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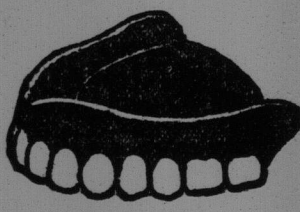
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THIS EVENING

The Every Day Club. Harkins Company in "Wicked London," at the Opera House.
Annual meeting of Portland Lodge, Sons of England, in their room, Simonds street.
Motion pictures, illustrated songs and orchestral music at the Nickel.
Annual meeting of the Free Kindergarten Association in the High School building.
Motion photographs, illuminated songs and catchy music at Fairland.
Meeting of the young people of Waterloo street United Baptist church at eight o'clock.
The Cedar Moving Picture Theatre.
Meeting of the Treasury Board, Johnston Lodge, 1, O. B. A. fancy sale in Orange Hall, Germain street.

LATE LOCALS

St. John Badminton Club courts will be open for play tomorrow afternoon.
Premier Robinson will preside this evening at the meeting of the Free Kindergarten workers in the high school.
Donaldson line S. S. Tritonia sailed this morning for Glasgow with a large general cargo. She did not get away last night as reported.
Manifests for 20 cars of United States products were received at the customs house today to be shipped in winterport steamers.
Steamship Manchester Shipper arrived at Halifax this morning from Manchester and is expected to leave tonight for this port.

The A. O. H. Cadets are requested to meet tonight at 7 o'clock in the drill shed St. Malachi's Hall. Business of importance to come before the meeting.

A special train was made up at the Union station today for the St. John and the Allan liner Victorina for the convenience of intending passengers who had arrived in the city the last few days.

Donaldson line steamship Kestrel is due now any moment from Glasgow. She passed Cape Race three days ago, but has not yet been detained by the heavy snow storm yesterday off the Nova Scotia coast.

In aid of the Free Kindergarten there will be a children's bazaar and 5 o'clock tea held in the Church of England Institute rooms on Saturday afternoon, Dec. 7th, from 3 to 7 o'clock. Admittance 10 cents.

J. S. Climo had an encounter with a bull dog this morning at the Valley church. The animal followed him to the corner of Paradise Row and could hardly be driven off. Mr. Climo says he was told the dog was one of several owned by Mr. Cole, and in his opinion should be muzzled.

Royal mail Allan steamship Victorina, left port as one clock today to anchor outside of Partridge Island to await the arrival of some of her passengers from Montreal coming over the C. P. R. The C. P. R. tug Cruiser will take them down to her when they arrive. The Victorina will then steam for Liverpool via Halifax.

Peter Petropolis charges two men with assaulting him in his pool room, King St. on Monday last and the case came up in the police court this morning. It appears that one man was endeavoring to teach the other defendant how to play camp dice on the floor of the pool room and Petropolis didn't like the idea. A scuffle followed and an effort was made to put the pair out. The evidence is strongest against the second defendant who seems to think Petropolis keeps a gambling house. The matter stands till 9:30 tomorrow morning.

ROYAL BLACK KNIGHTS

The Royal Black Preceptory at McAdam has elected the following officers for the year: J. R. Moore, W. P. D. Boone, D. P. A. R. Mowatt, chaplain; G. T. Boone, registrar; F. N. Mason, treasurer; W. J. Thorne, lecturer; S. L. H. Tracey, second; J. Miller, let censor; Wm. Christie, second; D. Stewart, J. B. Johnston, standard bearer; Geo. French, purveyor; C. Hodgson, tyler; A. R. Mowatt, D. S. Boone, J. B. Johnston, S. L. Tracey, F. N. Mason, L. Hodgson and D. Stewart, committee.

The officers were installed by D. Hipwell, P. G., and addresses were made by the new officers and Sir Knights Appleton and Hipwell. The preceptory is in excellent condition and looks forward to a prosperous year.

EVERY DAY CLUB

The Every Day Club singing class meets this evening at seven o'clock.
The debate in the club last night on the relative importance of farmer and mechanic to a nation was heard by a large audience and was lively from start to finish.
The farmer's champions were Messrs. Cother, Tait, Sheppard, Campbell and Berrie, opposed by Messrs. Withien, McLaughlin, Seward, McCavarr and Belding. The three judges Messrs. Morrill, Thomas and a visitor decided that the mechanics had the best of it. Next Thursday evening the subject will be the relative merits of a tidy but cross wife and a slovenly but good-natured one, and some new debaters will enter the lists.

