

# The Evening Times Star

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## LOCAL NEWS

**BOYS IN COURT**  
Four juveniles were before the magistrate this morning charged with creating a disturbance and were allowed to go with a warning.

**BRING A GARMENT OR DOYLEY**  
The demonstration being conducted at the store of W. H. Thorne and Co., Ltd., was held in the afternoon.

**TRAFFIC MATTER**  
A case against Eric D. Thomson, on a report that he drove past a standing street car on Saturday while passengers were alighting was expected to be taken up in court this afternoon.

**WILL DEMONSTRATE POPULAR CHRISTMAS GIFT**  
E. W. Unwin, of the Canadian Blue Bird Electric Washer Company will demonstrate the Blue Bird Washer in the Household Department of W. H. Thorne and Co., Ltd.

**STILL ALARM**  
A still alarm about eight o'clock this morning gave the fire department a run to the Dufferin Annex, Charlotte street, where, it was said, an electric wire underneath the ground floor had ignited some of the woodwork. The fire was extinguished with the aid of the hand chemical.

**DISRUPTED SERVICE**  
Street car traffic was disrupted this morning as the result of a Prince William street car No. 88 breaking an axle and jumping the rails in Main street, near Simmons. It took more than an hour to get the car back on the rails and towed to the foot of Main street where it was left on a short piece of track between Main street and Paradise row.

**ORDER IN ADMIRALTY**  
In the Admiralty Court this morning before Chief Justice Sir Douglas Hagen an order was made confirming the matter of the sale of a submarine chaser at public auction Saturday. The amount reported to the court was \$12,210 and distribution was ordered in behalf of the plaintiffs for payment of their wages as seamen, costs, etc. G. H. V. Belyea, K. C., appeared for the plaintiffs.

**FEDERATION CONFERENCE**  
Chancellor C. C. Jones of Fredericton, will represent the board of governors of the U. N. B. at a meeting to be held in Halifax tomorrow at which the matter of the federation Maritime Province universities will be considered. Dr. B. C. Borden, president, and Senator B. Black of Sackville and Rev. H. E. Thomas of St. John, members of the board of regents, will be the representatives of the University of Mount Allison.

**MARSHALL-CHAPMAN**  
At the home of the bride's father, Denmore Chapman, 207 Prince Edward street, at four o'clock on Saturday afternoon, Oakley Emerson, Esq., of 91 Hillyard street and Miss Ella Mae Chapman were united in marriage by Rev. A. Lawrence Telford, in the presence of friends and relatives. Miss Ethel Pearl Chapman, sister of the bride, and Thomas Edw. Emerson, brother of the groom, acted as bridesmaids. The bride was dressed becomingly in blue silk and carried a beautiful bouquet. After the good wishes of all were given, the bride and groom left for their home at 207 Prince Edward street. The best wishes of all are extended to them.

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## NOTICES OF BIRTHS, MARRIAGES AND DEATHS, 50 cents

### BIRTHS

**SULLIVAN**—On Dec. 11, 1922, to Mr. and Mrs. Charles D. Sullivan, 24 Brooks street, a son.  
**APPLEBY**—In this city on December 10, to Mr. and Mrs. B. G. Appleby, a son—Malcolm Beaman.

### MARRIAGES

**MARSHALL-CHAPMAN**—At four o'clock Saturday p. m., Oakley Emerson Marshall and Miss Ella Mae Chapman were united in marriage at the home of the bride's father, 207 Prince Edward street, Rev. A. Lawrence Telford officiating.

### DEATHS

**BARBOUR**—After a lingering illness at Toronto, on Dec. 9, 1922, Besie, wife of Dr. F. W. Barbour, leaving her husband and three sons to mourn. (Fredericton papers please copy).

### IN MEMORIAM

**LASQUIE**—In sad but loving memory of my dear father, Hiram E. Lasquie, departed this life Dec. 11th, 1920.  
Dearest to memory than words can tell. The thoughts of him I loved so well.  
SON HAROLD.

