

IN THE RELIGIOUS WORLD

CHURCH NOTES

FOR BUSY MEN.

ROMAN CATHOLIC. Why He Was Defeated

The New Freeman, commenting on the failure to elect the Rev. Mr. Goodell as one of the new Bishops of the Methodist Episcopal church, expresses itself thus—Success was quite in sight just when some one sent word around that he was a divorced man. The change of sentiment in his regard was prompt, immediate. He had been elected, but soon subsided till he was forced to retire from the list of candidates.

Freeman Clippings

Over in Massachusetts the Episcopal clergy are getting ready to kick against Canon 16, on the subject of divorce. The laymen (so-called) voted the law down in Virginia, and to tell the truth, we were surprised when we read that their ministers had, enough power to show fight.

The Reverend Frederick George Scott (Anglican), preached the closing sermon in connection with Canon 16's jubilee in Montreal, but, as Dr. Scott's discourse was of too sacerdotal a leaning, the Daily Star, of the Canadian metropolis, could hardly be expected to publish it in full. For sensational news it has always columns.

The Rev. Mr. Fournier is wise in his game. He needs a few dollars, and he knows where to get them. It was natural that one Montreal church in particular should get him. This audience was prepared for it.

As the Montreal ladies are respectable, they could not besmear their pages with Fournier's talk, even if such audiences are not very choice.

THE PRESBYTERIANS

Missionary Deficit The Home and Foreign Mission funds of the Presbyterian church in the United States report a deficit for each of these funds for the current year of about \$100,000.

Had a Good Time.

The sweeteners are evidently no sticklers for the staid and dignified ways of doing things in the past. Recently the adjournment of one of their presbyteries was followed by all the members joining hands and singing "For auld lang syne" and an impromptu supper. To many an isolated and lonely worker on the wide prairie such a reunion brings cheer and life and fosters the spirit of unity and brotherly love.

In the General Assembly

The report of the home missions of the eastern section was presented by Dr. McCord, who pointed out that the west was making heavy draughts on the men of the east. The need of men was emphasized by Rev. S. J. McArthur, who told of the difficulty of keeping up with gospel work in Newfoundland, Labrador and parts of New Brunswick. The resolution was adopted.

Rev. Mr. Hossaack

This gentleman, who resigned his pulpit in order to contest one of the Toronto seats in the Ontario legislature, was badly beaten on Monday last.

The Pope on Modernism

The Presbyterian says—"The larger portion of his charges against modernism is true, and we should not hesitate to say so, though we do not concede either his infallibility or his right to speak in the name of the whole Christian community. Where we differ is with him in the attitude assumed toward evil, and the free play of thought. Evil is not to be put down by authority but by the manifestation of truth."

THE BAPTISTS.

Baptist Church in Italy

The story of the organization of a Baptist church in central Italy is told thus: An anti-priest recently became an earnest student of the New Testament. As a result he followed the Lord by the way so clearly marked out therein. He was persecuted by his example and his message. He was imprisoned and four persons, chiefly heads of families, presented a petition for his liberation. He visited them and gave them the instruction they needed. In response to this request Rev. N. H. Shaw visited the place and preached the Word. He then baptized those who had evidently experienced the new birth, and then he assisted them in forming a New Testament Church, and observing the Lord's Supper. After the observing of the ordinances in their Scriptural simplicity many were heard to say, "Why

this is the very teaching of Jesus Christ. This is what we are told in the New Testament."

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Calvary Baptist church, Washington City, has 1224 members and 2,870 in its Sunday School. Louisville, Ky., has twenty-two white Baptist churches and eleven mission stations, with about 11,000 members. The colored Baptists have twenty-three churches with 10,000 members. Boston Baptists are establishing a historical library in the Ford building, which belongs to the denomination. "The Watchman" says "there is a growing interest in the library and eventually it will become not only of great interest but of great value in the development of Baptist interests in all New England."

THE METHODISTS

About the Decrease "We fear," says an exchange, "that the cause is the growing secularization of life. There is a great leakage from the Sunday school, and a large percentage of the children who attend never pass on to Church membership. Mr. Dinsdale Young, who now fills John Wesley's pulpit in the City Road, is probably right in attributing the decline to the tendency to neglect the ordinary channels, and to the inclination of the church to rely too much upon revivals and special missions on the one side, and secular entertainments on the other. He urges greater energy in the ordinary 'means of grace.'"

About Dr. Goodell

A Methodist Episcopal congregation of New York City are so incensed because their pastor was not elected Bishop at the Baltimore conference, that they are going to address a rebuke in the form of a memorial. They intend denouncing the un-Christian attitude of the conference.

Confidential Reports

Reports so far received from the seven conferences of the Dominion indicate a very hopeful outlook as to the details indicating increase or decrease in the different departments of work nothing definite in those lines can be given as yet.

MINISTER PAID FOR HOLDING BURIAL SERVICE

"I made five dollars at a funeral the other day," said a well known city clergyman to the Sun yesterday. "It was the surprise of my life. We never expect any fees for such services, and I never before knew of anyone in this province receiving money. In weddings it is a different matter. People always expect to pay the minister who marries them, and as a rule the clergyman expect some remuneration for their work. It is of course pleasant to be qualified to officiate at such interesting events, but when they come in one regular line of duty they cease to be wholly pleasurable and become what in any other business would be regarded as extra work. With funerals it is different. People cannot help dying, and surely the relatives have to bear enough in sorrow and expense without having to pay for the burial service. Yet when you come to think of it there are lots of people who never attach themselves to any church and when death comes have no claim to be paid to pay from anyone for the services of any particular clergyman. They have in their lifetime failed to help towards the support of the church, and it is not after all unreasonable to accept pay from those who are able to do so. I know that this is done across the border, but the custom has never reached New Brunswick to my knowledge. In the case I speak of the body was brought here from the United States by relatives. After the service one of the friends offered me an envelope which I promptly declined to accept. He insisted; I refused. Later in the day as he was leaving he quietly forced it on me and was gone before I had opportunity to return it. I put it in my pocket, and on reaching home found it contained five dollars. "Did I go to my wife, as wedding money does? Well, that belief about wedding money is only true in the sense that it follows the same route as all other cash received by ministers. I would like to know the clergyman in this province who does not have to give his wife, for ordinary expenses, every cent he earns, and who does not need more than he gets. "Weddings are a failure this year. They do not seem to be as numerous as usual, nor are the bridegrooms paying up as well."

MANCHESTER, N. H., June 14.—Joseph Zerzo, aged 19, an Italian employed at a tannery in South Manchester, was drowned while swimming in the Merrimack River late this afternoon. The body was recovered.

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MANCHESTER, N. H., June 14.—Mrs. Anna Kinslow, aged 67, died at six o'clock this morning, still lives tonight. With the passing of the hour which she had declared would be her last, a woman, who had been under guard of physicians at the General Hospital, basely refused and defied, and absolutely refused to eat food which had to be forced down her throat.

SATURDAY SERMONETTE

THEIR CALL OF THE WILD.

To me there is no more pathetic sight and sound than the glimpse I get of the children, and the murmur of their voices through the open windows of the school room, where the little prisoners sit chained to their work. Even in the city school, bird and bee and flowers are calling to the children to come out and enjoy them.

How insistent then must be the call and how bewitching and almost irresistible the charm of the open windows of the country who do not hear the rumble and roar of the city, but hear only the hum and murmur of the country.

I wish the superintendents of education and school trustees could come to know what a waste of time it is to keep children in school after the first of June, the days are so warm and beautiful.

What beautiful and useful books there are to study in the vast school room of outdoors. So many sciences to study that one day of each week is too short to get more than a glimpse of one page.

Every fine day the last of May and every fine day in June should be spent out of doors.

What a beautiful school room Rockwood Park would make.

Let the teachers and the children be sent every fine day in the afternoon and let them learn all they can learn of God's world as seen in the park and they will learn that which will enrich them as long as they live. Their love of the beautiful will be developed and intensified, and they will be taught by their habits of observation to see beauty where they never saw it before.

To know the wild flowers by name and the birds by their song and to know their habits and homes and haunts.

To know the trees well is to love them and to know shrub and fern well will take more than one half of each week.

I do not pretend to work out the details of my out-of-door school plan; the teachers can do that, but there can be no trouble about the discipline of the school for any infringement of the rules would be punished by the culprit or culprits being left at home.

Such out of door schools as I held every summer by graduates and adult pupils, but my plan is for more out of door study during the regular school term, for many pupils will never get it if they do not get it then.

THE HELPLESS BACHELOR (From the London Sketch.) The married man lives scientifically; he never puts on a new coat or hat over because he has lost the last one. The bachelor lives unscientifically. He is robbed right and left, he is the prey of every footpad that lurks behind corners.

USEFUL FRIENDS (From the Gentlewoman.) People are loved not for their goodness, their beauty, their wit or their wisdom, but for their utility.

BOSTON, June 14.—Eric C. Hopkins, aged 29 years, of 33 Mansfield street, Everett, was drowned at the L. Street bathhouse in South Boston late today. He left the dock on his boat and went into the water to swim and did not reappear.

DOVER, Me., June 14.—His skull fractured by blow from a slungshot in the hands of a prisoner, Sheriff Jas. M. Knowles, of Piscataquis county, is in a critical condition at the jail residence here tonight. Sheriff Knowles was making a round of the jail late last night when one of the prisoners, Willie Green, felled him with a slungshot as he was passing the cell. The action of another prisoner, Harry Levenseller, a trusty, in running to the sheriff's aid promptly is believed to have prevented an attempted jail delivery.

Green rained four blows with the slungshot upon the sheriff's head and only desisted when Levenseller approved and drew the unconscious form of the official out of range of the prisoner's blows. Green struck the sheriff by reaching through the bars of his cell. According to a confession which he is said to have made, his plan was to rifle the pockets of the sheriff after stunning him, secure his keys and effect the escape not only of himself, but of other prisoners. Green said that several other prisoners were in the conspiracy and that he had been designated to "fix the sheriff."

A physician who happened to be in the jail in attendance upon a sick prisoner, hastened to the assistance of Sheriff Knowles. The sheriff was found to be suffering from a fracture of the skull. His condition is regarded as dangerous.

Willie Green is 17 years old and was being held for the grand jury on charges of breaking and entering and larceny. He will be committed to the district court tomorrow.

CANUCKS. Canadians Among Us Object to Being Dubbed With That Title.

(New York Sun.) "There seems to be a great deal of misapprehension hereabouts concerning the significance of the word 'Canuck,'" said a Canadian who is in business in New York, "and for myself and my fellow expatriates I wish to protest against the term."

"Most New Yorkers seem to have the idea that all persons hailing from Canada are Canucks, and many of them use the term as if it were one of opprobrium. Now a Canuck is a French-Canadian or habitant, and the samples of that type who have drifted across the border into New England certainly have done little to make the title one of good repute."

"But the Canuck in his native Quebec village is a pretty decent sort of citizen, as those who have read Sir Gilbert Parker's stories know, for Parker has recorded the habits and traits of these people with faithful exactness."

"These habitants have stuck pretty closely to the Province of Quebec, but there was not a living for all of them as the population increased, and French-Canadian immigration does increase at an amazing rate, with no consideration at all for economic principles laid down by the theorists."

