

LOCAL ADVERTISING.

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NO MORE FREE LOCALS.

AROUND THE CITY

Miss Sylvia Pankhurst, Opera House tonight, "Woman Suffrage." Tickets, 25c., 50c.

Water Escaping.
The police report a flow of water coming from under the building owned by the St. John Real Estate Company at 139 Brittain street.

Seamen's Mission.
A special meeting of the Ladies' Auxiliary will be held in the Institute today at three o'clock. A large attendance is requested.

Mitten Found.
A child's grey fur mitten was found by the police on St. Patrick street yesterday and the owner can receive the same on application at the central station.

Drunk Removed.
Sergt. Baxter was called into the Longshoremen's association hall on Water street about 5:30 o'clock Saturday afternoon to eject a drunken man who was creating a disturbance.

Ejected From Hotel.
On Saturday night about 11:30 o'clock the police were called into the Ottawa hotel to assist in ejecting Michael Landers for creating a disturbance and when the man reached the sidewalk they arrested him on the charge of drunkenness.

Scores No Temere.
Rev. J. L. Batty, of Moncton, delivered a very interesting address on "The Marriage Laws of Canada Relating to the Ne Temere Decree," before the members of the Portland Y. M. A. yesterday afternoon. Rev. Mr. Batty, in the course of his remarks stated, heavily scored the decree.

Acknowledgement.
The management of the Seamen's Mission desire to acknowledge with sincere thanks, the following subscriptions: Joseph, Addison, \$50; Mrs. Woodman, \$25; D. McNeil, Montreal, \$10; W. H. Thorne, \$20; National Drug Co., \$10; Dr. Walker, South Bay, \$5; John P. McIntyre, \$5; H. L. Smythe, Toronto, \$5; Jas. Stratton, \$5; G. J. Cook, Montreal, \$1; Mrs. D. R. Murray, \$1; Mrs. Schofield, \$1; Mr. Richards, \$1.

Fall Near Market.
At 10 o'clock Saturday night John Powers slipped on the ice on the Charlotte street sidewalk near the entrance to the City Market and received a severe cut on the head. He was assisted into A. Chapman Smith & Co.'s drug store and was attended by Dr. Skinner, who dressed the wound. He was afterwards taken to the General Public Hospital where some stitches were found necessary to close the wound.

Week of Prayer Over.
The last service of the week of prayer was held last Saturday evening in St. Matthew's church on Douglas avenue, when Rev. J. A. Batty, of Moncton, delivered a very able address on "foreign missions." Rev. Mr. Batty was assisted in the service by Rev. Messrs. McKim, Appel, Tuttlehinson and McCaskill. There was a large and enthusiastic attendance.

Chances for Burglars.
Saturday night between 11 and 12 o'clock the police found the rear door of John Magee's hardware store on Germain street open. In the evening the side door of L. G. Crosby's molasses warehouse in an alley off Nelson street was found open and between 12 and 1 o'clock yesterday morning the door of the Royal Bank of Canada on King street was found open and was secured by the officers. Saturday night the door of Hall and Fairweather's establishment on Prince Wm. street was found unlocked.

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REGIMENTAL ORDERS

FOR 52nd REGIMENT.
(By Lieut.-Col. J. L. McAvity, Commanding.)

No. 1. Preparatory Classes in connection with this Regiment will start at the Regimental Headquarters, Charlotte street, on Monday, 15th inst. and will continue on each Monday, Wednesday and Friday evenings from 8 o'clock until 10 o'clock, until further notice.

No. 2. All unqualified Officers and all Officers wishing to qualify for promotion, must attend these Classes.

No. 3. All unqualified Non-Commissioned Officers and those wishing to qualify for promotion, must attend these Classes. Non-Commissioned Officers who are not qualified will not be entitled to draw the pay of their rank during Annual Drill. Officers commanding Companies, will notify their Officers and N. C. O.'s to this effect and see that they attend the classes.

No. 4. The Officer Commanding desires full attendance of all Officers and N. C. O.'s on Monday evening next when full particulars will be given.

LADIES' AUXILIARY ELECTED OFFICERS

Annual Meeting Held Saturday Afternoon — Reports Show Organization to Have Done Good Work for Y.M.C.A.

