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THE HARBOR WORKS.

Supt. Oborne, there can be

lutely necessary.

Now that the president of the board of trade and the members of the city council have given utterance to their feelings of mutual regard it is to be hoped that they will settle sociably down to the business of deciding upon the most desirable plan of harbor im-provement for this port. The opinion which these gentiemen may entertain regarding each other should not enter into any consideration of the measures its u

to its usefulness. Applications were read from John Sime and William Fox for the Lordly property on the Manawagonish road. Mr. Sime offered 3170 rental and Mr. Fox 3160. The application of Mr. Sime was granted. A petition was read from Lizsie and B. J. Quiltie for a renewal of the lease of lot 405 on George street, west end.-Granted. An application of John Lilly for reregarding each other should not enter into any consideration of the measures to be taken to place this port in a position to handle the increasing winter port traffic. The board of trade

 B. J. Quiltie for a renewal of the isage of lot 60 son George street, west end—Granted.
An application of John Lilly for renewal of lease in Guys ward was also granted.
The resignation of Capt. A. H. Lindsay of No. 1 Salvage Corps was read and accepted. The election of G. H. Greene as Capt. Lindsay's successor was ratified, as was W. H. White's appointment as captain of No. 3 corps.
A letter read from D. Pottinger, in answer to a request from the city for the 1. C. R. to put an arclight at the corner of Mill and Pond streets, stated that the department had decided that the department had decided that the fairville Presbyterian church for the lease of a lot adjacent to the two already granted for the place of erection of a church building, work on which is to begin in May.—Recommended to be granted.
M application from Policeman Robt. Hamilton for hair bay during sickness, from the 7th to the 28th of March, was recommended that the council authorize the purchase of 8 miles of a lot access of 8 miles of 9 miles committee has been appointed, and Mayor White will no doubt promptly appoint that from the city council. It would be most unfortunate if when these two committees come together any feeling of personal antagonism should prevent the most cordial co-operation in a matter which affects the lfare of the whole city-and the centre of the whole city—and the bountry at large. The sooner the two committes begin their deliberations and

arrive at some satisfactory agreement respecting the required harbor improveats the better it will be and the sooner we may hope to see results. There is urgent need for one or two new berths before next winter's trade egins. As the building of a wharf in St. John harbor is no child's play, but requires the hard labor of months,

of B. V. galvanneed wher for me al-arms. Ald. Macrae referred to the disabled condition of the fire alarm system and on motion a committee was appointed to consider what improvements can be made in the present system. S. T. Golding's tender of \$3 per call, or \$40 per month for looking after the ambulance and providing a horse was accepted. The other tenders were John Flynn, \$46 per month; Wm. Reid, \$50. The calls average 25 a month. The tender was accepted for one month at a time. there is obviously no time to waste. Whatever people may think of the plan of harbor improvement suggested by ing the force of his remarks regarding the growth of western traffic and the growth of western traffic and the growing need for facilities to

handle it at this port. Prompt action is therefore not only desirable but ab-

time. Ald. McGoldrick and Allan were ap-ointed a committee to see if arrange-nents could be made with the hos-ital commissioners for the care of the HOME TO ROOST. The Canadian people in common with pital co all British subjects, remember with some bitterness the great prominence given by the United States press dur-

The director was instructed to have he necessary repairs made to the amthe necessary repairs made to the am-bulance. Ald, Allan brought the attention of the council to the need of police on the ferryboat. Almost every night, he said, someone was needed to preserve order there. It was decided that the board of works be asked to consider the matter. A sample of salvage corps cover was presented to the board lighter than the kind that had previously been exam-ined. The price of this was \$10.75 and of the heavier, \$14.25. It was decided that the council be recommended to purchase 25 of each kind. ing the period of the South African war to stories of alleged brutality on the part of British soldiers. When instigated the charges were found to

e either false or grossly exaggerated. Far greater prominence was given, however, by the American papers to the original charges than to the refuta-Our neighbors have since had

publes of their own in this respect. n yesterday's Star were given extract from the report of Gen. Miles, which

In yesterday's Star were given extracts from the report of Gen. Miles, which confirms the statements made that the most terrible cruelty was practised by American soldiers upon the Fili-pinos. It is of course claimed in de-fense of the soldiers that they regarded such a course as actually necessary, and that their acts were merely in the nature of reprisals for more horrible cruelties perpetrated by the enemy, and intended to have a salutary effect upon a savage people. Without entering into a discussion of the merits of the case it may be ob-served that whenever our neighbors at the grame and the rest. He allow is a course and the the same hour. If they do not intend to go to church, there always to be other to the merits of the case it may be ob-served that whenever our neighbors alleged misdeeds, they are certain be-fore very long to have the mirror held up to themselves. The remarks of that American general who condensed whole volume into the single sentence, "War is bell," should be more servicus, at whole volume into the single sentence, "War is bell," should be more servicus at the sent of the shour of the station. "War is bell," should be more servicus at the sent of the station. "War is bell," should be more servicus at the sent of the station. "War is bell," should be more servicus at the sent of the station.