"A surplusage of humanity, largely improvised, naturally applied over the border into New England. Many of the workers in the mill towns are these French-Canadians, or Canucks, and they rank in popular estimation not far above the dumb animals. There are no Canucks of this class in New York, but the name has got here and is used all too frequently for Canadian."

"Of late years these habitants have been invading the maritime provinces of Canada, where they are regarded no more highly than in New England. The French were cleared out of these provinces more than a hundred years ago and now the race is drifting back."

"Canuck means 'French-Canadian' and nothing else. Will New Yorkers please remember that."

CIVIL SERVANTS START A SAVINGS BANK

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JURY DISAGREE IN DOHERTY MURDER

New Trial Ordered to Begin Today

Plea of Insanity Seems to Have Carried Some Weight—Case May Stand Over

CHARLOTTETOWN, P. E. I., June 14.—On Friday last, at 8:20 p. m., the Doherty murder case was given to the jury. At 11 p. m. they reported no decision and were allowed to sleep over. At 10 a. m. Saturday they came down, reported a disagreement and were recharged and sent back by Judge Fitzgerald. They then stood 8 to 4 in favor of "not guilty." The judge discharged them without further words. On motion of Attorney General Palmer a new trial was ordered to begin Monday morning. It is expected that considerable time will be taken in examining a new jury. Evidence will probably be shortened, for instance two doctors will be called by the crown instead of four to meet the plea of insanity advanced by the defense. If the jury again disagree and it is ascertained that they are fairly evenly divided, it is probable the case may be adjourned till next term. There is at present quite a feeling in Summerside and vicinity in favor of the prosecution.

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Babies that are well sleep well, eat well and play well. A child that is not rosy-cheeked and playful needs immediate attention, and in all the world there is no medicine can equal Baby's Own Tablets for curing indigestion, constipation, diarrhoea, teething troubles and the other disorders from which young children suffer. The parents who use this medicine has the guarantee of a government analyst that it is absolutely safe. Mrs. J. L. Janelle, St. Sylvre, Que., says: "I find Baby's Own Tablets the most satisfactory medicine I have ever used for constipation, teething troubles and breaking up colds. Every mother should keep a box of these tablets in the home. Sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont."

WENT TO DINNER AND FOUND HIS WIFE DEAD

Mrs. James Shay of Kent Jct. a Suicide

Despondent Through Illness She Hanged Herself—Burglar's Kit Found

MONCTON, June 14.—Despondent from the effects of a recent illness, Mrs. James Shay at noon yesterday hanged herself in the attic of her home at Kent Junction.

The unfortunate woman's body, swaying from a beam, was found by her husband who, coming home to dinner, was surprised at not finding his wife in her accustomed place. He searched the house, but failed to locate her until he reached the attic, where he was horrified to find her suspended from one of the beams. The woman was dead when found.

Mrs. Shay was sixty-two years of age, and had been in poor health for some time past. She became despondent, but Mr. Shay did not believe her condition was so serious as to lead to yesterday's rash act. She had no children. The house was near the I. C. R. track, and the body was viewed by several passengers on the express trains which passed through.

The only trace of Moncton burglars which has as yet been uncovered came to light this week with the finding beneath the open-air skating rink at Sunny Brae, on the outskirts of the city, of a kit of burglars' tools.

The discovery was made by the workmen employed on the double-tracking of the I. C. R., who have been working in the vicinity for some time past. The equipment consisted of a fine dark lamp, several fuses, an assortment of Jimmies, a brace and a number of bits, and all the other implements of a metropolitan trade. The tools were removed and placed in the hands of the police.

It was evident that the burglars' room was shortly afterwards to look for the tools, as the ground in the vicinity was considerably cut up, as if there had been a hurried search. No watch had been kept, however, or else the mystery of the Moncton burglaries might have been solved.

Mr. Landry has refused the application of Henri Cormier, a Moncton liquor dealer who is in jail at Deschamps, for release from imprisonment. The case will be before him on Tuesday and judgment given Thursday.

Louis Girouard, seventy-nine years of age, died on Friday from a general break down in health, caused by his advanced years. He is survived by a wife and large family.

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HOSPITAL SCENE OF IMPRESSIVE CEREMONIES SATURDAY EVENING

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Wood Brothers, of Brookfield, Mass., Had Not Exchanged Words in 45 Years—Charles Has Not Spoken to Either of His Brothers for 25 Years.

BROOKFIELD, June 12.—The burial of John Gallop Wood from the old Wood's homestead in Podunk, a mile or more from the East Brookfield railroad station, is the ending of a romance which has been the subject of much comment in the Brookfields for nearly half a century.

The three Wood brothers are widely known among the farmers of central Massachusetts. John and Jarvis had not spoken to each other for more than 45 years, and Charles had not spoken to the other brothers for 25 years, although they lived within a stone's throw of each other in the shadow of the Tamarack mountain, on the edge of East Brookfield.

John Wood died Tuesday after a year and a half sickness. He was 71 years old and was the second of three sons, Jarvis, the oldest being 75, and Charles being 59. They were all raised on the Wood farm and John and Jarvis passed their entire lives there. Charles had been away much of the time until within the past year.

Fought Duel Over Girl. In their younger days John and Jarvis Wood both fell in love with Charlotte Squires, the daughter of an East Brookfield farmer, who lived neighbor to the Woods and who in her early days was one of the most attractive girls in the Brookfields.

John and Jarvis quarreled over Charlotte Squires. It has never been spoken of by either of the boys. Nobody appears to know the details of the duel, but it is said that the brother and son, and that Jarvis was the victor. Jarvis was married.

When he was married at the Wood homestead, which rests on a knoll, in a place where John and Jarvis took their home he built himself a new house, and the two brothers never spoke to each other during the remainder of their lives.

Charles, the youngest of the three, was never satisfied with the property of his father. He was the son of the will, the homestead of the other two boys and he was never satisfied with the property of his father.

At the funeral the two brothers were seated in the old-fashioned sitting room and it was obvious that they were not disturbed by the many glances of people who attended the funeral out of curiosity.

It was the first time Charles Wood had entered the home of his brother for more than 20 years, and Jarvis Wood had not crossed the threshold of the homestead where John had passed his entire life but he had a light hearted and cheerful nearly a half century ago.

The presence of the two brothers at John Wood's funeral showed they were ready to let the dead past bury the dead.

After John and Jarvis Wood were left the small farm in Podunk they operated together until they fell in love with Charlotte Squires. After the death of Jarvis, Jarvis built his little home about 75 feet from the homestead in the same spring, while John continued in the old house living the life of a bachelor.

The brothers continued to carry on the farm together, although living in separate houses, and when there was any communication to be made it was through the woman who came between the boys and caused the unusual estrangement. As the wife of Jarvis, she remained the friend of John and did the housework in both homes.

Nursed by Sister-in-Law. A year and a half ago John was taken sick and became so ill within a month or more that he could not leave the house. His brother's wife left her home for a time to take care of John and for the past 15 months she has divided her time and duties between the two homes, and with her brother, Lyman Squires, was at the bedside of John when he died.

Although she tried to bring about a reconciliation, pleading with her husband to visit John before he breathed his last, her efforts were without results, for Jarvis refused to go, and he has gone home had no welcome for him. Charles Wood for several weeks has lived at the home of Jarvis, apparently waiting the end of John, and while they dined and supped at the same table not a word was passed between Jarvis and his younger brother.

In speaking of the family estrangement and her connection with the affair, Charlotte Squires Wood said: "I have always liked one brother as well as the other, and I have never square a man as ever breathed and Jarvis has always been good to us all in his way. I have always done all I could for John, the same as I would for Jarvis."

Liked Both Brothers. "I worked 24 years in Jones' shoe shop in Spencer, earned money and saved it and have always been willing to spend the money on the two brothers impartially."

"They were two ways of a queer disposition and very reticent and I know that this fact of their not speaking was more from habit than from any feeling in the matter."

"My husband never forbade doing what I only for his brother John and what I only reference he ever made to it was that he was not requested to do anything himself. I think there would have been a fond clasping of hands if either of the brothers had been willing to give in, for I know there has always been a feeling of kindness of one toward the other."

"I don't know anything about any duel fought or any quarrel of any kind in which I was the central figure, but there has always been a story to that effect and of course I have no reason to deny it. I never was able to learn why the brothers never spoke."

"I have always thought a great deal of John as a brother, but Jarvis would have been my choice had it been left to me. I got used to the silence of the brothers and for years have taken no notice of it."

At the Summer Resorts

The season at the summer resorts hereabouts may be said to have opened up this week. Nearly all the St. John people who have summer cottages are now occupying them and the hotels and boarding houses at the different resorts are beginning to fill up. Within another week the season will be in full bloom.

ROTHESAY

Mrs. Robertson and two children spent the week with Mrs. Beard. Mr. and Mrs. Percy Thomson, Miss Lou McMillan, Miss Nan Barnaby, Mr. Douglas Reid, Mr. Price, Whitehead and Gilbert were at Kennedy's on Sunday.

Mrs. A. O. Crookshank and son Harold, intending to spend the summer with the Messrs. Thomson, including W. R. Jaffrey spent Monday in Rothersey, visiting his sister Miss Jaffrey, Netherwood.

Mrs. D. D. Robertson entertained at dinner in honor of Miss Barker on Wednesday. Mr. Percy Page arrived from New York on Wednesday to spend a few days with his parents.

Mrs. Currie, Amherst, spent a day with Mr. Stephen Hall this week. Mrs. King, Ottawa, Mrs. Austin, St. John, were guests of Lady Tilley on Wednesday.

Mrs. Barbour, St. John, and Miss Thompson, Fredericton, spent a day with Mrs. Thoe, Bell. Mr. and Mrs. Geo. McKean spent Sunday at their summer home.

Mrs. and Miss McMurray spent Thursday in Rothersey, visiting Miss McMurray of Rothersey School. Miss Ethel Smith spent Thursday with Miss Fairweather.

Mrs. Richards, Halifax, is visiting Mrs. Robertson. "The Cottage." Mrs. and Miss Vassie, who have spent the past few months traveling abroad, have taken rooms at Kennedy's for three or four weeks.

DUCK COVE

The season at the seaside has commenced rather than usual this year. The troubles between my brother and myself was nobody's business but my own. There have been a lot of lies told about us and the story of the duel, if there was one, is nobody's business. I'm not saying there was one. We didn't speak because we didn't want to, and that's all there is to it.

"When he was well I saw him half a dozen times a day and we frequently went to the well for water together. There was no necessity for our speaking, and we didn't do it. I hope John appreciated what my wife did for him. She did what she thought was right and I was perfectly willing she should."

"Charles and I never could agree, and didn't speak, and that's nobody's business either." The Premier and Mrs. Hazen will occupy the same cottage formerly occupied by them, and will be in as soon as needed repairs to the cottage have been completed, probably early in the coming week.

Dr. James Christie and family spent a day at the Log Cabin during the week. Some slight changes are being made in the interior of this picture gallery, which will make it even more convenient than formerly.

Mrs. G. Bently Gerard is expected from London early in July. Her family will be at once made her home at the Cove.

