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THE EVENING TIMES-STAR, SAINT JOHN, N. B., SATURDAY, JUNE 19, 1926

Tomorrow Anniversary of Great Fire-Two-Fifths of City Burned

sary of the great fire which destroyed so large a part of the City of Saint John and rendered 13,000 people homeless. In this catastrophe about 200 acres of the city was burned over and its course covered more than 91-2 miles of streets.

It started in Joseph Fairweather's building, York Point, at 2.80 on the afternoon of Wednesday, June 20, 1877, and its career was not ended until at least two-fifths of the city had been laid waste by the devouring

EIGHT LIVES LOST.

Eight people lost their lives and a large number were more or less seri-ously injured during the progress of the flames and numberless others had hairbreadth escapes from death or

serious injury.

Saint John has been visited on several occasions by big fires but this dwarfed them all. The first conflagration on record was in 1784. The next was in 1823. In 1837 the community was staggered by the loss occasioned and this was the biggest blaze the city has experienced, with the exception of that of 1877. The last big conflagration was in 1900 when a large flagration was in 1900 when a large BURNED 1,612 BUILDINGS.

In the "Big Fire" 1,612 buildings were destroyed, 2,700 families turned out and 13,000 persons rendered homeless. The loss was conservatively estimated at \$27,000,000 and the insurance carried was about \$7,000,000, leaving a net loss of \$20,000,000.

The late Edward Lantalum, M.P.P., rang in the alarm for the great 1877

Several Announced in Saint John City and County and

The following property have been reported:

E. W. Blanchard to B. W. M. MacKay to Fundy Land Co Heirs J. McIlveen to W. F. Mc-Ilveen, property Simonds. C. H. Townsend to H. J. Keyes, property St. Martins.

KINGS COUNTY David Alton to W. H. White, property Sussex.
Edward Bates to Saint John and Quebec Railway Co., property West-

BIRTHS

CHIPMAN—At the Private Maternity Nursing Home, 19 Cedar street, on June 16, to Mr. and Mrs. Wm. R. Chipman, Sandy Point road, a daughter, Jean

MARRIAGES

IN MEMORIAM

of my dear son, Powell Stackhous Ougler, who was drowned June 18, 1913 MOTHER.

FUNERAL NOTICE

ST. ANDREW'S SOCIETY. The members of the Society are requested to attend the fineral of the late chusetts Fish and Game Protective Association and he plans to use the Saint John pictures in lectures that he gives. He was well pleased with the successful demonstration of Saint John's claim.





tailest bridal couple in the world. Miss Kaatje Vandyk is to marry Jan Van Albert. They are both eight feet tall, or more.

mittee Sympathetic to Proposed Policy

Local News

PROPERTIES SOLD

Samuel Halport, charged with obtaining money under false pretenses, was brought into court this morning before Judge Barry and remanded until Monday.

As an indication the attractions of the Maritimes have in various parts of the United States automobiles from such widely separated places as Florida, Michigan and North Carolina were parked in a row in Prince William street yesterday afternoon.

HALIFAX, N. S., June 19—Hon. G. S. Harrington, provincial Minister of Public Works and Mines, stated in an interview last night that he had found the members of the special committee of the House of Commons, investigating Canada's anthracite supply street.

parked in a row in Prince William street yesterday afternoon.

DEATHS NUMBER 14.

Fourteen deaths were reported to the Board of Health for the week ending today, from the following causes: Myocarditis, four; cerebral haemmarrhage, two; eclampsia, suffocation, lobar pneumonia, entero collits, placentia previa, intestinal obstruction, carcinoma of uterus, status epilepticus, one each.

OPEN BRANCH HERE

Saint John will get another business and not a provincial one. In his opin-

Repairs to the 24 inch main at Silver Falls will be completed this afternoon, it was said this morning at the office of the water and sewerage department. The first of week 12 men will be laid off and this will make 22 laid off in the last few days for lack of work in the department, Commissioner Wigmore said. The usual summer pay roll has 300 names on it but at present only about 150 are employed, the commissioner said.

