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REMARKABLE SAVINGS

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LEGISLATURE MEETS FEBRUARY 8th.

Premier and Attorney General to Confer with Minister of Militia on Proposal for Military Instruction in Schools.

St. John, Dec. 7.—(Special)—The Legislature of New Brunswick will meet February 8.
Premier Tweedie and Hon. Dr. Pugsley have been appointed a committee to confer with Sir Frederick Borden, Minister of Militia, re mili-

tary drill in schools and will enter into communication with Sir Frederick at once and arrange a date for the conference.
Hon. Dr. Pugsley goes to Quebec Monday to represent New Brunswick at the government banquet to Premier Gouin.

SAKHAROFF'S ASSASSINATION.

Shot Three Times and Instantly Killed in the Governor's Palace.

HORRIBLE CONDITIONS LEADING TO THE CRIME.

St. Petersburg, Dec. 7.—(Special)—News of the assassination of Lieutenant General Sakhharoff, former Minister of War, who was shot three times, and instantly killed in the governor's palace, at Saratoff, south-east Russia, on Monday last, had been preceded by most forcible stories of the manner in which Sakhharoff had been repressing agrarian disorders.
He corralled peasants with Cossacks, then had them beaten with soldiers' switches.
In doing this Sakhharoff pursued a system adopted by Prince John Obolensky, a former Governor General of Finland, in suppressing the agrarians in the vicinity of Kharoff several years ago, when the Prince caused the peasants to be whipped by relays of Cossacks who compelled them in turn beat their comrades.
The assassin Sakhharoff has not been identified.

When arrested the woman who committed the crime, declared she executed a decree of the terrorists' section of the social revolutionists.
The following is the description of Sakhharoff's arrival at Rovnochina one of the villages of the villages of province of Saratoff. He came with Cossacks and artillery and the peasants were surrounded by Cossacks. Sakhharoff addressed them, demanding the surrender of their leaders.
The village elder replied but gave the general no information. The elder was immediately beaten until he lost consciousness.
Sakhharoff then retired to the court house, leaving the peasants at the mercy of the Cossacks, most of whom were drunk, and they began torturing their victims, pulling out hair and beards, and even tearing pieces of flesh from their faces. Thirty three peasants were thus maltreated.

FATAL HUNTING ACCIDENT

Patten, Me., Dec. 7.—(Special)—S. P. Hussey, a jeweler of this town, was instantly killed yesterday afternoon while hunting in the woods near this village, being accidentally shot by his brother in law, Frank Levitt.
It is understood that the men had started a deer and separated to obtain a shot if possible. Levitt saw the deer again and just as he fired, Hussey rose up in range and the bullet went through his head, killing him instantly. Hussey leaves a family.

MONTREAL STOCK MARKET

Montreal, Dec. 7.—(Special)—The stock market quotations today were as follows—
Dominion Coal, 77, 77, 77.
Dominion Iron & Steel, 20, 20, 20.
Dominion Iron and Steel pfd, 68½, 68, 67.
Nova Scotia Steel pfd, 68½, 68, 67½.
Canadian Pacific Railroad, 175½, 174, 174.
Twin City, 114, 114, 114.
Montreal Power, 88½, 88½, 89.
Rich & Ontario Navigation, 68.

ST. ANN'S RECTORY.

As previously stated in these columns, Rev. Mr. Cowie the new rector of St. Ann's church, will occupy Mrs. W. B. Phair's cottage, St. John St. for the present. It is understood that the dwelling house on Westmorland street adjoining the church, is to be fitted up as a rectory, and will be occupied by Rev. Mr. Cowie after May 1st. The church authorities will likely rent the present rectory on George street.

CHURCH NOTES.

The stereopticon lecture in the Hall St. U. B. church, Gibson, last night on the life of Christ was largely attended and enjoyed by all.
Separate prayer meetings will be held in the Baptist churches this evening that they may have an opportunity to decide by vote whether or not the union meetings shall be continued. Such meetings have been held there for more than a year, but many now believe it would be an advantage to discontinue them.

A CANINE'S HARD LUCK.

The owners of Camp Porcupine, a small habitation on Forest Hill, were rather surprised on visiting the place a few days ago to find a spaniel dog in full possession. The animal had been accidentally locked in and when rescued had been without food for a week, and was nearly famished. After devouring some food which the boys gave him he skipped out apparently none the worse for his trying experience.

THE WEATHER.

Light variable winds, cloudy with local snow flurries. Friday, fresh west and southwest winds, fair and mild.

INDUCTION.

Rev. J. DeW. Cowie will be inducted into the pastoral charge of St. Ann's church, Dec. 31st.

THE BOARD OF EDUCATION.

Important Matters Dealt with—Dr. Inch to Attend the Forestry Convention.

