

Local and Other Items

TELEPHONIC.—Mr R J Wood's grocery, Euston St, is collected by telephone.

S of T.—Orient Division, S of T will meet to night to elect officers. By order of W P.

WANTED IN BOSTON.—It is announced that Rev A L Geggie of Truro has been invited to conduct a series of special meetings in Columbus Avenue Presbyterian church, Boston, some time during the month of January. Rev Mr Geggie is well known in Charlottetown, and the congregation of Zion church were anxious to have him for their Pastor. But he could not see his way clear to come.

THE LOBSTER PACK.—The pack of canned lobsters shipped from Halifax this season amounts to 133,970 cases, which is some 10,000 cases less than the pack of last year. The lobsters brought higher prices this year than ever before, averaging \$10.50 per case of 43 cans. Two years ago the shipments of canned lobsters from this port were 165, 93 cases. During the past 25 years, for which figures have been kept, the lobster shipments from Halifax have aggregated in value \$23,890,000.

REMEMBERED AT CHRISTMAS.—On Christmas morning, in St. Eleanor's Church, Miss Mary Andrew, the indefatigable organist was presented with a token of esteem in the form of a beautiful manicure set. The rector on the same day received a present of a sum of money from his bible class. Santa Claus came to the children of the Sunday School connected with the same church last night bringing a present for each of the seventy five members.—Guelphian.

SETTLED HER HUSBAND.—An obedient husband, not very far from Sydney, was objecting a short time ago to do certain work around the household, and quoted Scripture texts to his wife showing that the household duties should properly be assigned to the woman. The good wife had been trained in the Ladies' Auxiliary of our Y M C A, and she quickly replied by reading to her astonished liege II Kings xxxi. 13: "I will wipe Jerusalem as a man wipeth a dish wiping it, and turning it upside down." That husband, without a murmur, has wiped the dishes ever since.—Sydney, C B Reporter.

I. O. F.—Court Strathcona No. 37, Bradalbane, held its annual meeting on the 28th, when the officers for the ensuing year were elected as follows:—

C D, H C R—Geo R McMahon,
C R—Archibald Ferguson,
V C R—R A Elliott,
R S—Neil Campbell,
F S—J Gordon McKay, re-elected,
Treasurer—F M Morris, re-elected,
Orator—R E Keating, re-elected,
Physician—Dr Jas A Johnstone, re-elected.
S W—John W Warren,
J W—Matthias Smith, re-elected,
S B—Isaac Sharp,
J B—D N McKay,
P C R—James McKay,
Trustees—Duncan Buchanan and D M Stewart.
Auditing Committee—Geo R McMahon, Matthias Smith.

This court is in a flourishing condition, there were six initiations on last night of meeting.

A TRADE IN WIVES.

But the Bargain Proved Unprofitable to the Klondyker.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 27.—Frank Burton, an Oregon farmer, traded wives with Frank Hall, a neighbor, a year ago, in order to get a big, strong companion to assist him in a trip to the Klondyke. Now his new spouse has left him, taking with her the proceeds of the Alaska trip, about \$4,500. Hall and Burton lived near Sylvania, Ore. Mrs. Hall was a tall, athletic woman capable of digging a well or baling hay. Mrs. Burton was a comely little woman, an ideal housewife, but not very strong. Burton caught the Klondyke fever in 1897. One day when he and his wife were visiting the Halls, Burton suggested that they trade wives. The women made no objection, and after some dickering Hall agreed to trade, Burton giving his wife and "four acres of prime onions" for Mrs. Hall. Burton is now back on the farm alone, while Hall and the former Mrs. Burton are apparently happy. No one knows where Mrs. Hall is.

For the Anglican Church

Chicago, Ill., December 28.—Bishop William E McLaren, of the diocese of Chicago, has accepted the mission to Porto Rico to investigate the field there for promotion of the Episcopal Church interests, as delegated to him by the Episcopal conference in Washington. He will start for the new island possessions some time before the winter is over.

WIFILY OBEDIENCE.

A Vancouver Preacher Who Has Some Novel Ideas on the Subject.

VANCOUVER, B C, Dec 28.—Rev Amos Fair, who achieved notoriety by baptizing people in the Pacific last summer, has had further attention directed to him. Last Sunday he married a couple, and told the woman that there was no need to promise to obey her husband. His words were criticized, and he now writes to the press as follows:

"The word of God does not say 'obey your husbands,' but it does say 'obey your husbands in the Lord,' and that makes all the difference in the world. I purpose to speak more dogmatically than ever against Christians marrying sinners, if I make every devil in town mad."

Klondike Output Doubling.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal, Dec 29.—A special from Dawson City, dated November 14th, says: Reports from all the creeks in vicinity of Dawson City indicate that the winter product of gold will exceed that of last year by more than 100 per cent. Several persons are reported to have been frozen to death. One of these was found in a kneeling position in his sled and dogs between Hunker and the Summit. Several steamers are in winter quarters on the upper river, prepared to take advantage of the first rush of traffic.



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