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Always quality at this store, but prices are ordinary.

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GOES TO A COMMISSION

Central Railway to be Administered by Senator King and George McAvity.

The local government at a session which lasted from 8 o'clock Monday evening until 1.30 Tuesday morning transacted a large amount of business.

George McAvity, of this city, and Senator George G. King, of Chipman, were appointed. They are to make a full report to the government before any further assistance is given the road.

An exhaustive report upon the Beersville Railway in Kent county was made by the surveyor general and the solicitor general who were appointed a sub-committee to examine into the differences between the Beersville company and the Imperial Coal Company.

The regulations relative to admission of patients into the Provincial Hospital for Nervous Diseases were adopted.

Laurier Initiated

Father Burke Made Him One of the C. M. B. A., at Ottawa Yesterday.

Ottawa, May 8—(Special)—By virtue of a special commission under the great seal of the C. M. B. A., Rev. Father Burke, of P. E. Island, grand trustee, duly initiated at eight Sir Wilfrid Laurier from the speaker's gallery of the House of Commons just after the order of the day.

Father Burke was accompanied by J. J. Hughes, M. P., Kings; Charles A. McCool, M. P., and Edward Proulx, M. P. Rev. Father Burke, in the presence of these men declared Sir Wilfrid a member. No one in the house outside the premier was aware of what was going on.

WANTS TO RESIGN

Auditor General McDougall Asks For Changes or Else He Will Get Out.

Ottawa, May 8—(Special)—Auditor General McDougall has forwarded a report to parliament asking that the audit act be amended along the lines suggested by him in previous reports.

Handsome Presents.

Packages of Rainbow Cut Plug Smoking Tobacco contain coupons which can be redeemed for handsome presents.

MILITARY DINNER

There was a pleasant function in White's restaurant last evening when Capt. Herbert J. Smith of Company G, 62nd Regt., gave a dinner to his command.

When usual toasts were honored, and songs were given by Privates Phillips, Brown and Flewelling. A piccolo solo was played by Private Downey. The guests of the company were Col. M. B. Edwards and Capt. McKean, both of whom made pleasing speeches.

Sergt. R. B. Price was elected secretary of the company, and Corp. O. A. Burnham treasurer.

Correcting Bad Habits Not Enough.

NATURE NEEDS ASSISTANCE.

To cure a torpid and inactive liver, more is required than the mere correction of bad habits. You change your diet, reform your manners of living, but unless you assist Nature your efforts won't be a success.

When the liver and bowels are acting impotently, something must be done to put them in condition again. There is lack of tone in the liver action as well as in the bowels. You feel depressed and unfitted for work, endurance or responsibility.

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SCHOOLS MUST BE MADE SAFE

The Trustees Will Act on the Grand Jury's Recommendations.

The presentation of the grand jury on the safety of public buildings was received by the board of school trustees at their meeting Monday night.

Quite a lot of business was transacted last night at the meeting of the school trustees arising out of communications received by the secretary. One matter was a letter from E. R. Chapman on behalf of Mrs. Fred P. Gregory, in relation to the ground rent of some property on Hillfield street.

The first communication was from Linas De Bert Jones, asking for appointment as principal in one of the St. John schools. This was filed. The next was a complaint from Maggie M. Briggs that her check for March was \$2 less than the sum to which she was entitled.

Inspector Carter wrote the board that May 12 would be celebrated as Arbor Day in this district. There will be only one session of the usual lessons the teachers will give the scholars a talk on plants and plant life.

On motion of Trustee Russell it was resolved to place a fire sign in Dufferin school, and on motion of Trustee Maxwell it was resolved to pay the numbers on the rooms of all the schools where the fire signs are correspond to the numbers on the alarms.

On motion of Trustee Maxwell the secretary was instructed to pay the janitor of the Centennial school fifty cents a night for taking care of the night schools.

Dr. Bridges drew the attention of the board to the fact that the teachers of the Victoria school had for years planted out of their own pockets for the school beds, and he thought they should not be burdened in this way.

There will be a meeting of the teachers' committee on the 29th inst., after which, on the same night, there will be a special meeting of the board to receive Dr. Bridges' report. The secretary's report for April shows a total enrollment of 7,048 with an average attendance of 5,945.

Those present at the meeting were, besides the chairman, A. I. Trueman, Trustees Keefe, Russell, Coll, Maxwell, Mrs. Dever and Dr. Bridges.

A DEADLOCK IN CHARLOTTETOWN

Mayor Refused to Put a Motion and Council Had to Adjourn.

CHARLOTTETOWN, May, 9—(Special)—There was a deadlock in the regular meeting of the city council last night over the action of Mayor Kelly in refusing to put a motion that the minutes of the previous meeting be adopted.

For over an hour the councillors remained idle, all business was suspended, and shortly after ten o'clock when the councillors had retired one by one, the mayor left the chair and the meeting died a natural death.

The trouble began over a month ago, when the mayor paid a bill of the Light and Power Company for street lighting, without its being ratified by the council. During the blockade of the past winter the company ran short of carbons, and received permission from the committee to put out the street lights earlier than usual for a fortnight.

