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LOCAL NEWS

Mrs. O. W. Chesley will receive on Wednesday and Thursday afternoons of this week at 137 Brtain street. The Silver Stars and Independents will play this evening on the Victoria

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The steamer Aurora sailed this morning at ten o'clock for Grand Manan. She had a very large number of passengers and a big lot of freight.

W. S. Harkins received a telegram at Truro on Friday night that his son Harry was to undergo a serious opera-tion owing to failure of eyesight. Mr. Harkins left immediately for his home at Yonkers, N. Y.—Mail.

YARMOUTH YACHTS.

The Yarmouth yacht Hermes which arrived in port yesterday to join in the Royal Kennebeccasis Yacht Club cruise went up through the falls this morning and on to Millidgevile where she joined the club fleet which is preparing for the season's big event.

The congregation of St. Philip's church had arranged for a moonlight being to Willow Grove on Thursday evening which was to be followed by a concert. The arrangements, however, have been cancelled and instead a concert will be given at the Indiantown Mission, when Mr. Cox and Mr. and Mrs. Coffin will assist other local talent.

morning as Mother Hubbard's cup-board, there not being a single schooner on this side of the slip. One merchant talking to the Star said it was a very rare occurrence and he attributed it to the early closing on Saturdays, which caused the schooner captains to change their hours of sailing.

ST. CROIX HAS BIG PASSENGER LIST.

LIST.

The Eastern Line steamer St. Croix arrived shortly after ten o'clock this morning from Boston with a big freight and 420 passengers. The St. Croix made an excellent connection with the eastbound train to the satisfaction of many passengers who were en route to Prince Edward Island, North Shore and Cape Breton points.

DUNDONALD COMING.

Officers of the 3rd Regt. C. A. have received notice that the annual inspection of the regiment has been fixed for July 16th, 17th and 18th. These are the dates mentioned some time ago. It is also announced that Lord Dundonald, who is now visiting the different military camps, will come to St. John on those dates and will review the regiment. This, however, is not yet confirmed, but will probably prove correct.

KILLED IN WINNIPEG. Word was received today by friends in the city of the death of Ralph Vin-cent, second son of the Rev. W. H. Vin-cent, formerly of this city, and now of the Logan Avenue Baptist church,

It appears that last evening Raiph, with some friends, was returning from a plenic at Elm Park, just outside of Winnipeg, and was killed by a street car. Further particulars of the accident have not been received.

Ralph Vincent was fourteen years of age. His mother is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Colwell of Duke street.

The Battle line S. S. Pydna, Capt. Crossley, arrived at Dublin at nine o'clock this morning from Hopewell Cape with a cargo of lumber. Cape with a cargo of lumber.

The schooner Arthur M. Gibson is at Jacksonville, Fla., where she will load hard pine for Fort de France, Martinique.

The schooner made a remarkably quick run from Sagua la Grande to Jacksonville, making the passage in

The Battle line S. S. Trebia has sailed from Sydney for Brisbane.

DIRECTORS' OUTING. Dalhousie Lumber Company Officials Visit Their Property.

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On Thursday last Joseph Knight, Henry Hilyard, George McKean, Jas. Manchester, W. T. Whitehead, John H. Tillotson and S. S. Hall, directors of the Dalhousie Lumber Company, Ltd., left in a special car to inspect the company's property at Dalhousie. A number of ladies were in the party. Mr. Knight returned yesterday and the rest of the party came in on the Maritime express after having a most enjoyable time, as pleasure was combined with business. The directors of the company are greatly pleased with their property and the way in which the work is being carried on.

NOT FLOATED YET.

The yacht Alexandra, which was sunk in the race at Loch Lomond a year ago, has not yet been raised. Cables were attached to her, but they broke on the lift. Another attempt to float the yacht will probably be made this week.

THIS EVENING.

May Nannary at the Opera House. Base ball—Clippers vs. Portlands on arracks Green.

bread of Golden Eagle will keep moist and white fourteen thousand six hun-

EVANSVILLE.

