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The \$1.98 lot consists of Messaline, Taffeta and China Silk Waists in a great variety of colors, also Net Waists and Lace Waists in black, ecru and white, all pretty new styles. The clearance sale price is \$1.98.

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Weather it's a party waist, a business waist, or just something for around the house, come to McMackin's to find what you want at a price you will be pleased to pay.

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It Should Require No Argument

to convince people that a good article costs more than a poor one, and a Heintzman & Co. make the very best piano, they cannot compete with many others on a mere question of price.

Whoever purchases a poor piano merely because it seems to be cheap does so with a mortifying sense of distrust in his bargain.

HEINTZMAN & CO. PIANOS

The C. H. Townshend Piano Co. 53 Germain Street Royal Hotel Block - ST. JOHN, N.B.

LOCAL NEWS

A CHALLENGE. Stewart Bowles, captain of the Regines, challenges the O. H. Warwick Co. bowling team to a game on the Victoria alleys at any date suitable to them.

UNLOADING SCRAP. The steamer Navigator is now lying at Long Wharf unloading 2,000 tons of scrap from San Francisco, which are to be shipped via the I. C. R. to Montreal.

I. C. R. ANNIVERSARY. On November 11, 1872, just forty years ago today, the Intercolonial Railway between St. John and Halifax was opened. Three years later the line between Moncton and Campbellton was opened.

PATRICK HAS BLACK THORN. On the return after his trip from abroad, John F. Gleason brought back with him from Ireland an interesting and valuable souvenir which he presented to Detective P. F. Killeen, the real detective which he secured near Cork. The detective is quite proud of the gift.

TO ESQUIMAULT. A party of six officers and 100 petty officers and men of H. M. naval force will arrive in Halifax by the steamer Royal Edward on November and will proceed through to Esquimault, where they will relieve a similar number of officers and men.

MR. DOWNIE AWAY. William Downie, general superintendent of the Atlantic Division of the C. P. R., left on Saturday, accompanied by Mrs. Downie, for a month's visit to Virginia. H. C. Groat, who has been appointed as assistant general superintendent, and who will take Mr. Downie's place while he is away, is at Esquimault today transferring the superintendency of division number one to his successor, W. A. Cowan.

SULLIVAN WILL MEET TWO. Halifax Recorder-Chief Petty Officer Kinch, H. M. C. S. Niche, who says he is the heavy-weight champion of the Maritime region, has with Baker, formerly of the R. C. R., accepted the challenge of Mike (Twin) Sullivan to meet two men on the same evening in six round bouts. The event will be the leading feature of a boxing tourney in the Arena next Thursday evening, when there will also be three or four other bouts, particulars of which will appear later.

RELAY RACE. It is planned by the Boy Scouts of the city to hold a relay race to Hampton on next Saturday. Two teams, one of them from Hampton and the other from St. John, will engage in the race. The start will be in the city here. Much interest is being taken in the race, which will be in relays. Arrangements are being made by Scout Master Higginson of this city, and Schofield of Hampton.

DIED IN THE WEST. Edward Simpson, a former well-known resident of Pettaudis, and proprietor of the Mansard House, died suddenly in Lacombe, Alta., on the 10th inst. Simpson went west about a year ago, and was conducting a hotel in Lacombe. He was well known in Moncton, where he was traveling public. He is survived by his wife, one son and an adopted daughter, all with him in the west, and one daughter, Mrs. Walter Stovess, of Colby, N. S. His body will be brought to Esquimaux on Wednesday of this week for interment.

'BREAKWATER LOCATION Report on Reasons for Present Site is Received at City Hall

The report of Engineer LaFleur of the Department of Public Works, Ottawa, on the reasons for locating the Courtenay Bay breakwater on its present site instead of farther towards the mouth of the bay has been received at City Hall with plans and diagrams further illustrating the report. The information was asked for by the common council in order that they might be informed definitely with respect to what changes there would be of advocating a change. If the change were at all feasible the council and the board of trade would be anxious to do what they could to bring it about, but they wished to have all available information on the subject before undertaking an agitation for a change in the plans. The report has not yet been dealt with by the commissioners.

MARITIME CUSTOMS MEN HOLD MEETING IN HALIFAX

The annual meeting of the Maritime Customs' Association took place on Friday in Halifax. Matters pertaining to the betterment of the service were discussed and the government's proposals, urging upon the delegates the necessity of urgent reforms, among which was a revised schedule of salaries. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President—John B. Power, Halifax. 1st Vice—W. E. Spike, Aroostook Junction, N. B. 2nd Vice—W. E. Robinson, Charlottetown, P. E. I. Secty.—Treasurer—Geo. Watt, Chatham, N. B. Executive—Messrs. Lovett and Caldwell, Halifax; O'Brien, Windsor; Harding, Yarmouth, and Baskley, Annapolis. The delegates to the Civil Service Federation annual convention in Ottawa, on Nov. 15 and 16, are John B. Power, A. F. Caldwell and Geo. Watt.

