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**CERAMIC EXHIBITION.**  
The ladies connected with the Woman's Art Association are very busy preparing for an exhibition to be opened in their studio, Princess street, on Tuesday the 13th inst. There will be a fine display of china from Toronto, Montreal, etc. and a no less interesting exhibit of local talent. The table of donated articles, which are to be sold for the benefit of the association, will doubtless prove an attraction to many in search of artistic novelties, while the fragrance of coffee and other good things will lend a social quality to the atmosphere. The exhibition will be kept open during the week and will amply repay a visit. The tickets have been placed at a low price and no one should miss seeing it.

Infrequent changes are such a false economy that they are an extravagance. Space is none too cheap anywhere. It's never so cheap as to justify wasting it. And keeping an old ad. standing is the veriest sort of waste, for folks won't read it, don't read it but once, and there's no earthly reason why they should read it oftener.

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## LOCAL NEWS.

There are 18 conservatives and 12 liberals in the Kings County council.

The Indiantown-Lancaster ferry boat, S. Ross, went below the falls today for repairs. Her place is being filled by row boats.

A meeting will be held in the Orange hall at Hampton this evening to consider the question of securing fire fighting apparatus.

Geo. U. Hay's lecture on Botany, to have been given in St. John church school house this evening, has been postponed until further notice.

It is understood that the sum of \$6000, advanced by Edward Moore to Adam Harley, has been refunded to him by the authorities of the Bank of N. A. & Fredericton Herald.

Edward J. Armstrong's printing plant was disposed of by Sheriff's sale today under a number of executions issued. The plant was bought by John McGoldrick for \$1550.

John Morrell, aged 24 years, son of John Morrell, Darling's Island, near Hampton, died in Boston last week and his body was brought home for interment.

Miss Eleanor Robinson will give a course of twenty lessons on the tragedies of Shakespeare in the Y. M. C. A. rooms this winter. The first lesson will be given Monday evening, the 13th.

Stetson, Cutler & Co.'s Indiantown mill is shut down today while the boilers are being cleaned. This seems to indicate that the company have no intention of closing the mill for some time yet.

The following ladies and gentlemen will take part in the Trinity Athletic concert on Thursday, Nov. 7th. In Trinity school-house—Miss Trueman, Miss Munroe, Mr. Hall, tenor; J. N. Sutherland, G. Hood, Trinity church choir; Ebert Jordan, recitation; Heans and Collins, Indian club, dumb bells, etc.; Davidson, hand saw. Accompanists, Mrs. Barnes and Miss Wright.

**REMAINS THE SAME.**  
No New Smallpox Cases or Even Suspected Ones Reported Today.

There is apparently little or no change in the smallpox situation today. No new cases or suspects have been reported. The board of health met as usual today, but did nothing except ordinary routine business. Replies have been received from all the doctors except two, who have been appointed as vaccinators, accepting the work. They will commence their duty this afternoon. This campaign, it is estimated, will cost the municipality about \$3000.

It was reported around town today that three new cases had broken out at Hatfield's point, where Mr. Sprague died of the disease. The board of health received today a letter from Dr. Wetmore, the health officer, in regard to the situation, but he made no reference to any fresh outbreak of the disease.

The Star line people had the steamer Victoria thoroughly fumigated yesterday, and the David Weston will be similarly treated this evening.

All of the people who are down with the disease in the city are reported to be doing well. The board of health officials have been vigilantly watching the quarantined houses, but so far smallpox has not broken out among the inmates.

The North German Lloyd steamer Trave, which arrived at New York this morning from Genoa and Naples, was detained at quarantine because of a case of smallpox among the passengers.

**EVANGELICAL ALLIANCE.**

At the session of the Evangelical Alliance this morning there was a large attendance of members.

Rev. B. N. Nobles introduced Rev. H. H. Roach, the new pastor of the Tabernacle Baptist church. He was welcomed by the president and responded briefly.

The following committee was appointed to prepare a programme of services for the week of prayer: Revs. Dr. Fotheringham, C. T. Phillips, J. D. Freeman, R. R. Mosson, G. Steel, Dr. Hartley and G. E. Williams.

Dr. Hartley was made convener of the west side pastors; Rev. Geo. Steel of those of the north end.

Rev. B. N. Nobles read a paper on the Second Coming of Jesus in its true relation to the resurrection. The paper was discussed freely.

Rev. Alexander Patterson of Chicago, who commenced his series of Bible lectures yesterday will speak this afternoon and evening in the Leinster street Baptist church. The subject of his lecture will be: How We May Certainly Know We are Saved, and Job, Principal Religion. Before the lectures short addresses on How the Bible was Made and How the Bible was Inspired were given.