Trout Fishing Half Hour Drive Away Demonstrated For

Correctness of the assertion that the risitor to Saint John who wants a short fishing trip can be readily accommodated was given practical demonstration the other day. Arthur J. Clark of Boston was a caller at the office of the Tourist Association and it was mentioned to him that within half an hour's drive of the tourist office he could have good trout fishing and scenic beauty unsurpassed. He was a bit doubtful but promised, on return from Halifax, to give the matter a test and take along a motion picture

CLAIM MADE GOOD

who departed this life June 20, 1925.

PARENTS. BROTHERS
AND SISTERS.

OUGLER—In sad but loving memory of my dear son Powell Stackhouse ing at which Mr. Sinibali is so well known to be expert. Then came a strike by a beautiful land-locked salmon, some minutesof skilful playing by the angler and then the landing of the fish in the boat. The picture series was completed with one of the captor and captured on the return to shore. ing at which Mr. Sinibali is so we

Violent Display of the Elements is the First of Summer

FREDERICTON, June 18—The first violent electrical storm of the summer occurred this evening. Heavy thunder accompanied by a downpour of rain which lasted for some time. The shower followed an all-day rain. The Gibson cotton mill at Marysville was struck during the storm and a small fire was started in the mule-room. Two mules were destroyed but employes returned to the mill and stopped further damage. The lights of Barker's Point were put out of commission by lightning and repairs had to be made.

June Sifting Opens on Tuesday; 3 Civil Cases on

NATIONAL FUEL PLAN

IS WELL RECEIVED N. S. Minister Says House Com-

OPEN BRANCH HERE

Saint John will get another business boost through the announcement today that the North Life Assurance Company had decided to open a branch office here in the Bank of Montreal building at the foot of King street. Stanley A. Clark, who has been the Metropolitan, will be district manager and F. C. Colwell, who has been connected here with the Northern for the last quarter of a century, will continue as inspector.

WATER DEPARTMENT.

Repairs to the 24 inch main at Silver

In the people of Upper Canada, he stated, were beginning to realize that the coal problem was a national one and not a provincial one. In his opin-ton, domestic production tended to keep the cost of coal lower. If the Dominion's output was permitted to fall off, Canada, he said, would "be at the mercy" of foreign coal production tended to Nickerson was totally destroyed.

The blaze originated, it is thought, around a defective flue and when discovered the flames practically had control of the upper portion of the dwelling. As a result all furnishings on the second floor were burned.

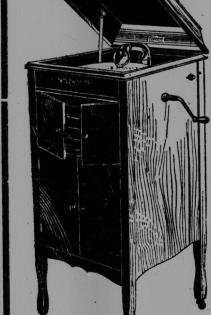
The schooner Jean, Captain Williams, consigned to Kerrison and Linton, cleared yesterday with a cargo of pulpwood for Wilmington, Del., and will sail on the first opportunity.

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Presbyterians Will Build

DEATHS



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ments.

Coal Deadlock SPAIN AND POLAND Costs Britain Millions a Day

LONDON, June 18—The coal stoppage which still shows no aigns of ending, is costing Great Britain £8,000,000 a day, according to P. J. Hannon, a big financier and secretary of the Conservative groupe of industrial magnates in the House of Commons.

If the strike lasts another fortnight, according to Hannon, the cost will rise to £10,000,000 a day. Hannon declared the 13 weeks' stoppage five years ago inflicted an industrial wound from which the country barely recovered. The present deadlock has lasted seven weeks.

BUSINESS LOCALS

Dance at Ketepec tonight.

Card party St. Patrick's hall, Mon-lay night. 6-21

Cullum Lodge L. O. B. A. rummage sale, 472 Main, Monday June 21st.

