

MARITIME BAPTIST CONVENTION BEING LARGELY ATTENDED

Reports of Various Committees Submitted and Plans Adopted for Work of Ensuing Year—Officers Elected and New Committees.

MARITIME BAPTISTS Special to The Standard

Fredericton, Oct. 16—The Sunday services at the Brunswick Street Baptist Church, in connection with the Maritime Baptist Convention, were largely attended. The convention...

Rev. H. C. Wall, Dr. J. P. Tutta, Rev. W. A. Newcombe, D. D., Rev. A. T. Dykeman, M. A., Mrs. Allice Shaw, Chaplain; Mrs. M. S. Cox. This was adopted.

New President Welcomed The retiring president, Rev. J. H. MacDonald, then welcomed the new president, Rev. Z. L. Fish, of the George Street Baptist church, Fredericton, who fittingly replied. The new president, under the law, will take up his duties with the new year. He will, however, be a member of all committees ex-officio.

The report of the correspondence committee was then presented and adopted. The Brunswick Street Church has six times had the conventional gatherings within its walls during the 107 years of its history.

The Rev. Dr. Shearer at St. David's Church Secretary of the Social Service Council of Canada Preach Interesting Sermon.

The Reverend J. G. Shearer, D. D., secretary of the Social Service Council of Canada, addressed the Maritime Baptist church yesterday morning at St. David's in the evening. Mr. Shearer's visit to St. John was made on route to Fredericton where he will address a Baptist Conference there today. Although Mr. Shearer's headquarters are in Toronto, he has of late been engaged in his duties in the maritime provinces. He recently assisted in the Prohibition campaign conducted in Nova Scotia, and spoke with much force for the Prohibition cause in several sections of the province. Prior to that he addressed the Baptist Conference in Prince Edward Island, and is to leave Fredericton for Nova Scotia, where he is scheduled to address a Conference there.

Funerals The funeral of Mrs. Jane Macphail took place Saturday afternoon from the Mission church of St. John the Baptist at Cedar Hill. Services were conducted by Rev. John V. Young. The funeral of Mrs. J. T. Brown was held yesterday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from her late residence 155 Prince street, West St. John. The services were conducted by Rev. Isaac Brindley. A service at the home was also conducted by Jewel Rebecca Lodge, I. O. O. F. Intermment was in Cedar Hill cemetery.

Died RYBALLACK—Suddenly on the 14th instant, Richard Ryballack, leaving a wife, one son and two daughters, mourn. Notice of funeral to follow. Please omit flowers.

Obituary CHARLES DONALDSON The death of Charles Donaldson took place Saturday morning at the General Hospital. Only four days ago, his wife went to their home, 271 George street, from the hospital. Seven children also survive, of whom the youngest is ten months and requires hospital treatment. The family is in very straitened circumstances.

Could Not Eat Constipation is caused by a torpid condition of the liver. Do not waste time, castor oil, etc., to move the bowels, cannot afford more than temporary relief. If you are to rid yourself of this ailment and the scourge of annoying symptoms and diseases which come in its wake, it is necessary to get the liver right by such treatment as is suggested in this letter:

Mrs. Alvin Richards, R. R. No. 1, Sealey's Bay, Ont., writes: "For two years I was afflicted with indigestion, and in the morning when I got up my head was bad. I had a poor appetite, and I lost weight. I tried many different medicines, but they did not help. I finally found Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills, which I have been taking for some time. I can highly recommend them to anyone suffering with constipation or indigestion."

Mrs. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills are a box of Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills, which is a box of Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills, which is a box of Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills.

PERCY AND FERDIE—Self Preservation Is the First Law of Nature. MADAM, TAKE MY SEAT! YOU ARE VERY KIND, SIR. NOT AT ALL, MADAM. IT ISN'T KINDNESS, IT'S SIMPLY SELF DEFENSE.

BABY'S OWN SOAP



Cleansing Healing Fragrant BEST-BABY SOAP YOU

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Digby Pastor at Germain St. Church

Rev. D. E. Hatt Preached at Both Morning and Evening Services Yesterday. The Rev. D. E. Hatt, pastor of the Digby Baptist church, conducted both the morning and evening services at the Germain street Baptist church yesterday in the absence of the pastor, Rev. S. S. Poole, who was absent in Fredericton attending the United Baptist conference being held there.

Old People

Bio-Phosphate feeds the nerve and old people need it to make them feel and look younger. It's the one best nerve and brain tonic, and is why Rose Drug Co. guarantees it.

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MACKENZIE KING FAILED TO HOLD HIS AUDIENCE

(Continued from page 1.) directors of subsidiary companies which had received orders for railway supplies. He did not consider that this was correct. In his opinion those men should not retain their connection with such companies. Mr. King, however, would not make any charge of corruption against any member of the board of the National Railway System.

In touching upon the tariff policy of the opposition, the Liberal leader proceeded to demonstrate with the assistance of a book and pencil that he believed that would keep the big American interests out of Canada and the industrial concerns now existing in this country in Canada. The speaker nevertheless, artfully dodged giving any definite assurance as to where his party actually stood on this question. Mr. King deprecated the railway policy adopted by Premier McLaughlin and Sir Robert Borden. He stated that the McLaughlin Government had had the benefit in connection with the Government railways on the Liberal administration, but that this was going a long way back.

