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ILL-TREATING A HORSE.

A young man by the name of Daniel Gibson, has been reported for cruelly ill-treating a horse on Pond Street on Friday.

Officer Perry made the report and Dr. A. A. Stockton was named as a witness.

In court this morning it was learned that Dr. Stockton had assumed the role of a police officer and had taken charge of Perry's beat, while the latter was looking up information about the horse, Gibson, the young man, who appeared in court, was not the one who had beaten the horse.

He said that another fellow, McCarthy by name, had done the whipping, and the case was postponed until two o'clock in order that the latter might be summoned.

QUARRELLING NEIGHBORS.

Michael Harrigan, of Brussels street, has complained that one John McDonald used abusive and threatening language to him.

Mr. Harrigan was rather mixed in his account of the affair, but was sure that McDonald had threatened to split him. The latter, when his turn came to talk, entered a counter charge against Harrigan.

The two men told quite a lot about each other's family history today and threw bouquets at each other at a great rate.

Each denied what the other had said. The magistrate told them that they were both old men and should know better.

If the matter were again brought up both would be fined.

THE FIRST BLOOD ORANGES.

A. L. Goodwin received on Saturday two hundred cases of oranges from the Parian and three hundred cases from the Gulf of Venice.

At the sale of the Parian Mr. Goodwin's broker secured two hundred boxes of lemons and has sent word to the effect that he also purchased all the blood oranges on the ship.

The price was high but the quantity small and the trade was wild after them. St. John thus gets the first blood oranges of the season.

THAT'S HIS STYLE.

Officer Smith was called into Mrs. Dusham's house on Cheatey street last night to quell a disturbance her son Styles was making.

THE WEATHER.

Highest temperature, 83; lowest temperature, 60. Wind, S.W. by W. barometer, 30.1. Direction, S.W. by W. velocity, 10 miles per hour. Forecast, March 16—Breeze—Moderate to fresh northeast to east winds, fair and milder again. Tuesday, fresh east winds, fair to fine, with a few scattered showers. Synopses—The outlook is generally mild, with no storm development at present. The winds from New England to the Banks promise to be moderate to fresh northeast to east.

LOCAL NEWS.

A meeting of the civic board of public safety is being held in the City Hall this afternoon.

Bicyclists and all athletes depend on BENTLEY'S Liniment to keep their joints limber and muscles in trim.

Rev. H. H. Roach, of the Tabernacle Baptist church, exchanged pulpits yesterday morning with Rev. B. N. Nobles, of Carleton.

J. Sweet, the commercial traveller who is ill with smallpox at the isolation hospital, is reported to be progressing favorably.

There is a scarcity of mutton and lamb in the country market and the price has advanced. Turkeys are scarce at 15 to 25c. per pound.

Between ten and eleven o'clock this morning a heavy shower of rain fell from box 31 for a fire on the Leinster street dump.

The N. & Lumber Co. has transferred to the N. S. Electric Light Co. of Halifax, lands in Pictou, Guysborough and Halifax counties for a consideration of \$113,000.

Annie Francis, the keeper of a house on Sheffield street, has been reported by Sgt. Baxter for selling beer in her place. The charge, which will be heard this afternoon, may develop into something of a more serious nature.

Word received from Pictou this morning states that the steamer Stanley and Minto, still in the ice, have drifted across the straits again and this morning were seven miles off Pictou wharf drifting inward on a flood tide.

METHODIST PREACHERS MEET.

And Discuss Several Topics of Interest.

The Methodist ministers met at the usual time and place, Rev. Mr. Comben presiding. After singing and Scripture reading Rev. T. J. Delistadt led in prayer. There were present Dr. Sprague, G. M. Campbell, T. J. Delistadt, S. Howard, H. Penna, Dr. Wilson, W. J. Kirby, C. Comben, J. H. Clarke and Rev. C. W. Matthews, of Chatham.

