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### CIRCULATION

The following is the sworn average daily circulation of the Times for the last three months:  
January .. 6,712  
February .. 6,979  
March .. 7,167  
The Times does not get its largest sale through newboys. It is delivered at the homes. That is the kind of circulation which is of value to advertisers.

### THIS EVENING

Frankie Carpenter and company at the Opera House in "Elizabeth and Hickory Hollow."  
Illustrated songs and moving pictures at the Nickel.  
Moving pictures and illustrated songs at the Star, North End.  
Past chancellors' night at Union Lodge, No. 2, Knights of Pythias.  
Concert by Junior League of Queen Square Methodist church, at 8 o'clock.  
Carleton Cornet Band meet in their rooms at 7:30 o'clock.  
Public missionary meeting in Stone church; addresses by Rev. Dr. Gould, of Palestine, Bishop Richardson and Rev. Canon Smithers.  
Concert in West Side Every Day Club by seamen of Empress of Britain and Turanian.

### LATE LOCALS

Furasse line steamship Shenandoah, Captain Heley, arrived in port this morning from Liverpool via Halifax, with a general cargo.

The St. George's Society will celebrate St. George's Day, Friday, April 23, by a reception and dance in Keith's Assembly rooms.

Ald. Baxter, McGoldrick and Kelley left for Fredericton this morning to join Ald. Pickett, chairman of the bills and by-laws committee in support of the city's bills before the legislature.

The liquor license commissioners will start on their rounds of the saloons today to decide on the changes necessary under the amendments to the act.

British steamship Mercia, Captain Kilton, which left this port for Cork, Ireland, on the 17th inst., took away 2,174,088 feet spruce deals, shipped by John E. Moore & Co.

The German steamship Eriphia, Captain Bellman, arrived in port this morning from New York. She will be loaded with by W. Malcolm Mackay for United Kingdom.

C. P. R. steamship Montezuma, which arrived yesterday from Antwerp, has on board four Belgian Stallions, and they are beautiful—going west for J. Notter. The steamer has also a large amount of window glass for this city.

Union Lodge, No. 2, Knights of Pythias, have planned what is expected to be a very interesting session of the lodge this evening. A number of candidates will be given the third degree, the entire work being done by a team composed of past chancellors of the lodge.

### AN ELECTION OF SURPRISE

Yesterday's Contest Was the Principal Topic of Conversation on the Streets Today

The result of yesterday's civic election was almost the sole topic of conversation on the streets today and the lucky candidates came in for much hand-shaking and expressions of congratulation. Many expressed surprise over the close contest between Alderman Elkin and John Hiley, and the defeat of Ald. Francis Kerr, but the defeat of Ald. Rowan and Ald. Willett appeared to have been generally expected. In the contest for aldermen-at-large it had been generally conceded that J. V. Russell would be a winner, and his defeat was one of the big surprises.

Next week the various civic boards and committees will meet to finish up the work they have before them, and on Monday, May 3, the last meeting of the council as at present constituted, will be held. On Tuesday, May 4, the new council will be sworn in, and the usual appointments of civic officials will be taken up.

### THE TIMES WAS FRIST

Special Editions Last Night Presented Elections Returns Long Before Any Other Paper

Election returns were eagerly received by hundreds of citizens last evening through the medium of Times special editions. The polls closed at 4 o'clock, and one hour later the Times had an edition on the street, giving the result of the local, option vote. About 9:15 the third edition was printed with enough of the returns in the aldermanic contest to give citizens a fairly accurate idea of the election result. In this edition the return of Aldermen Baxter, Holder, Elkin, Prink, Scully and Kelley, and the defeat of Willett, Baskin, and Rowan, was indicated as was also the very close call for Alderman Lewis. Subsequent results proved that indications were correct. And the Times was in both cases the first paper to present the news to the hundreds who were anxiously waiting for it. Score one for the Times.

### THE WOMEN'S AUXILIARY

The meetings of the Fredericton diocesan branch of the Woman's Auxiliary, were resumed in St. John's (Stone) church this morning. The reports were received from the literary secretary, and regarding the mite boxes by Mrs. W. Z. Earle. An interesting paper on "How to interest women in W. A. work" was read by Mrs. W. S. Neales. The discussion that followed was led by Miss Hamilton, of Norton. Voting for his membership money also took place.

The annual reports of branches showed a most satisfactory state of affairs. The branches reporting were, St. John, St. Stephen, St. Andrews, Woodstock, Nelson, Fredericton, Hillsboro, Norton, St. Mary's, Chatham. The city branches were Trinity, St. John's, St. Paul's and St. John the Baptist.

Hon. F. C. Whitehouse and David S. Cowles, of the Bay Shore Lumber Co., are in the city.