Next Sunday evening the pastors of the north end will exchange pulpits in order to bring the matter of Sunday Observance before the congregations.

**AN ORIENTAL SQUABBLE.**

Two Assyrian pedlars, named respectively Abdullah Moses and Mr. Daeb, met on the road in Carleton County last week. They quarrelled, and Mr. Daeb struck Mr. Moses with a stone, knocking him out. Mr. Moses recovered and wanted revenge, but Mr. Daeb drew a knife. Then Mr. Moses drove on, hastened to Hartland, got out a warrant, had Mr. Daeb arrested, and gathered in thirteen dollars in consideration of a settlement.

**BOOTS AND SHOES.**

Attention is directed to the advertisement of Phillips Brothers in another column. This firm carries a full stock of all the leading boots and shoes. They make speciality of King quality boots in children's, ladies' and men's styles, and carry a large stock in all sizes. They have recently received a splendid assortment of heavy felt-lined boots for women and men for fall and winter wear, and are selling them at prices which can't be beaten elsewhere.

## CITY COUNCIL.

Communications Presented at This Afternoon's Meeting.

At the meeting of the common council this afternoon the following communications will be brought up for action: A number of residents of Carleton petition to have another electric light placed at or near Market place on King street, west end. A petition was received from taxpayers and employers of labor asking for permission to build a shed at Union slip for accommodation of laborers at work loading or discharging vessels at the wharf, in order that they might be within easy call at any time, or that the city build the shed, for which a rental of \$50 be charged.

Wm. Thomson & Co. wrote, stating that such a shed would be a great convenience, and suggesting the vacant space between the end of No. 4 shed and the street as a place on which to erect it.

J. H. Scammel & Co., J. E. Moore, Geo. McKean, Schofield & Co., H. D. Troop, W. M. Mackay and others ask for favorable consideration of the petition.

A communication was received from Fred. L. Thompson, managing director of the N. B. Telephone company, relative to the sub-committee's report in regard to laying underground wires. The conditions of the report the company will be unable to accept, as the work will necessarily be expensive. If the council should decide to cancel the condition as far as free telephones are concerned, the company would ask not to be bound by the consent of the council in adopting the amended report, to the full construction covered in their application, but so much of it as they would be able to accomplish within the limits of their appropriation for this work. All other conditions will be accepted.

G. E. Fairweather made the following recommendation in regard to the subject of overhanging bay windows, that permits be authorized where the streets are 30 feet wide or over, provided the application be countersigned by owners of both adjoining properties; that the projection should not exceed 3 feet 10 inches; that the width be not more than half that of the building; that a height of twelve feet be maintained clear, between the footpath and the projection, and that a working drawing be filed with the application. Austin & Porter informed the council that they had been retained by J. A. Griffiths to erect a building that he claims an interest in lot 107, Germain street, upon which the city market partly stands.

W. B. Wallace, K. C., acting for Mrs. Margaret Hagen, stated that unless her claims were settled for trespass and removing stones from her property, Douglas avenue, and for further encroachment on other property, he would issue a writ.

J. N. Sutherland wrote suggesting that a measure be sent to Ottawa to have the 800 Canadian houses brought by the imperial authorities shipped via St. John instead of Portland.

Mr. H. Fowler, Mrs. H. Traynor, J. T. Vanwart and Daniel Dickson asked to be heard before the appeals committee.

A petition was received from residents of Station street, Fairville, for a water main through that street. S. L. Gorbell made application for two advertising spaces, three feet by four feet six inches, on the St. John ferry boats.

Officer J. K. McLaren asked to have full pay for 75 days granted him. He had been on duty on account of injuries sustained while in the legal discharge of his duty.

**PERSONAL.**

Mrs. H. J. Mowat will be at home to receive her friends on Thursday and Friday, Nov. 7th and 8th, at 245 Duke street.

Mrs. T. Burke, of St. John, is in Fredericton visiting Mrs. P. McKee.

Mrs. J. J. Fraser has returned from a visit to Mrs. Chas. Weldon, Chipman Hill, St. John. The otherwise pleasant trip was rendered more enjoyable to Mrs. Fraser by the fact that Sir Wilfrid and Lady Laurier were guests at Chipman Hill during her stay there—Fredericton Herald.

It is announced in London that the British will shortly take place of Lieutenant Hughes C. Lockyer, R. N., second surviving son of Sir Norman Lockyer, K. C. B., F. R. S., and Gertrude, younger daughter of John F. Stairs, ex-M. P., of Halifax, N. S.

