

# AROUND THE CITY ST. JOHN FISHERMEN SHOULD PACK ALL THEIR OWN FISH

**Mr. Hennigar's Condition.**  
E. S. Hennigar who sustained a broken leg a few days ago, was reported to be mending rapidly at the hospital last evening.

**Furniture Sale Today.**  
The furniture sale at the residence of Mrs. George West Jones, 38 Coburg street, will be continued this morning at 10 o'clock.

**Westfield Outing Association.**  
The annual meeting of the Westfield Outing Association to have been held last evening, was postponed. The date of the meeting will be announced later.

**The New Mortuary Chapel.**  
At Fernhill on Saturday afternoon next the formal opening of the new Mortuary Chapel and Receiving Tomb will take place, details of which will be published later. It is hoped there will be a large attendance of lot owners to inspect the buildings.

**King's College Extension.**  
Rev. Canon Powell, president of King's College will address a meeting to be held this evening in Trinity church in the interests of the campaign to increase the funds of the college. Canon Powell is an eloquent preacher, and a large attendance is expected at the meeting.

**Trinity Conversazione.**  
The annual conversazione of Trinity church will be held in the lecture room on Thursday evening, and an opportunity will be afforded for the members of the congregation to meet the new curate, Rev. Percy Coulthard. A fine programme is being arranged for the occasion and a large attendance is expected.

**Tried to Enter House.**  
Last night about 8:30 o'clock Police Constable Marshall was called from the central station and arrested William Hanley, aged 25 years for being drunk on Germain street. Hanley was also charged with entering the house of J. Royden Thomson, 184 Germain street on the 13th, also attempting to enter the said house last night.

**A Sheffield Street Case.**  
In the police court yesterday afternoon Robert Tuckey was charged with keeping a bawdy house on Sheffield street, and Kate Barrington and Mary Hanson with being inmates and the latter with stealing a gold watch from a sailor, were brought before the court again and once more remanded to jail. They will be brought before the court again this morning at 11 o'clock.

**The Torrey Campaign.**  
A meeting of the Torrey campaign committee was held in the Y. M. C. A. building last evening. Mr. H. P. McKim presiding. The committee on business submitted a report giving detailed statements of receipts and expenditures. The accounts will be audited, and then published for the benefit of those interested. Every bill has been met. W. E. Robb, Mayor, MacLaughlin and W. S. Fisher were selected as auditors.

**A Missionary Evening.**  
An interesting missionary service was held last evening in St. Andrew's church, and was largely attended. Mrs. H. H. Morton, who for ten years was connected with the mission in Trinidad, gave a delightful lecture on "Missionary Joys and Trials." The life and customs of the people amongst whom she labored were dealt with in an interesting manner, and the work of the missionaries described. Miss Robb, returned missionary from Korea, gave an illuminating address on the work among the Koreans.

**Prentice Boys' Fair.**  
Another large crowd attended the Prentice Boys' Fair last evening and the many attractive features which the fair provides met with the approval of the large gathering. The different games were liberally patronized and furnished considerable amusement. The prize winners last night were: Door prize (barrel of apples) Jack, Kelliker; Ladies' best toss (3 pictures), Miss Murphy; Gent's best air gun (fancy lamp), J. Nichols; Babies on the block (umbrella), R. Carleton; Excelsior (clock), E. Paterson. The fair will continue this evening.

**Carleton Methodist Anniversary.**  
In Carleton Methodist church last evening Rev. H. E. Thomas delivered his lecture on Nation Making. A large number attended and the lecture was received with appreciation by the large gathering. Enoch Thompson presided and at the close of the service a collection was taken. This afternoon at 4 o'clock services, the children of the cradle roll will be hosts and will entertain their parents at tea. On Friday evening the Women's Missionary society will meet, when Mrs. Sanford, of this city, will deliver an address. A programme of special music is being prepared for the occasion.

**Commander Thompson Here.**  
Commander Thompson, of Ottawa, chief inspector of life saving stations for the Dominion, who has been on a trip to Wood Island in the government steamer Stanley, arrived in St. John last evening. To a reporter the commander said he found everything at the life saving station on Little Wood Island in a satisfactory condition. The station is now connected with Gannet Rock, and several points on Grand Manan by telephone, and is able to serve quite a stretch of coast line. The life boat is fitted with auxiliary power and possessed of twin screws. Besides the coxswain, six men are on duty at the station. Going down to Grand Manan on Monday, the Stanley met with very rough weather.

### PERSONAL.

Mrs. (Dr.) Malcolm, 59 Coburg street, will receive on Wednesday and Thursday afternoons.  
F. E. Curtis, the well known manager of the Mansion House of Poland Spring, Maine, is at the Royal.  
Hon. William Pusey, M. P., left last evening on the Pacific express for Ottawa to be present at the opening of the House of Parliament today.  
George D. Prescott, M. P., of Albert, and W. B. Dickson, M. P., of Hillsboro, arrived in the city yesterday afternoon on the Pacific express.  
Miss Marion Maxwell, graduation nurse, who has been in St. John for some weeks on a visit to her parents, returns to New York this morning to resume her duties.

