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minutes. The work to be done by the commission was informally discussed. The president impressed upon the commissioners the importance of the expedition, and informed them that he had decided to appoint two assistants to the recorder to facilitate the work.

PREPARING THE EVIDENCE.

President Mitchell Arranging to Present the Miners' Case.

WILKESBARRE, Oct. 24.—The evidence which President Mitchell will present to the arbitration commission is being arranged in a systematic form. Regarding the report that there was doubt whether he would be permitted to appear on behalf of the miners, Mitchell said that he presumed the miners could select any counsel that they saw fit to present their case before the commission.

NEW MEASUREMENT FORMULA.

New Rules Governing Yachting Adopted by New York Yacht Club.

NEW YORK, Oct. 24.—The New York Yacht club has adopted the report of the committee appointed in February last to revise the present racing rules with reference to the measurement of racing craft.

The principal change affected is the introduction of the factor of hull displacement with the factors of length and sail area previously considered. The formula, as it now stands, reads as follows:

"Length multiplied by square root of sail area divided by five times cube root of displacement."

Directions with reference to the measurement of the various sails in all crafts are given.

The committee of measurements announced that it had corresponded with designers and builders in Europe and America, with whom questions were discussed relative to the advisability of the club changing its rules, to the possibility of formulating wholesome rules which would result in a whole-

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some type of boats adapted to yachting in this country, and as to what system of measurement would be conducive of best results and to the possibility of making an international standard. In all cases favorable answers were received, except that some doubt was expressed about the international standard.

DENIES THE STATEMENT.

Lady Somerset Did Not Say Britain Was Drunken Nation.

LONDON, Oct. 24.—Lady Henry Somerset, who is in the United States, has cabled to the secretary of the British Woman's Temperance association an emphatic denial of the report that she had made the statement attributed to her to the effect that the British are a "nation of drunkards."

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which was published recently in this country. REDUCTION IN PRICE OF COAL. Anthracite Will Come Down to \$6.75 a Ton, It is Said.

NEW YORK, Oct. 24.—Coal dealers in this city, who, through their retail associations, have fixed upon \$15 a ton as the price for anthracite, will, it is said, have to accept the schedule of prices by President Baer, in his circular, and reduce to prices around \$6.75.

Considerable coal brought from outside points during the winter remains unsold and many of the dealers are said to have been cutting the prices to \$10 and \$12 a ton, in order to get out of their possession the high priced coal as soon as possible.

GREIG PLEADS GUILTY.

Accountant Who Stole More Than \$81,000 From Carnegie Company

LONDON, Oct. 24.—L. H. Greig, ex-bookkeeper in the London office of the Carnegie Steel company, and charged with forgery and abstracting checks aggregating \$81,265 from the correspondence of the Carnegie company, pleaded guilty to forgery and was sentenced to five years' penal servitude.

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