### CARD OF THANKS

Mr. and Mrs. William A. Fraser and family and Mrs. John Fraser wish to thank their many friends and members and officers of the Salvage Corps for kind expression of sympathy during their recent sad bereavement.

## LOCAL NEWS

**CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE**  
Meeting St. John Sub-Division, Tuesday, 8 p. m., K. of C. Hall. Paper on Pasteur, by Miss Amelia Haley.

**A DOUBLE ROASTER**  
of silver-bright aluminum, worth \$2.50, for \$1.40, at the special aluminum sale at Emerson & Fisher's. 12-14.

**THE GIFT-TO-MOTHER PROBLEM**  
Finds happy solution in the silver aluminum tea kettle, ready for \$1.40, at the special aluminum sale at Emerson & Fisher's. 12-14.

**Christmas Candy and Barley Toys**  
at wholesale prices at Palm Gardens. 5622-12-14.

## POLICE COURT

John James Macaulay, held on suspicion of acting with others and breaking and entering the store of Scott Brothers Limited, and stealing a quantity of goods and clothing to the value of \$500 on the night of December 7 or morning of December 8 was not asked to plead in the police court this morning but was remanded for a time. Other arrests may be made soon.

Three men were charged with drunkenness. Two of them were fined \$8 each and the third was remanded. He said he got his liquor about a week ago on prescription and inquiries will be made.

## PERSONALS

Mrs. Thos. Nagle will receive for the first time since her marriage at her residence, 210 Germain street, on Wednesday, Dec. 13, from 4 to 7 o'clock. 5670-12-13.

T. J. Gunn went to Montreal today, and on Friday will go to New York to stay a couple of weeks with his wife and son.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton R. Henderson of Moncton, arrived here yesterday to visit Mr. Henderson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Henderson, Roddway.

James Barry, inspector of weights and measures, who has been very ill at his home, 151 Waterloo street, was said today to be feeling much easier and to be considerably improved.

Friends of Miss Dorothy Mabey of Hampton, who underwent a serious operation recently in the General Public Hospital, will be glad to learn that she was able to return to her home on Saturday.

A. K. Trecartin, 50 Victoria street, is out of danger following a serious operation.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Sampson, of Moncton, will be passengers on the Benariga sailing from New York tomorrow.

Friends of F. Brookins, who underwent an operation in the General Public Hospital on Saturday morning, will be pleased to know that he is making satisfactory progress towards recovery.

Frank Armstrong, who has been spending the summer in Montreal as a member of the Canadian Government Merchant Marine staff, arrived in the city on Saturday to resume his duties at this port.

The condition of Alexander Watson, who has been seriously ill, was said to be practically unchanged, but hopes are held out for his recovery.

## ANOTHER ONE

Our topsy-turvy seasons, which have been marked by strawberries, mayflowers and other examples of nature appearing at unseasonable times, were further upset yesterday when Master Parnell Stack picked a tiny brown caterpillar from a tree in Fair Vale. He enclosed the woolly little fellow in a box lined with cotton wool and sent him to The Times office to show that he was not merely "seeing things."

## Christmas Tokens

Where convenient, the immediate purchase is recommended.

Patrons may thus secure the advantage of complete assortment, unhurried selection, and early satisfactory disposal of the pleasant holiday obligation.

Some of the most desirable gifts cannot be duplicated prior to the Gift Season.

While many articles are rare and costly, many more are quite modest in price, beginning at a very few dollars.

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## A NATION WIDE SCANDAL, SAYS PRESIDENT

Prohibition Must be Literally and Rigorously Enforced in United States.

Washington, Dec. 9.—The principal points in the message President Harding delivered to Congress yesterday were as follows:

Further relief should be given agriculture by providing additional credit machinery through the Federal Farm Loan Bureau.

The Government must point the way to the solution of railroad problems and the reduction of freight rates.