Mrs. Winter and family and Miss Fowler were as usual in the city. They are enjoying the delightful weather. Their joy in the gardening life will make their respective cottages quite as charming as heretofore.

Mr. and Mrs. James Ford have spent several days at the shore, arranging their home for summer. They will probably move to the Cove as soon as Mr. Ford's professional duties will permit, possibly about the twentieth instant.

L. L. Sharpe and family were among the early arrivals, and are looking forward with pleasurable anticipation to the arrival of the numerous summer visitors. This is their first season at the Cove.

E. W. Ward is also occupying the same cottage as last season. Mrs. Ward has taken out some very pretty knickknacks, and this cottage is one of the most artistically arranged interiors to be seen at the shore. She has had many lady callers, who have greatly enjoyed the bright and warm weather at the shore.

Mrs. J. Primrose Carrillo, who has been spending the winter at Carville, has taken the cottage occupied last year by Mrs. Albert Gregory, and expects to move to the shore with her family at the closing of the season, which will be in a few days.

Mrs. Harry A. Gibson and party from Marysville have taken the large double cottage occupied last season by Mrs. Stanbury and Rev. J. A. McLean. A doorway has been opened up, uniting the two cottages, and other minor alterations made to suit the requirements of the prospective occupants. This will be Mrs. Gibson's first season at the Cove.

Mrs. William Hazen and family have had their cottage put in order, and expect to move to the shore at the end of the present week. Mrs. W. L. Hamm, Wellington Row, spent several days recently at her summer home. Her daughter, Mrs. Lamb, will spend at least part of the summer at the shore, and will be joined later by Mr. Lamb.

The Saturday evening hops which have been so popular at the shore in previous years will commence on the first Saturday evening in July, and will continue through the season. Owing to the presence of so many young people at the seaside it is anticipated that they will be even more popular than formerly. The fine location of the amusement hall, with its wide veranda overlooking the ocean, makes this

MILLIDGEVILLE

This beautiful suburb of St. John is just now looking its best. All the summer residents on the "Crucian" have come back to their summer cottages except Mrs. Rutherford, who returns today.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace King are enjoying the June weather in their handsome cottage on the river bank, after a winter in the South. They have added a new rowing boat to their little fleet.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Fairweather moved out this week to their cottage on the "Rock." Mr. Geo. Fairweather has a new motor boat this season.

Mrs. Louis Munroe and her children under Dr. Inches' care for a few days has quite recovered. On Wednesday Mrs. A. W. MacRae went to Fredericton to see her son, Master Donald, who is convalescing from a severe attack of pleurisy. She returned on Tuesday, having found the boy much improved.

Dr. MacRae went to Fredericton on Tuesday, returning on Wednesday. Mrs. Winters of Chicago spent last week with Mrs. Fraser Grezory.

Mrs. Ed Arnold and Miss Morrison, Messrs. Keith and Titus, who were in the lake tomorrow. Herbert Strothard, who has been confined to the St. John hospital for the past six weeks through illness but of the quality of it and the operation for appendicitis, has so far recovered as to be able to visit his brother, Captain Charles Strothard, at St. A. here. Mrs. Secord, St. John, is a guest at the Knoll.

DIGBY

Digby's summer season has definitely opened with the usual influx of visitors. Although as yet there is no marked increase in the matter of preparation, the few enthusiasts who have come are sufficient to swell the ranks of their lethargy the former delights and in their practice to enthrone to a certain degree the inhabitants of the place.

Present indications point to an exceedingly busy summer and a season that will easily rival, if not eclipse, that of any previous year. The bumper crop of financial depression and presidential elections which loomed large on the horizon have vanished to a point where they are to be indifferently regarded, while applications for accommodation in unusual numbers are pouring in, besides gladdening the hearts of the proprietors of the place.

The Digby Lawn Tennis Club is having its courts fixed for the season. With the completion of the work the grounds will be put in the best condition and play immediately commenced. The club is in a very healthy condition and has added a number of new members to its list at the annual meeting recently held.

A number from Halifax and elsewhere are expected to attend the June sitting of the Supreme Court, which opened here Tuesday morning. Mr. Justice Meagher presiding.

W. S. Troop, proprietor of the Manhattan Hotel, was interested in two of the cases tried.

The ladies appointed by the mayor in response to an appeal of the central committee operating in the interests of the Nova Scotia Prince of Wales fund, met one night this week at the parish hall of Trinity church for the election of officers. Mrs. Wm. Driffield was elected president. It is expected that Digby's contribution to the fund will amount to a considerable extent.

A "sergeant what's his name" of the regular forces has been here this week instructing the youth of the local battery into all the mysteries of the art of the service. Several companies have been placed at Battery Point, where a general drill has been conducted nightly for the past week.

The local boatmen have been busy late in repairing their craft for the season. A number of the boats are already in commission, although the most of them will not be placed for some weeks.

A number of fishing parties have come out of the woods this week, all with fairly good catches. The fly fishing season is now on and an added zest in the sport is being experienced by its devotees.

Socially Digby has experienced a loss this summer in the absence of one of its oldest and most popular visiting families. This has been brought about by the decision of A. D. Bonnell to forego his annual visit. His residence at Harrington Point is therefore to be unattended.

T. E. G. Lynch returned from a visit to the New England states Monday. Mrs. Peters of Gt. town, N. B., is visiting at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Ed. Duvernet, Queen street. G. D. Viets of Kippewa, Que., is expected to arrive in town on Wednesday of next week.

Mrs. Gammath and children of West Haven, Conn., were among this week's arrivals. Mrs. Gammath will remain here two months. Miss Louise Morse of St. Luke's Hospital, New York, is expected to arrive next week on her annual vacation. Miss Hilda Rice of Sandy Cove, who has been visiting friends here during the past few weeks, returned to her home Monday.

Miss Minnie Letteney has returned from Montreal. Miss Edrie Tius returned home from St. John Tuesday. Mrs. G. D. Duvernet of St. John is the guest of Miss Ada VanBlarcom, Montague street. Mrs. Duvernet of St. John is the guest of her brother, Dr. E. Duvernet, Queen street.

Mrs. H. L. Dennison has returned from her visit in Wolfville and other parts of the province. Mrs. Ernest Turner of St. Andrews, N. B., is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Sammie Sproule, Beach street. Mrs. F. W. Letteney and two children the great lakes, while elsewhere

SHALL MAINE STAY DRY; CHARGES THAT MUCH LIQUOR IS STILL SOLD

Prohibition an Issue in the Canvass for Governor—Attempts to Have the Question of Prohibition Again Voted on—Convention June 30.

BANGOR, Maine, June 12.—The liquor question has again come up in Maine, it is perhaps the chief issue in the contest now in progress for the Republican nomination for Governor. The convention meets on June 30. The canvass has been in progress since midwinter as between two of the candidates, William T. Haines, of Waterville, and Bert M. Fernald, of Westville. The third candidate, Frederick E. Boothby, of Portland, did not formally announce his candidature until April. Haines and Mr. Fernald are the city police making no liquor except upon specific complaint of disorderly places.

The Sturgis Men. And what have the Sturgis men done? At first, in the summer of 1907, they made many raids and seized large quantities of liquors, forcing the traffic to either more secrecy than had been observed before their coming. During the early winter there were occasional raids, but toward spring the activity of the Sturgis force dwindled, and now very little is heard of them, although they are still here, their numbers varying from five to fourteen day by day, drawing each \$3 a day and expenses.

Now these are facts, and yet they will be disputed by many persons. Details of how things are going and characteristic discussions in Maine on the subject of liquor law enforcement. Many good and well meaning men have been devoted to statutory means of promoting total abstinence. refuse to believe that prohibition is not a success. They have no personal knowledge of how things are going and are inclined to regard those who tell unpleasant truths as enemies of the law.

Then there are those who defend prohibition for purely political reasons, a great many who are indifferent in the matter and are satisfied to let matters drift as they are going, and those who declare that the law is a right, but that the officials are for the most part faithless. There is no doubt that Maine could be made very dry under the prohibitory law were it possible to get officers who would make intelligent, honest and energetic efforts to enforce it and if the courts would in every case impose jail sentences. This is the one thing which always has handicapped the law and probably always will prevent its full application.

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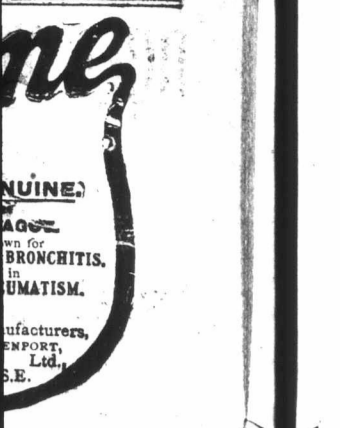
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SETTLEMENT IN SIGHT ON ELECTION BILL DISPUTE

Premier Roblin Induced to Amend Unfair Conditions in Manitoba

Several Bills Disposed of and Yesterday Passed Without Any Excitement—Discussion on Mr. Fisher's Inspection Amendment, Which Was Adopted.

OTTAWA, June 15.—The commonsense today succeeded in clearing off a fair number of items on the order papers, some of the less contentious government measures being taken up and passed on to the Senate. It was a quiet and colorless day throughout, the opposition finding little opportunity to place campaign speeches into the discussion.

A Liberal caucus will be held tomorrow morning to discuss the situation with regard to the election bill. With particular reference to the condition of the new lists as prepared this month in Manitoba. The action of the Manitoba government in the request of Mr. Borden, in coming to a tardy decision to extend the time for hearing the appeal by the courts of revision, has helped to clear up the situation to some extent, and both sides of the House are anxious to arrive, if possible, at some satisfactory compromise on the bill which will enable the business of parliament to proceed as swiftly as possible.

The commonsense afternoon gave the Liberal reading of the government bill to place the Yukon council on an elective basis. A bill to give the immigration branch authority to deport Chinese who have entered Canada contrary to law was reported.

Hon. Mr. Templeman, in moving the second reading of the bill, respecting proprietary and patent medicines, said that there was no doubt of a public agitation in favor of some legislation. As the result of consideration by a special committee a somewhat drastic measure had been introduced last session. That bill, however, had not been passed owing to adjournment earlier than had been expected. The present measure was not so drastic and as the result of conferences and retails of medicines mentioned he believed it would be fairly satisfactory to them. In some amendments they had adopted, he said, it would be absolutely satisfactory.

It was proposed that the bill should be read a second time and the committee referred to a sub-committee of the House to report on the interests involved would be heard. The bill, among other things, proposed the absolute prohibition of cocaine, prohibited the excessive use of alcohol as a drug, also provided that where a manufacturer or patient of proprietary medicines used the formula of the medicine it would not come under the act, and also that any of the noxious medicines mentioned in a schedule to be made up would they would have to be named on the label. The bill was read a second time and referred to a committee consisting of Hon. Mr. Templeman, Mr. McCreary, Mr. Sproule, Bland and Chalmers, Huron.

Hon. Mr. Fisher moved to amend the inspection and sale act was next taken up. It provides, among other things, for more severe penalties for infractions of the act, and also provides in respect to the adulteration of these. Several members suggested that the penalties proposed for violations of the act be made more severe.