The annual meeting of the ladies' auxiliary of the Y. M. C. A. was held in the association building last Saturday afternoon. The reports of the secretary and treasurer were read and officers elected for the ensuing year.

The treasurer's report showed the society to have a good balance on hand, despite the fact that the expenditures for the past year were very heavy. The secretary's report showed that the auxiliary had done a good year's work among the members of the association, arranging for the dinners held by the different classes and Bible study groups.

Mrs. David McLellan and Mrs. A. L. Plinning retired from the presidency and treasurer'ship, respectively. They were each presented with a bouquet of carnations along with an address of appreciation for their long and faithful service as officers of the society.

The officers elected for the following year were as follows: Mrs. A. R. Melrose, president; Meadames W. C. Cross, T. H. Estabrooks, Colby Smith, W. P. Bonnell, F. A. Dykeman, J. W. Smith, J. R. Calhoun and A. B. Gilmore, vice-presidents; Miss Alice Estey, secretary; Mrs. Andrew Robb, assistant secretary; Mrs. John Summerville, treasurer.

The ladies elected to represent the auxiliary at the women's council were Meadames W. P. Bonnell, A. D. Marr, W. C. Cross, A. W. Robb, P. E. Williams and T. H. Summerville.

After the business was transacted a very enjoyable tea was held.

FIREMEN HAD THREE ALARMS YESTERDAY

In all Cases the Damage Done was Slight but the Members of the Department were Busy.

Saturday afternoon about 3:15 o'clock the North End fire department were called out by an alarm from Box 134 for a slight fire in the Portland Rolling Mill, on the Strath Shore road. The damage done was slight.

Yesterday morning about 11:45 o'clock, fire was discovered in Dr. J. P. McInerney's stable on Princess street. The stable is rented by Charles Kerrison and the fire started from a fire, the kitchen pipe entering a chimney in the barn. An alarm was sent in from box 24 and when the department arrived the stable was full of smoke and there was quite a fire in the rear, having started among some old bags and hay and then igniting the woodwork. Mr. Kerrison had moved his horse from the stable about a week ago to another stable on Dorchester street and there was very little of value left in the McInerney stable. After about half an hour's work the firemen had the fire out. The damage done to the barn did not amount to more than a couple of hundred dollars.

A quantity of smoke was seen coming from Peter McIntyre's residence, on Main street yesterday afternoon, about 1:30 o'clock, and a passerby, thinking the house was on fire, rushed to No. 5 fire station and sent in an alarm from box 125. When the firemen arrived on the scene they discovered that the smoke was coming from a defective furnace pipe and there had been a needless alarm.

A still alarm was sent to No. 1 chemical and No. 2 hose yesterday afternoon about 12:30 o'clock for a slight fire in G. Minchin Baker's residence, 25 Queen square. The fire was extinguished before the fire apparatus arrived and the damage done was trifling.

Every Day Club.

The Every Day Club, on Union street was crowded to the doors last evening when Rev. Mr. Smart, of the Exmouth street Methodist church delivered an address. Mr. Smart is a native of Bath, Eng., and was engaged in mission work there. He is a very pleasing speaker, and in his address he told how a mission was started and successfully operated in the slums of Bath. At the close of the address a musical programme was rendered. A vocal solo was provided by Miss Wray; a hymn was sung by a mixed quartet from the Brussels street church choir; Misses Holder played a violin solo accompanied on the base viol played by his father, and Prof. M. L. Harrison gave a violin solo.

STANLEY TO AID OF ICE-BOUND VESSELS

The government steamer Stanley was called upon to act as rescuer to two craft, brought to trouble by being frozen in the ice. The Calburga, a British barque and the Ravola, were the vessels from which came the signals of distress.

The Calburga, a craft of about 1,250 tons and in charge of Capt. Bowers, has been leading at Annapolis from Saturday by Geo. H. Flood, Marine and Fisheries agent here, from A. C. Whitman, president of the Board of Trade in Yarmouth, conveyed the intelligence that the barque was in difficulty being stuck in the ice and unable to extricate herself.

Yesterday Mr. Flood succeeded in getting into communication with wireless with the steamer Stanley en route to North Sydney, and asked her to render assistance to the Calburga. In the meantime, however, the Stanley, while going to the help of the Calburga, came across the Ravola also leeward. The government steamer assisted in hauling the Ravola out of the ice and towed her into Digby.

