

## AROUND THE CITY GENERALLY FAIR.

### NEW YORK SPECIAL.

A special train of New York Central cars passed through the city yesterday afternoon for Halifax to meet the steamer Olympic and carry first class passengers through to New York.

### KING SQUARE PAINT.

Although it has been some weeks since the benches were placed on King Square there is hardly a day that some lady or gentleman doesn't carry away some of the red paint on their clothing.

### COAL HANDLERS' MEETING.

The coal handlers met last night in their rooms, 33 Germain street, and discussed general business, especially labor conditions in the province and city as affected by their work. Charles Young presided, and there was a fairly large attendance.

### SCHOOL INSPECTORS SELECTED.

Dr. Brown, district health officer, was present yesterday afternoon from the Queen's county sub-district health board at Gagetown, when the school inspectors for that county were selected. He will return to the city today.

### 85TH MEN HOME.

Among the passengers arriving in the city yesterday afternoon from Halifax were four N. B. members of the 85th N. S. Highlanders, who arrived home on the S. S. Adriatic last Sunday. These men were expected on Monday, but stayed over to take part in the welcoming reception at Halifax.

### TUNISIAN AT QUEBEC.

The C. P. O. S. liner Tunisian arrived at Quebec yesterday afternoon. Charles Robinson received a wire last evening that one soldier from St. John, Private H. Parker, who is accompanied by his wife and child, arrived on her. The Olympic is due at Halifax tomorrow morning at 8 o'clock.

### DRIFT NET FISHING.

Drift net fishing for gaspereaux has come into its own again. Last evening in the harbor about forty boats were out, and the surface of the water was aboil with the net floats. Steamers passing up and down the harbor had their work cut out avoiding the fishermen. In most cases fairly good catches were reported.

### GIVEN A SHOWER.

The home of W. R. Kierstead, Chesley street, was the scene of a most enjoyable event last evening, when a number of the friends of Miss Julia Kierstead, who is to be one of the principals in an interesting event in the near future, gave her a shower. The evening was spent in music and games and passed all too quickly for the guests.

### SEVEN SEAS CHAPTER.

The Seven Seas Chapter of the Daughters of the Empire met last evening at the home of Miss Helen Robinson, the regent, Dorothy Jones, presiding. Miss Alice Wilson, a selected standard-bearer. Reports were received and plans for the summer work were discussed. The chapter will take charge of the V. M. A. entertain during the last week of the month.

### IS A LOCAL MAN.

Lieut. Col. Harris, who returned to Canada on the R. M. S. P. Chaudiere Monday night, is a native of New Brunswick, Bathurst being his birthplace. For some time he had been commander of the Royal Garrison at St. Lucia, and during the trip home was officer commanding the sixty-odd troops who returned from West India service. After visiting friends in the province, Colonel Harris will proceed to his home in Ottawa.

### FOUND WANDERING ABOUT.

Leonard Johnston, a seven-year-old lad, of Mecklenburg street, was found wandering about the streets yesterday afternoon. The youngster had strayed from his home and when taken to the guard room at central police station could not give his name. Mrs. Jacobson, of Main street, took charge of the child, and went around to several places trying to locate its home. The boy was claimed by his parents after he had been returned to the police station.

### COUNTY NEW BOND ISSUE.

The County Treasurer is receiving applications for bonds to be delivered by the County of Saint John on 2nd of July, 1919. These bonds are an issue of \$100,000 to pay for improvements at General Public Hospital. Each bond is for \$500, bears interest at 5 p. c., payable 1st January and July. Bonds repayable in 1929. Blank subscription forms may be signed at Bank of Nova Scotia, Prince William Street, or at County Office, 108 Prince William Street.

### THE POLICE COURT.

James McKimney, who was arrested Monday and charged with violating the Prohibition Laws, pleaded not guilty yesterday morning in the police court. He left a deposit of \$400 for his appearance. Arthur Martin, charged with assaulting and beating his wife was remanded for medical examination. Russell Logon was remanded on a charge of not being able to give a satisfactory account of himself. Edward McCann, charged with being drunk also with vagrancy was remanded.

### THREE ST. JOHN STUDENTS.

Three St. John students have passed the seasonal examination at the Dalhousie University, Halifax, in the medical department, first year. How-ard M. Jamieson, son of Robert A. Jamieson, Cedar street, a former Standard reporter, and who also spent three years in the army, passed first year in medicine, all examinations, and one distinction in Histology and Anatomy. Ives Anglin, son of Dr. and Mrs. J. V. Anglin, and Arthur Sharp Chesley, son of Mr. and Mrs. John J. Chesley, both passed in Physics, Chemistry, Biology, Histology and Practical Anatomy.