Hon. Mr. Fisher said he was prepared to reduce the penalties so that the first offense the penalty would be \$200 and for a second offense not more than \$300, for a third offense not more than \$200, and for a fourth offense not more than \$100, and for a fifth offense not more than \$50.

On resumption at 8 o'clock, the House went into committee on agricultural estimates. Hon. Mr. Fisher explained that Canada was expending \$300,000 on the Anglo-Franco exhibition and would spend \$350,000 at the Scottish national exhibition, where its pavilion would be smaller and its exhibit less than in the first case.

Mr. Armstrong, having criticized the methods followed in regard to the exhibition, Colonel Talbot, Quebec, said he would not be better employed than in taking proper steps to encourage capitalists to invest money for the exploitation of mineral lands.

Hon. Mr. Fisher defended the exhibition as one of the best means of advertising Canada. He pointed out that the exhibition in Japan had been followed by a commercial treaty with that country and exhibitions at Liège and a new commercial treaty with France.

Mr. Monk made a dozen speeches in the course of which he went into criticism of the French treaty and other matters irrelevant to the item under discussion and made a number of assertions, nearly all of which were contradicted by Mr. Fisher, Mr. Fielding and Sir Wilfrid Laurier.

After some further desultory discussion, items for exhibitions and for imperial institute were passed, and the House adjourned at 12.20.

COLLEGIATE SCHOOL CLOSING AT WINDSOR

Prizes for Class Work and Athletics Given

Past Year Has Been One of Extraordinary Success—An At Home

WINDSOR, N. S., June 15.—Today was the closing day of the Collegiate School and the town is swarming with visitors, who are here to witness the closing exercises. At 10.30 a. m. an assault at arms and gymnastic display was given by the boys of the school on the college lawn. The work of the boys was of an exceptionally high order and evoked rounds of applause from the large crowd which witnessed the display.

At the conclusion of the display the prizes for class work and also for athletics were presented. The prize list was as follows: Alumni prizes, forty dollars, senior boys; H. W. Jones, Halifax; twenty dollars, junior boys; G. H. Morrison, Amherst; five dollars, French, H. W. Jones; five dollars, mathematics, A. G. Lawson, Cuba; five dollars, classics, H. W. Jones; class one, English, H. W. Jones, H. W. Windeler; class two, Scripture, G. H. Morrison; classics, J. Harley, Windsor; mathematics, E. C. Lovitt, Montreal; English, G. H. Morrison; French, G. H. Morrison; class three, Scripture, J. R. McLean, Morenci, Arizona; Latin, E. Oxley, Halifax; mathematics, E. Wainwright, Halifax; E. Boulton, Windsor; English, J. R. McLean; French, R. Morris; class four, A. Scripture, C. Laylor, Weymouth; Latin, M. Henesty, mathematics, F. Haurigault, English, L. Oxley; class five, Scripture, H. Dunlavy, Bridgetown; Latin, A. M. Parsons, Londonbury; mathematics, H. Dunlavy; English, H. Dunlavy.

Gymnasium prizes: Class one, best all round, K. Campbell; class work, C. Morris; progress, H. Blaney; class two, best all round, Mr. Young; class three, Eric Boulton; class four, best all round, P. Haurigault; class five, Brown, Windsor; cricket batting, A. C. Morris; bowling, H. R. Jones; little class, Andrew Curry, Windsor; progress, the "W. T. Whitehead" cup for the best all round boy in school was won by A. G. Lawson; a challenge cup presented by G. Beville Haslam to the best athlete was won by K. Campbell, Weymouth.

The prizes were all handsomely bound books and were the generous donations of the following friends of the school: W. L. Whitehead, Montreal; W. Marshall Black, Wolfville; A. S. Henshaw, Amherst; Chas. S. Hensley, Yellow Grass, Savannah; J. P. Hensley, Yellow Grass; Rufus Curry, Halesy, B. Tremblin, Dr. C. P. Willets, Mrs. Handson, Windsor.

The matriculants into Kings College are: G. Harrison, of Halifax, and the following from the Collegiate School: H. W. Jones, F. C. Windeler, J. Forsyth, A. G. Lawson, A. C. Morris. This school is in a flourishing condition, with nearly seventy pupils in attendance and a waiting list. Several have matriculated into Kings, while others have taken the exams for the Royal Military College and other institutions.

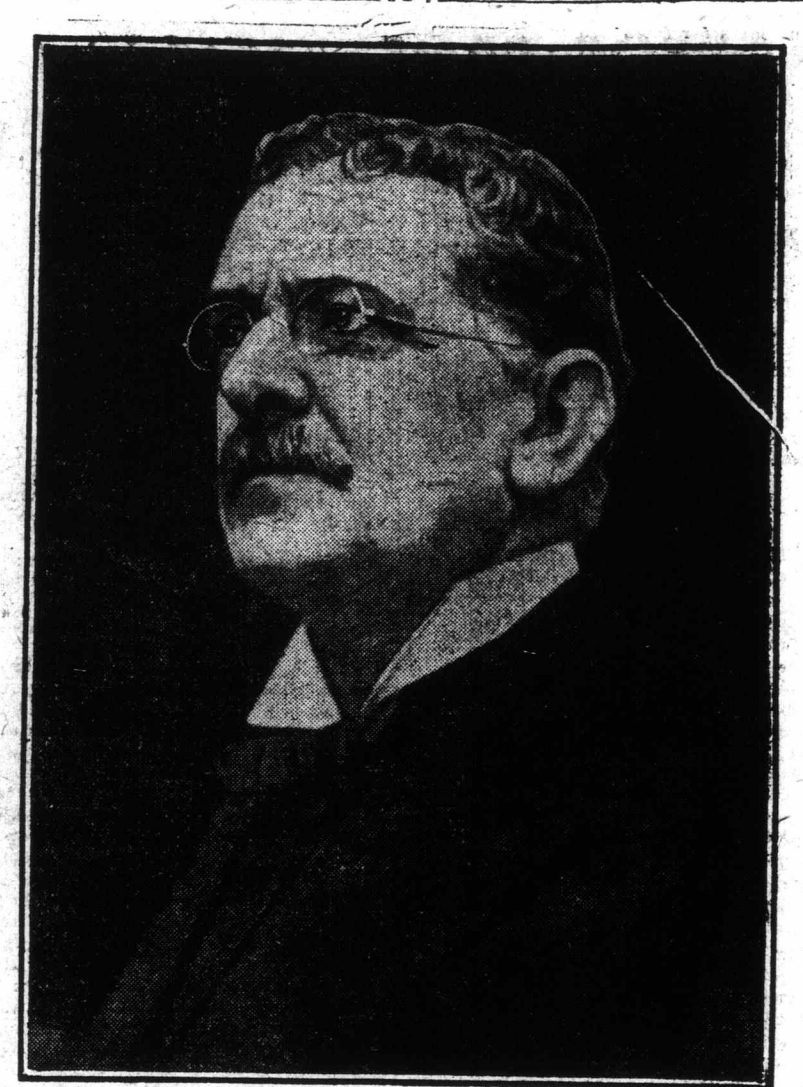
In the afternoon a tennis tournament was played, and the cups were presented by Mr. Handson, headmaster of the collegial school. A large reception was afterwards held on the lawn by Mrs. Handson.

This evening the play Antigone of Sophocles was presented by the pupils of the Church School for Girls to a large audience in the evening at Edgely. The plot centres round the decree of the King of Thebes, which forbids the burial of Polyneus, who has been killed while attacking his city. Antigone, the sister of Polyneus, defies the decree, and buries her brother. For this she is condemned to death and executed. The king's son, who was betrothed to Antigone, kills himself, and the queen does likewise.

Creon, on hearing of the deaths, laments and acknowledges too late that his misfortunes are due to his pride and his defiance of the gods. The play was acted by the following: Antigone, Miss Leslie; Creon, King of Thebes, Miss Leslie; Ismene, Miss Leslie; Haemon, son of Creon, Miss Leslie; Teiresias, a seer, Miss Leslie; Eurydice, wife of Creon, Miss Leslie; Mabel, Miss Leslie; Antigone and Teiresias, daughters of Aedipus, Miss Leslie; Creon, Miss Leslie; Haemon, Miss Leslie; Eurydice, Miss Leslie; Mabel, Miss Leslie; Antigone and Teiresias, daughters of Aedipus, Miss Leslie.

At the annual meeting of the Halliburton Club was held at King's College tonight. Papers were read by Mr. Justice Longley and P. C. Scott. The meeting then adjourned to Connors' Hall, where about seventy-five, many of them old graduates, sat down to supper. The toast list was as follows: The King—God Save the King. The British Empire and Its Defenders—Rev. W. H. Bullock, M. A., Rule Britannia.

Canada—Mr. Justice Longley, The Maple Leaf—Rev. Dr. Boulton, Canadian Literature—Rev. Dr. Boulton, Here's to Number One. Our Legislators—G. E. Tobin, M. P. F. The Halliburton—G. E. Tobin, Come landlady, All the following bow: Alma Mater—G. C. Murphy, Alma Mater. Visitors—John Blanchard, Three Crowns. Old Guards—Rev. R. W. Norwood, A. Home Sweet Home. The Graduating Class—W. R. Martell, Tarpuin Jacket. The Learned Professors—W. H. Morgan, Wise Men All. The Legal Profession—L. H. Martell, What Shall we do with Tommy?



PHILADELPHIA'S NEW METHODIST BISHOP. The Rev. Dr. Luther B. Wilson, who was elevated to the episcopacy at the recent meeting of the general conference of the Methodist Episcopal church. He is an ardent temperance worker and is president of the National Anti-Saloon League, which he helped organize.

The Ladies—R. Milner, Rock Me, Julia. Our Next Merry Meeting—P. C. Scott, M. A. Aud Lang Synagogue.

When the dinner broke up in the wee small hours it was voted by all one of the most successful Halliburton held in the history of the club. Tomorrow is the closing day of the Church School for Girls. A musical recital will be given in the assembly hall, Edgely, this morning and in the afternoon a gymnastic display on the Edgely lawn. In the evening the annual concert play will be presented in the Opera House by the students of Kings College.

SHOULD KEEP LINES EAST AND WEST

Sir Thomas Shaughnessy's Ideas on the Transportation Problem

TORONTO, June 15.—Sir Thomas Shaughnessy was the guest of the Board of Trade at the King Edward Hotel tonight, about two hundred prominent business men being present. The president of the C. P. R. did not say much new in his speech. He said he saw nothing in the West should not produce a hundred million bushels of wheat this year, besides other crops, and that would settle the prosperity of Canada for the next year. He advocated the adoption of the policy by Canada to maintain the lines of trade and communication east and west. The conditions of commerce and social intercourse were naturally north and south, but in the interests of the country and the commerce, the lines of transportation and commerce should be kept as much as possible east and west. Sir Thomas advocated the appointment of a trade commission to deal with the trade question, the same as the railway commission now deals with railway questions.

"TWO TOPERS."

