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THE WORK FOR BOYS.

A special meeting of the Evangelical Alliance will be held Friday afternoon at four o'clock in the Y. M. C. A. building. At this meeting H. E. K. Whitney will present his scheme in connection with the boys' work and will formulate a plan for general co-operation in this matter. Mr. Whitney has already received considerable encouragement in connection with this scheme which has already been briefly outlined.

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SPECIAL NOTICE

TO ADVERTISERS!

Copy for Saturday's issues of the STAR must be sent in by Three-Thirty O'Clock Friday Afternoons, otherwise it is absolutely impossible to ensure a change for that issue, as the paper goes to press earlier on Saturdays than on other days of the week.

LOCAL NEWS.

The Empress of China left Hong Kong yesterday.

In Equity Court this morning the evidence of George A. Murchie was taken in the case of Hale v. Murchie, People's Bank of Halifax, et al.

Miss Lizzie Gaunce, returned missionary from India, will address the Young People of the Waterloo Street Free Baptist church on Friday evening.

A letter was today received at the city hall from the St. John Teamsters' Union in reference to their position on the coal question. It will come before the common council at its meeting Monday week.

Dr. J. Newton Smith, who has been severely ill at his home in Hampton since Sunday, is somewhat better today. He is being attended by Dr. Burnett, of Sussex. His sister, Mrs. James A. Paul, of this city, went out to Hampton this morning.

Nearly one hundred buildings have been erected at Sydney Mines, during the past summer. Handsome residences are now in course of construction for General Manager Graham Fraser and Resident Manager Johnson of the Nova Scotia Steel and Coal Co.

The Sea Coast Packing Co., of Eastport, desirous for the welfare of its employees, are aiding in tidying up over the prevailing coal famine by distributing among them some 400 tons of "anthracite" they have on hand, at very reasonable prices.

ORINOCO ARRIVES.

The West India steamer Orinoco arrived off the island last night, and came up the harbor about half past seven this morning. She discharged her inward cargo at the Corporation pier and this afternoon will move over to the C. P. R. wharf to discharge her export stuff.

The Orinoco had the following passenger list: First cabin from Bermuda: Mrs. C. Astwood, Miss Maud Astwood, Miss E. S. Outerbridge, Mrs. M. M. Strothard, Miss L. Hayward, six sisters of Charity, Miss Hurst, M. V. Galway and wife and two children. Mrs. Curtis, Miss Curtis, Mrs. R. W. Brown, Mrs. M. Stone, R. B. Munroe and wife, W. N. King, Dr. Thomas. From Trinidad.—Mr. and Miss Solomon.

Second cabin from Bermuda:—A. Hodgson, A. S. Rice. The steamer also brought up twenty-five Chinese from Trinidad.

POOR FISHING WEEK.

Fresh fish are very scarce in the local market, and at present there is hardly more than enough to carry the dealers through the week. The weather has been exceedingly unfavorable and fishing has been out of the question, particularly on the Nova Scotia coast. Reports from Grand Manan show that very few fish have been caught there during the last few days. The Westport due today may relieve the situation considerably. The quotations are: Halibut, fifteen cents a pound; smelts, ten cents; cod and haddock, five cents; flounders, eight cents; pickered, six cents; and mackerel fifteen cents each.

THE LAKE SUPERIOR.

The Lake Superior now lies in a position where workmen are able to get at the injured parts during low tide. It was thought that the stern was badly hurt, but it has been found that the chief damage is slightly aft of amidships. This part is practically bare of water at low tide and there will be no difficulty in effecting repairs. Altogether the steamer is not so badly shaken up as it was supposed.

MAY BE CALLED IN.

There is a story afloat to the effect that the five cent pieces of the new coinage are to be called in on account of an error in the design. While the obverse is all right, the king's head and other details being complete, it is stated that the crown surmounting the wreath on the reverse side is a "female" one, of the style worn by Queen Victoria and different from that of the king. Most people will strongly object to the calling in of any money.

POLICE COURT.

Four drunks were arrested yesterday by the police. They were John Campbell, Ellen Pierce, George McQuillan and John Curran. The first two left deposits of eight dollars each, which were this morning forfeited. John Curran was fined eight dollars. McQuillan declared that he had not been drunk and was remanded in order that he might have a chance to bring forward some evidence.

WHO OWNS THEM?

Among the articles recovered by the police from Charles Stephens, the boy arrested on Tuesday for theft, was a pair of field glasses in a case. The glasses, while not new, were in first-class condition and are now awaiting an owner at the central station. Stephens told the police that he had picked them up in a gutter on King street.

WITHOUT LICENSES.

Inspector Green has reported the following persons for driving vehicles for hire in the city without licenses:—Daniel Morrisey, James King, Daniel B. Morrell, Bart Connell, Fred Worden, Abner Secord, Martin Burns, George Wilson, John Donovan and Fred Gibson.