## Sardine Herring Now Being Sent Into the State of Maine Would Bring Ten Times as Much Money if Packed Here - What Charlotte County Fisherman Says.

A prominent operator of fish weirs in Charlotte county takes exception to the statements contained in a recent interview with a Bay fisherman, in which it was stated that sending for herring should be permitted in Charlotte county.

"The interview," he said, "was evidently framed by the American packers who are anxious to get control of our fisheries. The union of fish weirs owners in Charlotte county are strongly in favor of the prohibition of sending in St. John as well as Charlotte county. Practically all the boats engaged in sending for sardine herring are supplied by the packers in Eastport. Most of the men employed in the boats are Canadians, who get paid a small percentage on their catch. The interview in The Standard intended to convey the impression that the fishermen of St. John county receive about \$20,000 a season as a result of the sending operation. Only a mere fraction of that amount would come to the St. John fishermen. As a matter of fact a large number of those who engage in sending come from Charlotte county; in some cases the men we have at the weirs desert them to go sending. These boats sell their catches to steamers from Eastport at low prices, because the packers at Eastport have formed a combine and are able to dictate terms. The consequence is that while sending operations are being carried on, the American packers will not buy from the weir men, who being in a union demand fair prices. Many of these sending boats which are really sent out by the Americans carry on operations in the waters of Charlotte county when the fishery officers are not around. The question of sending in Charlotte county was fought out years ago, and the old Conservative government prohibited it because it enabled the Americans to make a huge profit out of our fisheries. The weir men of Charlotte county are a unit against sending, and now that weir fishing is being developed in St. John county there is strong opposition to it here. The weirs mostly belonged to the lowest class, and in spite of the fishery officers a great deal of poaching goes on in Charlotte county, the senders casting their nets between the weirs if there is nobody to report them. Compared with sending weir fishing is a very important industry. Hundreds of thousands of dollars have been spent on the construction of weirs, and a great deal of money is required to keep them in repair and operate them. It is estimated that the value of the annual catch in the weirs of Charlotte county ranges from \$1,000,000 to \$2,000,000. Several packing establishments are now in operation in Charlotte and St. John counties, and this branch of the industry has great possibilities of development. An agitation is in progress to induce the government to encourage the development of packing, and if the right measures are adopted a great impetus will be given to the industry. The Americans are dependent on us for their supply of a sardine herring. The packers of Maine pay out about \$1,000,000 annually to secure their raw material from these two counties, and they sell the finished product for about \$10,000,000. The packing establishments putting up sardines in Maine give employment to about 10,000 people, most of whom leave our shores to work in them. Now the whole industry of packing should be carried on in our own province, giving employment to our own people and keeping them at home. In order to stimulate the development of this industry the government should show as much consideration to it as has been done in the case of the steel and other industries. What is proposed as a means of helping the industry is that the federal government should bonus the sardine factories, raising the money for this purpose by imposing an export duty on sardines. Were this policy put into effect it would not be long before all the packing was done in this county, and the packers at Eastport put out of business, as they are absolutely dependent on us for their raw material, sending outside the three-mile limit not being a profitable venture. Our fishing operations in future must be conducted on a more scientific basis than in the past, and such destructive methods as sending should be abolished altogether. We must also devise means of assuring their development for the benefit of our own people, and not as now mainly for the benefit of the Americans who reap the lion's share of the profit. It would please the Americans immensely if sending was permitted in Charlotte county, because then they could put the weir men's union out of business, get control of the supply and reduce the fishermen to accepting any price for their labor that they chose to pay. Another suggestion made in the interview with The Standard was that we should adopt the same regulation they have in Maine in regard to our lobster fisheries. That would be for the benefit of the Americans who have depleted their own lobster fishery and want to get more of our lobsters to can in their factories."



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**HEARTH RUGS, sale prices \$1.00 to \$8.80.**  
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**DOOR MATS, sale prices 60c. to \$2.00.**

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Sale will start at 8:30 Sharp in Carpet Department—Germain Street.

THE CURTAIN SALE WILL BE CONTINUED TODAY

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That local shoppers recognize and are quick to take advantage of good values, is amply evidenced by the fact that of the twenty dozen French fur winter hats that the Marr Milliner Co. advertised yesterday morning at \$1.00 each, not one remained in the store at ten o'clock today. Seldom if ever, have ladies' hats sold so rapidly here. For the special benefit of St. John ladies, the Marr people managed to secure a second lot of ultrastylish winter hats, which were rushed through by express and are now on sale at the wonderfully reduced prices mentioned in their advertisement on page two.

You can't beat our kindling—Wilson Box Co., Ltd., Phone West 99.

**Dr. McInerney's Condition.**  
Dr. J. P. McInerney was reported to be resting comfortably at the hospital last evening.