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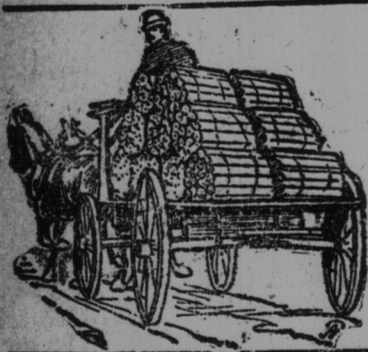
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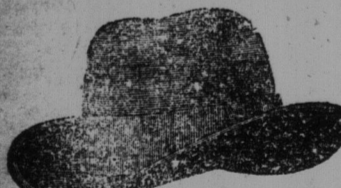
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Diamond Jubilee.—This evening—Lecture by Prof. Fulcomer, LL. D., J. T. D., subject, "The City of Rome." Tickets 25 cents.

An old lumberman stood on the bank and watched his son go out on the boom to break a log jam. "He's a clever boy," said the old man, "but one thing I regret—if he doesn't hit it right the first time he'll never get back on shore where I can lick him for his foolishness."

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LOCAL NEWS.

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Last auction sale at Hall's Book Store this Monday evening at 7.30. Goods have to be sold. No reserve, cash.

The schooner Laura C., 219 tons, has been chartered to load lumber at Chatham for New York at private terms.

The highest temperature in the city today was 88 above zero. Very warm weather is prevailing in other parts of the province.

Correspondents of the Star are again notified that no attention will be paid to any communication not accompanied by the name of the writer.

Miss C. E. Harquill, Music Teacher, wishes to inform her pupils that she is now settled and prepared to attend to her class, and will be pleased to have them call at 297 Duke street.

A. C. Barr, who at one time ran a jewelry store in Halifax, has been sentenced at Winnipeg to five years in the penitentiary for cattle stealing in the McLeod district.

Robert Clancy was locked up this morning by officer Ward on a charge of drunkenness. Clancy has made a lot of trouble of late.

All the Boys' Brigades of the city are requested to meet at St. Stephen's church Tuesday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock to attend the funeral of the late F. Payson Cassidy. Uniforms will be worn.

The Montreal Clothing store will give away free at their opening at 207 Union street, just below the Opera House, on Saturday, the 14th inst., a most useful article for both old and young. Everybody invited.

Mrs. Margaret Duncan, wife of William Duncan, of Barnsville, Kings Co., died on Tuesday last after a short illness. Deceased was in her 82nd year and is survived by three sons and three daughters.

C. B. Foster, district passenger agent of the West Coast, left on Saturday for Vancouver. It is expected that Mr. Foster will go down the coast as far as San Francisco.

The funeral of William Edwards was held this afternoon at three o'clock from his late residence, 518 Main street. Rev. Samuel Howard officiated and interment was in Cedar Hill cemetery.

A rare musical treat was afforded those who attended York Theatre Saturday night. The Bostonian Sextette, who are well known in musical circles here, provided an excellent programme of instrumental music, directed by soloist Miss Millicent Brennan.

The manufacturers of the "Universal" bread mixer and raisers are making them at the rate of 3,000 per day and can barely supply the demand. Emerson & Fisher are selling these machines in increased quantities, and each customer is very much pleased with their purchase.

NEW HELMETS NEEDED. When the policemen assembled at the depot Saturday afternoon to say au revoir to the chief, there were many remarks about the chief's new appearance of his helmets. They were a fine looking lot of men, broad shouldered, of pleasant countenance, and well dressed except for the helmets, which looked as if they had been made to do duty for fifty years. It is high time that they should be some system about the supply of clothing for the officers, and if the new helmets want to make a move in the right direction they will see to this matter without delay. A new coat and a dirty delapidated helmet do not go well together.

A VETERAN'S FUNERAL. W. B. Howard, chief clerk in the C. P. R. passenger agent's office, this city, returned this morning from Halifax where he went to attend the funeral of the late Richard Armstrong, I. C. R. ticket agent for some years at Halifax.

Deceased who was sixty odd years of age was an official on the warship Alabama during the American civil war. The funeral was attended by a large number of railway men from various parts of the maritime provinces.

A HEARTY SEND OFF. Chief of Police Clark and Mrs. Clark left on the Montreal express Saturday evening for a trip to the west. In addition to a large number of personal friends who assembled at the depot some fifteen police officers in uniform were present and gave the chief three hearty cheers as the train pulled out.

During the chief's absence Deputy Chief Jenkins takes charge. Sgt. Caples has been transferred to head quarters and will look after much of the routine work that usually falls to the deputy. Officer Lee, who has been doing duty on the West Side during the winter port season, is now on the St. John street beat.