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HANBURY DEAD.

"War is hell," should be more seriously taken to heart by his countrymen, LONDON, April 28.-The Right Hon whether discussing the acts of foreign Robert William Hanbury, president of the board of agriculture, died this morning of pneumonia after an illness of a few days only. He was born in

A MILLION PENSIONERS. One is somewhat surprised to learn

PROVINCIAL.

GENERAL.

The Right Hon, W. E. Hanbury was educated at Rugby and Oxford. He entered parliament in 1872, and since then has represented Tamworth. North Staffordshire and Preston. He was financial secretary to the treasury from 1855 to 1900, and at the end of the latter year was appointed president of one million pensioners on the war list in the United States. A Washington

ST. JOHN STAR, TUESDAY, APRIL 28, 1908.

HE SAFETY BOARD.

May Attend Church-A L rman Maxwell presided at a g of the Safety Board yesterday there were present Aldermen Bullock, McGoldrick, Macrae

d through so detail that it shrall explained to the board ing of the Swan dry powder guisher and presented several als from parties in the city as without be a different play every y old thing that first set the w iry agog in "The Black C been left to Chas. H. Yale Auction." The old compact

uction." The old compact with the evil, the persecuted young and inno-ent maiden and her sweetheart, the



rivairy of the good fairy and the evil spirit will always stir the imagination of youth. This year the company are more sprightly than before in the "Devil's Auction." There are some good volces. The ballets are more effective and the pantomime business is good fun making. There are some special features in ballets introduced by Aur-ela Coccid with new stage effects and several specialities. Altogether one cannot go wrong in taking their chil-dren as well as wives, nor the gallant his sweetheart to see the Devil's Auc-tion this time. notice.

THIS EVENING.

Meeting of the St. John Amateur Baseball League at Y. M. C. A. par-

matic entertai North End. hall, North End. Daniel Ryan at Opera House in Damon and Pythias. Mary Louise Clary at the York

Daniel Ryan at Opera House in Damon and Pythias. Mary Louise Clary at the York Theatre. Regular meeting of N. B. Historical Society at eight o'clock. Meeting of the U. E. Loyalist Society at a quarter past eight. Address by Mrs. Stott in Trinity church schoolhouse at eight o'clock. Concert by Cheerful Toilers Mission. Band in Carmarthen street church. Concert this evening by Junior Mis-sion Band of Brussels Street Baptist church.

INSOLVENT LUMBER CO.

INSOLVENT LUMBER CO. (Portland Press.) An involuntary petition in bank-ruptcy was filed in the United States District court Saturday morning against the Stevens Lumber company of Fort Fairfield, Me. The petitioners are the Fourth National bank and the National Bank of the Republic, Boston, and the Fort Fairfield. The Habilities are said to be very large and probably will amount to \$150, 000. The assets consist of a mill, said to have cost \$80,000 and about \$,000,000 teet of logs, Penobscot scale, now in the river. The attorneys for the creditors are Belcher & Hale of Portland and Llew-ellyn Powers of Houlton. THE MUSQUASH TRAGEDY.

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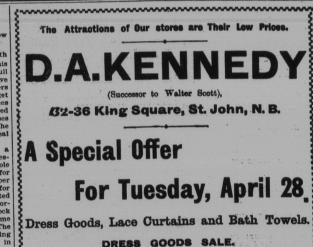
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BUILDING TRADES COUNCIL. There is another proposition on foot mong large sections of the laboring building trades council. The crafts-nen whose work goes into the erection is a building are organised into unions f carpenters, painters, masons, plum-ers, hod carriers, and so on, and early all are affiliated with the Trades and Labor Council. The present pro-position would bring them together, newers, in a trades council more within themselves.

A special meeting of the U. E. Loyal-ist Bociety will be held at the rooms of the N. B. Historical Society this even-ing at 8.15.

DEATHS

-On March 17th, Minnie Greer, wife mes Greer, Westfield, N. B.

a.-.-On April 26th, Nellie En d of R. W. and Annie M. pths and 13 days.

from 1885 to 1890, and at the end of the latter year was appointed president of the board of agriculture, with a seat in the cabinet. Rt. Hon. Mr. Hanbury was best known to Canadians as the man who successfully resisted every effort made in the direction of the free admission of Canadian cattle to the British mar-kets.]