IN THE PROBATE COURT

In the probate court today the matter of the estate of Mrs. Mary Porter, widow, was taken up. She died intestate leaving one son, Joseph Porter, and one daughter, Christina M., wife of Rev. T. W. Patterson of Toronto, in the will. The son is appointed administrator. There is no realty, personal estate \$1,130. Francis Kerr is executor. The will of James Bryant of Lancaster, laborer was proved. He gave to his three daughters, Minnie Alma, wife of Samuel Wilson; Elizabeth Edna, wife of Frederick McCormack, and Jessie May, wife of Hanson White, all of Fairville, all lots of land leased to him from the owner by the will of his son, James Bryant, who died in Fairville, merchant, executor. He was sworn in as such. There is no real estate; personal estate consisting of the leasehold \$2,700. Barnhill, Ewing & Sanford are solicitors.

ST. JOHN FREIGHT HANDLERS IN BOSTON ON STRIKE MISSION

Four Confering With Officials There and Will Try to See President Flannery

A special despatch from Boston to the Times says:—President William Evans, F. Maloney, John McGuinis and Charles Russell of Freight Handlers Union '17, of St. John, are conferring with union officials here regarding a strike there. The Boston and Maine freight handlers have promised assistance. An attempt will be made to see International President Flannery who is attending the Federation of Labor convention in Rochester, N. Y. Mr. Flannery was recently in St. John.

COURTENAY BAY WORK UP TO THE ESTIMATE

Difficulties to Overcome But All Reported Going Well—Messrs. Palmer and Warren Home in Few Weeks

In spite of many unfavorable conditions and some set-backs the work on the Courtenay Bay breakwater has progressed so favorably that they are now at least up to, if not beyond, the mark which they had expected to reach by this time. Everything is now in good order for a successful winter's work, and the contractors expect to be able to keep pace with their estimates through the severer weather of the winter months. There are now about 200 men employed on the works. G. F. Palmer, chief agent of the company, and E. R. Warren, chief engineer, who are now in England, are expected to return to St. John in two or three weeks.

MAKE THREE WHARF PROPERTIES INTO ONE

Extensive Improvements by Messrs. Bizard in South End

P. W. Bizard & Company are planning extensive improvements to their wharf properties in Lower Cove. They now own three adjoining wharves between Charlotte and Sydney streets, the Kerr, the Seely and the Landon wharves, and these three will be thrown into one. The Kerr wharf practically will be rebuilt, with a solid footing of piles and a strong foundation of girders. The improvements, which will cost several thousand dollars, will be undertaken during the winter, and will be completed by spring time. With the three wharves they will give 275 feet, 180 feet and 100 feet respectively to the three sides.

HOME AFTER ATTENDING WEDDING OF THEIR SON

After attending the wedding of their son, Gordon Scovil Macdonald, in Lindsay, Ontario, to Miss Helen Campbell Ross, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Macdonald returned yesterday to their home in this city. The marriage took place on Wednesday last. Rev. James Wallace, M. A., B. D., officiating. The bride was attended by her sister, Miss Jennie Ross, as maid of honor, and by Miss G. H. Macdonald, sister of the groom, and Miss Edith Ross, cousin of the bride, as bridesmaids. Mr. and Mrs. Sylvester, of Lindsay, was best man, while the ushers were Stanley and L. T. Higgins, of Toronto.

The bride entered the church with her father, Robert Ross. She was attractively dressed in a handsome dress of ivory duchesse satin, the entire bodice of maline lace, heavily embroidered with pearls and ribbons, the long square train falling from the side of the draped skirt. The veil was arranged with cup effect, having a band of pearls and orange blossoms, and she wore the groom's gift, a diamond ring. The maid of honor and the bridesmaids were attired alike, in graceful gowns of gold colored crepe de chine with touches of pale blue and pink, the bridesmaid with lace. They each wore a French picture hat of black panne velvet. All carried sheaf of gold chrysanthemums and wore the groom's gifts, gold bead necklaces.

After the wedding a reception was held at the home of the bride's parents, at which luncheon was served and many friends attended. The bride travelled in a smart velvet suit of navy blue and black, a small amethyst velvet hat, and very handsome sable furs.

REPORT ON POLICE IS BEFORE COMMISSION

At the meeting of the city commissioners at noon today Commissioner Melan submitted his report on the Police Investigation, which will be dealt with at the meeting of the common council this afternoon.

The commissioner of water and sewerage reported in favor of the application for a water main in DeMonts street, Carleton, and it was decided to call for tenders for the work of excavation immediately. In accordance with a communication received from Judge Forbes, the commissioners gave instructions that \$20 collected from Henry Little in connection with an assault case be refunded.

POLICEMAN RANKINE WINS HIS PROMOTION

Policeman Charles Rankine, who has been a member of the police force for about fifteen years, received promotion on Saturday night, and is now an acting sergeant. The position was made vacant by the resignation of Policeman McCollum, who has gone to Fredericton to be chief of police. The new acting sergeant will act in his official capacity, beginning tonight, during the absence of Sergeant Scott, who is enjoying his vacation. The total strength of the force, including the chief of police, in city now is thirty-five.

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