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NEW BUNKER COAL PLAN

Collectors, instead of Washington, to issue Export Licenses.

Under instructions from the Export License Bureau at Washington, the New York office of the Bureau of Foreign and Domestic Commerce, has advised steamship owners that hereafter all applications for licenses for bunker coal would be referred to collectors of customs in the respective districts.

BREEZY POINT Much of the credit for the excellence of the production of Breezy Point at the Lyric last evening was due to the untiring efforts of Miss Grace Allingham, who selected the cast and had charge of the rehearsals for the play.

BURIED TODAY The funeral of Miss Tabitha Hingey took place this afternoon from her parents' residence, 86 Sheriff street. Services were conducted by Rev. John Hardwick. Interment was made in Cedar Hill.

KIDDIE-KAR advertisement with illustration of a child on a toy car. Text: FOR BOYS Outdoors, FOR GIRLS Indoors. THE NEW JOY RIDE FOR KIDDIES EVERYWHERE.

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LOCAL NEWS

COUNCIL DID NOT MEET. As there was no quorum, the meeting of the common council committee was not held this morning.

LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR HERE. His Honor, Lieutenant-Governor J. W. Ganong, of St. Stephen, arrived in the city this morning and is registered at the Royal.

FLOUR RISES AGAIN. Ontario flour today followed a half-dollar rise which was reported for Manitoba yesterday, making the wholesale price \$18.38 for Ontario and \$18.90 for Manitoba.

NEWS OF SOLDIERS. John Johnston, son of Hon. Wm. Johnston, of St. John, is reported to be in the office of The Western Union Telegraph Co.

ROTHESAY FETE. Rothsey ladies are preparing for a fete for the Red Cross. It is to be held on the grounds of Hon. Wm. Pugsley. Many attractions are being arranged in addition to afternoon tea and supper.

JOINS DENTAL CORPS. G. J. Bissette, formerly of the staff of D. J. Bissette, left this morning on the S.S. Empress for the Dental Corps, having enlisted recently with that unit. Friends gathered at the boat to bid him farewell and to wish him God speed.

FIRE ALARM. The North End fire department responded to a call from box 185 about 1:30 o'clock this afternoon, but when they arrived in Hilyard street they found that it was only a mattress had caught fire in the home of Mrs. Harper. It had been removed before any further damage had been done.

ASHBURN ROAD. A resident of Ashburn road says the county authorities should be given credit for what they have done in improving the section of the road for which they are responsible, but that nothing has been done to the city portion of the road and that it is in a wretched condition.

ENTERTAINED CONVALESCENTS. Soldiers from the Parks Convalescent Home and the Military Hospitals were royally entertained at luncheon yesterday afternoon and evening. Conveyance was by automobiles furnished by J. Hunter White, Joseph Likely, Mrs. C. Wood, G. H. V. Belyes, Kenneth Wilson, Fred Beatty, George Arnold and others. With motor boats, row boats and canoes furnished by summer residents of Ingle-side the boys had a most enjoyable time. At five o'clock supper was served. The rest of the time was taken up with music, tennis, etc., and the party returned to the city about half past nine o'clock.

VILLAGE TEAM WON. An exciting and keenly contested game of baseball took place on the Hampton school grounds last evening when the Athletics from Hampton Village defeated the Hampton Station team by a score of 9 to 2. There has been considerable rivalry between these teams and arrangements were made to test the ability of both teams. A three game series was decided upon and a purse of \$80 was posted by the managers of both teams. The Village boys have not been defeated this year and their supporters are confident that they will win the series and the championship. The next game will be played on Monday evening. Any team wishing to play the Athletics can make arrangements through their manager, Milton Bourd.

NEW ASSESSMENT COMMISSION. The first steps towards the appointment of a new assessment commission will be taken at the next meeting of the common council. At the last session of the legislature, when a bill based on the report of the assessment commission was introduced, it was amended and the bill referred back to a new commission to be appointed by the city council. Provisions were added to the effect that the commission should consist of seven members of whom two should be nominated by the Board of Trade, and that if the commission was not appointed by the council within three months, the mayor should step in and make the appointments. Mayor Hayes said this morning that he intended to bring the matter before the council at the next meeting.