Premier Foster's Effort Premier Foster blamed the Government for not having diverted any freight to this city by means of the Valley Railway, but made no mention of the fact that the bridge at Fredericton in its present condition did not permit the passing of heavy freight over it. He also voiced his belief that those interested in the Grand Trunk railway line to Portland were partly financially instrumental in the development of the harbor and facilities for handling freight at that point on the Maine coast. The speaker ably testified to the fact that the money used for the development of the pier and harbor works there was contributed by the Government of the United States and that of the State of Maine.

Mr. King Power said that the Government had not done sufficient for the returned soldiers. He criticized the re-establishment scheme which had been the result of the efforts of the McLaughlin Government and declared he would always look after the interests of returned soldiers.

ENTIRELY NEW TREATMENT FOR BRONCHITIS, CATARRH, AND INTERNAL MEDICINE TO TAKE Years ago the profession fought Catarrh by internal doses. This upset the stomach and didn't remove the trouble. The modern treatment consists of breathing the healing, soothing essence of Catarrhons, which goes instantly to the source and the trouble. Catarrhons is successful, because it penetrates where liquid medicines can't go. The balsamic vapor of Catarrhons drives out the germs, soothes the irritation, relieves the cough, makes Catarrhal troubles disappear quickly. For bad throat, coughs, bronchitis, Catarrhons is the wonder. Two months' treatment, one dollar. Small size, 50c. Sold everywhere, or The Catarrhons Co. Montreal.

NEW YORK MAKES PLANS TO MEET FOOD SHORTAGE

Will Commandeer All Food Hoards and Oversee Their Fair Distribution. THIS CONTINGENT ON RAILROAD STRIKE

New York, Oct. 16—Although it is believed there is not the remotest likelihood of an actual famine in New York City, regardless of the extent of the proposed railroad strike the Municipal Government, through its Health Department, will commandeer all food hoards and oversee their fair distribution, if necessary should arise. Although little of New York's vast daily ration is ordinary carried by water, there is available many vessels of large aggregate capacity to ply the Hudson River, which ordinarily may be expected to remain navigable until late in November, and further coastwise freight boats, which do not usually carry much of food freight, could be so utilized to the great relief of a dangerous situation.

Dr. Royal S. Copeland, Health Commissioner, declared his department hoards and declared his department stocks of food wherever they may be found in the city and supervise their distribution, at fair prices to the people, should the strike bring a crisis in provisioning the city's millions. Doctor Copeland pointed out to other City world so dependent as New York on uninterrupted maintenance transportation food.

At least two million Russians or Americans of Russian descent in the United States and probably one million in Europe, outside of Russia, will be able to now assist those left in Russia. Hoover said "Their requests have been insisted for some time, and the callgram just received from Moscow confirms the agreement. A plan has been established to meet this need, and at the same time provide additional support to destitute children. Under this plan, Hoover indicated, anyone who remits funds by mail only, payable to American Relief Administration on New York draft, money order or certified check in sums not less than \$100, though American Relief Administration offices in New York, Washington and London for the benefit of any person or group in Russia.

Those Who Drink Japans should surely try "SALADA" GREEN TEA. It is green tea in perfection—fresh, clean and flavoury. Superior to the finest Japans you ever tasted. Sold by all Grocers.

MAY SEND FOOD TO RELATIVES IN RUSSIA. Washington, Oct. 16—The Soviet authorities have agreed to allow persons in the United States and elsewhere to send food to relatives and friends in Russia through the American administration, Herbert Hoover announced today.

CASTORIA For Infants and Children. Mothers Know That Genuine Castoria Always Bears the Signature of Dr. J. C. Hathorn. In Use For Over Thirty Years. CASTORIA THE CENTAUR COMPANY, NEW YORK CITY.

'ROYAL NAVY' CUT PLUG. BEST VALUE FOR 15¢. FINEST QUALITY Rich-Ripe-Mellow Virginia Tobacco.

Football Game At Fredericton. High School Defeated School 16-0—U. N. Moncton Next Saturday.

Victor MacAuley Won The Marston Race. Halifax, Oct. 16—Victor MacAuley won the annual Marston race, which was held at the Marston grounds, on Saturday afternoon. He won by a margin of 150 yards, defeating MacAuley, Tord of 55.33 was established by MacAuley.

Local Bowling Games Yesterday. In the Wellington League the G. W. Y. always stays strong, capturing three points from Goose team. The scores follow: Purdie Ice Cream 473 405 404. Rowley ... 98 87 85. H. Steln ... 85 76 86. McGowan ... 87 86 86.

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NEWS

from Nova Scotia, have been motor trip to P. E. Island. Their motor trip to P. E. Island to visit Mr. Fred Webster, is home from work on his vacation.

Several of the teachers attending the institute in Chatham.

Friday evening of last week a party of the town folks motored to the town of Moncton.

After partaking of a dainty supper at the home of the bride's mother, Mr. and Mrs. Gulliver motored to the town of Moncton.