A Teacher's Experience

"My friends call me 'The Postum Preacher,' writes a Miss school teacher, 'because I preach the gospel of Postum. I don't care what they call me so long as I can help others to see what they lose by sticking to coffee, and can show them the way to steady nerves, clear brain and general good health by using Postum. 'While a school girl I drank coffee and had fits of trembling and went through a stage of nervous prostration, which took me three years to rally from. 'Mother coaxed me to use Postum, but I thought coffee would give me strength. So things went, and when I married I found my husband and I were both coffee toppers and I can sympathize with a drunkard who tries to leave off his cups. 'At last in sheer desperation, I bought a package of Postum, followed directions about boiling it, served it with good cream, and asked my husband how he liked the coffee. 'We each drank three cups apiece, and what a satisfied feeling it left! It will continue as long as we live for it has made us new-never-are steady, appetites good, sleep sound and refreshing. 'Reason' Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich. Read 'The Road to Wellville' in place.

Ever read the above letter? A new one appears from time to time. They are genuine, true, and full of human interest.

LONDON, June 15.—The Pilgrim's Society of London gave a dinner tonight at the Savoy Hotel to welcome the leading delegates attending the Pan-Anglican conference, among whom are the Bishops of Missouri, Massachusetts and Pennsylvania. Some 20 American bishops, all of the colonial archbishops and a number of missionary bishops received invitations. Lord Curzon of Kedleston, presiding at the gathering, and in proposing a toast to the King and the President, he spoke of them as the two rulers who had had more influence on the history of the world in the past seven years than any others. In responding in a noteworthy speech, paid a high tribute to President Roosevelt and exhorted the church to use its influence for the unity of nations and for peace.

LIVERPOOL, June 15.—C. P. R. S. S. Lake Champlain, bound for Liverpool, reported ninety miles west of Malin Head at 7 p. m. last night. NEW YORK, June 15.—Claude J. Heritier and William Wilson, charged with the theft of \$1,000 worth of jewelry from the residence of Mrs. Davy Morgan here last March, were brought back to this city from Europe on board the steamship Zealand, which arrived yesterday from Antwerp.

MILITIA COUNCIL POINTS OUT SERIOUS DEFECTS

Train of Canadian Troops is Not at All Satisfactory Says Report

Equipment Poor and Time Allotted to Training Camps Far Too Short—Maritime Province Men Show Up the Best of All.

OTTAWA, June 15.—The report of the militia council on the report of the training of the militia during the season of 1907 issued today, gives general criticisms of the work of the year in respect to the training of Canada's troops, chief defects noted, etc. During the year 3,178 officers, out of a total establishment of 4,189 and 37,875 non-commissioned officers and men, out of a total establishment of 46,506, were trained. The militia council again records its conviction that the twelve days allowed for training in camps of instruction is too short for the men to learn even the elements of their work and as soon as it is financially possible, the period of training of the militia should be extended.

After noting that last year the musketry efficiency of the militia was much improved, the report says "the weak feature of the militia force still remains, the deficiency of the officers who are leaders of the men. It is noticeable that the type of man in the ranks is, as a rule high. He has much intelligence and aptitude for his work, but too often his officers are not equally well qualified to lead him."

In speaking of the equipment of infantry forces, the report says there is probably no regular military work which could perform a week's service with the boots which the men were wearing. The report of the inspector general, Brigadier General Vidal, severely criticizes the equipment of the cavalry forces which is found to be deplorably deficient. "The full dress head dress," says General Vidal, "is probably with the exception of the 'Albert' the most hideous head dress that has been issued to soldiers. A helmet with a plume would appear to be a more suitable head dress."

With the exception of the troops of the Maritime Provinces, he says all the corps were greatly under strength and had a far too great proportion of first year recruits in their ranks, the proportion being from fifty to seventy-five per cent. in Ontario and from thirty to forty per cent. in the other provinces. Much of the shortage from the strength of the corps, he believes, is due to the dislike of the captains of the companies to enforce the law and compel the attendance of men whose names are on the service rolls. In the Maritime Provinces he finds the physical of the men better, and the ranks are better filled. It would appear that the service is more popular in the Eastern than in the Western provinces. He concludes his report with the following: "If our youth have the opportunity to receive a military education, which will give them a knowledge of the rifle and knowledge of drill, a long step will be taken towards solving the problem of national defence."

THE METROPOLITAN STEAMSHIP SAILINGS

Harvard and Yale Running on "Hair Spring" Schedule

It was a foregone conclusion that Memorial Day, falling on Saturday with another day of rest succeeding, would bring a rush of travel to all railroads and steamship lines, but the patronage vouchsafed the Metropolitan Steamship Company was a revelation. Both Harvard and Yale, the new and magnificently appointed express turbine steamedships, ply between Boston and New York on the outside, all the way by water line, carried full passenger lists, with every equipped steamship on the Atlantic seaboard, but also running those steamships on practically a "hair spring" schedule. This latter assertion is no mere theory, but a positive, demonstrable fact. The schedule calls for fifteen hours from port to port. This means that the ships leave New York (New North River), and India Wharf, Boston, every evening at 5 o'clock, and are due at their destinations the following morning at 8. Even when the weather conditions are unfavorable they have kept well within schedule, on occasion making an average of 22 knots, and doing the total distance of 203 1/2 nautical miles in 14 hours flat.

Aside from the perfect appointments, excellence of cuisine and the service in general on the Harvard and Yale, there is also a special accommodation, wireless telegraphy by the United Wireless Telegraph company. This device enables passengers, after the ship sails, to send wireless messages to their friends in any part of the world, including those on other ships, similarly equipped with the wireless apparatus.

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Leading Bishops Present—Lord Curzon Presided—Premier Asquith Made Notable Speech.

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YOUNG WOMAN DROWNED

LIVERPOOL, N. S., June 15.—Lottie Roy, of Port Mouton, aged 15 years, was drowned above the railway bridge here this afternoon while bathing. She was visiting relatives. The body has not been recovered.

8,000,000 CHILD ABSTAINERS.

LONDON, June 15.—The duchess of Albany opened the National Band of Hope bazaar at the Horticultural Hall yesterday. The organization now comprises 24,000 bands of hope, with a membership of more than 3,000,000 children.

BAD FIRE IN MAINE

BIDDEFORD, Me., June 15.—The three-story wooden tenement house No. 127 to 225 Alfred street, was damaged tonight by fire to the extent of about \$10,000. The property is owned by the E. W. Staples heirs, and is occupied by ten families. The fire is said to have been caused by a defective chimney. The loss is fully covered by insurance.

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SHIPPING NEWS FOR THE WEEK MARRIAGES

Recent Deaths

PORT OF ST. JOHN.
Arrived.
 June 17—Sch. Sloop Oliver, Towar, from New York.
 Sch. G. B. Wood, 24, Bishop, from New York. A. W. Adams, coal.
 Bark Anleto, 75, Esposito, from Trinidad, H. Scamell, coal.
 Castles—Schs. My Bell, 76, Black, from Point Wolfe; Restless, 25, Comau, from Sandy Cove; New Home, 31, Comau, from Salmon River; Acadia, 31, O'Connell, from Matagash; Husby, 15, O'Donnell, from Matagash; Sparmak, 23, Newcombe, from St. Martins; Centerville, 23, Graham, from Sandy Cove, and cld.

Cleared.
 June 17—Str. Navigator, 707, Jacobsen, for Broad Head, J. H. Scamell and Co.
 Castles—Schs. My Bell, 76, Black, for Wolfville; C. J. Colwell, Salsen, for Point Wolfe; Augusta Evelyn, Scovill, for North Head; Lizzie B. Campbell, for Ants; East Light, Light, for Grand Harbor; Hattie McKay, Card, for Pariboro.

Sailed.
 June 17—Str. Hecla, for Glasgow via Montreal, New York, and London.
 Str. Calvia Austin, Thompson, for Boston via Maine ports, W. G. Lee.

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Shipping Notes.
 The sch. Sloop Oliver, Card, Towar, arrived in port last evening from New York and made the run in the excellent time of 72 hours.
 The str. Benedict, sailed from St. John, N.B., on the afternoon of the 13th for St. John to load.
 The str. Benore Head, which collided with the schooner L. D. Shuter, left the port of Southampton on Saturday, and afterward grounded in the mud, is now in dry dock at Southampton. The damage to her bows is not considered serious.
 The Furness line str. St. John City, from London, is nearly finished, and has been undergoing repairs for some time. The collision last April with the British cruiser Albatross, at the dock at Southampton this morning. She will steam from Southampton June 20 for New York via Cherbourg.
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BRISBANE, June 13—str. Maraca, sailed Wednesday, June 10th, for Vancouver.
HONG KONG, June 15—The R. M. steamship Empress of India sailed at 4 p. m. June 13th, for Vancouver.
BELFAST, June 15—Ard, str. Bangor, from Newcastle, N.B., and Sydney, C.B. via Larne.
BROW HEAD, June 15—Passed, str. Montclair, from Montreal for Liverpool.
SCILLY, June 15—Passed, str. Scyllan, from Montreal for London.
LONDON, June 15—Ard, str. Byland, from Harrisboro, N.S. for Cardiff.
LARNE, June 15—Ard, str. Bangor, from Newcastle, N.B., via Sydney, C.B. for Belfast.
MANCHESTER, June 15—Ard, str. Idrum, from St. John, N.B.
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CALAIS, Me. June 11—Sld, sch. Jessie D. for Harborside, New York.
DELAWARE BREAKWATER, June 11—Ard, sch. Ronald, from Philadelphia for Canis, N.S.
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ROCKLAND, Me. June 11—Ard, sch. Ben Hur, from Weymouth; Audaqax, from Little River, N.B.
BOSTON, June 11—Ard, str. Ivernia, from Liverpool; Prince Arthur, from Yarmouth, N.S.; schs. Margaret G. from Bridgewater, N.S.
Bow, str. Beacon Light, from Havana, N.S.
Sid, str. Norfolk, for Louisburg, C. B.; Prince George, for Yarmouth, N.S.; Cld, str. Devonian, for Liverpool; Columbus, for Baltimore and Newport.
PORTLAND, Me. June 11—Cld, str. Ottomar, for Liverpool.
PHILADELPHIA, June 11—Ard, sch. Roger Druce, for St. John; Clara F. Randall, from Bath.
Cld, str. Herbert Ponce, for Saquet River, N.B.; sch. Gen. E. S. Freely, for Portland, Me.
BOSTON, June 12—Ard, str. Wm. A. McKee, McDowell, from Shanghai; Hong Kong and Manila; Beaton Light, from Havana; Eva, from Louisburg, C. B.; Halifax, from Halifax.
Sid, str. Devonian, for Liverpool; Columbus, for London; Boshia, for Honolulu; Balmor, from St. John; News; Prince Arthur, for Yarmouth, N.S.; Windsor, for Port.
VINEYARD HAVEN, Mass. June 12—Passed, str. Volund, from Windsor, N. S. for New York.
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Shipping Notes.
 The sch. Sloop Oliver, Card, Towar, arrived in port last evening from New York and made the run in the excellent time of 72 hours.
 The str. Benedict, sailed from St. John, N.B., on the afternoon of the 13th for St. John to load.
 The str. Benore Head, which collided with the schooner L. D. Shuter, left the port of Southampton on Saturday, and afterward grounded in the mud, is now in dry dock at Southampton. The damage to her bows is not considered serious.
 The Furness line str. St. John City, from London, is nearly finished, and has been undergoing repairs for some time. The collision last April with the British cruiser Albatross, at the dock at Southampton this morning. She will steam from Southampton June 20 for New York via Cherbourg.
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Chilhan ports, was in collision about 140 miles east of Hatteras Saturday night. The schooner was the principal, took June 13 with str. Hugin, from New York for Chatham, N.S. The Hugin is returning to New York, having been considerably damaged. The Corps doctor here and is discharging her cargo of nitrate. Her bow was smashed by the collision, which was evidently heavy. The vessel struck head on. The Corps has cargo for New York also. While loading at Curacoa, June 13, New York, sch. St. Olaf was driven to sea by a gale, losing 135 fathoms of chain and two anchors, as before reported. She arrived at Montreal Monday with only seven tons of cargo.