YORK L. O. L. OFFICERS

At the annual meeting of York L. O. L. No. 3, in the Orange Hall, Germain street, last evening, there was a large attendance and reports of a gratifying nature were presented. The officers elected were: Isaac Mercer, W. M.; Chas. M. Langley, P. M.; George Oldford, Chap.; F. Dunfield, R. S.; George A. Earle, P. S.; Chas. Beers, Treas.; George H. Gordon, D. of C.; Thomas Nash, Lect.; R. H. McIntyre, Dept. Lec.; John Cook Tyler; Jas. Donnelly, foreman of committee; E. S. Henniger, A. E. McGinley, N. J. Morrison, committeemen.

TRINITY CHURCH TEA

The Young Women's Guild of Trinity church held a successful tea and sale in the vestry last evening. Those in charge were: Fancy table—Miss Patton, Miss Seale, Candy table—Miss Holt, Miss Dodge, Miss Ludgate.
Chinese laundry—Miss Bessie Knight, Miss Kathleen Gillis.
Tea table—Mrs. W. B. Stewart, Mrs. Robinson.
The room was prettily decorated. The large number who attended enjoyed a pleasant evening.

CASSANDRA CHARTERED
(MONTREAL, Dec. 5) (Special)—To meet the exceptional demand for second cabin accommodation by those desiring to visit England for Christmas the Canadian Pacific Railway has today secured the modern twin screw steamship Cassandra to sail from St. John, N. B., for London direct, on December 14th. The Cassandra was built in 1906, is a modern and up-to-date steamship in every respect, and the latest addition to the fleet of steamers operating between Canada and Europe.

WHITE CANDY CO. IN ANOTHER CASE

Frank Boone Fined \$2 For Encumbering Union Street While Putting Coal Into the White Candy Factory.

In the police court this morning Frank Boone, who on information of W. V. Hatfield, was reported for throwing coal on the sidewalk in front of the White Candy Co's factory, in Union street, on Nov. 26th, was found guilty and fined \$2 or four days in jail. Boone had been employed to assist Mr. Quinn in putting in coal for the White people on the day in question, and according to statements made by Mr. Hatfield, had the sidewalk so blocked that it was necessary to clear a space in order to let him pass.

Homer Forbes, who was acting for Mr. Hatfield, announced that Thomas F. White, manager of the White Candy Co., was in court and that under the bylaw he could be held liable for allowing the coal to remain on the sidewalk longer than was actually necessary.

Mr. Quinn, who put in the coal for the White Company, on the day in question, stated that Frank Boone was helping him, and he (Quinn) saw him carry the coal in the shovel across—or part way across—the sidewalk and throw it in the window.

In the course of his evidence Mr. Quinn said he had seen Mr. Hatfield pass along the street on the day in question and that he saw evidence of brain storm or insanity. Mr. Quinn's evidence aroused considerable amusement.

Mr. White said that everything possible as far as he knew had been done to keep the sidewalk clear while coal was being put in, and as he would have to get an act of parliament to bring it through the old burial ground to the back of the factory, and could not put it in by any other way than the one at present employed, he did not know what else to do.

Mr. White stated also that he thought Mr. Hatfield had reported him through spite, as a resident of Union street had left a whole load of coal on the sidewalk and Mr. Hatfield had not reported him.

His honor said that Mr. Hatfield seemed to be the spokesman for a number of Union street people who had also complained about the sidewalk in front of the White Candy Co's factory being obstructed by coal.

The case was allowed to stand for a week to ascertain if Mr. White can make a better arrangement for putting in his coal, which had to be done two or three times each week.

Archibald Neil was fined \$4 or ten days for drunkenness and Timothy Burke and Wm. Duffy were remanded on similar charges.

TURKEYS TO BE MUCH CHEAPER

Chances are That Christmas Turkeys Will Be Lower In Price This Year Than Last.

"There is plenty of everything and the supply is better than last week." This is what a country market stall keeper said when asked by the Times regarding tomorrow's supply.

