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LOCAL NEWS

MARRIAGES AND BIRTHS
J. B. Jones, registrar of vital statistics,
reports twenty-two births for the week,
ten boys and twelve girls, and four mar-
riages.

SPEEDY TRIALS
William Garrett, Frank Wright and
George Nobles, who were recently com-
mitted by Magistrate Ritchie on a
charge of breaching cargo, have elected
to be tried by Judge Armstrong under
the Speedy Trials Act.

A BUNCH OF MAYFLOWERS.
A fragrant bunch of budded Mayflow-
ers, almost in bloom, from Rockwood
Park, was placed on the Times desk this
morning by Thomas E. Dyer. Here are
ten in sunny spaces about the city
there are green tufts of growing grass,
to remind us that winter is past.

PRESENTATION TO SOLDIER.
Gr. Bert Currie of a siege battery was
pleasantly surprised last evening when
the staff of the Cohen, Church street,
presented to him a silver ring. The
presentation was made at Mr. Cohen's
place of business. Games were enjoyed
and refreshments served.

MRS. NATHAN CANNING
The death of Mrs. Maria, widow of
Nathan Canning, aged eighty-nine years,
occurred this morning at her home, 8
Paradise row. She is survived by one
daughter, Mrs. John Coyne, and two
sons, William of Portland, Me., and Er-
nest.

MRS. O. A. HENDERSON
The death of Mrs. Jennie Henderson,
widow of O. A. Henderson, occurred on
April 11, in Lynn, Mass. She is sur-
vived by one son, three sisters and two
brothers. The sisters are: Mrs. S. H.
Bissett and Mrs. L. D. Henderson of
Lynn, Mass., and Mrs. G. F. Hart, St.
John, and her brother are: George O.
Akerley and Melvin B. Akerley of this
city.

DEATH OF CHILDREN.
Mrs. John C. Sjoestrom, 75 St. Patrick
street, has been bereaved by the death
of her youngest son, Vincent J., aged
two years, which occurred today.
The sympathy of her friends is ex-
tended to Mr. and Mrs. John Hughes,
128 Metcalf street, in the loss of their
infant daughter, Helen Benedictine, aged
three weeks, whose death occurred this
morning.

WAR GARDENING
Some fine blocks of land in East and
West St. John, Lancaster and Fairville
have been placed at the disposal of the
War Gardens Association. Some excel-
lent vacant lots within the city proper
have also been heard from by the as-
sociation. The executive have been for-
tunate in securing the services of Wil-
liam McIntosh as superintendent of plant-
ing. He is an experienced gardener and
has a good knowledge of local conditions.
Amateur gardeners would do well to
consult with him.

IN THE MARKET
With the exception of a marked low-
ering in the prices of certain vegetables,
there is very little change this week in
the country market. Turnips sell at 15
cents a pound, against four cents two
weeks ago. Beets are still 40 cents a
peck, onions seven cents a peck, potatoes
50 cents a peck. Butter sells at 48c.
and 50 cents a pound, chicken 58,
beef 23 to 26, pork 22 to 25, veal 23 to
26, and eggs from 47 to 48 cents a dozen.
Maple syrup is \$2.50 a gallon, and straw-
berries have gone down ten cents, now
selling at fifty cents a box.

REV. S. B. CULP RESIGNS
Goes to Churches in New York
State—Presentation To
Mrs. Culp

The Coburg street Christian church
has accepted Rev. S. B. Culp's resigna-
tion with regret. He says he will re-
member them as members of one of the
kindest churches to which he ever min-
istered. The last year has been very
successful for the church. He has re-
ceived a call to the pastorate of the
churches at Clarence and North Lan-
caster, N. Y.
J. S. Flagler, R. J. Currie, Mr. Prince
and Mr. Culp have been appointed a
committee to select a minister for the
church.
The Women's Missionary Society of
Coburg Christian church held their
monthly meeting at the home of Miss
Bessie Tufts, 61 Mecklenburg street. An
interesting and instructive programme
was rendered at which Mrs. Keyes sang
a solo nicely. The president, Mrs. Out-
house, in behalf of the society, presented
to Mrs. Culp, their pastor's wife, a hand-
some silver scallop dish to express their
love and esteem as this was the last
meeting she will attend. Mrs. Culp will
soon leave St. John to visit her home,
Watertown, N. Y. Miss Tufts served
dainty refreshments.