Dangers to Navigation.
NEW YORK, June 15—Steamer Jersey City, from Swansea, reports June 8, lat 42.33, lon 40.52, a m. passed an iceberg about 50 feet high and 100 feet long, bearing S. 6 miles S. E. of the light, and 10 miles S. E. of the light. The iceberg was 100 feet high and 300 feet long, and several small bergs to the southward, distant one and three-quarters miles.
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Steamer Tigris, from Leghorn, etc., reports June 7, lat 42.07, lon 33.05, passed a whirling buoy 10th, lat 41.40, lon 48.30, during fog, passed one field ice.

VESSELS BOUND TO ST. JOHN.
Steamers.
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Provincial News
FREDERICTON, June 15—Mr. Chas. Fitzpatrick, clerk at the Queen Hotel, formerly of St. John, and Mr. John Sullivan, of the same house have severed their connection with the Queen and Edmundston where they expect to enter into possession last of this month. Mr. Sullivan is engaged as a headmaster in one of the principal schools. Among the guests will be Mrs. P. R. Meynen, of New York, a sister of the bride.

RYERS-STORY.
 A pretty home wedding was celebrated Wednesday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Storey, 155 Partridge street, when Miss Beatrice Beattie, daughter of the bride, was married to Mr. R. W. Storey, of Moncton. The ceremony was performed in the presence of a number of relatives and friends. The bride was dressed in a gown of white silk and carried a bouquet of roses and maiden hair. The groom wore a suit of dark blue and carried a sword. The wedding party consisted of the bride, groom, bridesmaids, and best man. The ceremony was performed by Rev. F. T. Trafton. There were no attendants. The bride and groom left on the steamer Calvia Austin Wednesday morning for a trip to Boston and New York, after which they will reside in Fredericton. A large number of useful and ornamental gifts were received.

DAMERY-HUNTER.
 A quiet but pretty wedding was celebrated Wednesday when Wm. Damery, son of the late Andrew Damery, 65 Richmond street, and Miss Edith Hunter, daughter of Robert Hunter, 20 Andover street, were married at 10 o'clock by Rev. Samuel Howard in the Baptist church at St. John. The bride was dressed in a gown of white silk and carried a bouquet of white flowers. The groom wore a suit of dark blue and carried a sword. The wedding party consisted of the bride, groom, bridesmaids, and best man. The ceremony was performed by Rev. F. T. Trafton. There were no attendants. The bride and groom left on the steamer Calvia Austin Wednesday morning for a trip to Boston and New York, after which they will reside in Fredericton. A large number of useful and ornamental gifts were received.

SEARS-MACKENZIE.
 St. Andrew's church was the scene of a quiet wedding at an early hour Wednesday when Miss Jennie Fitzgerald, wife of Mr. George Fitzgerald, 170 Sydney street, was united in marriage to Mr. E. A. Sears, of the staff of Percival E. Evans.
 The ceremony was performed by Rev. David Lang, pastor of the church. The bride was dressed in a white dress with lace trimmings and carried a bouquet of white flowers. The groom wore a suit of dark blue and carried a sword. The wedding party consisted of the bride, groom, bridesmaids, and best man. The ceremony was performed by Rev. F. T. Trafton. There were no attendants. The bride and groom left on the steamer Calvia Austin Wednesday morning for a trip to Boston and New York, after which they will reside in Fredericton. A large number of useful and ornamental gifts were received.

DOUBLE WEDDING.
 A very pretty ceremony took place at Lower Gagetown at 7.30 this morning, when the two daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. McAlpine were married with the one ceremony.
 Miss Marie Augustus married James Purdy Belives and Miss Florence Lela married Howard Leslie Cox. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Wellington Camp of this city.

FITZGERALD-MCGOWAN.
 A pretty wedding was solemnized Wednesday in the Cathedral of Immaculate Conception, when Miss Gertrude Lela Bernard McGowan became the bride of E. Edward Fitzgerald. The bride was given in marriage by her father, Frank McGowan, and a sister of the bride was bridesmaid. The ceremony was performed by Rev. A. W. Menahan, in the presence of the immediate relatives of the contracting parties, after which a wedding breakfast was served at the home of the groom's parents. The large number of beautiful gifts received by the bride testified to the popularity of the young couple. Mr. and Mrs. Fitzgerald will spend their honeymoon in the immediate relatives of the contracting parties, after which a wedding breakfast was served at the home of the groom's parents. The large number of beautiful gifts received by the bride testified to the popularity of the young couple. 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MAJOR HODGINS' CHARGES FORMALLY WITHDRAWN

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G. T. P. Commission Proved Guiltless of Complicity With Contractors.

Their Accuser Admits His Mistake—Major Hodgins Counsel Withdraws From the Case.

OTTAWA, June 16.—Sensation followed fast upon sensation today in the Hodgins inquiry which, so far as the chief and only accuser of the commission is concerned, has completely and absolutely collapsed.

The foregoing was brought out because the commission, the result of questioning by E. M. MacDonald, M. P. Tonight another development of note was the statement of Major Hodgins, of Toronto, counsel for Major Hodgins, that he would agree with the position taken by his client though that gentleman had, of course, a perfect right to take it if he pleased. He, however, found on consultation with him that he was of the same mind he would ask to be relieved of his retainer. There was considerable discussion as to the interpretation of the words "I am not a party to the matter" which should be held that unless someone came forward to make allegations against the commission, there could be no sense in going on with an inquiry which had narrowed down, on declaration of the witness making original allegations, to a technical question to be decided by experts and provided for in the specifications and that the settlement of this by a proper tribunal was provided for.

PRIZES AWARDED AT EDGEHILL SCHOOL FOR GIRLS, FINE WEATHER ATTENDS PROCEEDINGS

WINDSOR, N. S., May 15.—The lovely town of Windsor, now looking its prettiest, is filled with many visitors who are enjoying the gaieties of the season. Beautiful weather prevails and many lawn parties and receptions are being held at the many beautiful residences with which Windsor is surrounded.

- Gold star—Louise Neales, Sussex, N.B. Book prize—Ethel Kane, Halifax. Language prize—Louise Neales, Sussex. Silver star—Wilma Wurtelle, Ottawa. Book prize, 1—Dorothy Brown, Halifax. Book prize, 2—Alyce Starr, Starr's Point. Book prize, 3—May Rathford, Sydney. Language prize—Alyce Starr, Starr's Point. Silver star—Eleanora Lewis, Sydney. Book prize, 1—Sylvia Rose Ross. Book prize, 2—Una Thomson, Halifax. Language prize—Sylvia Rose Ross. Book prize, 1—Rangely Henley, New York. Book prize, 2—Helen Drummond, Montreal. Book prize, 3—Gretchen Baud, Halifax. Book prize—Wilhelmina de Biols, Halifax. Book prize—Olive Ives. Special prizes for knowledge of Bible history and Prayer Book, given by members of the Synod of Fredericton: Louise Neales, Sussex, N. B. Form 5. Wilma Wurtelle, Ottawa. Form 4 b. Eleanora Lewis, Sydney, N. S. Form 3. Rangely Henley, New York. Form 2 a. Dorothy Amor, Windsor. Form 2 b. Olive Ives. Governor general's gold medal, given for proficiency in the subjects taught in the school—Louise Neales, Sussex. For history, given by the Ven. Archdeacon Crawford, open to form 5—Louise Neales, Sussex.

Major Hodgins' "Yes" Major Hodgins expressed the view that he was not taking, and in his acknowledgment of the mistakes he had made. Mr. MacDonald also obtained from the witness a statement that he would be quite prepared to accept the decision of the chief engineers already referred to. Mr. Houghton and Lennox, M. P., however, who with Mr. Barker, M. P., represented the Conservative side of the House in this inquiry, took the ground that, under the terms of the parliamentary reference, the committee was not limited by the Hodgins charges but was, indeed, bound to go on and sift to the bottom the serious dispute which had arisen between the engineers of the Transcontinental commission and of the G. T. P. in regard to classification. Messrs. Carvell, M. P., and MacDonald, M. P., took the position that it would be ridiculous for the committee to attempt an investigation of an engineering question which had been properly referred by parliament to experts for settlement, namely, the chief engineers of the Transcontinental commission and the chief engineers of the G. T. P. It would be doubly foolish to attempt such an investigation for the reason that no matter what the verdict of the parliamentary committee might be the house and country would be bound by the award of the two superintending engineers.

SEVERAL BILLS THROUGH SENATE

Interim Supply Bill Quickly Disposed of Members Discuss Work Done by That Body During Session

OTTAWA, Ont., June 16.—In the senate today, the Interim Supply Bill was quickly disposed of. The House of Commons had passed the bill on June 15. The Senate passed it on June 16. The bill provides for the supply of the government for the next year. It contains provisions for the payment of interest on the public debt, and for the payment of salaries to the civil service. The bill also contains provisions for the payment of salaries to the judges of the Supreme Court, and for the payment of salaries to the members of the executive council. The bill was passed by a vote of 41 to 10.

KING'S COLLEGE LOCAL EXAMINATIONS

The following passed: Class 2—Louise Neales, Sussex, N. B. distinguished in religious knowledge, history and literature. Class 2—Marlan Hensley, Halifax, distinguished in religious knowledge, history and literature. Class 2—Helen Drummond, Montreal, distinguished in religious knowledge, history and literature. Class 1—Wilma Wurtelle, Ottawa, distinguished in religious knowledge, literature and French. Class 1—Mary Jennison, Sydney, distinguished in religious knowledge and French. Class 1—Dorothy Brown, Halifax, distinguished in religious knowledge and literature. Class 1—Dorothy Taylor, Weymouth, distinguished in religious knowledge and literature. Class 1—Belle Carver, Windsor, distinguished in religious knowledge, literature and French. Class 1—Alyce Starr, Starr's Point, distinguished in religious knowledge, literature and French. Class 1—Evangeline Simpson, Kentville, distinguished in religious knowledge and French. Class 1—Evangeline Simpson, Kentville, distinguished in religious knowledge and French. Prizes for needlework given by Miss Letroy: Seniors—Bertha Gardner, Windsor. Juniors—Constance Campbell, Weymouth. For holiday work given by the lady principal: Violet Wiggin, Quispicomico. Gertrude Scovill, St. John. Wilma Wurtelle, Ottawa. The report of Miss Smith, the lady principal, showed the school to be in a flourishing condition. This year the greatest number of pupils—one hundred and four—in the history of Edgehill, have been in attendance, and next year the prospects are for a still greater number.