The bill was paid in full by the mayor, but chairman of the finance committee Hooper refused to endorse it, claiming that a deduction should be made for the time the lights were out.

At a council meeting last month Hooper carried a motion by a vote of four to three expressing disapproval of the mayor's action in paying the bill without its being passed by the council. On that occasion the mayor refused to put the motion, so he vacated the chair and the motion was carried with another chairman.

At last night's meeting a motion that the record of these proceedings be expunged from the minutes was lost, four to three, and the mayor refused to put a motion that the minutes be read be adopted.

Councillor Hooper put a motion himself, but the mayor declared he would not sign the minutes, hence business was tied up. The mayor claimed that in paying the bill without ratification of the council he was following precedent, and said he had no right to leave the chair at last month's meeting, but the matter was sprung upon the council.

There was one councillor absent last night. It is expected he will support the mayor, and at the next meeting the portion of the minutes objected to may be expunged.

Larry—'When th' doctor came to vaccinate ye, did ye roll up yer sleeve?' Larry—'Sure—'O! pulled up both as them awn dared him to come outside.'—'Chic—'

THE I. C. R. WRECK

Engineer White Dug From Under His Engine Uninjured

Accident Occurred Yesterday Afternoon Two Miles West of Evans --- Train Was Going Full Speed at the Time.

Moncton, May 8—(Special)—The C. P. R. train from Halifax ran off the track about two miles west of Evans at 2 o'clock this afternoon and the passengers and train hands had a most miraculous escape from a horrible death. Fortunately the engine and cars plowed into an embankment bringing the train to a standstill without smashing or telescoping the cars.

The train was running at full speed at the time of the run off and had the accident occurred 100 yards or so either way there might have been a different story to tell.

Conductor Jas. Buchanan, of Truro, was in charge of the train with Driver E. S. White, of Truro, at the throttle of engine 313, one of the large new passenger locomotives recently received by the I. C. R.

Immediately after Driver White felt the engine of the rails he set the emergency brake and did all possible to bring the train to a standstill. A few seconds after the trucks left the rails the huge iron monster plunged into the side of the cutting and turned completely over on its right side, burying Driver White under three feet of mud.

Fireman Chas. Stewart crawled out through the cab window but Driver White was completely buried in mud. Fortunately his face and one hand were not completely covered and the train men clawed away the earth to save him from smothering.

First reports were that Driver White was dead beneath his engine. Pinned beneath three feet of earth with barely enough space to get a breath of air the engineer was fully conscious of all that was going on. For a solid hour the train men and passengers worked to free him and at last their efforts were rewarded when his head and shoulders were bare.

Mail Clerk Sullivan, of Halifax, with a great effort pulled him from his perilous position. His appearance was the signal for hearty cheers from the passengers standing about.

About sixty-five passengers were on the train, twenty-five of whom were in the second class cars en route to the States. All the cars except the sleeper left the rails. The postal, express, second class, first class and diner were partly toppled over and the passengers received a slight shaking up. No one, however, required medical attendance and there were thankful prayers when they began to realize their close call.

Hints to Pipe-Smokers. A WEST END FIRE

The Minette house, Carleton, was badly damaged by fire early this morning, and the loss as far as could be estimated, is about \$500. An alarm was sent in from box 118 at 12.25 a. m. The fire was discovered in the lower flat and the flames made considerable headway and spread to the upper floor. It was not found possible to remove the contents, and much of the furniture was damaged or destroyed. The house is owned by Mrs. Hayward, who resided in one part, while a family named Pink occupy the rest. She was removed from the building suffering from shock and was taken to the house of John McAvity. Dr. F. L. Kenney was summoned, as her condition caused some anxiety. The all-out sounded about 1.30.

RELIEF AND AID

The annual meeting of the Relief and Aid Society was held Monday afternoon. At the request of the president, James Reynolds, the chair was taken by Hon. Wm. H. Duck. The reports from the board of directors and the auditors were submitted. The former told of the grants made. No new names had been added to the list. Two recipients of the grants had died within the year. The expenditures for the year were \$2,338.63, leaving a balance of \$20,548.98 deposited as follows: Bonds in Bank of New Brunswick, \$19,500, and cash in Bank of Nova Scotia, \$1,048.98. The directors were re-elected.

DR. SLOCUM'S WARNING THE GERMS OF CONSUMPTION SWARM IN THE LAND

Consumptives who spit on the floors of cars, public conveyances, halls, or on the streets, save the seeds of death behind them in factories, or other places in cities or towns, where consumptives have worked and spat on the floor. The very walls are full of TUBERCLE GERMS. Theatres and lecture halls are dangerous to those of weakened systems, and the utmost care should be taken to fortify the system and avoid contagion. A teaspoonful of 'Psychine' taken before going out will prevent all chance of attack from this source.

