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STONE OPEN EVENINGS.

LOCAL NEWS.

Steamer Axminster sailed today with
deals for the United Kingdom.

Father Ouellet of Shediac is dan-
gerously ill. Doctors Bourque and
Chandler of Moncton were called to
Shediac on Sunday in consultation with
Dr. Belliveau in regard to the case.

A lecture will be delivered in the
schoolroom of the Carleton Methodist
church on Wednesday evening by the
Rev. H. Penna. Subject, Dickens. In
connection with this lecture a short
musical programme will be rendered.

Michael McCarthy of North street
died this morning at the General Pub-
lic Hospital. A day or two ago Mr.
McCarthy became ill and last evening
was taken to the hospital for treat-
ment. He was thirty-six years of age
and leaves two children.

Michael Ronan, who came from
County Cork to St. John in 1854, and
has been an ardent liberal all these
years, informed the Star that he has
been trying ever since the liberals came
into power to get a position as freight
handler in the freight shed, but en-
tirely without success. Mr. Ronan
sees that others can get positions and
it grieves him to feel that he is over-
looked.

A McArthur, bookseller, North End,
has inaugurated a big cheap sale of
Window Blinds, Curtain Poles, Room
Novelties and Wall Papers from 21-2
cents up, and Oil Window Shades at
25c. up. The assortment of the above
lines is large and varied and contains
all the new and important designs and
colorings. Also an immense assort-
ment of Picture Mouldings. Picture
Framing a specialty. Lowest prices.
Give him a call. He will save you
money.

PERSONAL.

Mr. O. M. Melanson, M. P. P., has
taken a business trip to England.

Miss Constance Sturdee, of St. John,
is visiting Miss Annie Snowball at the
Government House, Fredericton.

Hon. L. P. Harris and Mr. O. P.
King have left Toronto for New York,
and will be away eight or ten days
yet.

Deputy Chief Jenkins is so far re-
covered as to be able to drive out yester-
day.

Rev. R. W. Weddall went to Frederic-
ton this morning.
Rev. R. G. Fulton of St. Martins,
who has been in the city for the past
day or two, returned to his home today.

THE LATE C. H. WETMORE.

The body of the late C. H. Wetmore
was brought to the city today on the
Boston train and was taken to the re-
sidence of F. C. Colwell, 247 King street
east, where friends may view the re-
mains this evening. Tomorrow the
remains will be taken on the early
morning train to Norton and from
there to Springfield for interment.

He is survived by a widow, one son
and two daughters.

A Boston correspondent of the Star writes:
"Mr. Wetmore was a member of Lewiston
 Lodge, F. and A. M. No. 12, of Carle-
ton Royal Arch Chapter. He was an Odd-
fellow, and was deacon of the F. C. Baptist
church here. He was well known and well
beloved by all who came in contact with
him."

NO ANSWER YET.

The government has not yet sent its
answer to the petition of the temper-
ance people presented in this city by a
delegation some time ago. The petition
asked that temperance legislation
similar to that in Manitoba be intro-
duced in this province. Premier
Tweedie promised at that time to give
the matter careful attention and send
a statement of the government's inten-
tion in the matter as quickly as pos-
sible to the head of the delegation, J.
R. Woodburn. He intimated, how-
ever, that the government was at that
time exceedingly busy.

BURIED TODAY.

At half-past two o'clock this after-
noon the funeral of the late Alfred M.
Long, who died from the result of in-
juries sustained at Sand Point, took
place from his late home in Carleton.
The body was taken to St. George's
church, where services were conducted
by the Rev. W. H. Sampson. Inter-
ment was in Cedar Hill. The mem-
bers of Granite Rock Division walked
in a body at the funeral and from this
society pallbearers were chosen.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Lucretia
Palmer took place at half-past two
o'clock this afternoon from her late
home on Brook street. Services were
conducted at the house by the Rev. R.
P. McKim and interment made in the
Church of England burying ground.

THE COURTS.