POLICE COURT
Four boys and one man were before
Magistrate Ritchie in the police court
this morning, charged with trespassing
on the C. P. R. trestle bridge between
Long Wharf and Acadia street. His
Honor fined the boys, and the man, Carl
Vogel, was sent below, being also charg-
ed with giving the wrong name and ad-
dress to a policeman who questioned
him. His Honor remarked that the fine
was \$20, and it would pay pedestrians
to walk around. There was too much
trespassing on the bridge lately, he said.
One man was charged with being
drunk on North wharf last night. He
pleaded guilty and was fined \$8 or two
months in jail.
T. Z. Perkins was charged with loaf-
ing and lurking in the Union depot for
the last few weeks, coming in morning
and afternoon and staying about, and
when ordered out by Policeman Collins,
the charge read, he made an assault on
the policeman. He was fined \$20 and
sent below.

An absentee from the 286th Kilties
battalion was brought before His Honor
and pleaded guilty. At the request of
the military authorities, His Honor
gave him two years' suspended sentence.
THE ATTITUDE OF LABOR.
A member of one of the labor unions
writes to The Times to say that Messrs.
Sugrue and Tighe did not speak for or-
ganized labor as a body in Fredericton
on Thursday.
"Neither Mr. Tighe nor Mr. Sugrue
hold any brief for organized labor in
St. John to uphold the power company
in its attempted hold-up of the patrons
of the street railway."
This correspondent adds that the
power company management recently
had an interview with the executive of
the railway men's union and urged them
to be present at Fredericton in support
of its claim for higher rates.

**CREDITORS WIN IN
A. C. SMITH SUIT**

Claim of Executor and Trustees of
Smith Estate Against Company,
Arising From Sale of C. B.
Lockhart's Interest, Disallowed

In the matter of the assignment of A.
C. Smith & Co., His Honor Judge Arm-
strong gave an important judgment with
respect to a claim to the amount of \$31,-
800, filed against the A. C. Smith & Co.
by the executor and trustees of the
estate of Albert C. Smith, deceased. The
claim was contested on behalf of the as-
signee and creditors of the estate of A.
C. Smith & Co. It arose over a trans-
fer of the interest of C. B. Lockhart and
wife to A. C. Smith & Co.
Mr. Lockhart and wife, formerly hav-
ing been one-third interest in the A.
C. Smith & Co. firm, transferred their
interest on July 14, 1905, by way of in-
debt made between them of the first
part, H. Colby Smith and his mother or
the second part, and H. Colby Smith and
his mother as executors and trustees of
the estate of Albert C. Smith, of the
third part.
Bonds amounting to \$13,000 which H.
Colby Smith and his mother held as
executors and trustees were used as col-
lateral in securing a part of the purchase
money paid to Mr. Lockhart. Cash to
the amount of \$11,500 was subsequently
realized on these bonds, the balance,
\$1,500, coming back to the executors and
trustees. It was over this \$11,500 that
the claim arose.
The executors and trustees contending
that this money was advanced merely by
way of loan; the assignee and the credi-
tors on the other hand, contend that it
was paid by way of purchasing the in-
terest of Mr. Lockhart and his wife, and
that under the will of the late Albert C.
Smith the executors and trustees had the
power to use the moneys of the estate
in this way, and that the assignment
from the Lockharts was to the executors
and trustees as individuals, and to them
in their representative capacity.
His Honor Judge Armstrong held that
this must be taken into consideration,
and gave his decision in favor of the
Lockhart interest, and not by way of a
loan. H. A. Powell, K.C., appeared for
the executors and trustees, J. F. H.
Teed for the assignee, and George R.
McCord of Sackville for some of the
creditors.