The reports of churches were received, and showed the usual exchanges, except in the case of Carmarthen street, where Rev. W. C. Matthews, of Chatham, preached in behalf of the emergency fund. Rev. Mr. Hamilton preaching in Chatham yesterday.

Rev. G. M. Campbell reported for the school for Sunday school teachers to be held in Pictou on July 14 to 24. With the prospect of spending ten days for only \$4, and the expectation of low railway rates, it is expected that large numbers will spend a happy vacation next summer.

On motion two members of each circuit official board are to be appointed to a committee on the conference, which will meet in Centenary church next summer.

The question of the non-compliance with notices in the ferry waiting rooms regarding smoking and spitting was made the subject of a warm discussion. It was thought by many that the notices should either be taken down or enforced by the officials.

Rev. Mr. Matthews addressed the meeting regarding the work on the North Shore. The meeting adjourned with the benediction by Rev. Mr. Clarke.

THE HARBOR CROWDED.

Inadequacy of Harbor Facilities Again Demonstrated.

Again is the inadequacy of the present harbor facilities to cope with the trade demands being painfully demonstrated. Since Friday two big steamers have been loading in the harbor waiting for berths, and though the sailing of two steamers this morning makes room for one, the Montreal, the "Lake Simcoe," will probably have to lie in the stream for some days yet.

The Simcoe discharged her passengers Saturday at the C. P. R. wharf, Sand Point, but was obliged to put out and moor in the stream when the tide receded, as there is not water enough there for her.

At present the C. P. R. berth is occupied by the Furness liner Loyallist; the Manchester Commerce is at No. 1; the Montreal, which came up today, is at No. 3, just vacated by the Lake Ontario; the Donaldson boats Aldeas and Saladin are at the I. C. R. pier; the Furness steamer Gulf of Venice is at the Pettigrew wharf, and the Norwegian coal steamer Hils the berth at the ballast wharf.

NOTICE TO ADVERTISERS.

Advertisers must send in copy before 9.30 a. m. to insure insertion that day. It would greatly favor the Star if the copy could be sent in during the afternoon prior to its publication.

SHE IS INSANE.

This morning Sgt. Campbell was called to take charge of an old woman by the name of Patterson who comes from Carleton and who has been without a home for quite a long time. She says that she does not drink but that her nerves have gone back on her. The woman gave the sergeant quite a bit of trouble this morning and had to be hauled to the central station. She is evidently off her head and Dr. Christie who was sent for adjudged her a fit subject for the asylum.

SPECIAL SERVICES.

Evangelist J. W. Robbins preached to large audiences yesterday morning and evening in the Coburg Street Christian church. Mr. Robbins is a careful and logical speaker and does not fail to interest his hearers. He will conduct evangelistic services each night during the present week in the Christian church. Services will begin at eight o'clock. Subject for tonight, "Lamentation of Sins."

Mr. Robbins is a brother of Editor Robbins of Oldtown, Me., and is well known in this city.

PERSONAL.

George Wilson, of St. Stephen, is at the Dufferin.

Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Pursey, of Rotherham, left on Saturday for a two weeks' visit to Boston.

Miss Nellie Foster left for New York on Saturday, where she will visit relatives and friends for some time.

Heber S. Keith has returned from Pettedio.

Dr. and Mrs. Duncan, of Bathurst, are at the Dufferin.

Lieut. R. W. S. Burrill, son of Chas. Burrill of Westmount, N. S., is home on furlough. Mr. Burrill is attached to the 39th Battery, R. F. A., stationed at Kilkenny, Ireland. Lieut. Burrill was nearly a year in South Africa.

Capt. Bloomfield Douglas, R. N. R., of Halifax, is staying at the Dufferin.

Miss Agnes Taggart, of Methuen, Mass., is visiting friends in this city. She will leave the end of the week for a visit to Fredericton.