## Common Council Regular Meeting

**Protest Against People Building on Streets Not Provided With Sewers Laid Over—Street Railway Given Permission to Put in Switch.**

The city council yesterday granted the Street Railway permission to put in a switch at Union and Sydney streets, and run cars around the block north of King Square.

Commissioner Fisher said such permission should be conditional on payment by the Street Railway of a bill for \$178 incurred by the city for paving a turnout on Main street in 1918.

Commissioner Thornton—"Why should we hold up something that will be a benefit to the people to make the company pay a bill we cannot legally collect?"

A communication was received from the Board of Health requesting that the city forbid the issue of building permits on properties west of Adelaide street and north of Victoria street, which are not provided with sewers.

Commissioner Jones moved that hereafter the Building Inspector be instructed not to issue permits to any person or persons who intend to erect dwellings in any street or place unless and until such street or place is provided with sewerage and water, and that in the meantime the Common Clerk be instructed to notify the Board of Health that this council is in sympathy with the views expressed in the resolution of the board, and is prepared to co-operate as far as possible in giving effect to them.

Commissioner Fisher objected to a hard and fast rule. There should be exception. There were places in Stanley ward where it would be unfair to hold up building operations because sewers would not be put in for years.

Commissioner Thornton—"Shouldn't the city be obliged to provide sewers where they are needed? We are all the time talking of housing schemes." Commissioner Bullock moved that the matter be laid over, and the commissioner of sewerage be instructed to make a report to the committee of the whole. This was adopted.

The Mayor said complaints were being made that vandals were destroying trees on Queen Square.

Commissioner Fisher—"It's a pity people won't respect their own property. We are losing a lot of trees." Commissioner Thornton said he had given instructions to the police. Trees were being damaged all over the city. This was a shame.

Commissioner Fisher asked permission to accept the lowest tender for granite paving for Union street.

Commissioner Thornton—"Why ask such permission? The commissioner is required to accept the lowest tender."

Commissioner Fisher said they had to tender for stone blocks, but they might be cheaper than granite. Commissioner Thornton—"I thought that you were opposed to stone because they had to be imported?"

Commissioner Fisher—"Not from the United States. They come from Scotland."

Commissioner Bullock suggested that if the commissioner of works had any doubts he should prepare a fuller report after tenders were in.

A. McIntyre was given permission to erect an electric fixture in front of premises 327 Main street.

Ordered that Butler house, Milford road, Lancaster, be sold to Michael and Agnes Butler for \$400.

Commissioner Bullock reported that he had accepted tenders from the Colwell Fuel Company for hard coal at \$14.40 and soft coal at \$7.20; the latter at the pockets. Action continued.

## EXAMINER'S REPORT OF FIRST AID CLASS

The examiner's report of a first aid class recently instructed by Lieutenant Loughery has been received. Mrs. A. M. Kowan, who already possesses the medalion of the association, wins an additional label, while Miss Blanche Clift, Miss Dorothy Smith, Miss Evelyn Bradshaw and Miss Harriet Thomas will receive medalions, this being their third successful examination.

The fourteen young ladies also passed very satisfactorily, some making high marks: Miss Mary Murray, Miss Helen Merritt, Miss M. Dolores Mullaney, Miss Florrie Roden, Mrs. Hannah Robinson, Miss Mary Merritt, Mrs. Flora McMurray, Miss Jean Brown, Miss Eva Reynolds, Miss Eva Reynolds, Miss Kathleen Gorman, Miss Florence Lake, Miss Pearl Adams, Miss Rose Brady and Miss Emily Baynton.

Most creditable reports have also been received from the home nursing class, so ably instructed by Miss Ella McGuffigan. Certificatees will be awarded to sixteen members of the class, some of whom did remarkably well—Miss Sadie McLaughlin, Miss Josephine Betz, Miss Alberta Green, Mrs. Mary E. Merrick, Mrs. Annie B. McCormick, Mrs. Edith M. Paterson, Miss Evelyn Friesby, Miss Ida M. M. Belyea, Mrs. J. Hazel Harris, Miss Annette E. Sherwood, Miss Bertha Warn, Miss Grace Doherty, Miss Carrie McIntyre, Miss Gertrude Murphy, Miss Annie Donovan and Miss Emma Conlogue.

