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## POLICE COURT.

There was quite a giddy time on the ferry boats last night, when two or three sailors from the Lake Simcoe tried to do up a couple of police officers. A young man, named Herbert Oliver, was trying to get a sailor back to his ship, and in the effort was struck and rendered unconscious. Officer Sullivan tried to make an arrest and had an empty bottle smashed over his head. He clubbed the man and then turned his attention to two others, who were endeavoring to distract him and Officer Totten's attention by kicks and other playful caresses. The police succeeded in arresting Frank Brangan and John Bishop and then went back for more. The man who had been clubbed was gone, but Oliver was lying on the floor and in the general excitement, he was taken in charge. This morning he was released. Brangan was sentenced to three months in jail and Bishop to two months.

John Fogg, William Reardon and Michael O'Keefe were fined the usual amounts for drunkenness. Fogg complained that he had been asked to help an officer in taking another man to the lockup and was himself detained.

In the case against Fred McDermott several witnesses were examined and the case was further postponed until this afternoon.

## THE BURGLARS.

A. W. Belyea, in conversation with a Moncton Transcript reporter in reference to the bank robbers captured in Bridgetown, says they are undoubtedly two of the gang who made a trip through New Brunswick last summer, and who spent a few days in Moncton and Sackville. Mr. Belyea says that one of them is a well known St. John crook, who is travelling under an assumed name at the present time.

## CONCERT IN CARLETON.

An excellent entertainment was given last evening in the Carleton Baptist church, with the following programme: Vocal solos by Miss Burpee and Messrs. Lindsay and Plummer; piano solo by Miss Beatty; piano duet, Misses Slipp and Connor; clarinet solo by Mr. Burrill and readings by Mr. Baird. The proceeds are in aid of the building fund.

## THE WEATHER.

TORONTO, March 24.—Forecast: Fresh to strong westerly winds, cloudy to partly fair with a few scattered showers. Thursday, strong westerly winds, partly fair and cool, a few scattered showers or snow flurries.

## LOCAL NEWS.

The St. John Sulphite Co. advertise in today's Star for stream drivers for the Mispic stream.

On and after next Monday the country market will open at 7 a. m. and close at 6 p. m.

Millinery opening at L. E. Bartle's 107 Charlotte street, Friday and Saturday, March 27 and 28, of imported millinery.

M. Macfarlane will hold her millinery opening at Morrell & Sutherland's, 29 Charlotte street, Friday and Saturday, 27 and 28.

A special train with 405 passengers from the Corinthian, at Halifax, passed through the city this morning. The immigrants were a fine looking lot.

A meeting of the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium members will be held on Friday evening to choose a basketball team to play in Fredericton on Good Friday.

For a choice cigar or a box of cigars at lowest prices for quality go to R. J. Wilkins', Victoria Hotel block, King street. Tobaccos, pipes and all smokers' requisites in stock.

The card of G. T. Whitenect, painter and decorator, appears in today's Star. Mr. Whitenect has returned to the city and is ready to execute all orders promptly for old customers or new.

The interior of Foresters' Hall is being cleaned and re-decorated. The work is being done by E. W. Paul, and when finished this handsome hall will be a very attractive meeting place.

A concert will be held this evening in the Carleton Methodist church, for which a first class programme has been prepared. Refreshments will be served at the close, and a good crowd is hoped for.

Banana season is now on. A. L. Goodwin has five hundred bunches ripe golden fruit, which will be sold this week at summer prices, as he has two cars weekly and each week's lot has to be cleared up.

A trades and labor council will, it is said, be organized in Sydney. The council will consist of five delegates from each organization and will meet once a month. Plans for a big Labor Day demonstration will probably be made.

The neat and attractive new meat and fish store opened by Crews & Job at 31 Waterloo street this week is stocked with choice lines and has made an excellent start. The firm's ad. appears in the Star.