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On June 30, 1902, the pensioners num-bered 999,446, the greatest number ever recorded up to that time. The chief clerk's compilation showed more than a million for the month of July, the exact total being 1,001, 494. In Septem-ber it was was 1, 000,732, but from that joint it began to fall and on March 1 of this year there were only 999,414 pensioners on the roll. Commissioner Ware says: "The pension roll has vibrated across the million line twice during the last ten months. I believe that the coal stirtke had an important influence on the pension roll, for it began to drop as soon as the results of the strike began to be folt. This was quite natural because the pensioners are not only feelbe and of advanced ace, but your as well, and the coal famine feil very heavily upon them. The last re-probabilities are that the number of pensioners will linger in the neighbor-hood of one million for a year or so, after which the decline will begin. When it gets started it will go down very rapidly. I estimate that the deaths among the pensiones will not be as much. It has been forty-three years ince the Civil War began and the average age of the old soldier is more than sixty years." Fire broke out in the stereotyping com of the Halifax Chronicle last light. The blaze was confined to that oom, but the whole building was irenched with water. The Elgin & Hawlock Railway Co., nie applying at Ottawa for incorpora-tion to build a railway form Havelock Kings county to Chipman in Queens tion to build a railway from interestory in Kings county to Chipman in Queens county, and a branch from that line to Sallsbury or Moncton. A Westport, N. S., correspondent writes that the fishermen there are do-ing well in the bay fishing. The cod taken are large and if the weather continues favorable a large lot will be taken.

GORDON DIVISION.

GENERAL The ship laborers in Montreal are still on strike and non-union laborers who went to work yesterday were prevailed on to quit. Three ocean steamers are held up with their cargoes. Another attempt was to be made today to se-cure non-union men. Commenting on the demunciation of labor agitators by Archbiahop Bruch-eal, President Gompers of the Ameri-can Federation of Labor, says the are as Quebee is concerned none but Canadian organisers and officers will be employed in that province. Gordon Division, S. of T., celebrated fits 18th anniversary with a concert and fruit social in their rooms in the Mar-ket building last evening. A large num-ber were present and the evening was a most enjoyable one. Rev. C. W. Hamilton, G. W. P., occupied the chair and gave a short address, after which a programme was carried out. John Law, Miss McGorman, Miss Kinsman, Miss Grant, Messrs. Donald and Hoyt, Miss Nina Case, Messrs. Donald, White and Fenwick taking part,

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SUSSEX NEWS.

SUSSEX NEWS. SUSSEX, April 27.—A serious acci-dent occurred here this afternon, which may prove fatal. Henry Miller, who was driving J. A. McArthur & Co's horse and sloven, was run into by a team driven by Robert Scott and Richard Peters of Hammond over the I.C. R. crossing, just in front of the west-bound C. P. R. train. Mr. Miller, who sustained several bad injuries about the head and neck, is an aged wan, and is now suffering considerable pain.

PETER BRITT'S TROUBLES.

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HALIFAX, April 27.-The Canadian revenue cutter Gladiator, Capt. Gor-don, today selsed two French fishing schoeners, the Langladise and the Gus-tav Prospere, for violating the customs laws in taking bait before entering at the custom house. The selsure was made on the Cape Breton coast.

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THE THREE MUSKETEERS. THE THREE MUSKETEERS. Daniel Ryan, as that dashing blade D'Artagnan in the Three Musketeers, is an actor the audience likes to see on the stage, and likes to hear. The per-formance last evening was a particu-larly good one and the scenery and costume appropriate. The strong characters are D'Artagnan, the queen, Richelieu, and Lady de Winter. As the queen Miss Cameron was stately and dignified and entered into the part with admirable spirt. Mr. Campbell's Richelieu was well conceived and well acted, and Miss Crolius invested the role of Lady de Winter with much interest. Mr. Gordon, as the Duke of Bucking-ham did what was required of him with acceptance, as did Mr. Gordon in the role of king. Eddith Chinton, as Jeanette was a very pleasing character and the minor parts were so well taken that the whole performance went

Jeanette was a very pleasing contents and and the minor parts were so well taken that the whole performance went smoothly, rapidly and to the great pleasure of the audience. Betwen the acts there were moving pictures, two excellent illustrated songs by Miss Gil-more, and singing and dancing by little Ida May, who has become a great

little Ida May, who has become a great favorite. Those who go to see the Ryan Com-pany of clever people, and the range of plays gives each member opportunities for varied work. This evening the play will be Damon and Pythias. For Wednesday afternoon and even-ting The Sign of the Crucifix is an-mounced. It is an enthrailing Russian story, that was highly spoken of by the St. John press last season.

LACE CURTAINS.

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DEATH OF SAMUEL A. McDER-MOTT. Gagetown has lost one of its olden and most respected residents in the facth of Samuel A. McDermott, who passed away at his home April 24, Until a few days previous Mr. McDer-mott, in the 80th year of his age, was in the enjoyment of unusually good health, and his sudden demise was utile unexpected. He was widely and favorably known throughout the pro-vince and was highly esteemed for his