FERRY TROUBLES. The ferry steamer had a hard time of it in the harbor this morning and succeeded in getting fully an hour out of her schedule time, as, for instance, she did not reach this side on her eight o'clock trip till nine.

The lost time was spent in an excursion about the harbor, the most distant point reached being off the government pier. This frolic on the part of the venerable boat was occasioned by the spring freshet and the dense fog that for a couple of hours settled over the city.

POLICE REPORT. The police report that the cover is off the catch basin at the corner of Broad and Sheffield streets. There was no light seen at the corner of Wellington Row and Union street last night.

There is a dangerous hole in front of O'NEILL'S meat store at the corner of Brussels and Union streets.

S. P. C. A. WILL INVESTIGATE.

Revolted Neglect and Cruelty in Lower Cove.

Woman in the Pains of Childbirth Driven Away From Army Rescues Home and Brother's Residence

Lizzie Pike, a young woman, twenty years of age, who came to this city from Newfoundland about two years ago, gave birth to a child on Saturday evening under conditions which warrant immediate and searching investigation.

The facts, as known to the police, are briefly these: On Saturday night about half past seven Lizzie Pike drove in a coach to the Salvation Army Rescue Home, St. James street, and sought admission. She gave her reason for seeking admission and urged that they take her in immediately. Admission, however, was refused her, and she left in the same coach for her brother's residence on Britton street a short distance away. She evidently changed her mind of asking help from her brother, who resides on the corner of the house, but this she was unable to obtain. By this time she was in a very weakened condition, but managed to crawl into a woodshed where, a little later her child was born.

Interview which a Star reporter had this morning with the different persons concerned will throw additional light on the case.

The matron of the Salvation Army Rescue Home was first seen. She said that the girl called at the Home about 7.30 Saturday night and stated the circumstances of her case plainly enough. It was seen that the girl required immediate assistance, which the Salvation Army people were unable to give her, owing to the fact that the matron and four of her principals were confined to their rooms by illness and that the Home at the time was full. The girl was therefore induced to hasten to the house of her brother, a short distance away on Britton street, where it was believed she would get the immediate help she was in need of, and which help the Salvation Army people say they were unfortunately not in a position to give her. The girl left, on the advice of the Salvation Army people, with the intention, it seems, of going to the house of her brother on Britton street.

Reuben Pike tells the following story. For nearly three weeks past the girl has been stopping with her, having left a family with whom she was serving in the capacity of a domestic, and awaiting a call from another family, who promised her work. Mrs. Pike declares that she was unaware of the girl's condition until a few days ago, and then she heard of it from neighbors. When she questioned the girl of her condition she at first denied that anything was wrong with her, but later admitted it. This was on Saturday afternoon. Mrs. Pike engaged a coach and sent the girl to the Salvation Army Rescue Home.

In about half an hour the coach returned with the girl. She came to the house of Mrs. Pike's house, but Mrs. Pike admits that she refused her admission. The girl succeeded in getting into the woodshed, from which place she was carried into the house and laid upon a couch in a very weakened condition. It was here and not in the woodshed that the child was born, according to Mrs. Pike.

Mrs. Pike says that under the circumstances she hardly knew what she was doing. Her husband is away in Nova Scotia, and in his absence she did not like to commit herself to any step.

Dr. Macaulay, who attended the girl last night, visited her this morning again, and found that she and her child were bearing up bravely and will probably pull through.

S. Merritt Wetmore, of the S. P. C. A., and Alms House Commissioners are investigating the case. He visited the girl this morning and obtained the name of the man who is responsible for her condition. The man is absent in Sydney, C. B., and his name is withheld from the public for the present.

If the man is proved to be the father of the child he can be made to look after the mother and her child, and in the event of his refusing to do this he can be imprisoned. Mr. Wetmore is going to investigate the case thoroughly and those responsible for the girl's condition and neglect will be made to answer fully.

HARD WORK FOR "TIP". Doesn't Like Watching Games From The Bench. Writing to a friend in this city "Tip" O'Neill says that although he signed as a utility man, he finds it a little hard to stick to the bench while so many exciting games are being played.

He realizes that all is for the best, as the team is playing in true championship style, and while an accident or illness would give him a place on the team, the principal object is to win games and once more bring the pennant to Boston. With the other members of the team he practices hard every day, and as it is as possible to jump in at a moment's notice. In the exhibition games he has played since the season opened, O'Neill has made a remarkable showing and has the confidence and esteem of Manager Collins and the entire team.

KEEN RIVALRY. The maritime intercollegiate sports will take place on the athletic grounds in this city on June 4th and promise to be among the most exciting ever held in this city. Last year Mount Allison defeated Acadia by a small majority, but this year the Nova Scotia boys feel satisfied that they will come out victors. The U. N. B. boys and the team from St. Francis Xavier will also be strong factors in the competition. This year the teams have contributed \$20 each to purchase a cup to go to the team winning the championship.