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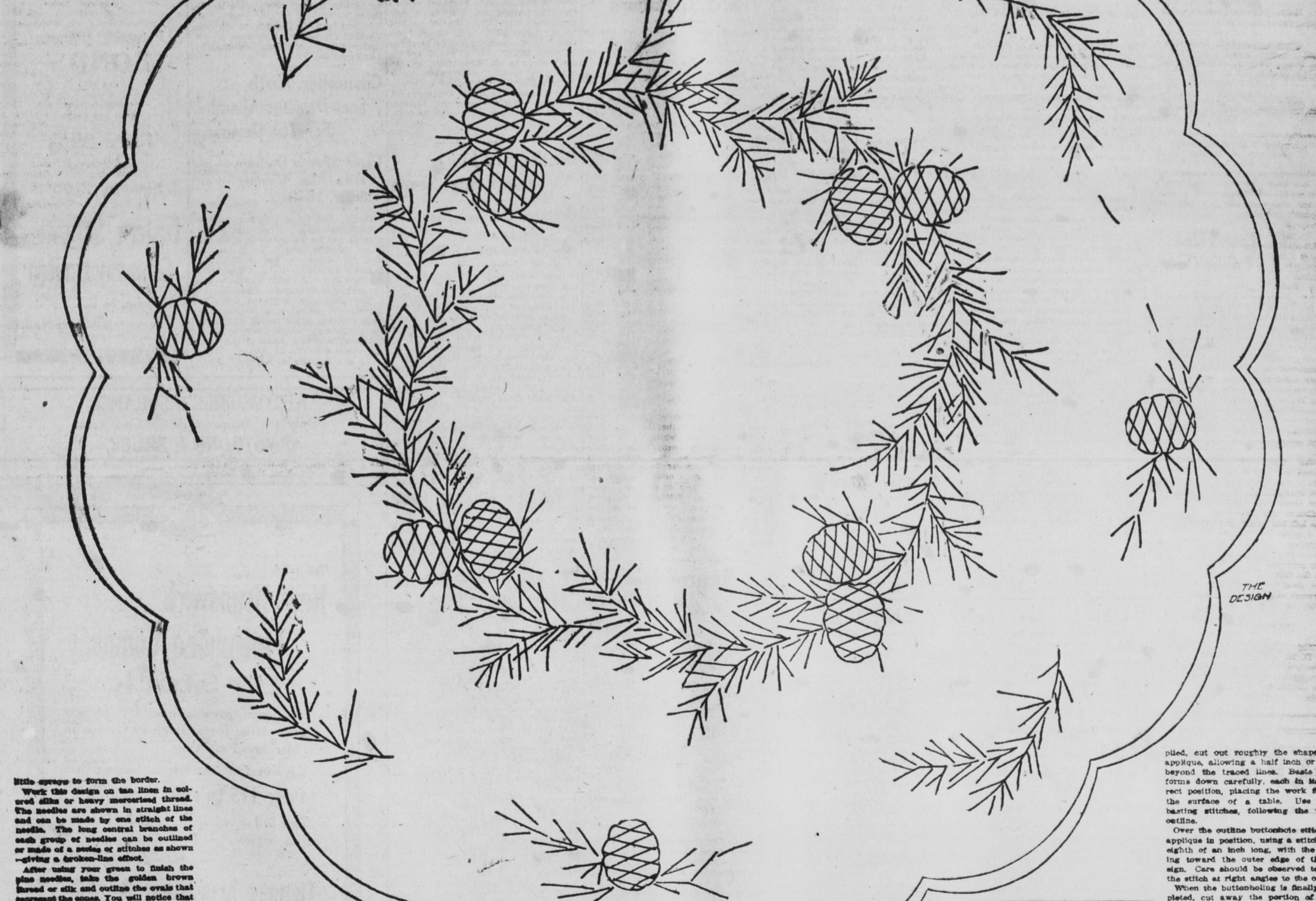
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For the INDUSTRIOUS NEEDLEWOMAN By ADELAIDE BYRD



A PINE CONE CENTERPIECE

Designed by E. J. BUCHANAN



With a green to form the border. Work this design on two linen in colored silk or heavy mercerized thread.

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New Applique Work

APPLIQUE needlework has long been considered among the most fascinating varieties of needlework.

For the Guest Room

IF YOU have a guest room there are many attractive articles you can make to add comfort and beauty to the room.

The Fashionable Girdle

IN THE realm of dress, fashion has endeavored almost every type with a dash of girly and at this point there is waiting for the needlewoman disaster or success.

How to Transfer

HERE are suggestions for transferring the pattern before you cut to any material before working.

Cuticura Soap The Safety Razor Shaving Soap

THE STANDARD'S FINANCIAL SECTION

Moscow Will Reject World Credit Offer

Krasine Says Brussels Demand is Inacceptable.

Paris, Oct. 15.—Moscow intends to reject the proposal by the International Finance Commission...

There is no use sending a commission to study conditions in the Volga region in November and December...

Franklin K. Lane Fund Open To Public Gifts

Trust to Accrue to Mrs. Lane Then to Social Work.

Washington, D. C., Oct. 15.—Doubtless to open the Franklin K. Lane Memorial Fund to public participation...

SATURDAY'S MONTREAL MARKET BRISK WITH ACTIVE TRADING

National Breweries Headed the List, With Detroit United and Asbestos Performing to the Satisfaction of the Bulls—Southern Canada Power Co. Fairly Active in Unlisted Stocks.