DR. GEO. R. PARKIN IN FREDERICTON

Extended Tour of Canada and States After Month's Rest—The Rhodes Scholarships

A Fredericton despatch says that Dr. George R. Parkin and Mrs. Parkin of London, England, arrived here this morning. Dr. Parkin is one of New Brunswick's most distinguished sons and one of the prominent alumni of the U. N. B. Graduated as B. A. in 1867, he was given the degree of M. A. in 1872 and L. L. D. in 1894 and in 1911 was honored by the University of Oxford which conferred upon him the degree of D. C. L. From 1879 to 1889 he was principal of the collegiate school in Fredericton, now the Fredericton High School. In 1889 he was Canadian correspondent for the London Times. In 1896 he became principal of Upper Canada College and four years later was appointed a Rhodes scholarship commissioner.

Interviewed today Dr. Parkin said that since his arrival from England, he had spent some weeks in the eastern states and Canada in connection with the re-organization of the Rhodes scholarship system. Experience of the last several years had shown the commissioner where changes could be made to advantage and the war had given an opportunity for such reorganization, as the number of scholars had been greatly reduced. German scholarships were cancelled at the outbreak of hostilities. Colonial scholars had gone into the army. American scholars now would do likewise.

Dr. Parkin is now on his way to Shadac where he will spend a month's vacation. After that he will leave on a long tour which will include the Pacific coast and the southern states. "A tour through the states," he said, "will give one an opportunity to present the British view before the people."

PTE. W. R. JOHNSON KILLED IN ACTION

Leaves Motherless Eight Year Old Son

FURTHER CASUALTIES

Mrs. Arthur McKeil of Metcalf Street Receives Word of Her Son William C. Being Wounded—Moncton Soldier Gives Life

Mrs. Annie M. Johnson of 284 City road, received word from Ottawa this morning that her brother-in-law, Pte. Walter Johnson, had been killed in action on July 4. He crossed overseas to the 140th battalion, but was drafted to a well known New Brunswick unit and had been fighting in France for nearly a year. He was a native of Rhode Island, but so far as is known has no relations living.

When he donned khaki he asked Mrs. Johnson to take care of his eight-year-old son Chester, as his wife had died some time before. He was thirty-six years of age and was well known about the city, especially in the east end. Many friends will regret to hear of his death, but will receive solace from the fact that he died like a hero while fighting the Huns.

Mrs. Arthur McKeil, of 181 Metcalf street, received a telegram from Ottawa this morning notifying her that her son, Pte. William C. McKeil, was admitted to No. 26 General Hospital in Etaples, France, suffering from a gun shot wound in the left shoulder. He left here with the 140th battalion, but last October went to France in a draft for a famous New Brunswick unit.

A few weeks ago, during a heavy cannonading, he was buried under a pile of debris and his companions gave him up for dead, but after being entombed for a few hours he was found and, although badly shaken up and a bit unnerved from his trying experience, was to remain on duty with his comrades. Prior to joining the 140th he was employed with T. McAvity & Sons, Ltd.

OSCAR BULMER KILLED. Mrs. John A. Bulmer, postmistress of Cherryfield, Moncton parish, received a telegram from Ottawa yesterday stating that her son, Pte. Oscar Bulmer, was killed in action on July 6. He was a nephew of Mayor John M. Brown of Sunny Brae.

AN EXCELLENT RECORD

Two Jewish Sisters, Formerly of St. John, Lead the Way in Halifax Schools

It is greatly to the credit not only of Lily Smith herself, but to the teachers of St. John's schools that she went over to Halifax about a year ago and by the end of the last term romped away with the H. H. School leadership captured the highest medal awarded and had her picture in the local newspapers. Miss Smith is a daughter of a well known family and up to about a twelve-month ago conducted a women's clothing shop in Brussels street. It must have been a bit worrisome to the Halifax folks to have this little lady make such a display of her talents immediately upon entering the schools over there and finally capture their coveted medal. However, as she is now a Haligonian the credit must, of course, stay there.

Mr. and Mrs. Smith have other particularly bright children in the Halifax schools. Little Jennie, who was a "first seat" student for years in Centennial here is well to the fore in the sister city and gave a native girl a very hard run for first place in her grade. As a reward for her excellent work she is coming back to St. John in a few days to visit some of her little school chums of former times. The Smith children are not the only Jewish students that have done remarkably well in this city. Recent published reports and some that have not been published show remarkable examination marks, and it is perhaps not exaggerating to state that no community of residents in proportion to numbers shows such a high percentage in school work as our Hebrew fellow-citizens' families.

RECEPTION FOR NEW PASTOR AND WIFE

A very enjoyable reception was held last evening in the school room of Carmarthen street Methodist church, when the members of the congregation met to welcome their new pastor, Rev. H. Penna and his wife. The room was prettily decorated with plants and willow flowers.