Lieutenant Governor Snowball presided at the meeting of the Board of Education yesterday afternoon and a large amount of business was transacted.
The report of the Inter-provincial committee on an Acadian reader, was presented by Dr. Inch and adopted. The chief superintendent also reported on his recent visit to the consolidated school at Riverside. He said that the building was about completed and nearly equipped, and the prospects were very bright for a successful school.
The following teachers were granted certificates of qualification for school garden work, on the recommendation of Prof. John Brittain: R. E. Estabrooks, Woodstock. H. F. Perkins, Hartland. G. J. Trueman, Riverside.
A communication was read from H. W. Auden, principal of the Upper Canada College, asking the co-operation of the educational department in an application to the tariff commission to extend the free entry list in educational supplies. It was referred to the chief superintendent to take such action as he deemed expedient.
A letter was read from Dr. D. W. Ross of Florenceville, stating that of 25 Carleton students in attendance at the Normal School, five had already been attacked with typhoid fever. He called upon the board of education to either provide better sanitary conditions or to remove the Normal school from Fredericton. Dr. Ross was authorized to inform Dr. Ross that the city council had taken action in regard to providing sewerage.
Miss Lillian Nicholson, teacher of the Model School primary department, was granted three months' leave of absence and Miss Vega Creed was appointed a substitute.
School Inspector Mersereau of Doaktown, applied for and was granted one year's leave of absence from January 1st. The question of procuring a substitute was left with the chief superintendent.
Several communications on imperial topics were referred to the chief superintendent for consideration and reply.
The first was from the under secretary of state with enclosures from Hon. Alfred Littleton, relating to the importance of school children of the mother land and colonies obtaining a better knowledge of the empire through the medium of illustrated lectures.
The second was from the secretary of the institute requesting information in regard to appointments made by the New Brunswick government requiring chemical knowledge.
The third asked for a variety of information in regard to our training colleges, and the terms on which students from the mother land can be admitted to the same.
Another was from the secretary of the League of the Empire, relating to methods interest in the study of history and development of the empire through the medium of debating societies.
A communication was read from the Canadian Forestry Association, inviting the co-operation of the educational department in regard to the Forestry Convention to be held at Ottawa in January. Chief Superintendent Inch was authorized to attend the convention as the representative of the board of education.

WILL BURN THE BONDS.

Presbyterians Arranging Congregational Social at Which They Will Celebrate Complete Debt Redemption.

The general committee of St. Paul's Church, for arranging the series of congregational socials, two of which have already been held, met at the Old Kirk last night to talk over the programme for the social to be held in January, at which the congregation will celebrate the redemption of their entire church bonds, by burning the redeemed bonds.
Mr. L. W. Johnston was voted to be the chair, and Mr. A. S. McFarlane acted as secretary.
Mrs. G. W. Hodge reported from the sub-committee appointed to arrange the programme for next Monday evening's social, which will be in charge of the young ladies of the congregation, with Miss Kelsie Ross at their head. There will be music, recitations, etc., and the mission band children will have a table for their sale of home made candy.
The date of the bond burning social was not definitely fixed, but it will likely be about the middle of January. It was arranged that the programme will include a sketch of the building of the new church, to be prepared and read by Mr. L. W. Johnston, who was secretary of the building committee, and a history of the Ladies' Aid Society by Mrs. J. R. Howie.
Refreshments are to be furnished under the management of the Ladies' Aid, and the arrangement of the other parts of the programme was left with a special committee consisting of Mrs. Hodge, Mrs. W. C. Crockett, Mr. C. A. McVey, Mr. Wm. M. Clarke, and Mr. L. C. Macnutt, who are to consult with the pastor, Rev. William Macdonald.

BITS OF NEWS.

Congressman Sulloway of New Hampshire, who has been the tallest man in the United States House of Representatives, now yields the palm to one of the newly elected Pittsburg representatives, Dr. Andrew Jackson Barchfield, who is 6 feet, 5 inches in height.

The last will and testament of Alex. McTavish, late of St. Stephen, has been admitted to probate and letters testamentary granted to Charles W. Grimmer, the sole executor named in the will. The estate was valued at \$9250, all personal property. After bequeathing \$5000 in cash, \$1000 worth of Crystal mining stock, a diamond ring and household effects to a St. Stephen friend, the balance of the estate is divided up among members of his family.

John Reedy, a civil war veteran, and his daughter, Ellen, were burned to death in a fire which destroyed their home on Neversink Mountain, Pa., on Wednesday.

A serious accident occurred on the road to Amherst Head Wednesday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Atkinson and family of Warren were driving home from the fair in a double-seated sleigh when it slewed into the ditch and upset. All were thrown out and Mrs. Atkinson had the misfortune to have both bones of her ankle broken above the joint.

The French senate, Wednesday, after a long debate, adopted the bill for the separation of church and state, by a vote of 181 against 102. The vote was announced amidst enthusiastic

scenes and cries of "Long Live Liberty" and "Long Live the Republic." Former Premier Combes participated in the debate, contending that the measure assured everyone of religion, moral liberation and social pacification. This is the final parliamentary stage of the bill, which will be promulgated in the Official Journal tomorrow.
The process of forming a new British cabinet evidently will be a slow one. No appointments have as yet been announced but there is an increasing possibility that Lord Elgin will be the new secretary for foreign affairs and that Sir Edward Grey will be made secretary for the colonies.
David Varney, aged 78 years, and a respected citizen of Keser Falls, Me., was shot down in his barn Wednesday night by an unknown person, says a special to The Press, robbed of a wallet which he carried, containing about \$200, and at a late hour was in a critical condition at his home. He was not expected to live more than a few hours. The attempted murder and robbery were of the utmost deliberation and one of the most cruel and wicked crimes that ever happened in Oxford County. The would be assassin is still at large but the officials say suspicion points to a Keser Falls man and an arrest is probable.

MADE A SCOOP.

St. John, Dec. 7.—(Special)—The county authorities made a scoop yesterday, and as a result six keepers of resorts in the vicinity of St. John, have been summoned on the charge of liquor selling without license.