all of whom are living and at home--are R. C. Farmer, of the customs house, A. B. Farmer, of Tapley Bros. and Misses Bessie Annie and Alice Farmer.

This afternoon the aged couple are holding a reception from four until six o'clock and in the evening a family gathering will be held.

The house has been beautifully decorated for the occasion which will be an important epoch in the family history.

Newman Brook Tournament

Last evening at the Newman Brook club grounds, J. Hurley and A. Wilson won two out of three games of quoits from the leaders, H. C. Olive and C. Richardson. The standing of the teams follows:--

Won. Lost. H. C. Olive and C. Richardson, 4 2. J. Hurley and A. Wilson, 3 3. J. Thornton and E. Black, 3 3. M. Akery and S. McCord, 1 5.

Messrs. Akery and McCord will play against J. Hurley and Wilson on Wednesday evening.

The tug Lord Kitchener brought up this morning the bell buoy from its anchorage, off the eastern end of Partridge Island, to be refilled with acetylene gas. It will be replaced at once.

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