

THE EVENING TIMES, ST. JOHN, N. B., FRIDAY, APRIL 7, 1905.

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TONIGHT'S ATTRACTIONS.

Haskins Co., at Opera House in "A Stranger in a Strange Land."
Shawley-Young's Stock company at York Theatre in "The Streets of New York."
Mission Band concert in St. David's church school room.
Concert in Carmarthen street at school.
General meeting of the Citizens' League in the Board of Trade rooms.

Local News.

If you are interested in money making, attend the closing sale of dry goods at the Walter Scott store, King Square. Lace curtains, dress goods, corsets and hosiery. Read this Ad.

Revel meetings are being held in the Coburg street Christian church, every evening this week. J. F. Floyd will preach this evening on "The Authority of Christ and Obedience to Him." All are cordially invited.

W. M. Jarvis, asked by the Times about the Citizens' League tonight, said he did not know what matters would be brought up, as he only returned from Halifax last night and had not been able to see the executive.

Macaulay Bros. & Co., received per last English steamer via Halifax a large collection of pure Irish Linen Damask Table Cloths and Napkins, with only slight imperfections in weave, no damage by water, all are practically as good as perfect goods, and will be sold much under cost of production.

There will be a concert and bazaar social in the Orange Hall, Fairville, on Tuesday the 18th, under the auspices of the Boys' Brigade of Fairville. Some of the best city talent will contribute and a pleasant evening is assured. The proceeds will be for the providing of uniforms for the boys of the brigade.

Mayor White returned this morning from Fredericton where he has been in connection with the water extension bill, which has been laid over by the provincial legislature until next Tuesday. A special meeting of the common council will be called for Monday morning to consider certain proposals which he will submit. Engineer Barbour accompanied the mayor from the capital.

The evangelistic services in the Portland Methodist church, continue to draw large congregations. Last night's meeting was of unusual interest and Rev. Mr. Shaver's address was listened to with marked attention. This evening Mr. Shaver will speak for his subject, the "Ten commandments" and will show his hearers how all of these have been broken by each one of us.

POLICE COURT.

A sleepy looking thief donned the magistrates at the police court this morning.

Robert Hunter drunk on Carmarthen street, pleaded guilty, and, as this was the first offence, he was fined \$5 or five days.

"I'd have been his head if I'd had him." This remark was made by Charles Carlin, when sentenced this morning to a fine of \$20, for breaking windows in John Proctor's house on the Marsh road last night. On being asked to answer the charge he pleaded guilty and read the remark quoted above.

Edward Holt is again in the toll for drunkenness. He pleaded guilty, and informed the court that he had been given a couple of drinks by a friend from Maine, and thought he might have had something to drink before.

"You must have had more than two drinks to put you in that condition," observed his honor.

"It knocked me out, anyway," said Holt.

"Do you think I believe that?" queried the magistrate. "Not a bit of it. It's a cock-and-bull story. You'll be fined \$5 or two months in jail."

Tillie reports.

The police were called into J. Allen Turner's restaurant last night to eject two men who were creating a disturbance there.

Le Baron B. Vaughan has been reported by the police for keeping a ferocious unmuzzled dog in the city; it having bitten a boy named Frank Robson.

The police were called into Porter's store on Simonds street last night to arrest Edward Holt, who was creating a disturbance there.

The police found open and secured the doors of the following establishments last night: Patrick McEvitt's barber shop, King Square, Ungar's Laundry, Waterloo street, J. A. Tutts & Sons, Church street.

COUNTRY MARKET.