Special to The Standard Montreal, Oct. 15.—In the unlisted department of the Montreal Stock Exchange during the past week the stock of the Southern Canada Power Company was again fairly active and strong, closing at 29 1/2 to 30.

The fiscal year of the company ended September 30, and it is expected that the earnings for the twelve months ending will show an improvement in gross earnings of about 12 per cent...

The outstanding feature of the dealings in the unlisted section of the general stock exchange today was the trading in Frontenac Breweries. The demand carrying the price up to 71 1/2, a new high on the present movement...

Reaction Expected. The volume of trading in the local market this morning for a Saturday session was fairly good, making a total of close to 5,000 shares...

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Canada Steamships preferred was firmer at 51, in anticipation of next week's announcement of the new 7 per cent bond issue, which is expected to be at par. Other changes were without particular significance...

Cotton Market (Compiled by McDougall & Cowans, 58 Prince Wm. St.) High Low Close May 18.65 18.43 18.53 July 18.30 18.03 18.03 October 19.10 18.03 19.07 December 19.45 19.08 19.21

N. Y. Gem Salesman Robbed of \$60,000

Sol Kaufman Bound, Gagged in St. Louis Hotel.

St. Louis, Oct. 15.—Sol Kaufman, a traveling jewelry merchant of New York, after being found bound and gagged in his room at a hotel here, as reported, according to police, that he had been robbed of virtually his entire stock of jewelry, valued at \$60,000. The jewelry was insured for \$30,000, he said.

Kaufman, according to police, explained it was his custom to lock his stock of jewelry in his trunk at night instead of putting it in the hotel safe. He was awakened, he added, about 7:30 o'clock, and when he opened his door to go to the bathroom he found himself to be bound and gagged. Strips were torn from the bed cloth, his hands were bound and a gag was placed in his mouth, he said.

N. Y. Quotations

Table of N. Y. Quotations for various commodities like Am Sugar, Asphalts, Am Sum, etc.

Wirth Mortgage Plan Fails With Socialists

Want Direct Participation of Government in Industry.

Berlin, Oct. 15.—Chancellor Wirth is expected to make public further details and explanation of the German mortgage loan scheme in an address, when it is estimated he will amplify what he said at Baden recently regarding the Government's scheme for closing the breach between capital and labor by certain tax measures.

The Socialists, however, continue to demand direct Government participation in German industry, declaring that only by such a scheme will the workers reap the benefit of the return of the so-called gold values. But the Socialists have failed thus far to offer a workable scheme for this Government participation in industry and have failed to answer the objections raised by the manufacturers that Government participation would involve the issuance of paper securities that would not give to it any greater returns than are to be had by the usual methods of direct taxation.

Bootleggers' List Shows Huge Trade

Captured Delivery Slips Tell Where Liquor is to be Sent—Restaurants on Books.

New York, Oct. 15.—Evidence of the open manner in which bootleggers have been operating in New York was disclosed recently by Hugh McQuillan, the chief of the special intelligence unit of the Internal Revenue Bureau. Delivery slips obtained by Chief McQuillan's agents in the arrest of several alleged bootleggers in the Manhattan City ward carried specific instructions, presumably for truck drivers telling them how and where the liquor was to be delivered.

Foch To Accept All Invitations

Famous French General Would Like to Visit Every State.

Paris, Oct. 15.—Marshal Foch would be compelled to travel more than 20,000 miles and visit nearly every state in the American Union if he should accept all the invitations he has received from the United States since it was announced that he would cross the Atlantic this fall. Friends who will call upon the Marshal are shown a stack of invitations more than a foot thick, which he has received. There are hundreds of them, including greetings from governors of various states, mayors of many cities, public bodies of every sort and private messages from prominent residents of the United States.

Chancellor Wirth Sees Disaster Ahead For The Germans

Upper Silesian Decision More Than the Country Can Stand, He Says.