The recent damage by fire to the estate of John D. Allan at Woodstock has been appraised by the insurance men at \$75 for the house and \$80 for the furniture. The insurance is held by the Manchester Fire Assurance Co.

The mayor has received a communication from F. P. Dunn & Co., of Cardiff, Wales, agents for the Darran collieries, asking for the names of coal dealers in this city. The firm wishes to build up a business in Welsh anthracite here.

George Driscoll, an employee of the Rolling Mill, Dartmouth, left last night for his home in St. John, owing to ill health. His fellow employees regret that he is obliged to leave and trust that he is long he will be able to rejoin them.—Halifax Echo, Tuesday.

The requiem mass which was to have been sung in the Cathedral tomorrow, on the second anniversary of Bishop Sweeney's death, has been postponed until Monday next on account of the absence of Bishop Casey, who is in Chatham attending Bishop Rogers' funeral.

The sincere sympathy of the community will go out to Mr. and Mrs. Lewis H. Billas in the loss of their eldest daughter, Jean, whose death occurred this morning after a short illness from typhoid fever. The little one was two years and a half old.—Fredericton Gleaner.

The members of Court Oungandoy, No. 1572, I. O. F. will meet in their hall, Simond street, this (Wednesday) evening at 7.30 sharp, to transact very important business, after which they will pay a fraternal visit to companion Court Hetherington, in the Temple of Honor Hall, Main street.

**BURIED TODAY.**  
The funeral of the late B. B. Wilnot took place this afternoon from his late residence, corner of Winslow and Ludlow streets, and was very largely attended. Services were conducted at the house at 2.30 by Revs. G. O. Gates, B. N. Nobles and Henry Penna, and in the afternoon at 4 o'clock in Cedar Hill. There were no pallbearers. The floral tributes were many and beautiful, among them being a handsome set piece from the deceased's friends in the Custom House; star, from Mr. and Mrs. Colby Smith; cross from Mrs. Gregory and children; crescent, from Mr. and Mrs. Fred Fayre; anchor from James McCordick; and bouquets and cut flowers from other friends.

The funeral of the late John F. McGourty was held at half past two o'clock this afternoon from his late residence, 115 St. James street to the Church of St. John the Baptist. There was a large attendance and the members of the Typographical Union walked in a body among the mourners. Service at the church was conducted by Rev. W. C. Gaynor, and the body was interred in the new Catholic burying ground. The pall-bearers were William Caples, George Maxwell, John Shannon, Thomas Haley James Power and P. J. Donohoe.

At half past two o'clock this afternoon the funeral of Richard R. Burgess took place from his late home on Manawagonish Road to Fernhill cemetery. Revs. A. M. Hill and W. J. Kirby officiated and the pall-bearers were chosen from among Mr. Burgess' associates on the C. P. R.

The funeral of the late Miss Mary Jane Rennie was held at three o'clock this afternoon from her late home, 35 Wall street. Revs. L. G. Macneill and W. O. Raymond officiated, and the body was interred in Fernhill.

**WALL PAPER.**  
Newest designs in parlor, diningroom and hall paper in great variety. A. McArthur, 548 Main street.

## ON THE RIVER.

The ice gradually wearing away—Lots of Gasperaux.

Robert Scott, manager of the steamer Aberdeen, came down from Woodstock this morning and reports that the river is clear at that place. Five miles of ice ran out yesterday and is now near Fredericton. The ice is quite light and is gradually melting.

Very little ice is going past Indian-town today, as until the Reach runs out there is not much more to come. The water continues to rise, but on account of the high tides it is hard to say how much it has come up since yesterday.

For about a week the fishermen have been luring the wily gasperaux from the depths around McCormick's Cove, but until last night they did not have much luck. The catches were small, averaging only about fifty or seventy-five to each boat. But the men who came to Indian-town today reported much better returns and had almost three hundred per boat. The fish are fine and hard and at their very best for eating. They are selling from the boats for two dollars per hundred.