Thirty one Bodies Lying on the Street.

ional Guard Into a Mob Surrounding the Jail.

EVANNVILLE, Ind., July 7.— Six shot dead and twenty-five in fured. Gour fatally, is the outcome of the race riots that have caused a reign of terror in this city during the past four days. At 10.30 last night the Evansville Company of National Guards assisted by two hundred special deputy sheriffs sworn in during the day, while guarding the county juil in which were six volley of buckahot and bullets into a crowd of several thousand people, led by a hundred armed rioters which was pressing them back amid jeers and threats accompanied by stones and missiles. When the smoke cleared away thirty-one wounded and dead way the stones and missiles. When the smoke cleared the soldiers or the rioters. That the two objects or the rioters. That the troops were fired on is proven by the fact that of the fallen, four were members of the company. Their wounds were slight.

Something About the Reitiring Allowance for Samuel Gardiner, the late immigration agent at this port is likely to be successful.—St., John Telegraph.

Mr. Gardiner was retired in 1892, after thirteen wars of service, or 1550 a year. The cause assigned for the retirement of Mr. Gardiner was the aboiltion of the office, but there was a revenue of the former income, \$740, in the form of salary and \$290 as superannuation. All that he asks now is that the superannuation allowance over \$400.

Miss Fannie Taylor, of Moncton, is visiting her friend, Miss Beatrice Roach, of Summer Street.

Temple, Nobles of the Mysic Shrine, St. John, at the meeting of the imperial council at Saratoga, N. Y., this week.

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"A Jollit American Tramp," a pure comedy melodrama by E. D. Kidder, the author of Sol. Smith Russell's greatest successes, "A Poor Relation" and "Peaceful Valley," will have its initial presentation at the Opera House Monday, July 13th. In this piece the noted author clings to the great mass of people and takes his hero from among the lowly, and the unfortunate.

some years. Physically he compares very favorably with the other members of the force, standing 6 ft, 11-2 in, and weighing 222 lbs.



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BOY'S HARD LUCK LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE.

A Twelve Year Old Nova Scotia Boy's Experience.

After a Volley Fired By the Nat- Says Conductor Took His Ticket When Near St. John-Rode Into Bangor on a Freight

week.

Willard B. Gregory, son of Hugh
Gregory, left on the Pacific express
yesterday afternoon for Eureka, Callfornia, where he has accepted an excellent position in the red woods. Mr.
Gregory will be greatly missed by his
many friends in the city.

Miss Kate Mahoney, of New York,
arrived in the city today on the Boston
express and will spend a month or so
with her uncle Peter Mahoney, Man
street.

A JOLLY AMERICAN TRAMP.

"A Jolly American Tramp," a pure

and Gateman Stevens were asked if they had seen anything of the boy, or had heard in any way of the affair. Both were ignorant of any such occur-

noted author clings to the great mass of people and takes his hero from among the lowly and the unfortunate.

A NEW POLICEMAN.

This forenoon James McNamee was sworn in as a member of the St, John police force. Officer McNamee has been in the steamboat business for some years. Physically he compares the property of the policy of the property of the

was any complaint made.
Supt. Ross says the boy's story is straight as regards distances, stations and fares, but does not for a moment credit that portion of the story which refers to the conductor taking his ticket. Mr. Ross says that the conductor who brought No. 9 into the city Friday morning is one of the oldest employes on the road and one of the most popular and reliable conductors in the service. He is a trusted official, wide awake to his duties and one in whom the officials of the road have the greatest confidence.

men, who were not members of the union or likely to be affected by the strike.

The laborers held a meeting last evening in Berryman's hall and passed several important resolutions. They decided to have their committee wait on Mr. Cushing again and discuss the wages question, as information had been received that Mr. Cushing would like to further discuss the matter with the committee.