Traffic manager E. Tiffin, J. B. Price, passenger superintendent of the I. C. R., and Supt. Osborne and E. A. C. B. Foster of the C. P. R., arrived home on Saturday from the conference of railway men. Summer schedules and rates were discussed at the conference.

Rev. Dr. S. McC. Black is partially recovered from his recent serious illness. It is his intention to leave shortly for California to complete his recovery.

John Montgomery, clothing and dry goods merchant, was a passenger on the steamer Tunisian on Saturday on a business trip to the British markets.

Among the Canadian visitors who registered at the Canadian government office in London during the week ending March 3rd, were Miss Eleanor McAvity, of St. John; Miss Lulu Kimball, of St. John; Miss E. Macaulay and Alex. Macaulay, of St. John.

J. H. Chambers, of Truro, is in the city.

Mrs. J. S. Neil, of Fredericton, is in town today.

TWO DEAD SHEEP.

To the Editor of the Star:

Sir,—Permit me through the columns of your valuable journal to draw the attention of the Board of Health to two dead sheep that have been lying on the north side of the government sheds now being used as cattle sheds. I don't know whose duty it is to have this carcass removed or whether it is the duty of the wharfinger to look after them and report them to the proper authorities if not removed. But perhaps the wharfinger and his assistant are too busy to draw the attention of the proper authorities to the matter. However, there is one thing certain, and that is if those dead sheep are not removed very shortly from where they are, covered up with manure, the general public who on Sundays and fine days are in the habit of going around the wharf for recreation, will be forced to turn back for the odor will be such as to injure the public health.

Hoping the Board of Health will attend to the matter.

I remain yours very truly,

ONE WHO USES THE WHARF.

St. John, N. B., March 16, 1903.

PROBATE COURT.

Accounts in the estate of Joseph S. Taylor were passed today by the administrator, J. Russell Armstrong.

The accounts in the estate of Thomas Gault were passed by the administrator, Jane M. Gault. Bustin & Porter, probators.

The last will of Thomas McNulty was admitted to probate today by the probate court.

Letters of administration were granted to John A. Watson, brother of the deceased. The estate is valued at \$12,000 personal property. MacInnis & Sinclair, probators.

The last will of Catherine Hamm was admitted to probate and letters testamentary granted to Frank V. Hamlin, son of the deceased. The value of the estate is \$1,800 personal property. Heber I. Keith, probator.

COUNTY COURT.

In county court this morning in the case of Bostwick et al v. Jas. F. Dunlop, an order was made for money paid.

The court gave judgment for the plaintiff for \$234.54. Geo. H. V. Belyea, plaintiff's attorney.

In the case of the Sun Life Assurance Co. v. Milton D. Monteith, judgment for \$16 was awarded the plaintiff.

The defendant in the case was sued for damages because after applying for insurance and passing the medical examination he had refused to take the policy when issued.

Court adjourned sine die.

THE SOLDIER'S MONUMENT.

Mrs. Baitley acknowledges \$1 from J. Estabrooke for the proposed figure on the soldier's monument in Douglas avenue park. She also wishes to acknowledge the receipt of a basket of crockery from W. H. Hayward for the national fair to be held in the Union Hall during Easter week. Donations will be received with thanks by Mrs. Baitley, 14 Douglas avenue; Mrs. (Dr.) G. H. Christie, cor. Main and Elm streets, and by Mrs. James McAvity, cor. High and Acadia streets.

THIS EVENING.

Canadian Jubilee Singers at York Theatre. Carleton, Corset Band, musical show in Carleton City Hall.

Lecture by Rev. O. M. Campbell on Here and There in Canada, before Epworth League of Queen Square Methodist Church.

Meeting St. Paul's Needlework Society at Mrs. Barker's residence, Summer street.

Harris Festival Chorus rehearsal in the Church of England Institute.

Meeting of the St. Stephen's church guild in charge of the missionary committee.

DUCKY IN TOWN.