Harris v. Jamieson was resumed this
morning. The evidence for the defence
will probably be finished by tomorrow.
D. Mullin, K. C., for plaintiff. C. N.
Skinner, K. C. and A. G. Blair, Jr., for
the defendant.

In equity, Mr. Peck for the plaintiff
in Bishop v. Smith, applied to have the
case stood over until the third Tuesday
in May. T. P. Regan for M. B. Dixon,
consenting.

TO ENTER THE MINISTRY.

Frederick Porter, son of the late Rev.
T. H. Porter, who for some time has
discharged the duties of junior clerk
in the People's Bank, at Fredericton,
says the Herald, is to sever his con-
nection with that institution during the
summer for the purpose of entering
Acadia College to qualify himself for
the Baptist ministry.

THE CHOIR TONIGHT.

Some of the best seats may yet be
had for the concert in York Theatre
tonight by the great Westminster Ab-
bey choir. There will be a complete
change of programme and the lower of
music that is music and singing that
is singing should be there.

REWARD OFFERED.

The Directors of the Horticultural Association offer a reward of twenty dollars for
such information as will lead to the arrest
and conviction of the party or parties who
maliciously destroyed the benches and com-
mitted other depredations in Rockwood Park
on Saturday last, the 25th of April or there-
abouts.

SCHOOL OF DOMESTIC SCIENCE.

Established in St. John at the Sug-
gestion of Factory Girls.

Within the past two weeks a work
has been started in St. John which
promises to develop into a most im-
portant institution. This is a school
of domestic science and is being con-
ducted under the management of the
W. C. T. U.

About the first of April two or three
factory girls called on Mrs. T. J. Dein-
stadt to ask if any arrangement could
be made whereby they might be taught
sewing, cooking and other housework.
They wished to spend their evenings
in a manner which would be of benefit
to them and thought that such a class
as they asked for might be established
in connection with the Glad Tidings
Mission. Mrs. Deinstadt, while wish-
ing to do all in her power to assist the
girls, did not feel that she could under-
take the sole management of this work
and advised the girls to come back a
few days later when she hoped to be
able to give them a satisfactory an-
swer. Mrs. Deinstadt spoke to several
leading members of the W. C. T. U. in
regard to the request and all took up
the work in every possible manner.

On the evening appointed for the
second meeting twenty girls were pre-
sent and all were anxious to have the
work commenced. The matter was
talked over, plans made and a date
of meeting agreed upon. The manage-
ment of the Glad Tidings Mission
kindly placed their hall at the disposal
of the ladies and it is there that the
meetings have been held.

The last meeting was by far the most
successful. Less than sixty young
women were present and all took up
the work with an enthusiasm which
promises well for the success of the
school. The ladies of the W. C. T. U.
had purchased materials and engaged
the services of a capable dressmaker.
The girls were given a lesson in
cutting and fitting shirt-waists, and
these when completed will be disposed
of at cost.

It has been found that a class of
sixty is too large and at the meeting
to be held this evening it will be divided
into smaller ones. Besides the dress-
maker employed by the W. C. T. U.,
five ladies have volunteered their ser-
vices as assistant instructors.

In the meantime, foreseeing that the
school is bound to grow, the ladies
have engaged Miss Roberta Christie
of River Herbert, N. S., a graduate of
the University of Toronto, to teach
Science, to take charge of the institu-
tion in this city. Miss Christie will be
in St. John in a couple of weeks and
will assume control on May 15.

Under the present arrangement, a
three months course will be given, the
subjects to be sewing, plain cooking
and sanitation. During the hotter
part of the summer the school will be
closed but will re-open in September,
and it is hoped that when Miss Christie
returns she will organize a class for
ladies and give instructions in other
subjects relative to housekeeping.

The W. C. T. U. is hearing the ex-
pense of the class now under instruc-
tion and are receiving but normal fees
from the students. In the work they
are being greatly assisted by Mrs.
Deinstadt, and hope in the near future
to make the institution self-supporting.

CRICKET LEAGUE.