**H. GARSON BUYS
MILLER PROPERTY**

Bd is \$9,000—Also Gets The
Wrecked Bark Ashmore For
\$1,825

Considerable interest was manifested
in which took place at Chubb's corner at
noon today. The first was the Miller
property at Pictou and the second the
wrecked bark Ashmore, which is a
wreck on the Main Ledges. A large
crowd gathered and when the Miller
property, consisting of twenty
acres of land, a lumber mill, five houses
and two line shins, was put up for
sale, the first bid made was \$3,000 but
this was soon raised and the sale was
finally made at \$9,000 to Harry Garson.
T. T. Lantala was the auctioneer.
The sale of the bark Ashmore was
conducted by Auctioneer Potts. The
first bid was \$100 and this was raised
to \$1,825. The bark also was bought by
Mr. Garson.
A two and a half story wooden dwell-
ing house and beach property, belong-
ing to the estate of the late Matilda A.
Shaw and situated in Cedar street, was
withdrawn at \$3,000.

**BLUE MAY BE
ARMEN'S GARB**

There is Talk of Change in Uni-
forms of the Aviators

The khaki uniforms of the cadets and
commissioned officers of the Royal Air
Force, formerly known as the Royal
Flying Corps, will probably be changed
to blue in the near future.
Although no definite instructions to
this effect have been received in the city,
yet some of the staff officers in Upper
Canada have heard that the change is
to be made. It is expected that informa-
tion will be received in a few days at
local headquarters. Since the Royal
Flying Corps and the Royal Air Service
have been merged, and known as the
Royal Air Force, it is proposed to adopt
a uniform similar to that of the R. N.
A. S. This uniform is a smart navy blue
with deep gold braid. The uniform is
much more expensive than the khaki
uniform.
At the present time the cadets pur-
chase their own uniforms which cost in
the neighborhood of \$75, including coat.
When they leave the service they re-
ceive a rebate when the suit is returned.
It is not likely that the mechanics and
orderlies will be dressed in blue.

THIRTY DEATHS
Twelve of Them Due To Forms Of
Pneumonia

An unusual proportion of the city's
weekly death rate has been due of late to
various forms of pneumonia. Of thirty
deaths this week, no fewer than twelve
were due to this disease, and the pro-
portion has been equally high in the last
few weeks. The only reason given for
this is the inclemency of the weather
during the last part of March and the
first part of April. This week seven
deaths were due to pneumonia and five
to broncho-pneumonia, four to scurvy,
three to pulmonary tuberculosis, two
each to meningitis, convulsions and
heart disease, and one to each of the
following: Myocarditis, endocarditis, in-
tussusception, senile gangrene and can-
cer of the gall bladder.

Case of Infantile Paralysis.
Quebec, April 13—A case of infantile
paralysis was discovered today at Levis.
The sick child has been isolated. He is
eleven months old.

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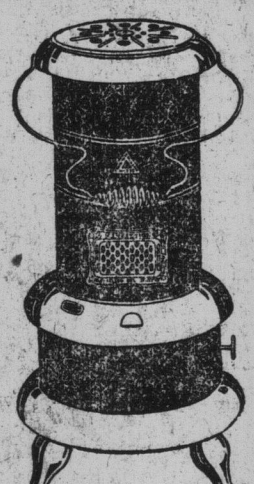
When the manufacturer bought his stock of Lawns, Nainsooks, Cambrics, Lace and Embroideries,
the prices were about one-half of what is now quoted; so we can offer great bargains, an advantage
to all who come to this important sale.

At same time and on same floor, 89 cents each will buy English Print House Dresses, in light,
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