**ANOTHER BOY IN TROUBLE.**

Officer Isaac Stevens, while on his way home to dinner at noon today, was struck on the head and badly cut by a lump of coal thrown from a hopper in the L. C. R. yard. A five-year-old son of Louis Lebrack of 88 Winter street, along with some other children, had climbed on top of the hopper, and not noticing Mr. Stevens, was throwing down some coal to take home, when the lump accidentally struck Mr. Stevens.

The child was arrested for stealing and taken to the station lockup. As he was almost frantic from fright his father followed, and with the officer's consent remained in the lockup to care for the child.

**PROBATE COURT.**

A citation was returnable in the probate court this morning in the estate of the late Edward McGuigan, calling on Edward McGuigan, Jr., to show cause why he should not be removed from acting as administrator of the estate on the ground that the estate is being wasted. John L. Carleton, executor, for a creditor made the application. Court considers.

**MONTREAL'S WHALE.**

(Hamilton Herald.)  
Montreal has so many sharks in its city council that the people down there shouldn't get excited over the visit of one whale.

**LOOKED INTO PISTOL BARREL.**

At Guilford, Me., Wednesday, a boy named Charles Farrell McDonald, aged ten years, while looking into the barrel of a revolver, received the bullet in his head, the ball entering below the right eye and penetrating to the base of the skull. He may die.

## MORE SMALL-POX.

**Another Case in the General Public Hospital.**

At three o'clock this afternoon a four-year-old child by the name of Floretta Coyle of the west end was removed from the general public to the epidemic hospital. She was in the hospital undergoing treatment for some disease of the eyes.

**ROBINSON OPERA CO.**

The Robinson Opera company closed their engagement in the York Theatre on Saturday night, playing Nell Gwynne before a large audience. Miss Mae Kilooyne has won admiration from all who have heard her during the recent engagement here, and may be assured of a hearty reception when she returns.

The company have been well received in St. John and have deserved the success which attended their different performances.

On Saturday afternoon the theatre was crowded to the doors, Said Pasha, probably the best piece given by the company, being the drawing card. The cast was not the same as on the first presentation, Mr. Oakley taking the role of Said Pasha, previously filled by Mr. French. Several other changes were made, and the performance was not up to the standard set on the opening night in this opera.

The company will play this week in Moncton and will return to St. John in a few weeks, when their opening bill will probably be Carmen, which is now in course of preparation.

**BEAUTIFUL COSTUMES.**

The entire costuming of Sibella will be displayed to those participating at the costume rooms in the Opera house this afternoon. The various costumes for the dances are very beautiful and effective, some of which are as follows: Fire-dance, black chiffon with gold stripes; sun dance, white flannel waist and skirts, giving sunset effect; fairy dance, pale pink and green chiffon petalled skirt with silver trimmings; butterfly dance, varicolored chiffon, gold, silver and iridescent spots on wings; Venetian witch dance, crepe cloth with black trimmings, mantilla; Red Hussars, British military serge, forage caps, gold braid and buttons; Mother Carey black and white broad hat and the time-honored broom; Little Marian, old rose and black; Si-bella, white gauze, silver and gold trimmings; petal effect in skirt, with silver wings outlined in gold; Blossom dance, flower effect; village children and shepherds in picturesque dress; King Cole in effective costume, and fiddlers, laborers and brigands in their various suitable dresses.

**DIDN'T KILL THEM.**

Duncan McKeel has found a new way of dealing with the boys who annoy him. Some time ago he was in dread lest he should be tempted to kill some of them, but yesterday a new idea struck him. He would have them arrested. Thus it happened that as Mr. McKeel was walking along the street a number of boys pulled his coat-tail, and he immediately seized upon the two nearest him and proceeded to the central station. Meeting one of the police officers he gave them in charge, but his better nature overcoming his anger, he decided that the boys who had toyed with his garments were of darker complexion than the ones who were unlucky enough to be caught and upon this view of the case being explained to the officer the boys were released. Mr. McKeel was very anxious lest the matter should get to the newspapers.

**POLICE COURT.**

At the police court this morning William McKean, who was arrested on Frederick street on Saturday night, after having created a disturbance in Thomas Burns' house, pleaded guilty to drunkenness, but asked that he be allowed to go to Portland. He had just money enough of buy case being there, but would not be able to do so, were he compelled to pay a fine. He was allowed to go.

Another drunk was fined six dollars, and a third upon the request of his mother was dismissed, the fine being allowed to stand.

Emma Wells complains that her husband, James Wells, assaulted and beat her on Saturday.

**MUSICAL FESTIVALS.**

Some days ago Mrs. C. F. Harrison wrote to E. R. Chapman, giving a statement of the results of the canvassing done by the committee interested in the proposed annual musical festivals. A reply has been received from Mr. Chapman to the effect that he will be in St. John on Wednesday and is desirous of meeting the committee who were engaged in the work and also all those who are interested in forming a chorus to assist in the concert.