NOTES FOR FARMERS FOR JUNE

(By John Ficker, Farm Superintendent, Macdonald College.) Keep down all weeds in the fields, along ditches, and especially the roadside. Bees—Give plenty of room for your hives. If mangel or carrots have missed, root with turnips. This curcubit, mangel and turnip beet are the most profitable crops. Thin corn plants 6 to 8 inches apart in the rows, and cultivate often; close at first, further away as the plants grow. Spray potatoes with Paris green and Bordeaux mixtures, and cultivate often. Prepare for the clover harvest—have horse-fork, rake and track in perfect order. Keep the mower knives sharp; also the sides and point of the guards. As to clover, common red, cut it when it is in bloom. Use the tedder freely before colling. Save part of the clover field for seed; allow it to ripen. In drawing hay, have end pieces on your rack for convenience in loading. Draining may be done this month in pasture fields that are to be in hoed crop next year. Give plenty of room for surplus honey and prevent swarming as far as possible. Have hives in readiness in case they swarm. Do not extract any honey this month; allow it to ripen.

MONCTON HOTEL KEEPERS REDUCE THEIR RATES

MONCTON, June 16.—Moncton hotel proprietors who at the first of June raised the rates to \$2.50 and \$3 a day have yielded to the protest of the commercial men and reduced the rates to the old figure. Some of the travellers had threatened to boycott the houses increasing the rates.

ROBLIN AMENDS UNFAIR EARL OF DERBY, FORMER GOVERNOR-GENERAL, IS DEAD

His Surrender May End the Elections Bill Dispute Government's Stand for Fair Lists is Fully Justified—Laurier Wins Out Liberal Members in Caucus Praise Their Leader—They Strongly Favor the Closure.

LONDON, June 16.—Frederick Arthur Stanley, sixteenth Earl of Derby, who was Governor-General of Canada from 1888 to 1892, died today at the age of 87. He was born on January 15, 1814, the second son of the 14th Earl of Derby. He was educated at Eton and entered the army in 1835, retiring in 1855 with the rank of major. He was later promoted to lieutenant-colonel and then to colonel. He was also a member of the House of Commons and the House of Lords.

THE NEW EARL. The new Earl of Derby, like his father, has seen service in the army, and has also served his country in a ministerial position. He was at one time a lieutenant in the Grenadier Guards, and later honorary colonel of the 8th Manchester Regiment. He saw active service in South Africa in 1900-1901, first as press censor and later as a private secretary to Lord Roberts, and was twice mentioned in despatches. He was financial secretary to the War Office from 1900 to 1903 and Postmaster-General from 1903 to 1906. He was married to Lady Alice Montagu, daughter of the seventh Earl of Manchester, and bedchamber woman to Her Majesty. They have two sons and a daughter. The new Earl and Countess are well known in Canada; the Earl having been A. D. C. to his father when he was Governor-General. The Countess dates back to 1865. Sir Thomas Stanley, Lord Lieutenant of Ireland for six years, being created a baron in that year. His son was advanced to an earldom in 1885 in recognition of his services at the battle of Bosworth Field, where he placed King Richard's crown upon the head of Richmond, Sir Edward Stanley, second son of this first earl, figured later in the death of his brother, the 15th earl, in 1879-86 when he was Lord Mayor of Liverpool, and in 1901-2 mayor of Preston. The Garter was conferred upon him in 1885 when Lord Salisbury formed his first administration. Col. Stanley became Secretary of the Colonies, his tenure of this office being short, the Government resigning the following January. Mr. Gladstone's Government only lasted for six months, and Col. Stanley was in the second Salisbury Cabinet, as president of the Board of Trade. He was then created Baron Stanley of Preston and took his seat in the House of Lords. In 1888 he was appointed Governor-General of Canada, filling this position until 1892, when he resigned, having succeeded to the earldom through the death of his brother, the 15th earl, in 1879-86 when he was Lord Mayor of Liverpool, and in 1901-2 mayor of Preston. The Garter was conferred upon him in 1885.

EVIDENCE IN BANK CASE SENSATIONAL

ST. JOHN'S, Que., June 16.—The preliminary investigation into the charges against the Hon. P. H. Roy, president of the L. P. L'Heureux general manager, and J. P. Beaudouin, assistant general manager of the defunct Banque de St. Jean, was begun here today before District Magistrate Lanctot. Counsel for the defence began the day's proceedings by entering a number of legal objections dealing with the authority of the court as constituted to hear the case, but these were all dismissed and the examination of witnesses proceeded with.

HOUSE WORK

Thousands of American women in our homes are daily sacrificing their lives to duty. In order to keep the home neat and pretty, the women are well dressed and tidy, women overdo. A female weakness or displacement is often brought on and they suffer in silence, drifting along from bad to worse, knowing well that they ought to say that make the pains and aches which daily make life a burden. It is to these faithful women that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound comes as a boon and a blessing, as it did to Mrs. W. Barrett, of 602 Morgan St., Montreal, who writes: "For years I was a great sufferer from female weakness, and despite every remedy given me by doctors for this trouble, I grew worse. A female weakness or displacement is often brought on and they suffer in silence, drifting along from bad to worse, knowing well that they ought to say that make the pains and aches which daily make life a burden. It is to these faithful women that Lydia E. 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SUNDAY SCHOOL'S 80TH ANNIVERSARY

Portland St. Makes Fine Showing Splendid Programme Carried Out in Church Last Evening

Sunday was the eightieth anniversary of the Portland Methodist Sunday school. In celebration of the day the following excellent programme was carried out last evening...

Table with financial details: Balance on hand, Disbursements, Income, and Expenses.

Balance on hand... Miss Jessie Cunningham submitted the missionary report...

Miss Mabel M. Craig presented the report of the home department...

The officers elected for the year 1908-09 are as follows: Wm. Young, Wm. Kingston, A. B. McIntosh, P. E. Thomas, J. N. Harvey, John Patterson, Thomas Pyle, A. Stephenson and Wm. McInnes.

GRAND TEMPLE OF HONOR AND TEMPERANCE

Annual Meeting Friday Night—Officers' Reports—Election of Officers

The Grand Temple of Honor and Temperance of New Brunswick met in annual session in Alexandra Temple, No. 6, St. John, on Friday evening, G. T. G. Blewett, G. W. T. presiding.

The Grand Worthy Recorder showed an increase in members of 58-12 in the temple and 46 in the sections.

The reports as read were given to the state of the order and finance and audit committees.

Several very important suggestions were brought forward, but as the time was limited and not desiring to allow these suggestions to pass unheeded, the Grand Temple adjourned to meet in Victoria Temple Hall on Friday, 19th inst., at 8:30 p. m.

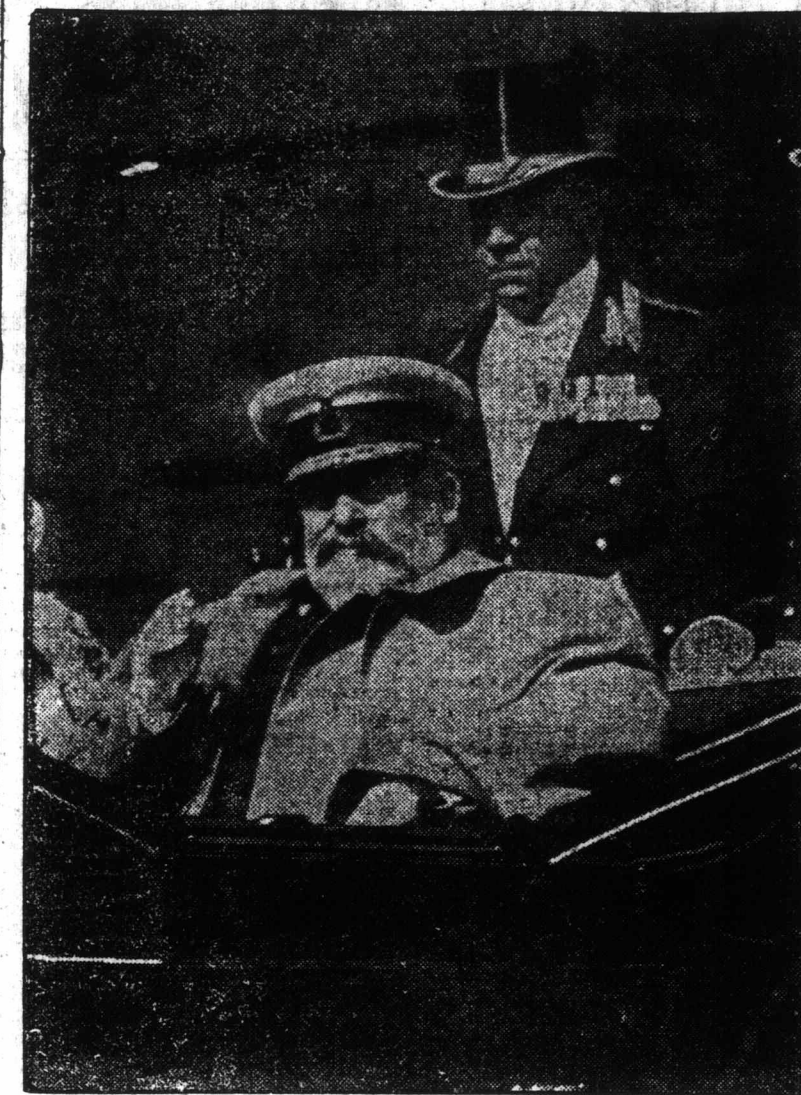
FOUR PERSONS DROWNED WHEN AUTO JUMPED OVER PIER

NEW YORK, June 15.—Four persons were drowned tonight when an automobile carrying a pleasure party of six, becoming unmanageable, shot at wild speed down West 56th street and catapulted from an open pier into the North River.

ONE MAN KILLED IN COLLAPSE OF LADDER

HAVERTHILL, Mass., June 15.—A collapse of a ladder on an aerial truck during a fire department test tonight, caused the death of one fireman, Alvin L. Bradley, and the injury of three others, one of whom, Neal Owens, may die.

KING EDWARD AT OLYMPIA



The above photograph shows the King of England attending the military tournament at Olympia in aid of the Military Charities.

THE COLD STORAGE OF EGGS.

Cold storage seems like many other applied sciences to have been during a long period of the world's history a lost art. The ancients certainly had many methods of food production and preservation which are now coming again into use so regularly as to be part of the day's routine and yet which each came first into prominence as new discoveries.

The hen's egg as an article of diet is a staple, yet as a continuous food is of recent origin and even now at times available only for the wealthy or extravagant.

Therefore, the having of a continuous supply of good eggs is no longer a special privilege of people of means. The writer of this article has seen in one pickling vat in Prince Edward Island more recently a visit to one house in a New England city showed them to have 222,800 cases of thirty dozen each, a total of something over 6,684,000 eggs all in cold storage.