THE HIGGINS CASE.

Interview With Judge Landry on the Subject.

Judge Landry returned from Fredericton yesterday and left for Dorchester on the noon train today.

In conversation with the Star his honor, speaking of the Higgins case, said that he had received from the department of justice an acknowledgment of his report on the case. This report was merely formal and besides containing a copy of the evidence consisted of detailed information relative to the trial. Although no rules are laid down for the procedure of a judge in such matters he thought it best in his report to avoid any personal opinions and consequently refrained from giving expressions to judgments which he had formed. Often in these cases the department of justice asks for opinions from the trial judge and from the crown prosecutor, and such may very possibly be done in the Higgins case. Justice Landry said he thought the department would consider the commutation of Higgins' sentence, not so much on account of the prisoner's age as the result such an action would have on the community at large. The youth of the prisoner would be of small importance when compared with the effect which might result from leniency shown towards him. In the Bathurst murder is a good example of a case in which mercy might be shown. If the prisoner there was convicted of murder his death sentence might be changed to one of imprisonment without any evil result. The murder was the outcome of ill feeling between two sailors and it was not one which would produce similar crimes. But in the Higgins case, where the prisoner was one of a crowd of boys, more or less lawless, mercy to him might tend to engender crime not only among his personal companions but among others of his class.

Judge Landry thought that the fact that the department has so far acted promptly in this case was no evidence that the commutation of the sentence is probable, and he believes that there is no ground for a statement that such is the case. He thinks, however, that the matter will be decided one way or the other very soon. Although a postponement of the execution is quite in the power of the department of justice he sees no reason why this should be necessary.

DR. DRUMMOND'S READING.

(From the Sun of March 29th, 1901.) A large number of persons who went to the Institute last evening to hear Dr. Drummond, were disappointed. They could not get in. The house was filled with the advance sales, and even those who went half an hour early, expecting to get tickets at the office, were obliged to go home. The High School Alumnae would have been happier and richer if the hall could have held the other five hundred, but the management could not violate its contracts by selling space that had been already paid for. Those who made good their grip on the neck of time put in a rare evening. Dr. Drummond reveals himself with the passing years as much more than a felicitous dialect writer and reader. He is a true poet and a discerning philosopher. If this is seen by the ordinary reader of his poems, it is still more evident in his own rendering of the tender sentiment, the fleeting play of emotions in simple natures, the humor of common life mingled with its pathos are interpreted by the author's voice even better than by his pen. If his Habitant is glorified a little with the light that never was on land or sea, it is because Dr. Drummond has known the condescension of a poet's dream. Nothing but good can be said of Dr. Drummond's selections or his renderings. His visit has added to his own list of friends, and to the friends of his friend "The Habitant." At the forthcoming recital Dr. Drummond will read new selections, hitherto unheard in St. John. Tickets are on sale at Gray's Book store. Price 50 cents.

FOR YOUNG MEN.

The first of a series of social entertainments to be given during the winter by the young men's Baraca class of Leinster street church was held on Wednesday evening. The entertainment consisted chiefly of impromptu speaking and proved very enjoyable. This form of entertainment is quite new here, inasmuch as a young man is expected to speak on whatever subject he draws from a printed slip. Some draw blanks and others the subjects, and many of the participants waxed very eloquent during their three-minute talk last evening. Every week during the winter these social entertainments are to be held by this class. Some of the evenings will be set aside for lectures, debates, question box, musical evenings and any young man who wishes may participate in them and also the Sunday afternoon study.

RECENT DEATHS.

William Maloon, who was for some years connected with the dockyard, Halifax, retiring 29 years ago, died at Bedford yesterday aged 89 years. He was a native of Halifax and leaves two sons and three daughters. The death occurred at his parents' residence, 25 Birmingham street, Halifax, Tuesday, of George H. Martin, eldest son of Thomas G. Martin. The deceased was thirty-two years of age.

BACK FROM WASHINGTON.

C. B. Foster, of the C. P. R. returned last evening from Washington, where he attended the meeting of the Canadian Ticket Agents' Association. Mr. Foster says that when meeting at Sydney next October the delegates will visit St. John. It is expected that the board of trade and tourist association will interest themselves in the affair.

LAST ROSE OF SUMMER.

The last of those things which are supposed to be flowers are now being removed from the beds on King Square. The square is, as a result, much improved in appearance, but the scores of dogs who may or may not have paid for the privilege of living, have no place to play.

On account of the bad harvest in Norway the government has granted \$48,000 to farmers for the purpose of buying seeds.

RECENT WEDDINGS.

RING-WILLIAMS.

On Wednesday evening, at the residence of B. Williams, Millford, by Rev. A. T. Dykeman, Miss Olive Edna Williams was united in marriage to Frank E. Ring, of St. John West. The popular young couple resolved many beautiful and costly presents, among which were a handsome willow rocker from the bride's parents, and a lot of other useful and ornamental presents. Mr. and Mrs. Ring will reside on Germantown street, West End.