Suspension of railroad operation through strikes should be prevented through establishment in Washington of a "tribune to which railway labor and managers may appeal respecting questions of wages and working conditions."

This would take the place of the Railroad Labor Board.

The United States should help rehabilitate foreign currency systems and facilitate commerce which "does not drag us to the very levels of those who seek to live on the edge."

The "nation-wide scandal" in prohibition enforcement must be cleaned up. To this end the President will call a conference of all state governors soon.

"Rigorous and literal enforcement will concentrate public attention on any requisite modification."

Immigration restrictions should be augmented by requiring foreign registration of aliens.

The President suggested the submission of an amendment to the Constitution prohibiting child labor, and recommended again an amendment restricting tax exempt securities.

The Administration's foreign policy, saying the United States is "insistent on American rights wherever they may be questioned and denies no rights of others in the world."

He pointed out that the United States has furnished the world in the four-power pact a new plan for avoiding war.

Concerning prohibition the President said:—

Constitutional prohibition has been adopted by the nation. It is the supreme law of the land. In plain speaking, there are no concessions relating to its enforcement which save of nation-wide scandal. It is the most demoralizing factor in our public life.

"Most of our people assumed that the adoption of the Eighteenth Amendment meant the elimination of the question from our politics. On the contrary, it has been so intensified as an issue that many voters are disposed to make all political decisions with reference to this single question."

It is distracting the public mind and prejudicing the judgment of the electorate.

"The day is unlikely to come when the Eighteenth Amendment will be repealed. The fact may as well be recognized and our course adapted accordingly. If the statutory provisions for its enforcement are contrary to deliberate public opinion, and literal enforcement will concentrate public attention on any requisite modification."

"Such a course conforms with the law and saves the humiliation of our people before the world, and challenges the destructive forces engaged in widespread violation, official corruption, and individual demoralization."

"The Eighteenth Amendment involves the concurrent authority of state and Federal Governments, for the enforcement of the policy is defective. A certain lack of definiteness, through division of responsibility, is thus introduced. In order to bring about full understanding of duties and responsibilities as thus distributed, I purpose to invite the Governors of the states and territories, at an early opportunity to a conference with the Federal executive authority. Out of the full and free considerations which will thus be possible, it is confidently believed, will emerge a more adequate comprehension of the whole problem, and definite policies of national and state co-operation in administering the law."

**BURIED TODAY**  
The funeral of John J. Irvine was held this afternoon from his late residence, 48 St. James street, where service was conducted by Rev. R. M. Legate. Interment was at Cedar Hill where the Masonic service at the grave was conducted by Rev. R. A. Armstrong and the service of the Brotherhood of Railway and Engineers was read.

The funeral of Mrs. Eliza J. McColligan was held this afternoon from her late residence, 108 City Road, to the Church of England Burying Ground. Service was conducted by Rev. R. T. McKim.

The funeral of John E. Wilson was held this afternoon from St. James' church where service was conducted by Rev. H. A. Cody. Interment was in Fernhill.

The funeral of Ernest A. Seely was held this morning to Fernhill. Rev. R. M. Legate conducted the service, which was private.

## Conference Has Broken Down; An Adjournment to Jan. 2

(Canadian Press.)  
London, Dec. 11.—The conference of Allied premiers called to arrange the basis for an allied financial and reparations conference in Brussels, has broken down. It was announced at six p. m. that the premiers had taken adjournment until January 2.

## READY AT THE HEALTH CENTRE

Formal Opening of Building on Tuesday

Will be Open for the Public in Afternoon and Evening—Speeches and Other Features for the Occasion.

The public opening of the new health centre will take place tomorrow. The handsome building, formerly known as Caverhill Hall, at the corner of Sydney and Mackenburgh streets, has been cleaned and renovated and all the rooms present a bright, attractive appearance. Cards denoting the use to which each room is put are displayed over the doors. The interior fittings are well chosen and appropriate.