Yesterday afternoon a young woman who appeared demoralized attracted considerable attention in the centre of the city. She was very gaudily dressed and was running up and down Dock street for no apparent reason. Later on she was seen on King square going through the same performance.

She is familiarly known as "Ducky" and comes from Musquash.

POLICE COURT.

To-day's Winter Port Business Was Very Active.

Today's winter port business in the police court was the heaviest there has been so far this season. Out of eight prisoners, six were sailors, and the proceeds to the court amounted to \$25, with the promise of \$5 additional.

Martin Ryan, who was one of the African heroes, who went through many of the bloody battles of the great campaign, and who suffered the loss of a leg in a railway accident after he came home, was let go. He had been drunk on Water street, but had a ticket for Montreal and was given the opportunity to use it.

Malcolm Dempster may safely claim the long distance walking championship. He walked in from Smith Town on Saturday, a distance of eighteen miles, for the purpose of getting drunk, and this morning started to walk back to Smith Town to get \$4 to pay his fine. Dempster is no relation to the steamship man, although the latter was well represented. Four sailors were released upon deposits left by the agent of his line.

John Anderson—not my Jo—was another man whose promise of payment at some future date was taken. Anderson wanted to go to his ship for the money and was given a chance.

Patrick O'Shaughnessy was a little bit afraid of staying in town. He thought the celebration of St. Patrick's Day would prove too much for him. O'Shaughnessy has two bad habits. One of them is walking in his sleep. On Saturday night he was found comfortably snoring about Prince William street wearing very little more than was absolutely necessary. He did not know how he got there, nor where his clothes were, but woke up sufficiently to send to the Seaman's Mission for the rest of his raiment. This morning he decided to take the pledge and as it made no difference where he took it, he decided to take it to Manchester where it may be some use to him. The magistrate let O'Shaughnessy go upon condition that he would be "on water" tomorrow.

Hugh Burns, Fred Frisale, James Bulger and Frank Hardcastle were released on deposits.

AGAINST THE HORSE SHOW.

City Horsemen Have Doubts of Its Success.

The proposition placed before the local government last week regarding a horse show to be held in St. John this summer has been the cause of considerable discussion. The opinions of many prominent men of sporting inclinations in the city are adverse to the scheme. Those who were interested in the proposed summer carnival of sports are inclined to view the new scheme with disfavor.

Even an enthusiastic horseman as Peter Clinch states his strong opposition to the horse show proposed. It would be folly, he says, for St. John to attempt a display similar to those in Upper Canada. The Montreal horse show can draw its attractions from Toronto, Guelph, London and all the noted horse breeding centres in Ontario. Entries are also received from Boston and New York. These exhibitors would ignore a show in St. John, and an exhibition of horses from the Maritime Provinces alone would be of little interest even to local horsemen.

Mr. Clinch thought the summer carnival scheme could be far more successfully carried out.

ATTEMPTED BURGLARY.

Reed's Point is almost every night proving the necessity for improved police protection. On Friday night Hugh Doherty's store was entered and at two o'clock on Sunday morning an attempt was made to break into Bartholomew Rogers' store on the corner of Brittain street. Mr. Rogers heard three men trying his door several times, looking in at the windows, and endeavoring to find an easy means of entrance. There was no way of getting in excepting through the front and after trying the door several times the men went away. They were wise for Mr. Rogers was waiting to do things to them if they got in.

BURIED TODAY.

The body of the late Levi B. Matattall who died at the hospital from the effects of injuries was this morning taken by the Shore Line to Musquash. The funeral will be held from the Episcopal church at Musquash this afternoon. Evening Rev. John Desloges conducted the service.

Matattall's father's home, 8 Carleton street.

HAN AWAY AGAIN.

A young woman carrying a child was found this morning by Sgt. Kilpatrick wandering about in the vicinity of the Marsh Bridge. She turned out to be Annie Verner, who had early this morning run away from the almshouse. She was sent back. This is the third time the woman has run away.

DEATH OF MRS. BLACK.

