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| \$1.50 and \$1.60 Waists | \$1.10 |
| \$1.70, \$1.75, \$1.85 | \$1.25 |
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THIS EVENING

A Desperate Chance at the Opera House. Band and bicycle act at Rockwood Park. Motion Picture Shows at the Nickel. Victoria Roller Rink. New Films and Illustrated Songs at the Casino. Change of programme at the Happy Half Hour.

Members of Carleton Cornet Band meet in plain clothes in the band room, City Hall, at 7.30 o'clock.

Hibernian Knights will assemble in the school yard for drill and inspection at 6.30 o'clock.

Victoria Company, No. 1, U. R. K. of P., will meet at 7.30 o'clock.

The K. of P. Boston, '08 Club will meet at 8.30 o'clock.

THE WEATHER

FORECASTS—Winds falling to light and moderate and becoming varied by showers and on Tuesday, not much change in temperature.

SYNOPSIS—Fine weather has set in again over the Maritime Provinces while in Western Provinces it is cold and wet with two degrees of frost in Alberta. Winds to American Provinces, from the north. Sable Island, N. W. 12 miles, clear. Point Lepreau, N. W. 14 miles, clear.

LOCAL WEATHER REPORT

Highest Temperature during last 24 hours 79
Lowest Temperature during last 24 hours 43
Temperature at Noon 64
Humidity at Noon 64
Barometer Reading at Noon (sea level and 32 deg. Fash) 30.15 inches
Wind at Noon Direction, N. Velocity, 12 miles per hour. Fine.
Sunrise 4.57 a.m. Highest temperature, 72; lowest, 49.

D. L. HUTCHINSON, Director.

NOTICE TO ADVERTISERS

Advertising for Saturday's Issue During the Summer Months Must Reach this Office Before 6 O'clock Friday Afternoon. Positively no Changes Can be Handled if Held Back Until Saturday Morning.

LATE LOCALS

The Spanish steamship Telefora, Capt. de Bengos, arrived in port this morning from Norfolk, Va., in ballast, to load deals for United Kingdom.

R. L. Belding, lighthouse keeper at Point Lepreau, was visited by the Storks yesterday which left him a bouncing baby boy. This is the first boy in the family.

At Mount St. Joseph Convent, Peterboro, Ontario, on Thursday last, Miss Marie Dalton, of New Brunswick, was one of four young ladies who took the veil and entered upon their novitiate as sisters of St. Joseph.

A meeting of Victoria Company, No. 1 Uniform Rank, Knights of Pythias, will be held this evening at 7.30 o'clock to discuss plans for attending the annual meeting of the Grand Lodge, K. of P., at Fredericton, on the 27th inst. A meeting of the Boston '08 Club will also be held at 8.30 p. m.

Frederick Gleason—Prof. E. Brydson Jack, Mrs. Jack and children and Mrs. W. Brydson Jack, of St. John, are at the Queen Hotel. Prof. Jack and family are en route to Winnipeg where he has accepted the chair of civil engineering at the University of Manitoba. The western university is just establishing an engineering school and at the first will only take civil engineering but eventually electrical engineering will be included in the course. Prof. Jack's many friends in this city will wish him success in his new position.

THE PLAYGROUNDS

An Inspiring Sight on Saturday Afternoon—Send the Children There to Play.

The Victoria grounds on Saturday afternoon furnished a fine illustration of what should have been going on there all through the summer holidays. A fine game of base ball between Moncton and St. John amateur teams was in progress on the diamond, while down in the corner by the old pavilion a crowd of small children were busy with swings, teeters and tether ball, and at the kindergarten tables under the big awning, utterly oblivious to the fact that the ball game was in progress.

Among those who visited the playgrounds Saturday afternoon were Mrs. Sears, Miss Foulis and other ladies. Rev. D. Hutchinson was also on the grounds, and greeted old friends among the Moncton ball players.

Citizens having croquet sets, balls, bats, quoits, or other things suitable for children's playgrounds, for which they have no use themselves, would confer a favor on the playgrounds committee of the Woman's Council, and on the children, by sending them to the Victoria grounds.

There is room on these grounds for many hundreds more of children than there are at present, and if the little ones once went there and met the teachers and enjoyed the free play on the beautiful green award they would want to go every day till the schools reopen.

PRODUCE IS PLENTIFUL

Large Quantities Being Brought Down River Daily—Prices Are Lower.

The continued fine weather has been the cause of a considerable drop in the price of some classes of produce. Potatoes, string beans and cucumbers have been plentiful, large quantities coming down by the river boats. Rock bottom prices are the result. The next week or ten days however, is expected to see a tendency to increase as the farmers will take advantage of the fine weather for haying during which period very little will come down river. Meat prices at Indian town are reported as fully sustained. Lamb has taken quite a jump. It is very scarce for this time of year, the wholesale price of 14 cents being almost unprecedented.

AN ELOQUENT PREACHER

The Rev. Frederick S. Porter, who has been conducting the religious services at Gondola Point Baptist Church for ten weeks, preached his farewell sermon last evening to a crowded house. Mr. Porter, formerly of Fredericton, is described as a very eloquent and forcible speaker, and his ministrations have been very greatly appreciated by the people, including the summer residents. He has held twenty-one services, and has exerted a great influence for good. He leaves today for Rochester, N. Y.

Rev. Lindley Parker, of Brooklyn, preached to a crowded house at Gondola Point at three o'clock yesterday afternoon, and was heard with delight by the people.

PERSONALS

Sir Frederick Borden, minister of militia, arrived in the city on Saturday and is staying at the Royal.

Robert Van Sande, of Chicago, and Howard C. Wiggins, of Rome (N. Y.), supreme regent and past supreme regent, respectively, of the Royal Arctium, who are returning from the Grand Council meeting at Kenilworth (N. S.), are guests at the Royal.