Explains the symptoms of consumption. The symptoms of consumption are not hard to discover. Neglected Colds, Loss of Flesh, Bronchial Troubles, Catarrh, Rheumatism, Asthma, Malaria, Fever, Night Sweats, Women's Infirmities, Wasting Conditions, Hoarseness, Tongue Coated, Pains in the Chest, Lack of Stamina, Extreme Exhaustion of the Nose, Throat, and Chest. Dr. Slocum says: 'Consumptives almost always, until the last moment, do not believe that anything is the matter with them. They say, 'If only this cough or that ache were gone I would be all right. My remedy, 'Psychine,' will at once relieve the cough and pains, soon after you begin to take it, 'Psychine' must be taken regularly for a disease like Consumption cannot be cured in a day or a week. It is well to remember that 'Psychine' is not in the usual class of patent medicines, but, on the contrary, is the remedy used daily in Dr. Slocum's extensive practice. 'Psychine' is pronounced SE-KEE-nee. For sale at all drug stores, or a simple bottle free of charge if your druggist does not have it in stock. Mention druggist's name. Write Dr. T. A. Slocum, Limited, 173 King Street West, Toronto, Ont. Dr. Slocum's valuable Treatise on the Cure and Prevention of Pulmonary and Bronchial Troubles mailed free to every sufferer.

DR. GRENFELL

Something About the Great Medical Missionary Who Comes Here Soon.

Dr. Grenfell, of Labrador fame, and Rev. Prof. Springer, of Montreal, are to preach in St. Stephen's church on Sunday, May 21. Dr. Grenfell has been heard here before with great pleasure. It was lately announced in the Times that two young society women had decided to engage in the work which he has for a number of years successfully promoted. The Outlook, of New York, has this to say of Dr. Grenfell: 'The readiness of persons in all ranks to co-operate with Dr. Grenfell shows that the right type of missionary and the right kind of missionary work can claim and will receive, if properly presented, the support not alone of church members, but of all persons who honor heroism and who believe in practical Christianity. Dr. Grenfell's sturdiness, humility and unflinching good temper appeal to all classes. His work has a peculiarly romantic and fascinating character. Dr. Grenfell always sounds a distinctively evangelistic note, and the church or organization hearing him is invariably quickened spiritually. At Yale University, while he pleaded chiefly for his mission, his indirect testimony to the worth of religion so touched the students that he was urged to return simply for the blessing he might confer upon the university. Elsewhere the wish has been often expressed that he might devote himself entirely to the spiritual uplifting of American churches. Perhaps we have more latent evangelistic power among our missionaries on furlough than we realize. A man like Dr. Hume, for example, telling the story of the way in which he helps a Hindu to become acquainted with God, is a true evangelist as he goes about among our churches.'

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CHATHAM

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N. Crombie's yacht Thetis is being repaired. The Oriana owned by Commodore Stewart, is undergoing repairs and will be ready for cruising by May 24.

A. E. Ruddock, formerly of the Ruddock Foundry Company, left for Calgary on Saturday morning. When he finds work and locality to his liking he will send for his family.

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FISHERY REPORT

HALIFAX, N. S., May 8. NOVA SCOTIA. Digby—Herring plenty; haddock scarce, no cod. Sand Point—Lobsters fair. Lunenburg—Herring and cod reported. Musquodoboit—Lobsters fair; other fish scarce. Isaac's Harbor—Few spring herring reported; lobsters scarce. Whitehead—Cod fair; haddock and lobsters scarce. Canso—Lobsters fair; cod scarce. Queensport—Herring plenty; lobsters fair, cod scarce. Arichat—Herring, haddock and lobsters fair. Petit DeGrat—Herring and lobsters fair. Descoisse—Herring very plenty; lobsters fair.

PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND

Georgetown—Lobsters fair, herring scarce. Malpeque—Herring and lobsters fair. Bloomsdell—Herring and lobsters plenty.

NEW BRUNSWICK

Point Escominae—Herring and lobsters plenty. Shippigan—Herring very plenty; lobsters plenty.

QUEBEC

Port Daniel—Herring plenty, lobsters fair, no cod. Gascons—Herring and lobsters fair. Newport Point—Herring very plentiful, lobsters fair. Ste Adelaide de Pabos—Herring fair, lobsters scarce.

All branches dull at Lardoise, Margaree, Mabou, Hawkesbury, Port Hood, Port Melville, Meat Cove, Porce, Pt. Peter, Grand River, Grand Placoid, and S. W. Point anti. Best obtainable at Paturus, Island, St. Mary's Bay, Queensport, Bras D'Or Lakes, and Cole Harbor, Guysboro Co. Ice at Digby, Truro, and Pictou. Westport, St. Mary's Bay, Sandy Cove, Georgetown, Whitehead, Yarmouth, Port la Tour, Canso, Lockport, Lunenburg, Queensport, Publico, Port Hood Island.

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MARRIAGES

JOHNSTON.—At the residence of Dr. McVoy, Rothsay, on the morning of the 9th, Janet Irving, widow of the late James Johnston, in the 89th year of her age. Funeral from Bloomfield Station on Wednesday, 10th, on arrival of 1.15 train from St. John.

DEATHS

HENDERSON.—At Rothsay, Kings County, on May 8th, George Henderson, sr., in the 74th year of his age, leaving a wife and four children. Funeral at Rothsay on Wednesday, May 10th, at 2.30 p. m.

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