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Of BOOTS AND SHOES Began at Our King Street Store This Morning, and we anticipate a busy time for the next week.

- Women's Fine Dongola Slippers, 68c
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The Boston Dental Parlors 527 Main Street. Includes image of teeth and text about dental services.

THIS EVENING The Every Day Club. Moving Pictures and illustrated songs at the Opera House.

LATE LOCALS

Peoples Lodge No. 19 I. O. O. F. will visit Salem Lodge on Monday evening, Feb. 10th.

The monthly business meeting of the King's Daughter's Guild will be held on Monday, at 3.30 p. m.

John C. Ferguson will deliver a lecture on Daniel O'Connell at St. Malachi's Hall Sunday evening at 8 o'clock.

Miss May McArthur, of High street, entertained a few of her girl friends last Tuesday evening.

The High Court, N. B., is to meet in this city on May 12. The change is made necessary to get the meeting over before the Supreme Court meeting in June.

The ladies of the Guild of St. Monica will hold a chafing dish high tea in the school room of the mission church on Monday evening from 6.30 till 8; there will be varieties of chafing dish preparations and many novelties.

Meeting of Believers in the Atone ment "A Ransom for All," I Tim. 2:6; service Sunday at 3 p. m. will be held in Odd Fellows' Hall, Union street, subject "The Hidden Mystery." All who are interested in our heavenly Father's word and plans are invited to attend. Meetings free to all.

Madame Harrison, who was to leave for New York to night, has postponed her departure till Monday night, and has kindly consented to sing in Ludlow street Baptist church Sunday evening. There is, indeed, a great pleasure in store for the numerous admirers of this great singer.

At the meeting of slaughter house commissioners yesterday the inspector, Dr. W. H. Simon, submitted the following figures of killing during January: Kanes & McGrath, 216 cattle, 48 sheep, 10 calves, 12 swine; J. E. McDonald, 104 cattle, 50 sheep, 8 calves; M. J. Collins, 25 cattle, 8 calves.

The ladies of the Main street Baptist church gave a tea for the inmates of the Home for Incubables Thursday evening, tea being served from 5 to 7. Those in charge were Mrs. Dykeman, Mrs. A. Sinclair, Mr. Pines, Mrs. H. H. McLean, and Miss McLean, Miss Julia Morgan, Miss C. W. Wallace and Mrs. J. W. Wallace of Fredericton were also present.

The board of health issued eighteen burial permits for deaths during the past week, from the following causes: Heart disease, three; chronic endocarditis and nephritis, pulmonary tuberculosis and old age, two each; double pneumonia, influenza, chronic gastritis, shock from burns, epithelioma, exposure, cerebral hemorrhage, inflammation of bowels and senile debility, one each.

SEMBRICH WEDNESDAY WEEK

Time is Drawing Near for the Great Musical Event --- Seat Sale Friday.

But little time remains before the great Sembrich concert, Wednesday week, and much less before the subscribers' seat sale next Friday. All subscribers will be duly notified through the mails so that none can forget the day and hour. The subscription list is still at Landry's music store, where it can be signed until Wednesday. The Sembrich concert will undoubtedly take precedence to any of this year's social events, and elaborate preparations are being made to this end. Concert parties are not only being organized locally, but are coming from various towns throughout the provinces, from St. Stephen to Amherst. Gov. Tweedie is bringing a party of twelve, and even larger ones from Sackville, Fredericton and Moncton have signified their intention of being present. Remember the subscription list will remain at Landry's till Wednesday only.

SUPREME COURT

Additional Judgments Given at Fredericton Yesterday.

In the supreme court at Fredericton yesterday, in ex-parte Madden and ex-parte Hugh J. McCormick the rule was discharged and conviction sustained. These were cases of the seizure and destruction of liquor. A. A. Wilson represented the prosecution and L. A. Curry the defence.

In the case of McKay vs. the City of St. John the appeal was dismissed. This was a case arising out of suit for damages for the bursting of a sewer.

WINTER PORT BUSINESS

Forty-five steamers have filed their papers at the custom house up to date and have taken away cargoes valued as follows: Canadian Goods \$8,800,106 Foreign Goods 3,000,295 Total value to date \$8,800,401 The grain shipments to date amount to about three million bushels.

EVERY DAY CLUB

George Jenkins will be the speaker at the Every Day Club temperance meeting tomorrow afternoon, at four o'clock. Members of the club's male choir will sing, and there will be instrumental and other music. At 8.30 in the evening the quartette and choir of Main street Baptist church will render music and there will be a short address on temperance.

LOCAL CAMPAIGN TO OPEN MONDAY

Opposition Candidates To Speak in St. Peter's Y. M. A. Hall.