Miss H. T. McKeljohn, director of the public health nursing, said this morning that it was the wish of those in charge that the public visit the centre tomorrow and see for themselves what was being done and the facilities for the treatment of those seeking aid.

The clinic will be open for observation and every opportunity afforded for people to see what are the aims of the health centre.

In the arch over the main entrance are inscribed the words "Saint John Health Centre," and on the first landing of the stairway there is a large and very attractive poster, the work of Arthur Stringer of the Imperial Theatre staff.

On the ground floor, to the right of the entrance is a room to be used by the sub-district board of health. The next room is the quarters of the anti-tuberculosis society where clinics are held. Next this is the day headquarters of the Victorian Order of Nurses and following this the well baby clinic.

The rear of the ground floor houses the rooms of the social hygiene service department. The basement will be used for storing supplies of the Red Cross Society and for demonstration purposes as well as for a laundry and for coal storage.

At the top of the second landing of the stairway and to the right is the lecture room which is also used for the medical clinic and for the eye refract (ion) clinic. To the right of the head of the stairs is the dental clinic and

## Wonderful Beads FROM BOHEMIA AT JEWELRY SALE

The very latest arrival at the rather sensational jewelry sale of L. L. Sharpe & Son is a most colorful collection of beads made in Bohemia and just imported. One style has long tasseled ovals finishing in a long tassel. Colors are tangerine, jade, mauve, amber, mother of pearl, black and white and black and turquoise. Prices run up to \$40, but are mostly \$2.50 to \$5. Other wonders at sale reductions are beads of genuine ivory, whitely jet, amber, amethyst and real crystal. In the plain round beads there are such colors as blue, amber and pink tourmaline.

## THE ROTARY CLUB

Major Vey, secretary of the National Council of Education, was the speaker at the Rotary Club today, and gave a very clear statement of the need for a central bureau to bring the educational departments of all the provinces into co-operation. J. Everett Hunt presided. The club decided to give a dinner to the two boys' clubs, east and south end, on Dec. 28, to be followed by entertainment at the first show of the Imperial as the guests of Manager Gidding. As Sir Henry Thornton will be here next Monday the regular Rotary luncheon will be held on another day. Rotarian Puddington for the Christmas, their committee reported about thirty baskets provided for with possibly some more.

**FOR ORPHANS.**  
The gratifying sum of \$48 was realized from a special collection taken up in the churches of the Silver Falls circuit on Sunday in aid of the Protestant Orphans' Home.

**DR. MULLIN RECOVERS**  
Fredericton Gleaner.—Friends of Dr. R. M. Mullin, of Devon, will be glad to learn that he has about completely recovered from his recent long illness and subsequent indisposition to much so that he has recently resumed active practice again.

**OVER \$2,130 ROSEBUD DAY**  
Later returns show that the total receipts from Rosebud Day for the Children's Aid are in excess of \$2,130. It is hoped there will be enough to pay all expenses and leave \$2,100 for the society. The thanks of the lady workers are due to Mrs. W. Edmond and Raymond, who spent all day Saturday at the Children's Home in Garden street, presiding at the lunch table where tea, coffee and other refreshments were served throughout the day to workers as they arrived.

**FOSTER VERGE DEAD.**  
Bridgewater, N. S., Dec. 11.—Foster Verge, one of the most prominent lumbermen of the province, died yesterday at his home, Brass Cross, Lunenburg County, after a lingering illness. Mrs. Verge, whose niece is Mrs. W. L. Hall, wife of the Liberal-Conservative party leader, a son and a daughter survive.

**VETERANS' DRIVE**  
The membership drive of the Great War Veterans' Association got away on a start today with the six teams all commencing work and the prospects for success reported good. Each team consists of four men and a leader. The leaders are: F. J. Newcombe, Frank Ashe, W. J. Reid, S. C. Tippett and Alexander I. Macburn.

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**10k. GOLD LINKS, \$7.50**  
\$10 Cuff Links in 10k. Solid Gold in many styles for soft shirts—\$7.50. Others up to \$11.50.

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