The first spring lamb of the season will be on sale at the country market tomorrow. Chickens and fowl are reported to be very scarce, and prices are consequently high. There will be a good variety of produce of all kinds to select from for the Sunday dinner. The retail prices will range as follows:—Beef, 8c; 10c; 12c; 14c; mutton, 10c; 12c; 14c; corned beef, 10c; ham and bacon, 10c-12c; chickens, \$1.00-\$1.50; fowl, \$1.00-\$1.50; turkeys, 2c-24c; squash, 4c; celery, 15c; parsley, 10c; radish, 5c-7c; spinach, 40c; pk.; beets and carrots, 30c; parsnips, 40c; turnips, 15c; cabbage, 8c-15c; lettuce, 10c; rhubarb, 12c; cranberries, 12c; qt.; eggs, 20c-22c; butter in tubs, 22c-24c; in rolls, 24c; creamery, 20c; sugar, 12c-14c; maple, \$1.00-\$1.50; 10 c gal.; 20c, a bottle.

NEWS FROM NORTH END

Which Will Be First?

When the river steamers went into winter quarters last fall, a number of bets were made, as to which steamer would be the first to go up after the ice moved out.

This has been a regular custom for some years. The ones who bet on the Springfield always won, and naturally the most of the betting is on her. The Beatrice E. Waring seems to hold second place, and one of her crew made the remark that those betting on her would make "easy money."

Both steamers are ready, and as soon as the ice begins to move, they will start. In former years, the Springfield always got up as far as Lower Gagetown, on her first trip. A north end merchant expressed his view of the Springfield by saying:—"She's the boat that should belong to Explorer Peary."

Ice Will Soon Move.

In all probability, the ice in the river will move out in the course of a few days. The last two weeks of mild weather have had great effect on the ice, and the river is clear at some places for three or four miles.

There were a number of farmers in the city this morning. Among them were James Langton of Milkish, Archibald Linton, of Milkish, Fred McColgan of Somerville and Fred Currie the well known blacksmith of Baywater.

Mr. McColgan says that it will be impossible to drive on the river between Millidgeville and Baywater after two or three days, as the ice is rotting very fast.

"It won't be long now until we'll be crossing on the Maggie Miller," said Mr. McColgan.

Minor Notes.

Things looked like spring on Main street, this morning. Most of the merchants exhibited their awnings for the first time this season.

The steamer Clifton, now lying in the "bed-room", at Marble Cove, will probably remain at Indian Head until the ice has been sold. It was first reported that the steamer would be taken to Hampton, and there be broken up, but this was incorrect.

Large quantities of gaspareaux are arriving daily from the Kennebecasis. They are selling at from \$3 to \$3.50, wholesale.

Miss Gerie McCann arrived this morning from a trip to Boston, Osego and New York.

NIGHT TRAINS ON THE I. C. R.

Superintendent Jarvis Does Not Know When They Will Be Resumed.

Geo. Mc Jarvis, district superintendent of the I. C. R. at Truro, arrived in the city last night and returned to Moncton on the Atlantic this afternoon. Asked by the Times as to when the night trains No's. 9 and 10, would be resumed, he said he did not know.

Now the question is who does know? There is one thing certain, the public wants to know. The present condition of affairs in connection with transportation between St. John and points east is simply intolerable. The service is, in slang phraseology, "simply rank," and the officials do not make any attempt whatever, to remedy the existing state of affairs. A short time ago the general superintendent, J. E. Price, was asked a similar question and he gave the same reply. The travelling public is naturally anxious and it is about time that the I. C. R. took some decided action. If the night trains are not to be resumed let the public know it.

THEY "JOLIED HIM"

And He Reconnoitred Before Producing His Maple Sugar.

"For all-round jollies commend me to some of the commission men of the country market," remarked a man who travels extensively on the train.

"I was coming to the city this morning on the train when I noticed a knot of these gentlemen talking to each other, and I happened to overhear part of the conversation. It appears that one of the men was bringing down some maple sugar (so called) and the others were telling him about the inspector getting busy and having analytical tests made of all the maple products coming to the city."

This statement seemed to worry the man who was bringing the sugar down, for on arrival at the depot, he, with the assistance of a friend, secured the package and hid it away at the end of the station, while he went to the market to reconnoitre. Evidently finding that the inspection was not as rigid as he had been led to believe, he afterwards sent down and had the goods brought up to his stand.