## FORTY-TWO YEARS OLD.

The decayed timbers of a manhole from the surface to the main sewer on the corner of Britain and Sydney streets gave way a couple of days ago and is now being replaced with concrete blocks. The foreman who is in charge of the work stated yesterday that while the timbers in the sewer were as sound as the day they were placed in position those comprising the manhole had rotted away. He said he was one of the workmen engaged on the job just forty-two years ago this month; in fact they were working at this place when the great fire broke out on June 20th, 1877.

## PICTURES OF THE RIVER WERE TAKEN

**Motion Picture Expert from Ottawa Obtained Excellent Views Yesterday While on Trip from Fredericton to St. John.**

J. M. Alexander, the motion picture expert from Ottawa, who has been taking views of the St. John river, and C. B. Allan, secretary of the "All-New Brunswick Tourist, Game and Resources Association," reached the city last evening by the steamer D. J. Purdy. They left Fredericton yesterday morning in a rain storm, but they cleared away before Gagetown was reached, and Mr. Alexander was successful in getting some good pictures of the lower part of the river.

Monday was spent here, and Mr. Alexander got some fine views of the city and vicinity. In the morning he visited East St. John, West Side and Rockwood Park, and in the afternoon took a number of snaps of the harbor from Fort Howe, and the Reversing Falls at low tide.

## LINE FOREMAN GIVES HIS VIEWS

Robert J. Cochrane of N. B. Power Company Appeared Before Commissioners in Connection With Proposed Electrical By-law Respecting Installation.

Yesterday the city commissioners heard Robert J. Cochrane, line foreman of the N. B. Power Company, in connection with the proposed by-law respecting the installation of electrical apparatus. Mr. Cochrane said it was a matter of indifference whether the company or private contractors put in the switch and cut-out boxes making connections with an interior light system. But he thought one or the other should have charge of the work, otherwise there might be confusion, as one member of the firm might call up the power house and another a private electrician. When a fuse was put in duplicates should be provided, otherwise when a fuse blew out, the new one put in might carry too heavy a current and spoil the whole inside installation.

Mr. Cochrane said that during thunder storms householders would do well to open their switches, as danger to the installation was thus largely avoided.

## SIR EDWARD DAWSON ARRIVED YESTERDAY

President of Associated Chambers of Commerce of British West Indies Will Take up Matter of Increased Trade With Canada.

Among the passengers on the Chaudiere yesterday was Sir Edward Dawson, president of the Associated Chambers of Commerce of the British West Indies, who is on his way to Montreal to take up the matter of increased trade with the West Indies and Canada. Sir Edward believes there is a great opportunity for a reciprocal trade treaty between the British West Indies and Canada to the mutual advantage of each. He advocates a preferential tariff between the two countries.

## THE NEW TARIFF REVISION RECEIVED

Much satisfaction can be derived by the ultimate consumer as well as the merchant in the new tariff revision which was received at the customs department here yesterday.

The main feature of the new tariff is the fact that the war tax on preferential goods has been removed. Among the goods affected are British teas, the tax on which have been reduced to three cents a pound; foreign teas remain the same price as heretofore. The war tax on coffee and nuts, of which there is an enormous trade, has been removed. Fruits are now exempt from war-time taxation.

One of the most important changes, however, is that affecting the textile trade. The official announcement that the war tax on all linens, cotton goods and woollen materials, raw and manufactured, will meet with great approval not only among the dealers and manufacturers of textiles, but also by the average consumer, who usually has to "pay the freight."

Only one copy of the revised tariff has, as yet, been received by the local department but additional copies are forthcoming and will be issued to the various business concerns who may desire them.

## RETURNED MEN HERE YESTERDAY

Quite a number of soldiers arrived in the city yesterday and were given a warm welcome home. On the morning express from Halifax those who had come across on the Lapland reached here, and were met at the depot by Charles Robinson, secretary of the Returned Soldiers' Commission, and representatives of the citizens' reception committee and of the K. of C. Army Huts. They were given the usual treat of cigarettes, chocolate, etc., and then proceeded to the Armory for breakfast, after which they were given their discharge, and the men for their homes.

R. M. S. P. Chaudiere, which arrived yesterday, brought about sixty soldiers who had been doing duty at St. Louis, the majority of whom are for the regular force at Halifax. They were met by Charles Robinson and marched to the Armory, leaving last night for their ultimate destinations.