BOURASSA MAY WIN AS RESULT OF RECOUNT; GOVIN DEMANDS RECOUNT

ST. HYACINTHE, Que., June 15.—The recount before a judge of the ballots cast in the recent provincial election, in which it will be remembered that Mr. Bourassa defeated Mr. Govin, was held over here today.

PROMINENT LABOR MAN GIVES FULL CREDIT TO THE LEMIEUX ACT

OTTAWA, June 15.—A. B. Lowe, president of the International Brotherhood of Teamsters, with headquarters at St. Louis, in a letter to the Minister of Labor in reference to the recent dispute between the truckmen on the Donkey and Atlantic Railway and on the Halifax and S. W. Railway and the company's management, has given full credit to the Lemieux Act.

MONCTON STREETS SEVERELY CRITICISED

Movement Taken to Improve Them—They Need It—West End Property

MONCTON, June 15.—The first movement in the direction of the establishment of permanent streets in Moncton was taken this evening, when at a meeting of the board of trade it was decided to ask the mayor to call a citizens' meeting to consider the condition of the streets and devise a scheme for their improvement.

COUNTRY MARKET.

Table of market prices for various goods: Potatoes, Beef, Pork, Butter, Eggs, etc.

GROCERIES.

Table of grocery prices: Walnuts, Raisins, Dates, Flour, etc.

Advertisement for Surprise Soap, featuring an illustration of a woman and the text 'Surprise Soap is stamped on every cake of Surprise Soap. It's there so you can't be deceived. There is only one Surprise. See to it that your soap bears that word—Surprise. A pure hard soap.'

VICE-PRESIDENCY ONLY REAL UNCERTAINTY WHICH CONFRONTS REPUBLICAN CONVENTION

CHICAGO, June 15.—The eve of the national Republican convention finds the Pacific mail service by air...

LEIGHTON MCCARTHY RETIRES FROM COMMONS

TORONTO, June 15.—North St. Michael's held a convention at Stuyvesant Hotel today and received an announcement from Leighton McCarthy of his retirement from the commons, owing to family and private reasons.

PROPHET CAUGHT ASLEEP

CAIRO, June 15.—The false prophet, Abd el Kader, who treacherously murdered Scott Moncrief, died on a donkey.

OPEN ALL SUMMER

Advertisement for Fredericton Business College, including contact information for W. J. Osborne and S. Kerr.

Advertisement for Taft, featuring the text 'His Name Bound Session' and 'CHICAGO, June 15.—The actual work of the national committee of 110 contesting republican national delegates...'.

Advertisement for Castoria, featuring the text 'CASTORIA The Kind You Want Always Bought' and 'CANADA MUST INCREASE SUBSIDY TO THE C.P.R.'.

Advertisement for Samuel Taylor Coleridge, featuring the text 'SAMUEL TAYLOR COLERIDGE. The largest, broadest, deepest and most intellectual genius of the nineteenth century—thus has Coleridge been described, and probably no better description of the great philosopher and litterateur can be found. He was a youth of impulses and tried in turn to become a cobbler, a surgeon and a soldier before he settled down to his vocation as a literary critic. He had few equals in his generation. He was a born journalist and lecturer too.'

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TACT FORCES CONTROL REPUBLICAN CONVENTION

His Name and Roosevelt's Arouse Unbounded Enthusiasm at Opening Session

CHICAGO, June 18.—The fight of the "allies" to have the decision of the national committee reversed in the case of 110 contesting delegates to the Republican national convention was carried to the opening session of the convention today.



W. H. TAFT

The actual work of the day was quickly accomplished and tonight the various important committees on credentials, platform, organization, etc., are preparing for the more important business to come.

Early in the day all roads in Chicago turned toward the huge stone hall known as the Coliseum with its frontage toward Lake Michigan.

The scene when the vast assembly was called to order was one of impressive dignity, of animation and of color.

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"Taft, Taft," went up from a thousand throats, as the well known face of the secretary-candidate was borne to the front.

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CHIEF RANGER ROTHESAY COLLEGE CLOSING PASSED OFF SUCCESSFULLY

I. O. F. Financial Affairs Considered Despite the Inclement Weather—Distribution of Prizes—Mr. Moore Will Remain a Year as Assistant

Head of Order Moves Important Resolution—His Report

IN spite of the heavy downpour of rain yesterday afternoon, the closing exercises at Rothesay College passed off very successfully indeed.

The boys carried their lengthy programme of sports through without a break. They jumped in the mud and because of the weather, but there were many friends from St. John as well as other points in the province, to say nothing of the usual large crowd from Rothesay.

Among the other prizes presented was a silver medal given by the Old Boys' Association for the best English essay, subject, "Independence For Canada." This was won by Courland Gray of Hampton.

Another appointment to the staff was made by Mr. J. H. Dixon, principal of the school, who has been in charge of the school for many years.

The evening at 8 o'clock a dance was given by the members of the senior class. About sixty young people were present and all enjoyed themselves immensely.

Dr. Black did not think that any youth under 21 should be allowed to smoke.

Dr. Daniel pointed out that in New Brunswick the age limit was 18 years.

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BOYS UNDER EIGHTEEN MUST NOT USE TOBACCO

Commons Pass Anti-Smoking Bill and Bill to Increase Powers of Ry. Commission—House Down to Business

OTTAWA, June 18.—The members of the Commons had on their working clothes again today, and the political pyrotechnics which the opposition have indulged in so frequently during this session with prolonged waste of time were avoided, save for an occasional spitter.

Most of the day was taken up with a discussion of Hon. Mr. Graham's bill enlarging the powers of the railway commission by placing telegraph and telephone companies under its jurisdiction, and in other important respects.

There was considerable discussion of the various clauses of the bill, but no amendments were made, and the bill now stands for third reading.

Mr. Miller suggested that the age limit be fixed at eight instead of sixteen years, as proposed in the bill.

Mr. Aylesworth pointed out that the bill was a new departure and was somewhat drastic in its provisions.

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they fixed the limit at 18 they would impose a very considerable task upon the constables whose duty it would be to contact smoking material on the boys caught. If, however, the House wanted it to be agreeable, Mr. Blain thought the bill did not go far enough. He was in favor of prohibiting the importation, manufacture and sale of cigarettes.

The amendment changing the age limit to 18 was carried.

Mr. MacPherson objected to the amendment, declaring that he was anxious his living and smoking when he was fifty and thus contributing to the revenue of the country.

The bill was reported and the third reading stood over in order that Mr. Blain might have an opportunity to move his amendment prohibiting the importation, manufacture and sale of cigarettes.

Hon. Mr. Fielding moved the House into committee of supply, but Mr. Foster suggested that the government might proceed with another of the bills on the order paper and this was agreed to.

Hon. Mr. Aylesworth thereupon moved the second reading of an amending prisons and reformatories so far as it applies to Nova Scotia. The bill changes the age at which a boy may be sent to a reformatory in Nova Scotia from 18 to 16, and raises the minimum period of incarceration from one to two years. The bill was passed.

The House again went into committee to consider the bill amending the post office act by giving a one cent drop rate in cities and towns where there are letter carriers.

Hon. Mr. Lemieux said the total revenue drawn from cities and towns which would result from the one cent drop rate amounted to \$4,728,381.

Hon. Mr. Lemieux claimed that rural districts had not been overlooked. He had reduced the postage on letters from one-half cent in rural and all other places where there was no delivery by letter carriers.

At the request of Hon. Mr. Lemieux he agreed not to move it, but to wait one year until the effects of the reduction in drop letters in the cities was known. He would be very pleased if, in Nova Scotia, the revenue could be increased to do what he could to improve the postal facilities in rural districts.

The bill was read a third time and passed and the House adjourned at 11:28.



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TRUE BILLS IN CASES OF AMHERST PRISONERS; JUDGE COMPLIMENTED

AMHERST, N. S., June 18.—Judge Russell is presiding at the supreme court here for the first time in this county. At the opening today C. R. Goodwin, in the absence of the attorney general, extended to the judge a cordial welcome on behalf of the grand jury, the bar and citizens of the county, his cordiality making an appropriate acknowledgment.

The grand jury found a true bill against Reginald Harley, charged with attempting to murder Brenton, who, accused having been arrested after a fight in the Annapolis Valley. Also in this case Judge Russell found a true bill against a man named...

ATTEMPT TO WRECK A TRAIN AT SPRINGHILL

MONCTON, June 18.—A session of the Judge's criminal court was held at Dorchester yesterday. His Honor, Judge Wells presiding. Fred and Courtenay Goodwin, charged with breaking and entering the store of Robert Prescott, at Bale Verte, were arraigned and pleaded guilty. His Honor after reprising the prisoners, severely sentenced them to thirty days in jail. H. Chapman appeared for the Crown, and A. J. Chapman for the defendants.

An interesting wedding took place today at noon, in St. George's Episcopal church, when Miss Emma McLeod, formerly of the Morison schools teaching staff, was married to Mr. Frank Steinhilber, a representative of the Ontario Windmill and Pump Co.

A number of rocks tightly wedged between the rails and planking sufficed to bring to a halt a train en route in size to have derailed a train were found yesterday at Church street crossing. A few minutes before the incoming Springhill accommodation was due to pass. A citizen who discovered the stones, immediately placed them by a railway employee, who with a good deal of difficulty just before the train arrived.

WESTPORT, N. S., June 18.—Fred Olson, a retired sea captain of this town, attempted to commit suicide by gassing his throat with a razor. Fortunately he was discovered in time to prevent a tragedy. Olson has been in the hospital for some time, having been afflicted with a paralytic stroke a year ago.

HALIFAX, N. S., June 18.—The schooner Hiawatha, Captain Benjamin Cook, arrived at Riverport today from the fishing grounds with her flag at half-mast. The vessel went out with fresh bait and arrived on the banks early Monday morning, and the crew proceeded to unload their catch. Freeman and Samuel Zink, sons of John Zink of Rose Bay, were in one dory and as they were about to leave the dory was overturned and two men went in search of them. They found Samuel hanging on to a log and Freeman floating. The disaster was unaccountable, as it was a fine, calm day, with no sea to injure the smallest craft. It is supposed that when setting their traps they in some way upset the dory. Freeman Zink was married and leaves a widow and two children. The younger brother, whose remains were recovered, was unmarried and his remains were interred at Rose Bay today. The community is in gloom as the deceased were well known and highly respected.

FREDERICTON, June 18.—The Civilians defeated the Royal Regiment yesterday afternoon in Officers' Square at cricket by an inning. The star player was Capt. Dexter for the victorious team, who excelled in both batting and bowling. Dean Schofield played for the Civilians and showed himself a good all-round cricketer. The match was a great success for the Civilians. The score was seven to five, and the match was the opening of the season.

ST. PETERSBURG, June 18.—An expedition consisting of five veterinary surgeons and four assistants has been dispatched by the Russian ministry of the interior to the government of Archangel, in order to inoculate the reindeer in the far north against Siberian plague. The experiments made last year with reindeer inoculation were crowned with success.

AMERICAN WARSHIP FOR QUEBEC CELEBRATION

WASHINGTON, June 18.—The battleship New Hampshire will leave New York, June 20th for Quebec, where it is to be present during the Ter-Centennial celebration of the founding of that city in July.

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