"But you can bet his fellows had the laugh on him. They are now asking why he was so anxious to avoid the inspection, but as yet no explanation is forthcoming, and his stock of "pure" maple sugar is being rapidly disposed of."

EQUITY COURT.

The Fairweather-Waterbury case was again before Judge Barker, in the Equity court, today, and was postponed until the 28th of the present month.

A. C. Fairweather for the plaintiff, L. A. Curry, for the defendant.

Sergeant Major Schoop will lecture in Carmarthen street church on the 16, 17, 18th of this month.

Contestants for the Scholarship Prizes. Vote for Your Favorite.

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TAKE AN INTEREST.

12 Votes for 1 Month	40 " 3 Months	150 " 6 " "	325 " 12 " "
W. R. McDonald, 24,201	Miss A. B. McGinley, 5650	Miss McKinnon, 2400	Miss Pearl Eagles 1300
Jos. Donovan, 16,699	Frank L. Giggey, 1300	Edward Bond, 24	J. R. Daulton, 12
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HELP TODAY.

WRITE IT IN THE COUPON.

THAT LIQUOR CASE.

The Evidence Concluded and Judgment Reserved Till Tomorrow.

The case against James A. Lane, for selling liquor to Thomas Dunlap, when in an intoxicated condition, was resumed before Judge Ritchie this morning. Several witnesses were examined and the case for the prosecution was closed.

Sergeant Campbell and officer White were sworn in, and they saw Dunlap Saturday evening about 6.45 o'clock, and he was staggering at the time. Both witnesses swore that he was very much intoxicated.

Those Barret was also examined and gave evidence that he was in Lane's saloon on the night in question. He saw Dunlap Saturday evening about 6.45 o'clock, and he was staggering at the time. Both witnesses swore that he was very much intoxicated.

In reply to a question Barret stated that he did not see Dunlap take a drink.

Alexander McDermott, Mr. Lane's bar tender, was next examined. Witness stated that he was not aware of Dunlap being in the habit of drinking to excess. Dunlap came in with a friend, two drinks were ordered for him, and he was paid for by Dunlap. He had strict orders from Mr. Lane not to serve anybody who was unable to take care of himself. He did not see Dunlap stagger, and was perfectly sure that he was capable of looking after himself.

Mr. Lane was again placed on the stand, and testified that Dunlap was not staggering when he came into his bar-room. He looked downy; as to when he had been drinking previously, in fact looked as though he had been sleeping in the street. He had seen Dunlap come in with a friend, whom witness knew by appearance, but did not know his name. He (Lane) had been looking for him since he was reported. Dunlap's friend had remarked to witness after the arrest had been made, that he was sorry he had come in with Dunlap, if there was going to be any trouble.

Mr. Lane declared that Dunlap had not been in the store more than six months, last evening installed his officers as follows:—H. W. Belding, W. P. Mrs. Hoar, W. A.; L. A. Belyea, B. S.; Miss Warren, R. S.; B. Budge, F. S.; C. A. Everett, treasurer; Mrs. R. D. Christie, Chan.; Miss Mawhinney, Supt. T. P. W. Mrs. H. W. Belding, Con.; Walter Belyea, A. Con.; Albert Belding, I. S.; Albert Hoar, O. S.; Thos. Blanchet, P. W. P.; Miss Lena Wor-

On a cross examination, witness stated that he knew Dunlap's name was on the interdiction list up to May 1904. He asked Dunlap if he was an intoxicated person, and he answered "No, Jimmy, I'm not on the list, and wouldn't get you into trouble, if I was."

Witness had also taken the trouble to look at the list, thinking that the officer came in because one of the two was an interdiction.

They refused duty because they were not furnished with material to work with.

Mr. Dods stated that the men had given trouble on previous occasions, leaving the vessel without permission and coming back only to take their meals. He did not think they would buy clothing if they had been supplied with funds, and if they did procure them, it would not be long before they were disposed of.