A despatch to Rev. Dr. Black this morning announces the death at Amherst of the wife of Hon. T. H. Black, of that town. Mrs. Black died rather suddenly of pneumonia. She was the daughter of W. W. Bent, at one time a prominent politician in Cumberland County. Hon. Mr. Black is a brother to Rev. Dr. Black.

MC EWEN IN THE WEST.

It is now reported, says the Vancouver World, that McEwen, the hypnotist, will have early dates at the opera house—the week of April 29—in the case of the Royal, having come under the chaperonage of the Northwestern Theatrical Association.

RIVER REPORTS.

Reports indicate that the recent warm weather and rising water have cleared the St. John river of ice from shore to shore as far as Bellevue Landing. The channel is open to the mouth of the river. The river is a bit higher than it was a few days ago, but the river men are confident that a continuance of the prevailing warm weather will melt the ice in at least a couple of weeks.

Miss Winnie Flagler, of this city, has gone to Springfield, York Co., to nurse several cases of smallpox. Miss Flagler's courage and willingness to take charge of such cases is much appreciated.

This is the second call she has had to go out of the city.

A Gordon Leavitt and William McIntosh will give "Talks on Birds and Insects," tomorrow (Tuesday) evening in the elementary course in the Natural History Society rooms.

Dominion Iron and Steel stock which sold down to 32 1-2 in Montreal on Saturday rallied to 34 today.

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TWO FIRES.

An alarm was rung in at seven o'clock last evening for a fire in the Excelsior Vinegar Works at York Point. The fire was caused by the explosion of gas in a soft coal stove and before it was extinguished some hundreds of dollars' worth of damage was done to the building and stock. Both were insured.

An alarm was sent in on Saturday for a slight fire in Wm. Tufts' house on Brussels street. No damage was done. The building of the Excelsior Vinegar Co. was insured for \$2,000 in the Royal.

SHIPPING NEWS.

PORT OF ST. JOHN.

Arrived.

Sch. R. B. Flint, 22, Maxwell, from Provincetown, Mass.; ballast.

Husler, from fishing; large No. 3, from Parrishboro's sch. Temple Bar, from Digby; sch. Packet, from Digby; sch. Harry Morris, from Digby; sch. Yarmouth Packet, from Parrishboro; sch. Yarmouth Packet, from Parrishboro.

Cleared.

S. S. Centurian, 2,750, Gambell, for Cape Town, South Africa.

Coastwise—Large No. 3, for Parrishboro; sch. Orestes, for Campello; sch. Temple Bar, for Bridgeport; sch. Packet, for Bridgeport; sch. Harry Morris, for Quaco.

Foreign Ports.

NEW YORK, March 15.—Arrived, 12 noon, from Liverpool; Calabra, from Naples.

COMMERCIAL.

STOCK MARKET.

NEW YORK, March 15.—Wall street—London led the way this morning in prices which were quite uniform at the opening here throughout the list, some special deals were made in Canadian Pacific and Consolidated Gas, which lost a point each, and in Southern Pacific and B. and O., which were down a large fraction. There were sectional gains in Louisville, Tennessee Coal and American Smelting. The stock market opened easy.

COTTON.

NEW YORK, N. Y., March 15.—Cotton futures opened steady; March, offered 9.55; April, 9.55; May, 9.55; June, 9.55; July, 9.55; Aug., 9.55; Sept., 9.55; Oct., 9.55; Nov., 9.55; Dec., 9.55.

OIL.

NEW YORK, March 15.—Oil opened, 1.50.

DAILY QUOTATIONS.

Furnished by W. S. Barker, Banker and Broker, March 16, 1903.

Satur. To-day.	Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thurs.	Friday.	11 a.m. Noon.
Amal. Copper	127 1/2	127 1/2	127 1/2	127 1/2	127 1/2	127 1/2
Am. Cotton Oil	12 1/2	12 1/2	12 1/2	12 1/2	12	