MILLER-GASTONGUAY.

The marriage took place at Truro at seven o'clock yesterday morning of Miss M. Adelle Gastonguay and R. T. Miller, manager and owner of the Semi-Ready establishment or Halifax, and son of the late Wilfred Jas. Miller, Q. C., of Quebec.

ROBB-MACDONALD.

A very quiet and pretty wedding took place yesterday morning at the bride's residence, 74 Goring street, Halifax, when A. O. Robb, of the Sydney Record, and formerly of Halifax, was united in marriage to Miss May Macdonald.

BICKWELL-GIVAN.

A very pretty wedding was solemnized at Shediac Tuesday afternoon, when the eldest daughter of Capt. Henry P. Givan, Miss Lulu Frances, was wedded to Chas. Richards Bickwell, of Malden, Mass. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Mr. Corey.

MACDONALD-JOHNSTONE.

Alvin F. MacDonald, news editor of the Halifax Morning Chronicle, and Agnes Johnston, daughter of the late Rev. J. B. Johnston, were married in St. Stephen's chapel yesterday afternoon by Rev. R. C. Hind.

PERSONAL.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Elkin, Mr. and Mrs. John H. Thomson and F. A. Jones left yesterday for Waterville, Me.

Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Robinson, Mrs. G. H. Flood, James Osborne and H. H. McLean left for Montreal yesterday.

Mrs. J. D. Hazen left yesterday for Boston.

James H. Doody has gone to Boston and Frank Stetson to Bangor.

James Reynolds was warmly congratulated yesterday on having attained his 82nd birthday.

Mrs. G. A. Riecker left last evening to visit her husband in West Newton, Mass. Miss Gertrude MacDonald accompanied her.

Miss Florence Ramsay of 74 High street, left Wednesday to visit her aunt at Oak Point.

T. L. Earle, C. F. R. agent at Millville on the Gibson branch, is removing with his family to California.

Miss Jean Allison, niece of Dr. Allison, of Sackville, leaves on Wednesday next for Winnipeg.

Miss Cass, Waterloo street, left last evening for Vancouver, B. C.

H. Creelman, of Vancouver, who has been visiting friends in Nova Scotia and New Brunswick left for home last evening.

A. A. Treadwell, of Mauderville, is in the city attending the Grand Division, S. of T.

ANOTHER STRIKE.

WASHINGTON, Pa., Oct. 22.—Nearly a thousand men employed at the two plants of the Hazel Glass & Metal Co. and the Atlas Glass & Metal Co. went out on strike this evening as a result of the refusal of the officials to recognize the Glass Workers' Union.

THE MCLEOD WHARF.

Dredging at the McLeod wharf will be completed today. Practically thirty feet has been reached in front, so there is no necessity for any more dredging. Now that this part of the work is completed that of constructing the wharf will be hurried through as fast as possible.

THE PEDLAR NUISANCE.

Fifteen or twenty Assyrian pedlars, old and young, got off one of the trains at Hampton today with their packs, to swarm over that locality. There is great complaint among country people about so many immigrants of this class coming into the country with no means of support.

LEG AMPUTATED.

Mrs. John Lavigne, who has been suffering from an injured foot, had the leg amputated at the Public hospital today. The operation was performed by Dr. Emery assisted by Dr. Lunney, and Mrs. Lavigne is now progressing favorably.

BRIEFS BY WIRE.

The Soutriere volcano, and that of Izaola in Salvador are in active eruption. Congressman Charles A. Russell died at Danville, Conn., this morning. President Roosevelt will go to Mississippi in November to hunt bears in canebrake. Hon. David B. Hill spoke in Tammany Hall last night for the first time in ten years. He talked tariff reduction.

LOTS OF TIME.

John Degan, of 78 Brittain street, has now plenty time on his hands. While on the Charlotte street extension this morning he noticed a small case floating in the water. He procured a boat and, in a short time rescued the case. In it he found half a dozen excellent alarm clocks. The box had evidently fallen overboard from some steamer, but it was not in the water long enough to injure the contents. Mr. Degan holds the clocks awaiting the owner's claim. From the marks on the case the clocks were evidently consigned to a Nova Scotia dealer.

GOLD KING DIVIDEND.

A dividend of one per cent is being distributed among St. John holders of Gold King stock today. That means a good many thousands of dollars for St. John people. It is understood a new 10 stamp will be issued. The annual meeting will be held at Waterville, Me., today.

JOHN L. SULLIVAN.

John L. Sullivan celebrated his 44th birthday on Friday in New York with seltzer water and ginger ale. "I've lost 60 pounds since I quit strong," he said. "I haven't the million, but I've lots of experience and am

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This Week for 39c. Yd.

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