His honor observed that if the men bought clothing and paid for it, it was their own to do as they pleased with. He informed the prisoners that if they would be protected by the court in the event of unjust treatment, they must bear in mind that they could not take the law in their own hands. In the present instance, they were liable to from eight to twelve weeks imprisonment. They were allowed to go on suspended sentence.

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GURNEY DIVISION.

Gurney Division, No. 5, Sons of Temperance, last evening installed its officers as follows:—H. W. Belding, W. P. Mrs. Hoar, W. A.; L. A. Belyea, B. S.; Miss Warren, R. S.; B. Budge, F. S.; C. A. Everett, treasurer; Mrs. R. D. Christie, Chan.; Miss Mawhinney, Supt. T. P. W. Mrs. H. W. Belding, Con.; Walter Belyea, A. Con.; Albert Belding, I. S.; Albert Hoar, O. S.; Thos. Blanchet, P. W. P.; Miss Lena Wor-

PERSONAL INTELLIGENCE.

Mrs. James Stratton, of Moncton, is spending a few days with friends at Fairville. Mr. Stratton who has been here for a day or so returned to Moncton today.

Mr. Collier, post office inspector, went east this morning.

J. N. Sutherland, general freight agent of the I. C. R. returned today

THE RAILWAY TELEGRAPHERS.

They Have Too Long Hours and Not Enough Salary.

A well-known railway telegrapher referring to Fred Gormier's case, said:—"Gormier had to work twelve hours a day. He was relieved by Fred Burpee, who exchanged hours."

Proceeding the gentleman in question said that "an operator's position is a most responsible one. They are responsible for life and death, but are paid a most meagre salary. The position is one wherein a man is constantly worried. It is of such a character that a man has always to be on the alert, and although he may err in judgment there should be some excuse, when he is worked for twelve hours. The salary is not always remunerative. Young operators who are perfectly competent and have passed most successful examinations receive a wage that is not more than that of a laboring man. At the present time labor is at a premium. Where in the past years labor commanded 90 cts. or \$1. a day, at the present time he receives \$1.50 and \$1.75 for ordinary work, unprofessional and non-mechanical. Train dispatchers are or should be, differently classified and should receive the wage which their responsibility demands."

The travelling public depends on the accuracy and reliability of these men on any road over which they have occasion to travel. The hours of service should be reduced. Eight hours at the most should be the limit for any man to be compelled, in this important line of work, to stay at the key."

SENTENCE SUSPENDED.

Police Magistrate so Deals With Sailors Charged With Absenting Themselves.

Frederick Foulger and Peter Keir, of S. S. "Solida," were before the Police Magistrate this morning. They were arrested yesterday afternoon by Sgt. Caples, at the instance of Walter Dods, chief engineer of the steamer, by whom it is alleged, that they absented themselves without leave, and refused to obey orders, being article seamen.

Both men pleaded guilty, and stated that it had never been a rule of the ship to ask for leave of absence. They had to go ashore to procure some clothing. One of them had money due him to the amount of \$20, and the other had \$3 coming to him.

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IN ST. DAVID'S.

The willing Worker's Mission Band of St. David's church will hold an entertainment in the school room of the church this evening. An excellent programme has been prepared, after which the evening will take the form of a candy sale. An exhibition of dolls will also be given. These dolls are to be sent to Korea in the annual box sent out to the missionaries by this band. The ladies who will be in charge of the sale are Mrs. Robert Cruikshank and Mrs. Robert Reid. Members of the Band will sell candy after the programme.

The water is rising at Indian town today. It is about five inches above its usual height. The harbor is blocked with swiftly running ice, which goes through the falls and down into the main harbor.

Joseph Robey, pilot, left today for Halifax to bring over the steamer Orinoco which arrived this morning.

Wm. Smith of Sussex, was in the city yesterday.



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