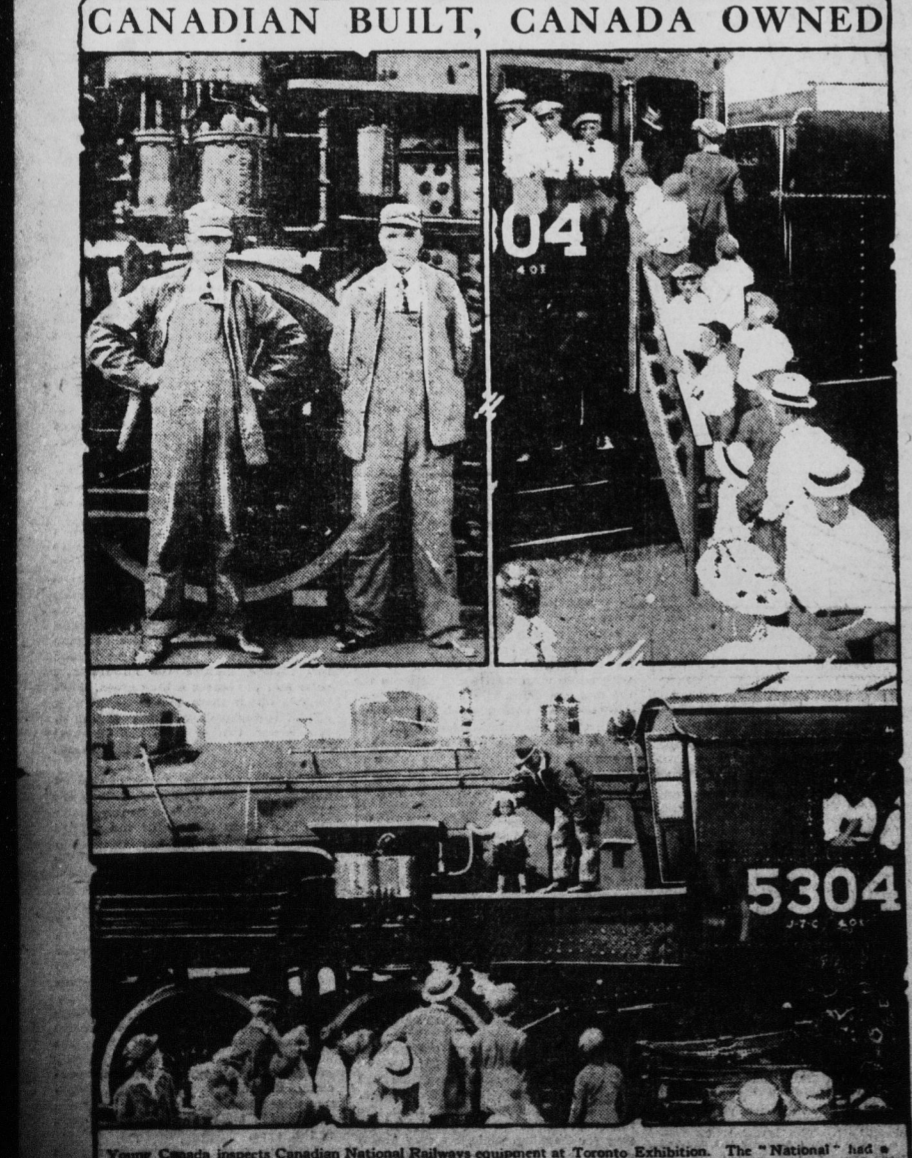
Berlin, Oct. 15.—"My God what a terrible calamity," Chancellor Wirth burst out as he received a United News correspondent in his private office just after he had delivered a general statement to correspondents on the Upper Silesian situation and the reported territorial decision. The Chancellor betrayed every indication of extreme agitation and deep emotion as he talked of the decision through which Germany, if it declared, will lose some of the most important districts of Silesia. "It is a disaster to Europe," Wirth declared in a statement to newspapermen.

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Young Canada inspects Canadian National Railway's equipment at Toronto Exhibition. The "National" had a combined locomotive, steel sleeping and dining cars there for the inspection of the coming Canadian public.

Montreal Sales

Table of Montreal Sales for various commodities like Atlantic Sugar, Asbestos, etc.

Wheat Market

Table of Wheat Market prices for various grades like Wheat, Corn, etc.

Washington, Oct. 13.—The National unemployment conference, resuming its sessions today, after a ten-day recess, will be asked by Secretary of Commerce Hoover to recommend a reduction in both railroad rates and wages, as one of the permanent measures for relieving unemployment, it was learned. Hoover, who is guiding the conference, has come to the conclusion that the business depression cannot be relieved until railroad rates are brought down from their high level. Railroads executives assert major reductions are impossible under present operating costs, and that wages must be cut.

New York Leads U.S. in 1919 Production

Washington, D. C., Oct. 13.—Products of manufacturing industries in the United States in 1919 were valued at \$62,910,000,000, the Census Bureau announced today. There were 229,768 establishments enumerated. The number of establishments numbered 9,103,300. Capitalization of the concerns listed was \$37,372,534,000. Production in the United States was just about at its peak when the survey was made, officials said. New York State led all other States in the value of products with \$8,875,000,000, the sum exceeding by \$1,500,000,000 the value of output by Pennsylvania, which ranked second. Other big producers of manufacturing goods among the States were Ohio, \$5,100,000,000; Illinois, \$5,374,000,000; Massachusetts, \$4,000,000,000; New Jersey, \$3,580,000,000; Michigan, \$3,447,000,000. In New York 1,537,500 wage earners were employed out of a total of 3,102,200 for the entire country.

Government Delegates Agreement. Conference Adjournment of Two Sub-Committees Relating to Observational Points Remain. (United Press.) London, Oct. 15.—The Government and Irish peace delegates have been unable to reach an agreement regarding the continued war of the truce between the British and the Irish Republican Army and Crown forces. The question is settled on a note set down to the main issues. The problem will be made. Following the sudden adjournment of the main conference, a brief morning session, two sub-committees were set up to discuss the truce. Greater verbal points therefore remain untouched. One sub-committee already before the main body a report on the Government's claims regarding the cause of peace. Certain resolutions are proposed in this report, there is a wide divergence of opinion on the issue, each side blaming the other. Sinn Fein delegates recently to accept the responsibility for the recent outbreak, declared Black and Tan forces were guilty. After a hurried morning session the report was adopted, which had arisen in procedure. Declares That Soviet Cannot Be Trusted. British Concerns Fail to Gain the Return of Property. London, Oct. 15.—The board of directors of the Russia Asiatic Ltd., announced today, chairman of the company, Lord Curzon, has failed to reach an agreement with the Moscow Government for the return of the company's property and working capital in the country. Mr. Curzon declared that as the Communist party continues to refuse to accept the responsibility for the return of the company's property and working capital in the country, the company will be rendered inoperative. Accompanying the announcement was a copy of a letter which Curzon had sent to Leonid Krasine, Minister of Trade and Commerce, explaining the importance of any dealings with the Soviet Government and informing him that the company was continuing to operate against Russia for the benefit of the Soviet Government. In his report Mr. Curzon was continuously engaged for weeks at Moscow with a trade and economic commission appointed by the Soviet and that the de-cession agreement was put into one of the clauses was able to agree on, as it was a tie between the Soviet that a contract must be made with a profit. "As a result, there can be no agreement with the Soviet Government after the terms of his contract are absolutely fulfilled. The Russian Council of Professionals, supported by the Cheka, is for political instrument for Soviet Russian workers the extreme plea of international com- through the Government's action. "Instead of permitting a worker employer to come together to their differences amicably, as past the contract with the Russian Council is intended to keep employers and workers apart, placing the workers interests against the interests of the employer."