A meeting of the executive of the St.
John and Kings County Cricket League
was held yesterday afternoon in Trin-
ity schoolroom. The constitution and
rules as recommended by the league
were adopted and the following sched-
ule of games for the season's play
was arranged:

Rothsay vs. St. John, May 10th, at Roth-
say.
Rothsay vs. Trinity, May 17th, at Rothsay.
Rothsay vs. Hampton, May 24th, at Hamp-
ton.
Rothsay vs. St. John, May 31st, at St.
John.
Rothsay vs. Trinity, June 7th, at St. John.
Rothsay vs. Hampton, June 14th, at Hamp-
ton.
St. John vs. Trinity, June 21st, at St. John.
St. John vs. Hampton, June 28th, at Hamp-
ton.
Trinity vs. Hampton, July 5th, at St. John.
St. John vs. Trinity, July 12th, at St. John.
St. John vs. Hampton, July 19th, at St. John.
Trinity vs. Hampton, July 26th, at Hamp-
ton.

Officers—Rev. John deSoyes, presi-
dent; Rev. J. A. Richardson, Rev.
Charles D. Schofield and J. E. Moore,
vice-presidents; Horace A. Porter, sec-
retary and treasurer.

The league is open to all amateur
clubs in the two counties.

THE LIBRARY SITES.

It is probable that the report of the
sub-committee in regard to a site for
the new public library building will be
taken up at the meeting of the com-
mon council Monday. At present there
are three situations upon which a price
has been set and are now being con-
sidered. They are the Sears lot on
Germain street, a lot on Prince Wil-
liam street, and a third on Chipman
Hill. The last has been thought to be
the best site for the proposed drill hall,
for the erection of which the hopes of
those interested are still strong. Any
one of the three would furnish a good
situation upon which to build the new
library. They are all comparatively
central and easy of access and would
at the same time furnish a place where
a good building would show to the best
advantage. In price there is little dif-
ference, so that a choice between the
three is a matter of some little dif-
ficulty. The matter is now being dis-
cussed informally by the aldermen.

ST. JOHN'S CONTRIBUTION.

Mayor Daniel has remitted to the
proper authorities at Ottawa twenty-
five dollars collected here for the Cana-
dian South African memorial fund.
The money raised all over the provin-
ce for this scheme will be expended
in locating and properly looking after
the graves of Canadians who died in
South Africa. A considerable amount
has been raised in Canada for this
fund, and the scheme will be put in
operation as soon as the necessary ar-
rangements can be made.

MONTREAL, April 28.—Manager
Thompson of the Ogilvie Milling Co.
tonight announced that company dur-
ing the coming summer will construct
twenty new elevators in the North-
west, bringing the total up to eighty.

EXHIBITION ASSOCIATION.

Report of Pres. McLaughlin Sub-
mitted to the Directors Today.

The following report was submitted
by President D. J. McLaughlin at this
afternoon's meeting of the directors of
the Exhibition Association:

To the Board of Directors of the Ex-
hibition Association of the City
and County of St. John:

Gentlemen,—Since your meeting on
the 23rd January last your committee
has been endeavoring to follow out
your instructions in reference to se-
curing financial support for an exhibi-
tion this year. We first met the pro-
vincial government, and at its sugges-
tion before we urged the granting of
provincial aid, we met the city treas-
ury board and impressed upon it the
necessity of a liberal sum being ap-
propriated by the city for the exhibi-
tion. The following letter was receiv-
ed, in reply to this request:

D. J. McLaughlin, Esq., President St.
John Exhibition Association:

Sir,—I have to inform you that the
common council held on Monday, 3rd
day of February last, the following
recommendation of the treasury board
was adopted, namely—

"Your board have had under consid-
eration an application from the Ex-
hibition Association for a grant to
wards holding an exhibition in the
city during the coming autumn, and
they recommend that provided the
provincial government make the as-
sociation a grant of three thousand
dollars the city make a grant of three
thousand dollars, and give a guaran-
tee in case of deficiency to the extent
of two thousand dollars."