**THE TEA MARKET.**

"A cable reports Indian and Ceylon tea higher and strong, with an upward tendency," said T. H. Estabrooks, the North Wharf tea importer and blender, to the Star on Saturday.

Mr. Estabrooks, who now employs 30 persons in his tea business, 15 of them being travellers finds that his staff is still too small. Last month's business was the largest he has ever had, and this week the staff are busy on orders for the maritime provinces, Newfoundland, Ontario, Quebec and Winnipeg. New teas are constantly arriving, and it is astonishing to what an extent the business has grown.

**BROUGHT UP TO IT.**

Mrs. Wellmont—Ain't you ashamed to be begging for your living? Weary Willie—Not a bit, mum; I was educated for de ministry.—Judge.

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## LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE.

**THE EPIDEMIC HOSPITAL.**

To the Editor of the Star:

Sir,—I see in Saturday morning's edition of the Telegraph a reference to the breaking out of smallpox in the east end of the city. Now, I would like to know how anything else could be expected? When in the first place it was brought to that district, and after the patient died the blankets from his bed were shaken out: the windows of the epidemic hospital and his clothes burned in the open air. Another thing that should be attended to if it is necessary that the epidemic hospital should be used for smallpox is the fencing in of the grounds around it. As it is, the dogs and children, and any person who wishes may go as close to it as they like, whether it is for their good or not. I am a resident in that vicinity, and do not think it is for the well-being of the people that cases of smallpox be put right in the heart of a city, when there is a good hospital provided on the island. We want that neighborhood pay-taxes, and what do we pay them for? Why, to have the diseases from all parts of the city brought and put right at our door, while we will be in danger as long as a case of smallpox is to be found in St. John.

Now, I would like to state that the east end of the city, especially in the locality of the hospital, has always been healthy, and it is as clean as any other part, except for the said epidemic hospital.

Thanking you for your valuable space, I am,

Yours sincerely,

**A PROPERTY OWNER IN THAT VICINITY.**

**DISTURBED A MEETING.**

It appears that the members of St. Philip's church are not quite so well pleased with the singing of Mans Estabrooks as were those citizens on the West Side who signed a statement that it was much enjoyed by them. Estabrooks went to St. Philip's church last evening and there acted in a manner calculated to disturb the meeting, was requested to leave the church, but refused to do so. Rev. Mr. Morley, the pastor, then asked one of the elders of the church to request Mr. Estabrooks to depart from his conduct or to leave and Estabrooks threatened to knife anyone who came near him. Then the pastor asked his name and Estabrooks, after writing it on a scrap of paper, marched up the church, threw it on the desk and went out. Information was sworn against him this morning at the police court and the police are now after him.

## A THIEF ON THE TRAIN.

How Frank T. Bixby Lost His Coat and Found It.

(Hartland Advertiser.)

On Thursday's express coming up from McAdam, was Frank T. Bixby, the popular young traveller for Baird & Peters, St. John. He laid his overcoat, a nice new full-moon, on a seat and went to the end of the car to interview the news boy. When he came back the overcoat wasn't there. He searched the train through and found it not. The train had been running along without a stop since he boarded and went to the end of the car to interview the news boy. He scrutinized the passengers and settled in his mind that a certain individual looked mean enough to snipe that coat. He told Conductor Jerry Holt, who at once glided up to the suspicious looking gent and asked him for his fare. Money he had none; ticket, ditto. "You've got that man's coat," Jerry boldly asserted. The man smiled gently and bland and with a sweetly innocent expression in his placid eyes protested against such an infamous impeachment. "We'll just see," said the conductor and with a peculiar knock he landed the man first to the aisle and divested him of his coat, then his vest, finally his shirt. There loomed up the coat, buttoned close about the hide of the bold canobo. This was at once stripped off and the detected mortal climbed hastily and shivering back into his clothes. Mr. Bixby hung the coat out of the window, where it fluttered in the breeze all the way to Woodstock, when the owner hastily sought the board of health for insecticides and fumigating concoctions.

The train had slowed down at Sugar Brook and the thief calmly got off and wandered away in the wilderness of granite boulders to commune with nature and form resolutions for a better life.

## THE COUNTRY MARKET.

In the country market on Saturday night, out of the enormous number of chickens exposed for sale during the day only one pair was left. The closing price was fifteen cents per pair. This forenoon there were no chickens on sale, but numbers are expected in the afternoon. Occupants and patrons of the market are beginning to get the cold and the two stoves used to heat the building are now being made ready. They will be placed in position this week. These stoves alone are not sufficient to warm the building, but quite a number of stall holders have stoves of their own which are also being prepared for use.