## Vocational School An Assured Fact

**City Fathers Recommend School Trustees Apply for Power to Establish, Equip and Maintain School—Mayor's Vote Swung Resolution.**

By the Mayor's vote the city council yesterday adopted a resolution recommending that the Board of School Trustees be requested to apply to the Vocational Educational Board for power to establish, equip and maintain a vocational school, setting forth and including in the such application the plans of any proposed building and the nature of the instruction desired.

Commissioner Fisher said he was in favor of the resolution, provided the city controlled the expenditure. A letter was read from Mr. Peacock of the vocational educational board, saying that under the act the city council would have absolute control of expenditure as it assessed for school purposes. In school districts where the trustees assessed, they would have control.

Commissioner Jones said they were acting on a hint or suggestion, but should not assume responsibility for the recommendation unless they were prepared to go ahead and establish a proper technical school plant. He said it had been hinted that the school board was opposed to such education, but a recent report of the board recommended that the city commissioners take a plebiscite on the question. The School Board was behind in its finances and he therefore opposed the recommendation to add further burdens.

Commissioner Fisher said the city commissioners should be prepared to go ahead with the matter, slowly at first. If necessary, though he could not see why St. John should not provide facilities for education that were badly needed. There was not enough opposition to warrant a plebiscite. He found general approval of the idea.

Commissioner Jones said they already had classes in mechanical drawing and wood working. They would have to provide for a new school building on the West Side soon, and could not afford to embark on a technical education scheme.

Commissioner Thornton said they need a new school building in the North End; the present wooden building on Newman street was overcrowded and unsuitable. Applications for money for educational purposes should be at the least of the year. Nobody knew how much money would be needed for technical education; possibly \$35,000, if they provided a suitable building.

The Mayor thought they should fix a limit of expenditure for technical education; not more than \$4,000 or \$5,000 at the outset.

Commissioners Fisher and Bullock thought they should give the school authorities an opportunity to formulate plans. Anyway they would know it would not be as big as for a large amount of money.

Commissioners Bullock and Fisher moved that the resolution be adopted, provided the city solicitor found the bill legal and the expenditure.

This was passed by the Mayor's vote.

## INDIANTOWN NOTES

The first native strawberries were brought to the city yesterday on the Oceanic, and will from the farm of John A. Dougan, Hampstead. A picture that is attracting considerable attention at Indiantown is one of the freshest of 1887, being shown in T. Nase & Son's window. This shows a man in a boat in the vicinity of Bridge street.

Tuesday river steamers D. J. Purdy, Majestic and Champlain adopt daylight time.

## CHARMING WASH PROCKS FOR WOMEN AND MISSES

May Be Had From \$5.00 to \$25.00.

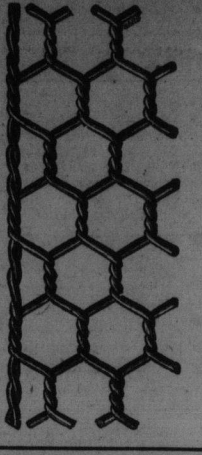
The alacrity with which Wash Procks move these days is simply amazing. The demand, due to the unusual heat is colossal, therefore we cannot in advance describe any one or two lines, but, since new stocks are arriving daily—indeed almost hourly—there was an excellent stock of Dresses of Gingham, Chambray, Beach Cloth, plain and floral Voiles and Net, made in a host of different ways, variously trimmed with lace, ribbon, etc., in sizes to fit the small miss up to the stout woman. We feel quite certain that all women will be pleased with Dykeman's Display of Summer Procks, which suggest but a few of the wearing necessities women need for warm weather. June Fashion Sheets and June Patterns in stock today.

## NAZIMOVA IN "EYE FOR EYE" AT IMPERIAL TODAY.

The extraordinary photoplay "An Eye for an Eye," which has introduced Alla Nazimova, the Russian actress and dancer, to the world as the most subtle of dramatic interpreters, receives its first showings in this city on the Imperial's curtain this afternoon and evening at the usual hours. The price scale remains unchanged. At elaborate music-piots has been rehearsed for the story. The Nazimova production (a French and Arabian story) is in seven parts, and the only other picture will be the Burton Holmes travelogue.

## IMPORTANT NOTICE CONCERNING TOMORROW.

The presentation of George M. Cohan's "Forty-Five Minutes From Broadway" by the St. Peter's Church Y. M. C. A. the Imperial tomorrow afternoon and evening will be after the first shows, namely at 3.30 in the afternoon and 8.45 at night. The Imperial will show its great Nazimova picture prior to the amateur show at both sessions. Between the two attractions the best Keith house will be showing with good things. The Cohan production is assured of a big house, as indicated by the advance sale.



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