Clam chowders, oyster stews de-livered hot to your door any hour day or night. Phone Main 8498. 6-21 Men's straw hats from 85c. to \$1.50.— Hart's, 14 Charlotte street. 6-2 Men's cotton sox, 15c. a pair.—Hart's, 4 Charlotte street. 6-21

SPECIAL Lot of ladies' voile dresses \$1.98 at Hurt's, 14 Clarlotte street. 6-21

SCHOOL CLOSING Children's white voile dresses, cut prices. Get them early at Hart's, 14 Charlotte street. 6-21

Boys' blouses, big assortment.— Hart's, 14 Charlotte street. 6-21 CARD OF THANKS.

Miss Elizabeth Heenan wishes to return thanks to Dr. Addy and the doctors and nurses of the General Public Hospital for kindness shown her while a patient there.

ATTRACTS ATTENTION.

The new gasoline pump at Kane's Corner is attracting considerable attention. Motorists can be confident of

Have a Lanoil Permanent Wave. We are offering a special price for a limited time. Nearly two years' experience with satisfactory results.

MISS N. McGRATH.

Imp. Theatre Bidg.

Emergency Session Talked of to Stop Further Loss of Prestige

GENEVA, June 19-Following the resignation of Brazil from the League of Nations, have come threats of two other league members to resign and a demand from a third which many consider a similar threat. Statements from Spain and

Poland that they will quit the League unless granted permanent council seats and the de-6-21 mand from China that she receive a similar place have caused league leaders to indicate that an emergency session of the council may be called late in 6-22 August to consider measures for preventing further losses of pres-

is felt now to have aggravated rather than simplified the council crisis in that it has opened the way for other nations Ladies' Rayon broadcloth and gingham, lowest prices. Hart's, 14 Charlette street.

SPECIAL
Men's tweed suits \$11.95 at Hart's,
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Dance at Grand Bay tonight. Mem-

years of age.

Mrs. Crosby is survived by five sons,
Samuel, William, Simeon and Charles,
all of Massachusetts, and Lemuel, of
Yarmouth, and one daughter, Mrs.
Forrester Ricker, of Glenwood, Yarmouth county. The funeral will take
place tomorrow, Saturday, at 2.30
o'clock at Deerfield.

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9 Wellington Row.
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GOOD THINGS COMING TO THEATRES OF

Rev. W. J. Osborne, of North Devon, who had been visiting in the city, left last evening by C. P. R. to return to SAINT JOHN duty in his parish. Mrs. Kate Dupuys of the Lansdowno House left on the S. S. Empress this Jack Bustin, for several weeks.

street, left yesterday afternoon on a visit to Montreal and New York, Bos-

For eight days, matinee and evening, beginning Friday, Mrs. Rossley's latest production, "All Aboard," with the Junior Dumbells, a company of 35 boys, will be presented at the Opera House. Matinee 2.30, evening 8 o'clock. Prices from ten cents to thirty-five. See advertisement.

YARMOUTH, June 18-The death of Mrs. Lois A. Goodridge, formerly of Yarmouth, took place in the Union

WIED Notes and the service day or night. Phone Main 8498.

Criminal cases—The King vs. Oran Nickerson, theft; the King vs. Glendon Nickerson, theft; the King vs. Criminal cases—The King vs. Lealle M. Trasis, assault with bodily harm.

Civil cases, without jury—Receves vs. Canaged for overflowing land; Yarmouth Light and Power Company, damages for overflowing land; Yarmouth Light and Power Company, damages for overflowing land; Yarmouth Light and Power Company, day or night. Royal Taxi Service. Main 4090.

R. C.o., damages for negligence; Green vs. Margolian et al, for breach of contract.

YARMOUTH, June 18—The death took place at Milton Highlands, last evening, of Amelia A., widow of Moses S. Crosby, formerly of Deerfield, Yarmouth county. Mrs. Crosby was the eldest daughter and the last surviving member of the family of the late James M. Porter. She was 85 years of age.

Good dressers are wearing Summer Suits made of smart light tweeds or fine worsteds, although many have a strong preference for the quieter Blue and Grey Serges.

A showing here that offers quality and fashionable patterns-style and fit, of course,

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Sale Now On

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