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FURNISHINGS!

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FOR THE CLASSES

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A HORRIBLE DISCOVERY.

Man Killed and His Body Awfully Mangled by Atlantic Express.

ACCIDENT HAPPENED AT MIDNIGHT ON THE C. P. R. IN SHEFFORD.

Victim's Identity Unknown but Was Probably a Militiaman

St. John, June 14.—(Special).—Word reached here this morning of a fatal accident which happened near Megantic on the C. P. R. last night, by which an unknown man lost his life.

The Atlantic Express, which arrived here today, was at 11.30 o'clock last night, coming along at a good rate of speed when one and a half miles west of Shefford Station the train suddenly slowed down until it stopped.

On investigation into the cause of stopping being made it was found that the air pipes had been broken by something striking them.

Further investigation revealed part of a battered pair of trousers hanging on one of the brake beams, and

looking further the mangled body of a man was found a short distance back on the track. The severed feet were found and then the body in a horribly mutilated state. Both arms were cut off and the clothing was stripped almost completely off the body.

The remains were taken to Shefford where they were left in charge of the operator.

It is thought that the man had been drinking and laid down on the track to sleep.

He could not be identified, but it is thought by his clothing, which was picked up in pieces, that he was a member of the Shefford militia, as some of his garments appeared to be part of a uniform.

CUSHING SUEPHITE CO. CASE.

Judge McLeod Grants Prayer of Petition for Winding up Order.

BUT STAYS ITS ISSUE PENDING APPEAL AT OTTAWA.

St. John, June 13.—(Special).—In the matter of the petition for winding up the Cushing Sulphite Fibre Co., Limited, Justice McLeod gave judgment this morning.

The company was organized in 1898, with a capital of \$500,000, and the directors are Edward Porting, Thomas McAvity, Wm. H. Murray, Geo. S. Fisher, A. H. Harrington, C. C. Stringer and R. B. Emmerson. In 1901 a mortgage was given to the Eastern Trust Company for \$280,000.

In January last foreclosure proceedings were taken at the instance of some of the bond holders and the Trust Company recently made an order for foreclosure and sale to take place July 15th.

The company now owes interest to the amount of about \$100,000, of which \$5,000 is due to Geo. S. Cushing, the petitioner in the suit.

The bonds provide that the interest shall be payable at the Bank of New Brunswick.

Some time ago, Geo. S. Cushing asked for the amount owing him, and was informed that there were no funds available.

By the winding up act a creditor of the company for an amount exceeding \$200, may at the end of sixty days after demand for payment being refused, present a petition for foreclosure of the business, and the

fact of such demand and refusal will be prima facie evidence that the company is insolvent.

The petitioner in this case, acted within the statute regarding amount and time after demand, and at the conclusion of the foreclosure proceedings presented a petition to procure a winding up order.

This was objected to by the defence on the ground that Cushing was not competent to make the petition, but should have entered under foreclosure proceedings.

Judge McLeod held that he could proceed on the bond.

In addition it was objected that since the petitioner held securities for debt due him, he could not proceed as an ordinary creditor, but the Judge did not agree with that view.

The next consideration was whether the company was to be considered insolvent.

Judge McLeod decided that the petition for winding up should be allowed, but did not issue a winding up order, so as to allow time to appeal the case to the supreme court at Ottawa.

Further arguments in chambers was postponed until June 18.

Attorney General Pugsley, L. A. Curry and A. P. Barnhill are for the plaintiff. A. H. Harrington, H. A. Powell and Fred Taylor are for the defence.

DR. HANNAY'S NEW JOB.

Commissioned by Dominion Agricultural Department to Search N. B. Records.

Ottawa, June 13.—(Special).—Dr. Jas. Hannay of Fredericton, has been appointed by the agricultural department to visit the Maritime Provinces and examine into the history records and documents for the Dominion archives.

He will begin work at once. (Dr. Hannay, who has been at Ottawa, returned home this afternoon. While at the capital, it was reported that he was likely to succeed A. G. Doughty, as Dominion Archivist, and his present employment may be a stepping stone to that office.)

TRAINS DELAYED.

By a Run off the Track at River du Loup—Nobody Hurt.

Moncton, June 13.—(Special).—A run off on the I. C. R. at River du Loup, delayed the Maritime Express nine hours this morning, and the Ocean Limited was also delayed.

Little is known here of the wreck, except that no one was hurt.

WEATHER PROBS.

Toronto, June 13.—(Special).—Maritime—Fresh southeast and south winds, showery today and Wednesday.

PRESBYTERIAN GENERAL ASSEMBLY.

New Presbyteries Erected to Meet the Growing Denominational Needs.

SABBATH LEGISLATION AND OBSERVANCE DISCUSSED—NEXT MEETING AT LONDON.

Kingston, Ont., June 12.—In the forenoon of Monday the Presbyterian General Assembly undertook the creation of new presbyteries, which the growth and progress of the church demanded. From sections of four former Presbyterian divisions a new organization was brought into being. The Presbyterian population having grown to such dimensions in two others they were divided into four with new Presbyterian machinery for better denominational management of the portions of the Dominion in which they are situated.