A petition from the laborers will be circulated among the merchants of the circulated among the merchants of the petition to the council for an increase in the laborers' wages. This petition with the signatures, will be read at a mass meeting to be held in Berryman's hall on Thursday evening, to discuss the advisability of raising a strike fund and to consider other matters relative to the strike.

The following resolution was adopted by last night's meeting: That we as citizens condemn the action of the entertainment of rich strangers when they refuse to consider fairly the petition of citizens for a living wage, even if they are poor laborers.

LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE.

To the Editor of the Star:

Sir,—I am heartily ashamed of my citizenship when I come to consider the action of the common council in re the action of the common council in re the increase of wages as asked for by the city laborers.

When you consider the extra burdens that have been placed on them by the aldermen of our city, the "west End improvement botch, Spruce Lake water extension claims, the additional \$100 voted themselves, the McLeod wharf \$6,000, Connolly claim, with Clark's claim yet to come, Public Library \$5,000, Murdock's flying machine, \$1,500 voted for themselves to have a good time on when these rich visitors come, who surely don't, want charity. With these mistakes and many more to come I wonder that our common sense citizens tolerate such doings in an enlightened city like St. John.

I also note that the bakers have raised the bread on our poor people. A barrel of flous will turn out 140 loaves, an increase of \$1.40 a barrel on the flour the citizens buy, yet, yet the increase has only been 25c. per barrel on flour. No word of protest is offered. See how much extra a baker would have baking 200 barrels a week. With all these facts before us, I would ask if these old men, so claimed, who work for our city and have given in some cases forty years' faithful service, were our aldermen's fathers would these despots think their request an unreasonable one.

When the chief of the fire department wanted an increase it was granted, viz., \$200.

Thanking you for space,

L T. JONES.

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Sir,—It would probably be impossible to find a more beautiful spot than Rockwood Park, and I fear that only a very small proportion of our citizens realize just what a glorious privilege it is to have so near such a large and varied a tract where nature in all her glory may be seen, admired and enjoyed. It is, however, a great shame that so many of the visitors take so little interest in the surroundings that they even aid in the defacing of the beautiful spot.

On Sunday I observed several young men (quite old enough to have more sense) walking on the velvet-like grass plots in the garden and such an act appeared to me worthy only of a savage, or if committed by a seemingly civilized being—that being surely must be devold of an ordinary amount of sense. To the Editor of the Star:

sense.

In the park young men broke twig
from the trees, pullled up fern frond
picked flowers and in various was
clearly showed that they lacked ar ciearly showed that they lacked any ideas regarding the preserving of the beauty of the place, and in one case a mother allowed a little girl to pull up a handful of clover blossoms, etc., telling her "not to take too many." Now surely that woman knew better, but if there are many like her, who either do not know or do not care there.

The child that committed the act, no doubt, did so innocently, and in that respect would be in the same position as the dog that innocently strolls into the park. It seems fashionable to shoot a dog found in the "preserve," although the poor animal cannot read.

Bargains That Count.

If we did no better than the average store we'd be apt to say less about it. But because business is good we are buying more goods and oftener, and selling to better advantage. This is getting to be more and more the outlet for special goods, which means the manufacturers think of this store whenever they have bargain lots of anythin g.

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In regard to the laborers strike, it is denied by some of the members of the La

BRUTAL ASSAULT.

was lying on the roadside for fully an hour before assistance came. In the fall from the wagon, besides the injuries to his head, his wooden leg was broken.

AN ASSAULT CASE.

A young man by the name of Fred Gibbons appeared in police court this morning to answer a rather serious charge. He was arrested, by Officer Finley on complaint of a young woman named McKay was fact to the Brooklands Hospital where he died not long after being taken there. McKay belonged to Nova Scotia and had been working at the furnace only a very shorf time,—sydney Post.

Edmond S. Ritchie appeared for the prisoner and upon his request the hearing of the case was postponed.

Later on Gibbs was fined twenty dolars for common assault,

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