AROUND THE CITY

APPLIES BY AUCTION
Auction was continued on Saturday morning at 11.30 to 12.30.

LOTS WERE WITHDRAWN
Two lots of land at the corner of Garmah and Harding streets were offered for sale Saturday morning at Chubb's Corner by Auctioneer Potts and were withdrawn at \$1,450 each.

COURTNEY BAY ACCIDENT.
An accident happened on Saturday afternoon at Courtney Bay when a motor launch No. 3 which was being covered collapsed, owing to one of the stays breaking, injuring David Campbell, the driver of the launch, and bringing some of the other workers.

STORY TELLING.
Dr. William McInnes, curator of the Natural History Museum was the story teller Saturday at about 8.15 at the children's library. He showed Indian curios and related to the children many beautiful and interesting Indian legends.

NORTH END FIRES.
The north end fire department was called out twice yesterday morning. Once at 9 o'clock to a small fire in the shingles on the roof of a house belonging to the Banking property on Adelaide road and later at 10.30 to another small blaze which was in the gravel strip on the roof of the rolling Mills. Very little damage was done in either fire.

WATER MAIN BREAK.
The residents of Indiantown were without water for the greater part of the day on Saturday on account of a break in the water main near the corner of Main and Bridge streets. The break was discovered early Saturday morning and a gang of men rushed right over to fix it but it was five o'clock in the afternoon before repairs were completed and the water turned on again.

PRINCE EDWARD STREET.
The concrete foundation for the paving in Prince Edward street has been completed and granite blocks in the walk section on the eastern side have been laid in at Clarence street. Commissioner Pritch says that he is in a hurry to start the surfacing of that side of the street today. He intends to concentrate all his available forces on the work so as to complete it before the frost intervenes.

A BRAVE ACT.
Saturday morning William T. Wallace performed a heroic act when he saved the life of a child. He rescued the four year old son of William Rogers, 61 Water street West St. John. The boy was playing about John Drenth's wharf in King street and fell over the side at Clarence street. The accident jumped into the water and both were pretty well exhausted when they reached the wharf.

ROTHSAY COUNCIL.
At a meeting of the residents of the newly incorporated village of Rothsay, held in the consolidated school Saturday, Joseph Kennedy, F. B. Crosby and John E. Shyne were elected as a council for the government of the village as required by the act granting incorporation. The meeting was held at ten o'clock Saturday morning with J. Lee Flowering in the chair.

EVERYTHING READY.
A large number of willing workers were at St. Andrew's Park Saturday night beautifying the interior and completing arrangements so when the Orphanage Fair is opened this evening by Lieut. Governor Pugsley everything will be in first class order. The big rink never presented a better appearance and with the games and numerous booths those in charge can be assured of a large attendance and the patrons may be sure of spending a most enjoyable time every day the big fair is running.

COUNTRY MARKET PRICES.
There was a large supply of country produce in the market Saturday. Chickens were in demand and were being sold for 45c. a pound; fowls went at 40c. a pound; butter from 50 to 55c.; eggs at 15c. and 6c.; a dozen; lamb at 15c. for forequarter and 15c. a pound for hind; veal from 11c. to 14c. a pound; celery at 10c. a head; tomatoes at 10c. a pound; cabbage from 10c. to 12c. a head; pumpkin and squash at 2c. a pound; cauliflower at 20c. and 25c. a head; lettuce at 8c. a head; hot-house cucumbers at 20c.; sweet potatoes, three pounds for 25c.; and apples from 30c. to 50c. a peck.

National Relief Medals Presented

Belgian Gov't Honors Seven Citizens—Presentations by Lieut. Gov. Pugsley.

A most interesting ceremony took place on Saturday afternoon at four o'clock in the mayor's office when His Honor Lieut. Gov. Pugsley presented the National Relief Medal of the Belgian Government to a number of ladies and gentlemen to whom it had been awarded. The Governor before making the presentation referred to the good work which had been done here in connection with relief for the suffering Belgians and congratulated those to whom the medals had been awarded on the recognition of their efforts which had been made by the Belgian authorities. He then called forward Mrs. J. H. Pritch, Miss May Travers and Miss J. H. Pritch, Senator J. W. Daniel, John E. Wilson, G. B. Haddock and Daniel Smith and turned on them the honor of the medals.