The steamer Springfield, which operates river navigation last year and made a record for herself, has been the first boat to make a trip this year. She left Indian-town at three o'clock yesterday and got as far as Public Landing; left there on return at eleven o'clock this forenoon and reached her wharf about one o'clock. Quite a large number of people were down to meet the steamer and give a cheer for her crew. The Springfield brought down a considerable quantity of butter, eggs, and dressed beef and also quite a number of passengers. Her captain reports that beyond Public Landing the ice is still holding, but is all honeycombed and ready to come out at any time.

**PERSONAL.**  
A. S. Gilman of Sydney is at the Dufferin Hotel.  
Geo. E. Ford of Sackville is in the city.

W. W. Hubbard went to Woodstock last evening to attend the cattle sale.

Mr. Justice Hanington of Dorchester arrived in the city last night.

Premier Tweedie passed through the city last evening, on the way to Fredericton.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Osman, of Hillsboro, were in the city yesterday.

Dr. R. F. Quigley, K. C., came in from Montreal yesterday en route to Chatham to attend Bishop Rogers' funeral.

Stanley Richey, manager of the Bank of Montreal, Fredericton, was in the city yesterday.

Dr. A. Powell, of Sackville, arrived in town last evening.

Senator Dever returned from Ottawa yesterday.

Dr. A. Pierce Crockett went to Fredericton last night to attend the funeral of the late Mrs. O. S. Crockett.

W. M. J. James Pender, Eben Perkins and Major Gordon left yesterday afternoon for Montreal, to attend a meeting of the Hardware Association.

Hon. H. A. McKeown and Hon. A. T. Dunn went to Fredericton yesterday afternoon.

Friends of Mr. and Mrs. Adam Shand on Monday night presented to them an address and a handsome mantle mirror, on the occasion of the ninth anniversary of their wedding.

Robert Elliott, of Portland street, who hurt his foot severely a short time ago, is able to be around again.

Dr. (Dr.) Lawrence of Wolfville is visiting her parents, Senator and Mrs. J. V. Ellis.

Wyllie W. Manning, son of Dr. Manning, has successfully passed his examinations at Dalhousie Law School.

**DEATH OF MISS STEVENS.**  
Miss Elizabeth Stevens, familiarly known to all her friends as Betsy, one of the oldest residents of the North End and a descendant of the Loyalist family of Stevens, died this morning at the residence of her niece, Mrs. J. B. Eagles, Douglas avenue.

Miss Stevens was in her ninety-first year, having completed ninety on October 10, 1902. She was the daughter of Shubael Stevens, who at six years of age came here with his parents at the time of the landing of the Loyalists. Her mother was formerly Miss Elizabeth Merritt of Virginia. Miss Stevens was born at Indian-town, but lived for many years on the family homestead at Stevens' station on the C. P. R. She leaves only one brother, John, residing with Mr. Sagies on Douglas avenue. There are many other relatives in the city, chiefly nephews and nieces, among whom are Isaac G. Stevens, Stephen and Mrs. Stevens and members of the Cowan family.

Miss Stevens' funeral will take place tomorrow by carriage to the family graveyard at Brundage's Point.

**GOT THEM AT LAST.**  
Charles E. DeBow, the well known blacksmith, has just received a kit of tools for which he has been waiting since the last exhibition here. The association offered a horse-sheeping prize of \$3 for the best shod light driving horse for natural ear roadway, and Eben Perkins of the Maritime Nail Works offered in addition a kit of nickel plated blacksmith's tools. Mr. DeBow won the \$3, but the kit of tools was given to Fred Hudson, of Indian-town. Mr. DeBow appealed to Mr. Perkins, who said the tools should have gone with the other prize to him. Mr. Hubbard was asked about it and said they had decided to give the tools to Mr. Hawkehurst.

All other efforts to get the tools having failed, Mr. DeBow gave his case in to the hands of Hazen & Raymond. As a result the exhibition association sent away and got a new kit of tools, which have just been received by Mr. DeBow.