(Sgd.) HERBERT E. WARDROPER,
"Common Clerk."

Our president immediately after the
receipt of this information again in-
terviewed members of the provincial
government, and while no definite pro-
mise was given we were encouraged to
believe that a provincial grant of \$5,000
could be obtained. Pending the receipt
of the provincial grant steps were taken
to secure a manager and secretary,
and the position was offered to W. W.
Hubbard, who replied that should an
Exhibition be held he hoped to be in a
position to accept the work.

On the 12th inst. we were informed
that the provincial grant asked for
would be given, and a day or two later
the following letter was received:

FREDERICTON, N. B.,
April 18th, 1902.

D. J. McLaughlin, Esq., President Ex-
hibition Association, St. John:

Dear Sir,—I wired you last night that
five thousand dollars would be given
your association for an exhibition this
year under certain conditions, and
that I would write.

The conditions are, That the city of
St. John complete their proposition to
give three thousand dollars outright
and guarantee two thousand dollars
more, if required. Also, that no grant
be asked from the province for an ex-
hibition at St. John oftener than every
second year, and the prize list to be
submitted to the governor-in-council
for approval.

Yours very truly,
(Sgd.) L. P. FERRIS.

This offer was accepted by your com-
mittee and the services of W. W. Hub-
bard were then secured as manager
and secretary upon favorable terms,
subject to the approval of your board.
The following directors were added to
your executive committee, viz.—V. H.
Thorne, A. O. Skinner, W. F. Burditt
and T. H. Estabrooks.

A telegram was received from E. B.
Elderkin representing the Maritime
Stock Breeders' Association and the
Halifax Exhibition Commission, stat-
ing that a delegation was leaving for
Ottawa to urge upon the department
of railways the carriage of exhibits to
our various exhibitions upon a free
basis, and it was urged that we should
send a representative on this delega-
tion. As it was inconvenient for any
member of the executive to go to Ot-
tawa, the following telegram was sent
to the minister of railways:

ST. JOHN, N. B., April 15th, 1902.

Hon. A. G. Blair, Ottawa:

The following resolution was passed
by the St. John Exhibition Association
this afternoon, viz.: "That we consider
it essential to the success of our
stock interests of the country that
the renewal of the free transporta-
tion for exhibits over the Intercolo-
nial Railway, as asked for by the
delegates from the Halifax Exhibi-
tion and Stock Breeders' Association,
be given, and we authorize our pre-
sident to communicate with the min-
ister of railways and urge in the
strongest possible manner the grant-
ing of this request." On behalf of
our Exhibition Association and the
city of St. John, I ask your favorable
consideration.

(Sgd.) D. J. McLAUGHLIN.

Hon. Mr. Blair's reply was received
stating that he feared the withdrawal
of this rate from the Halifax exhibi-
tion last year would interfere with
granting it to St. John.

The question of exhibition dates was
felt to be a very important one and it
demanded an immediate settlement.
Your committee very carefully dis-
cussed this matter. It was found that
the Halifax exhibition had chosen from
the 16th to the 18th of September, and
we felt it would be very damaging to
the five stock interests of the country
to hold our old dates and run concurrently
with Halifax, the question to be
decided was whether we should pre-
cede or follow. Mr. Peters, deputy
commissioner of agriculture, was in-
vited to assist in this discussion. We
endeavored to learn as far as we could
the effects of early and late dates upon
the various departments of the exhibi-
tion and we unanimously concluded
that, as it was represented to us that
the agricultural and horticultural part
of the show would not be adversely af-
fected by the change from the 16th to
the 1st of September, we should select
as our dates August 30th to September
6th.

The occurrence of Labor Day during
this period and the probability of
warm and fine weather helped to in-

Sale of Sample Costumes.

Here is an opportunity to procure latest styles in tailor-
made Suits at a great saving in price.