The assembly considered a petition from the widow of the late George Campbell of Folly Village, N. S., whose will was bequeathed a large amount of money to various schemes belonging to the Presbyterian church in Canada. After his death the widow of the money thus bequeathed, presenting to the Presbyterian church in Canada. After his death the widow petitioned the church for some or all of the money thus bequeathed, presenting the plea of a son who through illness rendered him had her in necessities circumstances. The subject being brought before the assembly opened the door to historical records in connection with the case and revealed the finding that when a similar petition had been presented in other places before the matter reached the general assembly, the reply was unfavorable to the petitioner as recorded in the books of clerk by resolution.

Sabbath legislation and observance was another matter called for by the docket of business in the forenoon. The records of the year with regard to the parliament of Canada and the imperial privy council were read. Pleasure was expressed that through quiet conference with the managers of various industries work involving many employees had been stopped. The assembly commended the work of the Lord's Day Alliance to the cordial support of all members and adherents of the church, and urged upon all pastors and teachers every effort to ground in those under their instruction a sense of the need and value of the Sabbath day alike to the individual, the home, the church and the land, and upon all over whom the assembly has jurisdiction for their own good and the good of their fellows.

In the afternoon the subject of stipend augmentation was dealt with in its operation in the western section and in the maritime provinces, and a new effort was resolved upon for increasing the minimum income of ministers in the weaker congregations from \$750 and a manse to \$800 with a free house.

A deputation was received from the Montreal conference of the Methodist Church in Canada and the two members of the same were heard. The moderator reciprocated the greetings in a felicitous spirit, and a general resolution to note the exchange of courtesies. The general synod of the Reformed Church in America was heard from. The delegate appointed was not able to be present, but the feelings of the church he represented were conveyed by letter.

Two delegates from the Established Church of Scotland in the persons of Dr. Melford Mitchell of Edinburgh, and Dr. Norman MacLeod, of Inverness, were introduced to the assembly today. Their credentials were read in open court, but the time for the fraternal exchange was postponed until Tuesday. The Scotch representatives occupied seats on the platform for one hour, after which they retired.

Certain parts of the foreign mission work left over from a former day received treatment, special attention having been given to the industrial schools through which the church is seeking to be of service to the Indian population.

An order of the day having been fixed for choosing the place in which the next assembly should be held the commissioners at an appointed hour proceeded to the selection. Invitations came from Montreal and London, and speeches in pressing the claims of one and the other. London had a majority vote by a show of hands. The vote was afterwards made unanimous and the first Wednesday in June was fixed for the assembly of June, 1906, in the First Presbyterian Church at London.

At the evening sederunt Dr. McTavish presented the report on Young Peoples' Societies and Rev. Mr. Mackieson, with Rev. Mr. McBeth, of Paris, enlarged upon the various phases.

The Sabbath School report was presented by Dr. Neill, convenor of the standing committee on Sabbath Schools, and emphasis was laid upon outstanding features of the Sabbath School by Principal Falconer of Halifax, and Dr. Carmichael, one of the missionary superintendents from the Northwest.

THE PEACE NEGOTIATIONS.

Every Prospect that the Belligerents Will Agree to Meet for Settlement of the War.

POSSIBLE THAT CHOICE FOR PLACE OF MEETING WILL BE LEFT WITH ROOSEVELT.

St. Petersburg, June 13.—(Special) Early announcement of the time and place of meeting of the Russian and Japanese plenipotentiaries is expected to come from Washington as the result of exchanges between the government on that subject now proceeding there through Count Cassini and Mr. Takahira, with President Roosevelt as intermediary.

In diplomatic circles the report is current that Russia, whose choice of place continues to be Paris, is ready to allow President Roosevelt to decide that point, in which case there is reason to believe that the president may name Manchuria, but the report cannot be confirmed.

Ambassador Bompard, who has returned from Paris, was closeted with Ambassador Meyer this afternoon. Count Von Alvensleben (German Ambassador) was also among the American Ambassador's callers.

In spite of the rather pessimistic official utterances of the foreign office the atmosphere is distinctly optimistic, and a European Ambassador who saw Foreign Minister Lamsdorff today, describes the Russian minister as being almost in a jubilant mood.

The opinion is practically unanimous that if Emperor Nicholas avails himself of M. Witte's services, and if it be desired that Japanese conditions can be accepted as a basis of peace negotiations he will be able to make the best terms for Russia.

THE STOCK MARKET.

Montreal, June 13.—(Special).—The stock market quotations today were: Dominion Coal, 75½, 75½, 76, Dominion Iron & Steel, 20½, 20½, 21, Dominion Iron & Steel pld., 66½, 65, 66, Nova Scotia Steel, 56½, 57½, 58½, C. P. R., 151, 151, 150½, Twin City, 112, Rich & Ontario Navigation, 70, 70.

DALHOUSIE ENTERPRISE.

Dalhousie, N. B., June 13.—(Special).—W. S. Montgomery has been elected town commissioner, to act with Hon. C. H. Labllois. The town has decided to employ an engineer to look into the question of water, sewerage and electric light services for the town. Rev. Mr. Dibblee of Oromocto, was in the city today.