**THE LATE P. J. O'KEEFE.**  
David S. O'Keefe arrived home from Quebec yesterday to attend the funeral of his father, P. J. O'Keefe, which will be held at 8.30 o'clock tomorrow morning, from his home, Duke street, Carleton. Requiem mass will be celebrated by Rev. J. J. O'Donovan at 9 o'clock, in the Church of the Assumption. The members of Branch 133, C. M. B. A., are requested to meet at St. Patrick's hall at 8 o'clock tomorrow morning to attend the funeral, and invite members of sister lodges to attend with them. The dress will be black clothes, white gloves and tie, and silk hat.

**THIS EVENING.**  
The choir of St. John's church will sing Stainer's "Crucifixion" under the direction of D. Arnold Fox.

Concert in Carleton Methodist church. Special meeting of La Tour Lodge, C. M. A., 125 King street, West End.

Regular meeting of the Medical Society. Meeting Carpenters' Union in Sons of Eger hall.

## LIQUOR LICENCES.

Applicants This Year Slightly Reduced in Number—Some Changes.

The applications for liquor licenses in the city for the coming year were all handed in this morning. There are 53 in all outside of the hotels and wholesale houses. This is a reduction of two from last year. The legal number is 75, and the commissioners this year will endeavor to reduce the number if not to this limit, at least considerably. A meeting will be held tomorrow when they will fix a date for a full examination of the applicants.

The list of applicants show that three on last year's list, Peter J. Dolan, Geo. E. Lavers, and Hugh J. McCormack, are not applying for licenses this year. Charles Damery takes over R. Allingham's place on Church street; Mary Burns applies for the license held by her deceased husband at 112 Britain street, and Sarah Clarke, widow of William Clarke, applies for a renewal of the Royal Cafe license on Prince William street. Wm. O'Keefe has Edward Hogan's place at 196 Union street, while Hogan, who has a saloon at 223 Union, has bought the business of P. McArdie in the Bourke building on St. John street. James F. Maguire moves from 309 Brussels street to 223 Union, lately occupied by John Rhea, and John Sheehan applied for Maguire's place on Brussels street. Bart Duffy appears in the place of Frank Power, 17 Brussels street. For the license of W. Peacock, 93 Sheriff street, there are two applicants, Margaret Peacock and E. C. Graham, who now runs the place. Robert Garnet moves from 276 Brussels street to 11 King Square, lately occupied by Peter J. Dolan, and Rich. H. Watley moves from 323 Brussels street to Garnett's old place.