### HOW LANSDOWNE WARD WAS LOST

Yesterday's Election Proved That Many Temperance Talkers are Not Temperance Workers—A Case of Personation

The temperance workers in Lansdowne ward detected one sly case of personation in the interests of the liquor men yesterday, and have absolute proof. A lawyer has been consulted, and it is possible that the personator will be prosecuted, as an example for the future. There is a feeling among the Lansdowne ward temperance men that the new Temple of Honor building should be labelled, for ornament only. They worked all day with a force not half as large as it should have been, and some of the vigorous talkers were not to be seen among the workers. It is also felt that the church members failed to assist, as they should. One leading worker told the Times this morning that he knew of forty or fifty voters marked as against license, who did not vote at all. Nor were there workers enough to go after these men and urge them to vote. The liquor men, on the other hand, had a complete organization and an abundance of men at the polling booth.

### HARBOR WEIRS WERE DAMAGED

Weir Poles Carried Away By Heavy Running Ice Yesterday

The exceptionally large amount of heavy ice running in the harbor during yesterday and Monday, caused havoc among the weirs at Navy Island. Those damaged were A. O. Haddock Wilson's Frank Bell, "Driving Bell," the Britain weir, owned by Geo. H. Hampton, Belyea Bros. and No. 1 weir, Navy Island weir. As nearly all had stripped their nets the loss will not be as heavy as it might have been, but was in the vicinity of \$50 a weir. The poles only were destroyed. The ice was exceptionally heavy, some cakes being huge. All the weirs will have to be replaced before Saturday.

### CAMERON FINED \$25

Man Arrested in West End, Yesterday, Dealt with in Court Today

In the police court this morning Walter Cameron, who was arrested yesterday morning by Police Sgt. Ross in Carleton, on the charge of improper conduct, was taken before Acting Police Magistrate Henderson. Sergeant Ross and Policeman Gouline gave evidence as to the man's actions, and a woman from the west side also told of having been accosted by Cameron on three occasions.

The prisoner was sentenced to pay a fine of \$25 or spend three months in jail. Cameron is twenty years of age, and is said to belong to the north shore. He has been living in Carleton for the last six months and was employed in one of the mills.

### OBITUARY

**Benjamin Robichaud**  
Rexton, April 20—Benjamin Robichaud, son of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Robichaud, died at his home here on Thursday, after a few weeks' illness. He was twelve years of age. The funeral took place on Saturday morning at the R. C. church, where Rev. Fr. Martineau celebrated requiem high mass. Interment was in the Catholic cemetery.

### Mrs. William Beattie

Rexton, N. B., April 19—The death of Mrs. William Beattie occurred at her home here on Saturday morning, after a few days illness of heart trouble. Mrs. Beattie was formerly Miss Eliza Walker, and was born at Hull, England, nearly 70 years ago. She was a lady of kind and gentle disposition, and was a general favorite. She leaves to mourn, her husband and three sons, six grand children, and a family have gone before her. She is also survived by a sister, Mrs. Appleton, of Toronto, and a brother, Charles Walker, of Lewiston, Maine. The funeral, which took place this afternoon, was very largely attended. The services at the home and grave were conducted by Rev. A. D. Archibald and Rev. F. W. M. Bacon. Interment was in St. Andrew's cemetery. The pall-bearers were James Jardine, John McMurray, R. W. Mitchell, David Thompson, James W. Smith and George Jardine.

### GEORGE BUSKIN HERE

George Buskin, agent and missionary of the Evangelical and Colportage Mission, is making his annual visit to St. John in behalf of the work of disseminating biblical literature through the Algona and Northwest districts. For thirty years he has proclaimed the Gospel, through the woods north and west, in camps, school-houses and the highways. 46,000 copies of biblical books in twenty-three languages have been supplied by his agency and taken account of, and numerous tracts and periodicals, and eighty editions of books and tracts, have been published by the mission in five languages. The dictionary in Ojibway and English languages for the use of the Indians, has been attended with \$32,000 cost, and application has been made to the Ontario government to help this necessary educational work by a grant of \$80,000, but so far it has not been received, and little heed has been given to it during the past twelve months by the government. The donations of St. John last year in aid of the work was \$20.00, which is gratefully acknowledged, and the appeal respectfully renewed. The depot is still at 202 King Street, E. Toronto.

### THE RIVER STEAMERS

The steamers Elaine left for Fredericton this morning with a good passenger and freight list. The May Queen started on her first trip of the season with a fair freight list. The Hampton was expected to leave this afternoon, but on account of a slight mishap, will not get away before tomorrow afternoon. The Champlain will leave tomorrow at 12 o'clock.

Mrs. (Dr.) A. Alward left this morning on the Boston boat for New York, where she will spend the summer with her son, Frederick Alward, formerly of this city.

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