It was also learned that there will be a good stock of Christmas turkeys, and, judging from present indications, prices will be easier than they were last year, when they were quoted at 25c. a pound, as an extreme outside figure, whereas 15 to 22 cents is the prevailing figure today.

On general market supplies retail prices are as follows: Beef 8 to 20c, mutton 7 to 14, lamb 10 to 16c, veal 8 to 16c, turkeys 18 to 22, ducks \$1.25 to \$1.50, geese \$1.25 to \$1.50, chickens 25c, potatoes 10c, peck, turnips 10c, peck, parsnips 30c, peck, red cabbage 10 to 12c, white cabbage 6 to 10c, squash 3c, celery 6 to 10c, head.
Creamery butter 31 to 34, dairy rolls 28 to 30 and tub butter 25 to 27c.

WANT POWER FROM NEPISQUIT RIVER

John J. Drummond, of Londonderry, a member of the Drummond Mining Co., which has acquired the extensive iron ore deposits at Bathurst, Gloucester Co., was in the city yesterday on his way from Fredericton where he was interviewing the local government in the matter of taking power from the Grand Falls of the Nepisquit river for conducting their mining operations and for sufficient land actually necessary for their buildings. The government assured the company that anything in reason will be done to assist the enterprise.

Mr. Drummond says about 250 to 300 men will be employed when the mine is in full operation, and two years from now 100,000 to 150,000 tons of ore will be produced annually. Diamond drills will be put on the property this winter and operations will be commenced early in the spring.

PUT OUT THE FIRE

A red-hot stove, held together with wire, Chief Kerr and the chemical engine, Patrolmen Sullivan and McNamee and two badly frightened Chinamen figured prominently in a lively scene in Hum Wing's laundry in Brussels street last night. About nine o'clock, William H. Patterson, owner of the property, called the attention of Patrolman Sullivan to a stove fire in the rear of the premises, which he regarded as dangerous.

The police went in and found the Chinamen drying clothes by a feeble old stove, held together with wire, and red-hot. The patrolmen explained to the Chinamen, but to no purpose, and finally it was found necessary to summon Chief Kerr, who brought along the chemical engine, and the fire was soon put out. The sudden onslaught struck terror to the hearts of the Chinamen, one of whom hurriedly sought his bunk from which he was dragged by a guardian of the peace.

CAN HAVE THE BUILDINGS

All uncertainty as to whether the exhibition buildings would be available for the fair of 1908 has been removed by a letter received from the minister of public works by A. O. Skinner, president of the association. The letter, which was a brief one, assured Mr. Skinner that the buildings would not be disturbed until after next fall, anyway.

Mr. Skinner said yesterday that the situation with regard to the buildings was now the same as in any other year and that the preparations for the big fair were being pushed forward.

BANK CLEARINGS

Bank clearings for the week ending Dec. 5, 1907 were \$1,249,864, and for the corresponding week last year, \$1,349,321.

White Shaker Flannel Blankets, Extra Large Size, \$1.18 Pair.

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Fancy Striped Cloths at \$1.20 yd.
Black and White Shepherd Check Cloth at \$2.00 yd.
Blanket Cloths in Plain and Plaids.
White Bearskin Cloths, 54 in., at \$1.35, Beautiful Quality, worth \$2.00.

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20c China Cups and Saucers, 10c
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15c Teapot Stands, 10c
25c Salad Bowls, 15c
25c Cake Plates, 15c
50c Royal Dux Vases, 25c
50c Sugars and Creams, 35c
85c Chocolate Pots, 50c

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Berlin Baby Bonnets, \$1.35. Prettily faced in Eiderdown and run with fancy ribbons.

Berlin Hoods, 50c. to 95c. In Dutch Effects and other styles.

Teddy Bear Bearskin Hoods, \$1.25 to \$3.20. A clever conception for the little ones.

Fancy Hats for Children, \$6.50. In White Felt, White Velvet, Tam Crown; white taffeta ribbon rosettes and accordion-pleated lace facing.

Children's Fancy Hats, \$3.00. Shirred Silk Crown, white satin rosettes, Eiderdown brim.

Napoleon Bearskin Hats. Another novelty for the little ones. Fancy silk shirring and satin bows.

Baby Fascinator-Hoods, in rich corded silk, with Eiderdown trimmings.

Ladies' Fascinators, 85c. to \$1.25. In all white and purple and white

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