The list in full is as follows:—

**RETAIL.**  
Brennan Henry, 45 and 45 Water street.  
Bradley Catherine, 91 Westmorland Road.  
Bridginton John J., 6 Church street.  
Burns Mary, 115 St. John street.  
Bourke Edward, 12 Dock street.  
Baxter W. E., 35 St. John street.  
Connors John J., 5 Sydney street.  
Caples Robert, 62 Westmorland Road.  
Caples Richard, 267 Union street.  
Caples William, 274 Prince William street.  
Cusack George, 31 Marsh Road.  
Clark Sarah, 56 Prince William street.  
Connolly Robert, 388 Haymarket Square.  
Corkery, Mary, 62 Brussels street.  
Conlon Felix H., 84 Brussels street.  
Carson E. W., 508 Main street.  
Cronin T. J., 45 Germain street.  
Dannery Charles, 14 Church street.  
Duffy Bart, 17 Brussels street.  
Doherty George, 133 Brussels street.  
Driscoll Thomas, 193 Union street.  
Dunham Samuel, 273 Carmarthen street.  
Dolan Catherine, 4 City Road.  
Dolan Henry, 18 Charlotte.  
Dolan Peter J., 19 Union street.  
Day Mortimer L., 15 Hammond street.  
Dalton James H., 112 Bridge.  
Doherty J. C., 2 Charlotte.  
Finlignan Henry, 224 Prince Wm. street.  
Finn M. A., 115 Prince Wm. street.  
Parrell Robert, 85 Simonds street.  
Graham E. C., 93 Sheriff street.  
Gallagher Henry, 36 Charlotte street.  
Garnett Robert, 11 King Square.  
Garnett George, 701 Main street.  
Haley Thomas H., 5 Charlotte.  
Hogan John, 61 St. John street.  
Harding M. A., 725 Main street.  
Harley Joseph F., 615 Main street.  
Hogan James, 729 Union street.  
Hayes John, 16 Duke street.  
Hogan Edward, 239 Union street.  
Lannan James, 31 St. John street.  
Moran Michael J., 18 Britain street.  
Mundee P. J., 4 King Square.  
Magee George, 137 City Road.  
Mahoney Peter, 100 Main street.  
Martin Joseph P., 2 Market Square.  
McCann, John, 90 Bridge street.  
McGuire Philip, 222 Union street.  
McGuire James F., 222 Union street.  
McDonald James, 32 Westmorland Road.  
McDonald James, 32 Westmorland Road.  
McCallum M., 237 Union street.  
McGuire Martin, 11 St. John street.  
McGuire Edward, 168 Union street.  
McLaughlin James, 5 North Side King Sq.  
McManus John, 367 City Road.  
McMurray Lawrence F., 273 Chasley street.  
Nixon James, 233 Brussels street.  
O'Brien Thomas S., 165 Mill street.  
O'Neill Philip, 100 Main street.  
O'Neill Dennis, 647 Main street.  
O'Brien John, 31 Mill street.  
O'Neill Philip M., 20 Mill street.  
Power John, 193 Union street.  
Power John T., 41 St. Andrews street.  
O'Connor Margaret, 45 Sheriff street.  
Power James J., 212 Prince Wm. street.  
Quinn James, 126 Mill street.  
Quirk Edward, 239 Brussels street.  
Rhea John, 20 Mill street.  
Roope J. Wm., 168 Prince Wm. street.  
Smyth Ellen, 824 Main street.  
Sullivan P., 1 Douglas avenue.  
Sheehan John, 260 Brussels street.  
Sheehan John, 701 Main street.  
Trainer Peter, 319 Charlotte street.  
Travis John, 25 Mill street.  
Ward Charles J., One Mile House.  
Ward Josh, 12 Dock street.  
Walsh John, 63 Mill street.  
Whalley Richard, 37 Brussels street.

**HOTELS.**  
Campbell Charles, Dufferin Hotel, 48 to 49 Charlotte street.  
Driscoll James D., 41 King Square.  
Doherty H. A., Royal Hotel, 42 to 49 King street.  
Damery Thomas, Park Hotel, 49 King Square.  
McWilliams Edward, New Victoria Hotel, 245-252 Prince William street.  
McGuire W. H., Grand Union Hotel, 2 to 4 Pond street.  
McCormick D. W., Victoria Hotel, 35 and 39 King street.

**WHOLESALE.**  
Reel C. N., 75 North Wharf.  
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**BREWERS.**  
Jones Simeon, 2 Carmarthen street.

**CLUBS.**  
Union Club, 61 to 71 Princess street.

**A PRESENTATION.**  
The members of Court Epping Ford 1, O. F. E. called at the residence of W. H. Wilson, Carmarthen street, last evening, and Reverdy Stevens, chief ranger of the court, on behalf of the members of the court, presented him with a handsome silver ferruled brier pipe. On the ferrule was inscribed: "To W. H. Wilson from No. 1,755 I. O. F. St. John, N. B. 1903." Mr. Wilson replied in a neat yet appropriate speech. He has for eight years been steward of the Dufferin Hotel, and goes to Brandon after April 1st, to become steward of the City Club.