Some two years ago Mrs. E. Alford Smith and Mrs. F. H. White received national decorations from the Belgian Government.

MAJOR MARY BOOTH DELIVERED EARNEST ADDRESS IN IMPERIAL

Daughter of General Bramwell Booth of Salvation Army Captivated Audience Yesterday—Work Praised by Lt. Governor Pugsley—Mayor Schofield Welcomed Speaker to Canada.

Three important meetings were held yesterday in the Salvation Army Congress and the attendance at the opening and closing sessions was the largest in the history of the organization for the betterment of humanity. Meetings were held at the Imperial theatre and very fine addresses were given by the visiting officials.

Morning Meeting.
Commissioner Richards was the chief speaker at the morning session which was an excellent address on Abraham, dwelling upon the sacrifice of Isaac, and drawing lessons from this subject. Staff Captain Bryn Smith, who accompanied Major Mary Booth, spoke on the topic, Jacob, giving a very spiritual talk. Colonel McMillan took part in the service. A solo was well rendered by Colonel Aday.

Afternoon Meeting.
It was a most impressive moment when yesterday afternoon at the Imperial Theatre, before a packed house, Major Schofield offered to Major Mary Booth of the Salvation Army, daughter of General Bramwell Booth, welcome to Canada and the thanks of the nation in the name of the Canadian soldiers for her work overseas. It is seldom that a speaker with such a message has been heard on St. John stage, holding a large audience for nearly an hour, moving them to tears and smiles. Miss Booth, in simple words coming straight from the heart told of Canadian boys overseas and what she had been privileged to do for them. Her hearers were in sympathy with her from the first, as introduced by Lieutenant-Governor Pugsley, she stepped to the front of the platform. Miss Booth wore her war uniform of khaki with the Salvation "S" on the shoulder straps. The meeting was opened by Colonel McMillan, of Toronto, who led in prayer. Music was furnished by the Moncton Silver Band No. 1 Corps and No. 3 Corps bands.

Governor Pugsley.
Governor Pugsley paid a fine tribute to the work of the Salvation Army, saying that they were occupied in making the world a better place for people to live in, and could not be too highly praised for the success of their efforts. He told of Miss Booth's splendid work overseas and of its recognition by the British Government.

Major Mary Booth.
Miss Booth, when she was permitted to speak after the ovation extended to her, spoke of the world wide character of the Salvation Army working in every land for people of every color. The folds of the flag wrap all nations as an organization it is young, and in early days of 1882 members suffered persecution, 64 persons being assembled. Its founder was stoned in the streets of Sheffield, but the Army fought for liberty to preach the Gospel and today people take off their hats to members of the Army while on the platform with them at the Lieutenant-Governor of the Province and the Mayor and Commissioners of St. John. Who knows, asked Miss Booth, but that some day the Governor may wear a red jersey?

Secret of Success.
The secret of success has been the firm holding to first principles. The Army believes in the great truths of the Bible, in a heaven and a hell. Wherever the Army is found there is found the Gospel of Jesus, Salvation.

Annual Service of Thanksgiving

Fine Discourse by Rev. H. B. Clarke of Portland Street Methodist Church.

The annual Thanksgiving Service of the Portland Street Methodist church was held yesterday morning and was attended by a large congregation. The pastor, Rev. H. B. Clarke, gave a fine discourse on the subject, "Works together with God." The front of the pulpit was nicely decorated with flowers, fruits and vegetables and in the centre the Provincial Shield won by the Tuxis Boys and the City Cup won by the same body and a smaller cup won by the Tuxis Rangers. Today the vegetables and fruit will be distributed among the poorer families of the congregation. Last night Rev. Mr. Clarke delivered the second of a series of sermons on the ten commandments, dealing with the second.

OPENING OF ORPHANAGE FAIR.
The Protestant Orphanage Fair will be officially opened by His Honor Lieut. Gov. Pugsley in St. Andrew's Park this evening. The opening address will be given at 7.45, so that the fair will get away at 8 o'clock sharp. St. Mary's band will furnish the music and a good crowd is looked for, as in addition to all the old standbys a number of novel attractions have been arranged, including a game of parlor golf and a novelty moving picture performance. The proceeds will be distributed pro rata among the boards of the various Protestant orphanages. Admission 10 cents, season tickets \$1.00 each.

Clifton House, all meals 60c.
Mrs. W. E. McIntyre left on Saturday afternoon for Fredericton where she will attend the Baptist Convention being held there.

Engineers Visit The New Bridge

Resident Engineer C. F. Draper Explains History of Construction.

The first excursion of the season of the St. John Branch of the Engineering Institute of Canada was made to the new cantilever bridge at the Rivermouth Falls on Saturday afternoon.