You lose time as well as money, patience and equanimity when you place your want ad. in a poor medium.

PERSONALS.

A. R. Wetmore, the chief engineer of the New Brunswick board of works, registered at the Dufferin on Saturday.

J. E. Aigar, of St. Stephen, is at the Victoria.

Mrs. A. Isaacs and her young son have returned to St. John after a most enjoyable visit to Bermuda. They came up on the Orinoco, and got off at Halifax, where they spent a day or so.

Fred G. Spencer, manager of Madame Noelle's Canadian tour and Fred Munde, manager of the Daly Dramatic Co., of St. John, were at the Russell hotel, Ottawa, on Saturday.

Dr. Stanley B. Smith arrived in the city on Saturday's Boston express from the University of Maryland, Baltimore, where he graduated in dentistry. He will practice with his father, Dr. A. D. Smith, Charlotte street.

R. A. Gillard, of Point du Chene, has been appointed I. C. R. baggage master at Point du Chene, vice Frank Smith, who has been promoted to be foreman of the I. C. R. freight sheds at Moncton.—Moncton Transcript.

Miss Louise Hamm and Miss Edith Humphrey returned by the Calvin Austin Saturday from New York, where they have been pursuing their art studies since last October.

Miss Nellie Brown, of Lancaster Heights, who has been visiting in Amherst, returned home Saturday night.

Mrs. C. C. Blackadar, of Halifax, and Miss Corbin, of Bedford, have arrived at New York Saturday, and will not return to Halifax till early in June. Mrs. Blackadar is much improved in health.

POLICE COURT. No Night Wanderings Around Lower Cove Will Be Allowed.

In the police court this morning Edward O'Brien was fined four dollars or twenty days with hard labor for drunkenness.

Newton Wilber pleaded guilty of being drunk on Broad street early Sunday morning. It cost him eight. Some time was occupied over the case of Young Swanton, who was arrested along with Wilbur, but was charged with refusing to give a satisfactory account of himself. Officer White stated that when asked what he was doing on the corner at so late an hour he replied that it was none of the officer's business. The officer further stated that Swanton and Wilber were seen coming out of a disreputable house but a short time before the arrest.

Henry Rogers, who was given in charge by his mother for causing a disturbance in her home on Chazy street was allowed to go.

MINISTERS' MEETING. The Methodist ministers met at the usual time and place, Dr. Sprague presiding. The reports of churches were of the usual character. There were present: Revs. Dr. Sprague, W. C. Matthews, S. Howard, H. F. French, C. W. Hamilton, Dr. Wilson, W. J. Kirby, C. Comben, J. A. Clarke and H. D. Marr.

An announcement was made that the annual district meeting will be held on Wednesday and Thursday, June 8 and 9, at Parrville.

At a meeting of the members of Carmarthen street last evening, eight persons who are united with the church by letter were introduced to the members of the church.

Matters of a general character were introduced and occupied the rest of the morning.

The Baptist ministers met this morning. Rev. C. Burnett in the chair. Those present were: Revs. Dr. Gates, Dr. Manning, H. H. Roach, C. T. Phillips, B. N. Nobles, A. B. Colton, P. J. Stackhouse, C. Burnett and Dr. Black.

Reports were heard from the churches. Rev. B. N. Nobles preached at the Home for Incurables yesterday afternoon.

Rev. J. W. Manning read a paper on the Faithfulness of God, which gave rise to an interesting discussion. He was heartily thanked for his able paper.

PAINFUL ACCIDENT. Carelessly Guarded Excavation Nearly Kills Ex-Alderman Allan.

Ex-Alderman W. C. R. Allan was painfully injured Friday night by being thrown from his carriage while driving over Douglas avenue. Mr. Allan is now under the care of Dr. Kenney, and aside from a number of bruises has a broken rib. He was very dim and was badly placed, and but for the fact that he had received injuries far more serious.

RUSSIAN MINISTER DEAD. LONDON, May 9.—A despatch to the Exchange Telegraph Company from St. Petersburg, announces the death there at 9 o'clock this morning of M. Pleske, late minister of finance. M. Pleske entered the ministry of finance when twenty years of age, and was credited with being a disciple of M. de Wit, whom he succeeded as minister of finance.

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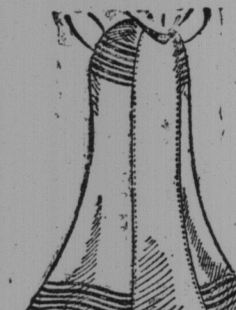
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