Platform Campaign to Open With a Rush --- Monday's Meeting Will Probably Be Largely Attended.

The platform campaign of the board opposition will be opened in St. John on Monday evening next when addresses by the four candidates--Robert Maxwell, M. P. P., John E. Wilson, Dr. J. P. McInerney and W. Frank Hatheway, will be delivered in the St. Peter's Y. M. A. hall formerly Temple of Honor, Main street, North End.

P. C. SHORTIS CONCERT

The programme of the concert which P. C. Shortis, the banjoist, is to give in the Opera House on Monday evening is: Piano solo--March, Hoagrise...Kowalski Arnold Fox. Baritone solo--The Windmill...Nelson Sydney Beckley. Soprano solo--Flower song from Faust...Mrs. L. M. Curran. Banjo solos--(a) Song and dance, (b) Plantation echoes, (c) Bonnie Sweet Bessie, Mr. Shortis. Baritone solo--Hyrtia, the Cretan...Elliott Mr. Beckley. Soprano solo--(a) Concert waltz "Louise" (b) Mexican patrol, (c) Imitations of the human voice (original), Mr. Shortis. Duo--Selected, Mrs. Curran and Mr. Beckley. Banjo solos--(a) Spider dance; (b) March Review (original); (c), characteristic violin playing; (d), Hungarian and Scotch dances; (e) Spanish Serenade; (f) Swiss Boat song (without words); (g) Scotch Bag Pipes; (h) Sweet Bye and Bye, at a country concert; (i) country fiddler; (j) country fiddler in his element; (k) Mississippi darter; (l) playing a jig; (m) Mocking Bird with imitations (original), Mr. Shortis.

POLICE COURT

Frank Cavanaugh Sent up for Trial on a Charge of Theft.

Preliminary examination in the case against Frank Cavanaugh, charged with stealing an overcoat and a pair of boots from Frank Killen, was concluded before Judge Rille this morning, when after the evidence of Edward Higgins had been taken, the prisoner was committed for trial in the district court, before Judge Forbes, on the fourth Tuesday in this month.

The case against Harry Cohen, the four-teen-year-old kid, who was arrested Thursday afternoon was again postponed until Monday morning at 10 o'clock, as Cohen's parents were unable to attend court this morning.

Armed with a cobbler's kit and \$4.35, Thomas Backus was today arrested for drunkenness, and is lodged in a cell at the central police station. He will probably appear in court on Monday morning.

PERSONALS

J. D. Hasen, M. P. P. returned to the city on today's Boston train.

H. W. de Forest came in on the Boston train at noon today.

George Swanton, stevedore is confined to his home through illness.

Miss Buchanan, Miss Finley and Miss Campbell of Westfield returned home last evening after spending a pleasant visit to this city.

James Paterson, of D. & J. Peterson, the German street tailors left today for New York to look over the spring styles.

Mrs. Alfred Mason, of Head of Mill stream, came to the city Thursday to attend the funeral of her brother, Abram Long. She will return home today.

George McArthur, of St. John (N. B.), is at the Windsor Hotel, and will remain in town for several days.--Montreal Star, Thursday.

Mrs. H. H. McLean and Miss McLean will be passengers for England on the steamer Empress of Ireland today.

J. H. Roberts the temperance evangelist will preach in Exmouth street Methodist church tomorrow morning.

Miss Laura Poole, of Westfield, left for British Columbia last evening, where she will visit her brother, who is secretary of the Yale Lumber Co., at Nelson.

FUNERALS

The funeral of Mrs. Robert Melrose took place this afternoon at 2.30 from her late residence, Seely street. Service was conducted by Rev. A. A. Graham and interment was in Fernhill.

The funeral of William Boone who was drowned in the harbor Jan. 31 was held this afternoon from his late residence 117 Acadia street. Service was conducted by Rev. R. P. McKim and interment was at Cedar Hill.

The funeral of Miss Margaret Ryan was held this morning at 9 o'clock from her late residence to the Cathedral where service was conducted by Rev. Father O'Brien. Interment was at Ryan Settlement.

The funeral of Mrs. Abbie O. Hampton was held this afternoon at 2.30 o'clock from her late home, Water street, West End. Service was conducted at 2 o'clock by Rev. W. H. Sampson and interment was at Cedar Hill.

SHE MISSED HER BOAT

An unfortunate woman, who with her four small children, arrived yesterday from Toronto to take passage for England by the Allan liner Sardinian, found, to her dismay, that the vessel had sailed and she was left penniless in a strange city, with four little ones, all under five years of age, to take care of. Some Rothersey residents and others interested themselves in her case and sufficient money was raised to send her and her babies to Halifax, where it is expected she joined the steamer.

See Large Adv. Today On Page 2 PRINCE'S BEACH LIMERICK

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