The members first met at the office of the Resident Engineer, Major C. F. Draper. A short address was given by Major Draper of the history of the construction of the bridge and of the essential and interesting characteristics pertaining to it. He stated that it was first planned to build it between the road bridge and the old railway bridge, but upon looking the site over it was found that the shelf of rock on the eastern side had a big overhang and to make it safe the bridge would have to be 525 feet long, and because of economic reasons the structure was erected on the present site necessitating its being only 450 feet in length as compared to 535 feet on the other side. Each arm of the cantilever is 150 feet long and those arms projecting over the channel support a suspended span also 150 feet in length. The total weight of the main span cantilever is 2,000 tons. The anchor arms are 125 feet long and project from the main pier into the shore. The approach to the bridge weighs 315 tons structure 2,315 tons. There are 6,120 cubic yards of concrete and masonry in the piers. The work of erection is practically finished and only remains some riveting and some painting to be done and the floor of the bridge laid. Another interesting feature of this work is the fact that the bridge is going to be longer than any other of its carrying capacity so that the bridge will be stretched and all the slackness taken out so that the anchor cables, which run on the east side into the concrete, after the strain comes will be concentered in the base up to the bridge. The lead will be left on the bridge for about two weeks until it is cold. The party went over the bridge and inspected it and then the photograph of the party was taken with which the engineers concluded the afternoon.

Canadian Soldier.
Although this is her first visit to the land of the Maple, Major Booth said she knew the heart and soul of the Canadian people as she had known the Canadians overseas. The biggest apple and piece of chocolate went to a Canadian soldier. I have seen your boys under unfavorable circumstances, she said, covered with mud and grime, but always covered with glory. She told of standing on Vimy Ridge and of laying flowers on many graves at the foot of wooden crosses. Over there, the secret of the Army's success was the same as in times of peace. Their work is trying to help, to bless those around them, to show them to the Saviour. To the authorities a man was only a number, to the Salvation Army worker, he was some mother's boy. There was applause when Miss Booth told of the brave English lassie who when her husband was threatened with shell fire, put up a sign "business as usual," and went on trying doughnuts, and of some American girls who, though ordered out of danger, stuck to their post. Many pathetic stories were told of the men's gratitude, not only for the fried eggs and doughnuts, but for the religious infusions which the host carried at all times. Major Booth expressed thanks to the brave Salvation Army Chaplains from Canada, and to the Canadian Red Cross as well as the splendid work done by the Canadian hospitals. There is still the same work to be done, Miss Booth concluded, fighting the ravages of sin and destruction. Millions of people are in darkness and despair waiting for someone to bring Jesus Christ to them. The call of the Army may seem one to poverty, but it is a narrow path leading to eternal riches.

Celebrated The 130th Anniversary

Rev. E. Val Tilton Was Preacher at Queen Square Methodist Church.

Queen Square Church, the mother of Methodism in this city yesterday observed the 130th anniversary of its founding, the preacher of the day being Rev. E. Val Tilton of Central Methodist church, Moncton. Rev. Mr. Tilton was heard with great pleasure and profit by large congregations. In the morning his subject was "Worship" and in the evening "Life's Investment." Basing his remarks at the evening service on Luke 6:38: "Give, and it shall be given unto you; good measure, pressed down, and shaken together, and running over, shall men give into your bosom. For with what measure ye mete it shall be measured to you again." The speaker stated that in ages man had been stimulated to high endeavor in sowing by the sureness of reaping the crop of which they had sown the seed, and the race and the individual needed this stimulus to urge to good work. Christ was, however, not speaking of material things when he uttered the words of the text but of the higher and spiritual things of the universe. History was full of examples of the truth of the text and he named a number of men who had given themselves heart and soul to the pursuit of knowledge and had in return received far more than they had given. The one who had given most was Christ and he was receiving more and more of the result of his labors on earth in the form of men trying to follow out his teachings. Love was irresistible and must eventually conquer the world and all men become brothers.

Church History

Queen Square Methodist Church was organized in 1791 by Rev. John Abraham Bishop and for a time met in the home of William Kelly at the corner of Princess and Charlotte streets. Later a move was made to Germain street. After the fire of 1877 the present building was erected on Queen Square.

The following men have served the church as pastors during its history: John Abraham Bishop, William Bailey, James Boyd, William Gradine, Duncan McCole, William Jessop, Din Dalrymple, James Mann, Thomas Oliphant, William Marsden, William Bennett, Joshua Marsden, William Black, Stephen Bamford, James Knowlin, William Crossman, James Priestley, Robert Elder, Richard Williams, Enoch Wood, John Strong, Albert Desbrisay, S. Joll, Samuel Bushby, William Smithson, A. McNatt, Richard Shepherd, William Temple, H. Pickard, William A'len, George Millar, D. Jennings, F. Snailwood, Henry Dennis, Richard Knott, H. Cooney, G. Hennigar, James Tyley, C. Stewart, E. Battersell, J. M. Albright, John McMurray, John Latham, M. B. A. W. Nicolson, John S. Bell, John Brewster, J. L. Spogis, Henry Pote, Howard Sprague, John A. Clark, Benjamin Chappell, John Read, Job Hunter, H. E. Cowart, Robert Meson, Thomas Marshall, R. W. Weddall, G. M. Campbell, H. D. Marr, W. H. Harts, H. Johnson, George Morley, Neil MacLaughlin.

Police Court Cases Saturday

One drunk was the only prisoner brought before Magistrate Ritchie Saturday morning. After pleading guilty, he was fined \$205 for being drunk and for having liquor in his possession. The man was arrested by C. N. H. Officer Pierce in the Union Depot. William Thomas Sealey was sworn in as a special police officer for the Empire Theatre, West Side. Two traffic cases were to have been dealt with, but the defendants in both cases failed to appear.

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