\$22.50 Black Cheviot Suits, size 34, for
\$15.00.
\$22.50 Navy Cheviot Suit, size 32, for
\$15.00.
\$22.50 Lt. Grey Herringbone Suit,
size 32, \$15.00.
\$20.00 Coronation Blue Suit, size 34,
\$15.00.
\$18.75 Electric Blue Suit, size 32, \$15.00.
\$18.75 Fawn Cloth Suit, size 34, \$15.00.
\$18.75 Dark Grey Suit, size 36, \$15.00.
\$17.50 Bw. Check Suit, size 34, \$10.00.
\$15.75 Lt. Grey Suit, size 32, \$10.00.

Others from \$7.50 to
\$14.50.

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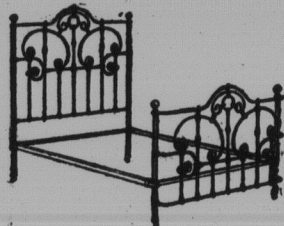
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We have opened our new warerooms,
No. 91 Charlotte Street, and have
on hand a larger stock of furniture of all kinds
than ever shown before by us. We have re-
ceived two carloads of new goods within the
past ten days and therefore have all the latest
designs and fresh goods. Prices low for cash.

Chas. S. EVERETT.
91 CHARLOTTE STREET.

fluence us towards this decision. Steps
were then taken to have the prize list
revised and the following committees,
with power to add other members, were
struck.

The work of revision has been going
steadily forward and we hope that the
various departments will be improved.
A complete revised list has not as yet
been submitted to us, but we under-
stand that while the prizes have been
readjusted in and between the differ-
ent departments, no increase in the
aggregate amount will occur.

Correspondence has been opened to-
wards obtaining the amusement fea-
tures of the show and it is hoped that
arrangements can be made to secure
the occurrence of sports and athletic
contests upon the green as well as the
usually good display of driving horses.
From inquiries already received more
than the usual interest is being taken
in the exhibition.

Over a hundred passengers bound

for points east arrived in the city today
on the Boston express. This is the
largest number so far this season.

SLIGHTLY CHANGED HIS SENSE.

(London Tit-Bits.)

A pious lady of Portsmouth had a husband
who was a seaman.
He was about to start on a protracted voy-
age, and as his wife was anxious as to her
husband's welfare, she sent the following
notice by the village preacher:

"Mr. Blank, who is going to sea, his wife
desires the prayers of the congregation."
As the old lady was quite illiterate, the
minister read the following to the congrega-
tion from the slip handed to him:
"Mr. Blank who is going to see his wife,
desires the prayers of the congregation."

RECENT DEATHS.

Richard Hughes of Victoria Settle-
ment, Sunbury county, one of the old-
est residents of the county, passed
away on Friday night. He was 81
years of age and leaves a widow, three
sons and two daughters.

Thomas Rippey, I. C. R. driver, son
of Wm. Rippey, foreman of the Record
Foundry and Machine Company, died
at Moncton yesterday. Deceased was
well known on the I. C. R. He was 26
years of age and leaves a wife and two
children.

Moody Rogers, a well known and re-
spected resident of Bristol, Carleton
Co., died on Friday morning, aged 73
years. He leaves a wife, nine sons,
one daughter, three brothers and two
sisters.

John Kent, one of the oldest residents
of Truro, died Sunday night, aged 87.
He was the father of J. Harvey Kent,
ex-president of the Y. M. C. A. and
coal merchant; C. A. Kent, grocer;
Geo. Kent, shoe merchant, all of Truro,
and James, who died two weeks ago.

CARD.

ST. JOHN, N. B.
I desire to announce to my numerous pa-
trons and the public generally, that I have
associated with me Dr. O. S. Gribbles, a
graduate of the University of Pennsylvania,
who comes to me with the highest testimo-
nials as to his skill in the dental line.
Dr. Gribbles is a thorough workman and
makes a specialty of Bridge Work.
Thanking you for past patronage and hop-
ing for a share of your future work,
I am,
Respectfully yours,
J. M. SMITH, D. D.,
Dental Rooms, 365 Main street.