

Police Chief Inquiry Opened Here Today

Commissioner Chandler Presides—Taking of Evidence Was to Be Begun This Afternoon

SAYS HON. MR. McLEOD WAS PAID TO INFLUENCE ARBITRATION

for station grounds and \$1,875.98 for ballast pit. Com. Fisher—Does the purchase of station grounds come under your department? A—Yes, sir.

The Man In The Street

We can afford to smile today—we didn't have any C. P. B. stock.

After a week in the country we fully realize the importance of a determined and united war against the "pecky mitter."

Convict who escaped from prison in Ohio was returned this week. Sort of a "back to the land" movement.

Stop-watches are being used by people in North End in keeping tabs on the cars at Douglas avenue.

Hope you're still awaiting the fly. "Easy enough to fly from land to land across the ocean," says Graham-White.

A young man going from the city last evening to visit a young lady in Indian town, was seen waiting with a transfer in his hand at the avenue; later he was seen still waiting.

Perhaps lectures have been right about the "vols" we owe to ancient Greece," but at ten cents a shine we're paying it back pretty well.

The sense of proportion possessed by some people can be judged by the following conversation, overheard in the street the day following the street car riot.

Headline says "Two prisoners arrested on riot charges." Yes, two, that's all.

ACCIDENT AT THE COURTENAY BAY WORK; M. J. FINNEGAN HURT

M. J. Finnegan of 15 Brussel street, brakeman on train at Courtenay Bay, was badly injured yesterday morning when a heavy boom on one of the pile drivers fell, overturning the car on which it had been moved to the end of the breakwater.

FAIRVILLE PICNICS

The Fairville Methodist picnic, held at Westfield yesterday, was a marked success in every way. The crowd was larger than for several years and with the exception of a shower lasting about forty-five minutes the weather was perfect.

HIS FRIEND WAS IN THE HANDS OF FURRIERATED MOB

John McGrath Has Clipping From Mexican Paper

JOHN KIPP NEAR TO DEATH

Wild Crowd Raided His Hardware Store in Guadalajara, Seized Him and Were About to Use Horses to Tear Him Limb From Limb When Police Rescued Him

Among his papers the other day, John McGrath, who is interested in mines in Mexico, and has been through the turbulent scenes of the last decade or more, came across a clipping from a Mexican newspaper, which was reproduced.

Mr. Kipp's forgotten in the scramble for weapons when the mob entered his store, jumped in a cab and fled.

The leaders insisted on their suggestions and the crowd followed them in the rank.

Mr. Kipp was much shaken by his experience. He was promptly arrested, however, on the charge that he had violated a decree of the government.

Kipp was released through the efforts of Dr. Davis, the American consul. With other Americans he was liberated on an army transport sent to San Francisco.

D. D. MILLIGAN TO TAKE POST IN OGDENSBURG, N. Y.

Friends of D. D. Milligan, formerly Y. M. C. A. secretary in the city, will be pleased to learn that he has been appointed community secretary for the city of Ogdensburg, N. Y.

WANTS TO FLY HERE

George H. Perkins, an aviator appearing in a musical specialty at the Imperial Theatre, has been the exhibition committee in regard to flying at the exhibition.

Macaulay Bros. & Co. King Street, St. John, N. B.

1000 SPECIAL SALE OF 1000 YARDS Linen Huck Towellings YARDS

While on the verandah during these beautiful summer evenings you cannot employ your time more advantageously and enjoyably than by doing a little fancy embroidery work.

HUCK TOWELLINGS—Also a full range of Linen Huck Towellings, in pattern effects, such as Pansy, Shamrock, Thistle, Violet, Rose, and several bordered designs.

MACAULAY BROS. & CO.

Ladies' Pumps and Oxfords

For a Few Days Only, We Are Cleaning Out Some Broken Lines of Ladies' White Buckskin and Tan Russia Pumps.

Regular \$5.00 Values. SPECIAL PRICE \$2.98 White Canvas Oxfords and Pumps \$1.98—Special Value.

THE SLATER SHOE SHOP - 81 KING ST.

END-OF-THE-MONTH SALE

This End-of-the-Month Sale should be one of unusual activity, following as it does, our busiest July, and being the occasion for this final clearance of many lots of Men's and Boys' Summer Apparel.

One Special Lot of Lustre Coats, regular prices \$1.50, 1.75, 2.00. Clearing price 75c.

Workingmen's Shirts were 75c, 85c. Sale price 59c.

Workingmen's Heavy Wool Socks, regular price 15c. Clearing at Half Price.

Our complete stock of Light-weight Three-piece Suits for men in grays and fancy checks and some stripes, ranging in prices from \$18 to \$30.

GREATER OAK HALL

Left-Overs from Our Clearance Sale

87 Pairs Men's \$5.50 Shoes In Tan Calf, Gun-Metal Calf and Patent Calf; your choice for \$3.48

53 Pairs Men's \$4.50 Shoes — Your Choice for \$2.48

42 Pairs Men's \$5.00 Shoes — Your Choice for \$2.98

15 Panama Hats Going at Half Price Sale Price, \$1.75 to \$4.98; were \$3.50 to \$10.00

C. B. Pidgeon Low Rent District

Clearing Prices on Children's Straws

MOTHERS, READ THIS! We want to sell every child's straw hat children's Hats: will interest mothers looking for bargains in Cow in stock, so we have made three prices that

45 CENTS buys... 75c Hats 70 CENTS buys... \$1.00 Hats 90 CENTS buys... \$1.25 and \$1.50 Hats

D. MAGEE'S SONS, LIMITED 63 King Street Hats and Furs St. John, N. B.

Mid-Summer Headwear for Men and Boys. Boosters, lower and high crowns, in Straws; also in Soft Straw, at special prices. See Our Panama Hats \$4.00 and \$5.00

SHOE MEN DEFEATED. In a fast game of baseball in Brookline last evening, a team picked from Brookline and Torreyburne defeated team from Ames-Holden-McCreedy by the score of 11-6.