AN IMPORTANT CASE IN CIRCUIT COURT

Action Brought by St. John S. S. Company Against Log Driving Company Before Justice White.

A case of unusual importance is now being tried before Mr. Justice White in the civil side of the circuit court. The plaintiff is the St. John river S. S. Co., and the defendant is the St. John River Log Driving Co.

The plaintiff alleges that the defendant has been using the channel of the river near Fredericton by running logs in such a manner as to make navigation impossible and dangerous. On Victoria and Coronation days last year, it is claimed the steamer Victoria of the plaintiff's fleet, was delayed below Fredericton on account of the river being choked with logs belonging to the defendant. The delay occasioned considerable loss to the plaintiff and a number of passengers missed their train connection. On another occasion, it is said, the Victoria was considerably damaged by coming in contact with one of the defendant's piers.

The plaintiff claims that the powers granted the defendants by the local legislature, contained in its charter is ultra vires of the legislature, as under a number of decisions, both English and Canadian, it is well settled rule of law that obstructions cannot be placed or erected in a navigable river, even though power be given by the legislature.

The defendant claims that the charter imposes a greater burden on them inasmuch as they must keep the river passable while at common law they would not have to do this.

The plaintiff further claims that while the defendant's powers as granted in the charter are ultra vires, they are also precluded at common law from erecting piers and booms.

Should his honor find that the damage caused the Victoria was through the fault and negligence of the defendant, the damages will be assessed at \$1675. This sum was arranged by counsel.

The case was continued on Saturday morning and the court arose shortly before 5 o'clock on Saturday afternoon until this morning 10 o'clock. Fred S. Lewis and Dr. L. A. Curry testified at the morning session and Capt. McLean was cross and re-examined at the afternoon session.

The defence then opened its case and James Rodgers, the assistant keeper of the railway drawbridge at Fredericton testified for the defendant.

D. Mullin, K. C. and Dr. L. A. Curry, K. C., appearing for the plaintiff and M. G. Teed, K. C., and J. Gregory, K. C., for the defendant.

REAL ESTATE MEN TALK BDCM PLANS

Meeting Will be Held This Afternoon to Consider Preparation of Proper Map of City and Suburbs.

A meeting of real estate men will be held in the office of James Stratton today for the purpose of taking up the matter of having a map of the city and suburbs prepared, which would be a guide to real estate operators and useful for advertising purposes.

Some time ago at the instance of the Board of Trade, the city engineer prepared a map, which shows the lots owned by the city and leased or unleased, the object of it being to enable manufacturers seeking new sites for industries to see what lots are available.

The idea of the real estate men is to have the city engineer's department prepare an accurate map of the city and suburbs, showing the streets, and all lots occupied and unoccupied, whether owned by the city or by private parties. It is understood that if the city engineer can be got to prepare such a map, the real estate men would be willing to bear the expense of having it printed in various sizes for office uses and for folding in circulars containing descriptions of the various quarters of the city and suitable illustrations. The meeting to provide for the preparation of this map will, it is said, mark a step in the movement recently inaugurated to get the real estate men to take a concerted action in the matter of advertising the city and interesting investors in Great Britain and other parts of Canada in the real estate opportunities here.


A matter which will engage the real estate men is that of having the city authorities take measures with the consent of the county council, to plot out streets in the suburbs on a plan, which will ensure the extension of the community in a satisfactory manner. It is also understood that they will urge upon the city council the need of extending the water and sewerage systems along Douglas Avenue and Adelaide Road and other streets not now provided for, and thus enable the building up of the city.

RAILWAYS LOSE TO NAVIGATION

St. Peter's Y. M. C. A. Decide Latter More Beneficial to World's Commerce at Interesting Debate Yesterday

Judgment was given in favor of the affirmative in a very interesting debate on "Resolved, that Navigation is more Beneficial to the World than Railroads," in the St. Peter's Y. M. A. yesterday afternoon.

The affirmative side was supported by James McIntyre, leader, assisted by John Rooney and James Duffy. Joseph Dever led for the negative, assisted by Arthur Howard and Wm. McManamon. Joseph Harrington, principal of St. Malachi school, acted as judge, and commended the speakers on their debating ability.



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