Mrs. Frank E. Smith returned from Grand Manan Saturday.

Frank I. MacFarland, city editor of the Telegraph, left for Upper Gagetown this morning to spend his vacation.

Mrs. T. W. Women and daughter, Carmarthen street, left by steamer Yale Saturday evening for Boston.

Harry A. Biesman, of the C. P. R., went to Boston in the steamer Yale Saturday night.

G. Grey Mordoch returned on Saturday from St. Andrews where he had been engaged in engineering work for the past month.

The following visitors from the maritime provinces registered at the high commissioners office, London, in the week ending August 6, J. T. McMurray, C. M. Mc Donald, Donald Suggs, Fredericton; E. Tiffin, Moncton; Mrs. H. C. Black, Pugwash; Miss Emmeline A. Black, Truro; Dr. and Mrs. Dickey, Mrs. William and Ethel G. Muir, Halifax.

Mrs. F. P. C. Gregory, of this city, left Saturday for Nanton (Alberta), to visit her father-in-law, who is the local manager of the Canadian Bank of Commerce.

Mrs. Duval and children, of St. John's, Quebec, accompanied Mrs. Duval's sister, Mrs. G. G. Corbet, Waterloo street.

J. W. McCreedy, city clerk of Fredericton, accompanied by Mrs. McCreedy, arrived in the city on Saturday and registered at the Victoria.

Miss Jennie M. Bell, graduate of the Lowell General Hospital, is here to spend her vacation with her parents, 38 Horsfield street.

Mrs. Capt. Foster, of the west side, left this morning for Eastport to visit friends.

Mrs. L. T. Coucher of Halifax, who has been visiting her parents at Oak Bay, Charlotte county, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Bennick, St. David street during the past week.

Chalmers Jack Duff left Saturday for Boston after spending his vacation in this city.

Mrs. R. D. Christie, of 16 Orange St., and her sister-in-law, left on the Yale on Saturday evening on a trip to Buffalo.

The engagement is announced of Miss Etta Clarke, daughter of late R. D. Clarke, to Mr. J. Sandall of Vancouver. Miss Clarke leaves for Vancouver early in September where her marriage will take place at the residence of her aunt, Mrs. Bouker—Halifax Chronicle.

The engagement is announced of Eva Agnes, youngest daughter of Mr. Thomas Goudge, Willow Park, Halifax, to Mr. Herbert L. Fenerty, Manager of the Halifax Shovel Co., son of Mr. E. Lawson Fenerty, Brookdale, N. W. Arm—Halifax Chronicle.

Dr. T. W. Griffin, of Woodstock, is in the city.

Mr. C. Robinson, of Anderson & Co., a passenger by the Point du Chene train, going north to meet his wife and family, and will return on Wednesday.

Miss Diana Nugent and Miss Margaret Mullen left on steamer "Yale" Saturday night to visit friends in Boston and New York.

Mrs. A. S. Ingraham (nee) Newcombe, will be at home to her friends Tuesday afternoon and evening, August 21st.

Miss Jennie M. Bell, of this city, left Friday evening for Montreal, to be the guest of Miss A. Woodruff.

Rodney Macdonough, agent of the Pennsylvania railroad, leaves this evening for Boston. While in St. John he was the guest of Mrs. C. Gleason, Prince's St.

Miss Jennie M. Bell, of this city, left on a visit to Eastport and Calais, Me. and St. Stephen.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Chesley, with a party of friends are spending a couple of weeks at Beachmont, E. P. Watson's summer house on the Belleisle. Mr. and Mrs. Watson returned today from Belleisle and Kars, where they have been spending a two weeks vacation.

THE CONSUL AND THE CIVIC DINNER

To the Editor of the Times:

Sir—I think the American Consul incident at the recent civic dinner, is rather opportune than otherwise. Our city and public institutions have always extended to those gentlemen the courtesy and social recognition for which our town and people are pre-eminently noted, not as a matter of state right, because there is no such right, but from a social and friendly spirit, and without claiming any special precedence. The present incumbent claims a special state precedence. Perhaps his credentials may show that the St. John consulate has been elevated to an ambassadorship. If that is so, I have nothing more to say. But it may arise from another cause. The gentleman comes here with the additional title of Judge. And yet it is doubtful if that would add additional lustre to the dignity of the office. When I was engaged in the shipping business, some years ago, the last cargo I delivered in the United States, was in Baltimore, and the tide-water on the ship was an ex-judge. This man in his last campaign for a judgeship had been defeated, and the government found him a job as a tide-water. But he clung to his title, in true American fashion.

It is possible the courtesy and public recognition the consul and ex-judge has received here has been too much for him, and I would respectfully suggest (in his own interests), that social and public institutions give him time to get better.

AN OLD SEA DOG.

DR. MONTIZAMBERT HERE

There is strong hope that a cure for leprosy has at last been discovered, says Dr. F. Montizambert, director of Public Health of Ottawa, who is in the city.

The record at Tracadie since the first use of the remedy has been, one discharged as cured two years ago, and a woman is progressing so favorably that she will be at liberty in a short time. Others who have used the remedy declare themselves better and stronger.

Dr. Montizambert is on his annual inspection trip. He says that the disinfecting plant at Partridge Island will be enlarged. Asked relative to a successor to the late Dr. March, he said none had yet been named.

A SHOCKING OCCURRENCE

The American consul at St. John, Judge Wilrich, became huffed and went home because he was not given a seat close to Earl Grey at the civic luncheon in that city.

Uncle Sam's representative in this city might have had the same cause for complaint in connection with the luncheon given His Excellency at the Queen Hotel Thursday night, except for the fact that the gentleman who issued the invitations accidentally omitted his name from the list.—Fredericton Herald.

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