After a few remarks by the chairman, Wm. McCavour, the new pastor gave an appropriate and helpful address. An interesting programme was carried out by the young people of the church, who afterwards served refreshments. Before the gathering dispersed a large circle was formed about the room, and the meeting was brought to a close with the singing of "Best Be The Tie That Binds."

PROBATE COURT

In the matter of the estate of Terence McMurray the will was proved in common form and letters testamentary granted to Anne McMurray, the surviving executrix. William M. Ryan is executor.

In the matter of the estate of Isabella McLean, the last will was proved in common form, and letters testamentary granted to John Willet, the executor named. Heber S. Keith is proctor.

In the matter of the estate of Joseph Albert Parker, late of Simonds, letters of administration have been granted to William A. Johnston. Horace A. Forter is proctor.

MACAULAY BROS. & CO.

Tomorrow, Friday, All Day, and Till 10 O'Clock Evening BIG MID-SUMMER REDUCTION SALE

LADIES' AND CHILDREN'S DRESSES, BLOUSE WAISTS, WHITE UNDERWEAR, KNIT RIBBED UNDERVESTS, DRAWERS, ETC. Sixty-nine cents each for CHILDREN'S SCOTCH GINGHAM DRESSES, in blues, browns, etc., in checks and stripes, with plain colored collars, cuffs and belts. Eighty-nine cents each for CHILDREN'S DRESSES, made of superior English Galatese and Duck, plain colors; also in navy and white stripes, cadet and white stripes or plain tans or navy blue. Ninety-eight cents for LADIES' HOUSE DRESSES, made of good weave in Bedford Cord and plain colored Linens. They come in pink, sky blue and all pure white. All at 98c. each. The making alone would cost more. Two Dollars and Ninety-eight cents each for your choice of DRESSY HOUSE GOWNS AND STREET DRESSES, in fancy check and striped Muslins, All White Voiles and a few in choice black and white, and grey and white Voiles. Many with colored trimming. All sizes in women's. One Dollar and Forty-nine cents each, from which you can pick exquisite BLOUSE WAISTS, white embroidery and lace trimmed Voiles and Muslins, or natural color Pure Pongee Silk Waists, pearl or gilt button trimmed, and only \$1.49 for any in the range. Balance of WHITE UNDERWEAR from last week-end sale, being massed and slightly soiled. You will find big reductions from former sale prices on Corset Covers, Nightdresses, Drawers and Underskirts. Children's 8 to 10 year sizes in FINE RIBBED KNIT UNDERVESTS AND DRAWERS, in pure white, will be sold for 2 Garments of any size for 25c. DON'T MISS THE SPECIAL \$1.00 CORSETS NOW ON SALE! FIRST FLOOR. Ten cents a yard for FACE VEILINGS in all new colors. Forty cents a pair LADIES' SILK BOOT STOCKINGS in black.

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- Boys' Norfolk Suits; regular \$5.00 Sale price \$4.85
Boys' Norfolk Suits; regular \$8.00 Sale price 6.80
Boys' Norfolk Suits; regular \$10.00 Sale price 8.50
Children's Reefers; regular price \$4.75 Sale price 4.10
Boys' Wash Suits; regular \$1.25 Sale price 1.00
Boys' Wash Suits; regular \$2.00 Sale price 1.60

Sale Prices on Boys' Blouses, Shirts, Underwear, Sweaters, Pyjamas, Braes, Belts, Etc.

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OAK HALL SCOVIL BROS., LIMITED ST. JOHN, N. B.

Pictures and Statuary

We are showing an unusually nice assortment of statuettes in quite a wide variety of subjects. Some with electric lights, some with globes for gold fish.

Our stock of pictures is always thoroughly up-to-date, and we can show something suitable for any room in any house.

These articles make splendid Wedding Gifts.

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OUR JULY SALES ARE WORTHY OF YOUR ATTENTION, MOTHERS!

Seasonable merchandise for grown-ups and kiddies may be purchased for very reasonable prices. We stock superior goods and we assure you it will pay you to call.

ANOTHER THREE-DAY SALE On Thursday, Friday and Saturday we will sell Children's Linen Hats for 40c, one price. They were 50c, 65c, 75c.

Kiddies' and Children's Straw Hats that were \$1.75, \$1.50, \$1.25, \$1.00, 75c. Now for three prices only \$1.25, \$1.00, 60c

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