**MAKING MONEY FAST.**  
"Wot's the good o' goin' to th' darned ol' Klondyke w'en a feller c'n strike stuff like this right here?"  
This remark thrown out incidentally by an enterprising colored youth in the job of cleaning out the pit below a grating in the pavement at E. G. Nelson's corner. He had a box and a small coal shovel, and in the first three attempts brought up sixteen cents. There was lots of money in the job and the boy was happy.

**EARLY MAY FLOWERS.**  
Chamberlain Sandall today is wearing the earliest Mayflower of the season. It was a discouraged little bud, looking as if it were disappointed in this outside world it had made such an effort to reach. But it is welcomed as another sign of spring. It was picked out back of the lake by Thomas Dyer.

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## IRISH LAND BILL

Introduced by Secretary Wyndham in British Parliament.

Crowded House Cheers Him—It Requires an Advance of \$60,000,000.

LONDON, March 25.—The Irish secretary, Mr. Wyndham, introduced the Irish land bill in the House of Commons today. The bill proposes a free grant of \$60,000,000.

The Irish land bill also provides that tenants shall pay 3-1-4 per cent. interest on loans from the government, that uncultivated farms and grazing lands shall be sold to neighboring tenants and that three commissioners shall supervise the sales.

The keen interest felt in this new legislation, which it is hoped, will promote peace and contentment in Ireland, was evinced by the crowded house. The peers' gallery and the distinguished strangers' gallery were filled, and there has been no such gathering of members of parliament since the opening of the session. Michael Davitt, father of the Land League, celebrated his fifty-seventh birthday by re-entering the house for the first time since he ceased to be a member, in order to hear the chief secretary for Ireland unfold his plans.

Mr. Wyndham was cheered as he rose to speak at 2.40 p. m. At the outset he announced that the government had decided to make a cash advance of \$60,000,000 to the credit of the proposed scheme, but it attached greater importance to the credit operation than to the cash operation, which provides for advances on money for the purchase of land by the tenants. The advances will be in the shape of cash and not of stock, but in order to enable the cash to be raised, a new stock is to be floated. It will be called "Guaranteed 2-3-4 per cent. stock," and will be unredeemable for thirty years. Mr. Wyndham doubled the interest of the stock to \$25-0-0. It will be issued at the rate of \$25-0-0,000,000 for the first three years and afterwards, possibly, in larger sums. In addition to this the government proposed a free grant of \$60,000,000 to be raised by additions to the interest and sinking fund of which will be borne by the treasury and the maximum annual charge of which will not exceed \$31,950,000.

**TONIGHT'S ATTRACTION.**  
All lovers of sacred music should make a point of being at St. John's (Stone) church this evening to hear Stainer's Crucifixion, which is to be given by the choir under the direction of Mr. D. Arnold Fox. The choir, which has shown signs of considerable improvement since Mr. Fox took charge, has been industriously rehearsing this cantata, and an adequate rendering will be given. In addition Mrs. Carter will sing Bach's aria, "Jesus Saviour, Son of David," and Miss Blanche Shute, "Hail, Messenger, Penny, from Yarmouth and cleared.

**THIRTY YEARS AGO TODAY.**  
The Mutual Base Ball Club players for the season were selected. They were P. A. Melville, c.; Wm. Hinch, p.; Stewart Patterson, 1b.; S. deForest, 2b.; H. B. Masters, 3b.; Walter Hart, ss.; Harry Sandall, lf.; Charles Olive, cf.; George McAndrews, rf.

Ellen Egan fell in a fit on Canterbury street and died before medical assistance could be had.

Quite a number of assaults and burglaries had been reported and the police succeeded in arresting a couple of sailors who were afterwards found to be implicated.

## HANDSOME TABLE WARE

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## STREET CAR STOPS.

New Rule in Force Today—Some Dissatisfaction Expressed.

The street car conductors were instructed today to observe the signs recently placed above the tracks and to stop only at the places indicated. There will probably be some kicks at first from those who forget the new rules, but the innovation will certainly make for a better service and should prove satisfactory in the long run.