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DOES NOT SEE WHY QUESTIONS ASKED

A.—"Well, everything is all right."
Q.—"Is Mr. Thomson acting chief?"
A.—"No."

any further information about the matter and intimated that it was his

matter and intimated that it was his particular business. He did not see why these questions should be asked, as things were being looked after and the public were well protected.

MAYOR'S POSITION.

Mayor Potts, when asked about the matter, said he had nothing to say at present, but he intended to see that the interests of the citizens were looked after, and, if necessary, would take steps to end the deadlock.

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Two men were in the Police Court in the Police Court and East Saint John hospitals and Mrs. George McCoy of Moncton for the soldiers at River Glade. The treat included flowers, fruit, Easter cards, salads and Easter novelties for 29 men in East Saint John and 32 in Lancase to the place on the staff vacated on the received by Chief of Police Smith for the place on the staff vacated on the received by Chief of Police Smith for the place on the staff vacated on the received by Chief of Police Smith for the place on the staff vacated on the received by Chief of Police Smith for the place on the staff vacated on the received by Chief of Police Smith for the place on the staff vacated on the received by Chief of Police Smith for the place on the staff vacated on the received by Chief of Police Smith for the place on the staff vacated on the received by Chief of Police Smith for the place on the staff vacated on the received by Chief of Police Smith for the place on the staff vacated on the received by Chief of Police Smith for the place on the staff vacated on the received by Chief of Police Smith for the place of the weather said.

Mrs. James H. this morning. One was that it was proposed to appoint a deputy chief, who would be a permanent man and this official would answer the still alarms, the chief responding only to bell alarms. Gossip connected the name of Frank Furlong, driver of the chief's motor car, with this position.

Another rumor was that, after an informal conference of the Mayor and some of the commissioners this morning, it was decided that His Worship should take the matter up with Commissioner Harding and make it plain to him that his nominee could not get the appointment of chief and that it was time the department had a head, not an acting head.

Oliver D. Thomson, who has been acting chief since the death of Charles H. Jackson, until last night, said this morning that while he had not sent a written resignation to Commissioner Resource of the commissioner of the commissioner of the garding he had notified the commissioner of the street of the surface of the matter of the part of the pa

The following real estate transfers are announced.

Mary G. R. Coigley and others to Thorne Realty Co., property Prince William street.

A. Clayton to Edith D. Robinson, property Simonds.

A. L. Cromwell to B. M. Montgomery, property Carmarthen street.

Emma L. Foster to Centenary church property Leinster street.

Elizabeth B. Hunter to C. F. Watters, property Prince street, West End.

J. Moore to E. W. Blanchard, property Slave road.

Miss Gladys Osborne and Miss Clark, Miss Gladys Osborne and Miss Forances Spragg, Miss Gladys Parks and Miss Mary Hunt, girl guiders. Despite the inclement weather there were many patrons. The troop is planning to hold a bazaar in the future to augment the uniform fund.

JEWEL PRESENTED

Mrs. Harry E. Brown is Honored by Victoria Lodge, True Blue

erty Slave road. C. O'Hanley to B. G. Magee, prop-

FOUND WORK FOR 288

Local Office Employment Bureau Statement For April is Issued.

The local office of the Employment Bureau of Canada placed 288 workers during April, the majority of these women. There was a good demand for day workers among the women, but the placements of men was light. William J. Ryan, who is in charge of the local office, said this morning that the prospects for the month of May were not bright so far as the labor market was concerned. There were 500 men registered in the local office for whom there was no employment for whom there was no employment at present. Much of the work offering was of a casual nature and little steady employment was now available for men out of work.

At the beginning of April there were 600 names on the lists, but 100 of these were men looking for employment in the woods. They had since returned to their homes, which are outside the city.

was caulkin' the ship so's she wouldn't take in too much water.

Then Mont Jones was handed a wireless that said a hurrlcane was predicted. Jim Woodman he said being good an' seasick was better'n a pokin' up by Doc. Spangler an' we orto look forrad to it with joy. Jim hed a state-room, an' we missed him after the store wouldn't take in too much water.

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One of the last things done by this

SAYS SAINT JOHN DOKEYS GOING IN REGALIA NIII TO RHODE ISLAND

Adila Temple Delegation, Accompanied by St. Mary's Band, to Supreme Convention in Providence Next August.

ADILA TEMPLE, No. 157, Dramatic Order Knight of Khorassan, is making elaborate preparations for attendance at the grand encampment of the Imperial Palace at Providence, Rhode Island, in the second week of August. It will be the first time an organized delegation of Dokays will attend the supreme convention in the history of the Pythian branch in this part of Canada. Grand Vizier A. Lind say Dykeman hopes to take his Arab Patrol with him.

Ladies Tell of Remembrances

G. E. Barbour and Mrs. Margaret E.

The treasurer reported expenditures for the month \$268.89, with a balance of \$416.09 on hand.

Easter Treats.

Mrs. Fairweather looked after the treat for the soldiers in the Lancaster

More Rumors About Fire
Department Get Into Circulation Today.

Whether the fire department has anyone in charge or not is the question which is activating the minds of the same which is activating the minds of the same with which everybody approached to the same with which everybody approached to accompany the St. John delegation, and attention is being given to rehearsals, uniforms and the refuture in preparation for the trip.

The Dokays have purchased an automobile to be used in connection with their financial campaign amongst the fraternity and friends. The enthusiasm with which everybody approached

one in charge or not is the question which is agitating the minds of the public today, and Commissioner Harding refused this morning to throw any light on the subject.

A representative of The Times-Star called on the commissioner this mornang, and asked:

Q.—"Commissioner, who is in charge of the fire department this morning?"

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I raternity and friends. The enthusians with which everybody approached is entering into the matter discloses a buoyant spirit for celebrations and tourist activities this summer.

The last visit of a uniformed body from Saint John made to the United States was before the war, in 1912, when Col. J. L. McAvity took the 62nd Fusiliers and their band to Boston, where they received a wonderfully cordial reception.

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Mrs. L. P. D. Tilley presided. Those present were: Mrs. Tilley, Mrs. W. P. Bonnell, Mrs. W. A. Harrison, Mrs. E. R. Taylor, Mrs. J. V. Anglin, Mrs. C. B. Allan, Mrs. James H. Doody, Miss Ethel Hazen Jarvis, Mrs. Frank R. Fairweather, Mrs. W. H. Shaw, Mrs. G. E. Barbour and Mrs. Margaret E. Q.—"The public are interested and ALMANAC FOR SAINT JOHN, MAY 1 want to know."

Local News

TWO ARE FINED

morning that while he had not sent a written resignation to Commissioner Harding he had notified the commissioner verbally that he would cease to be a member of the department on April 30, at the time he was asked to become acting chief.

In the city last evening. He made his long trip by train, steamer and motor, coming from St. Stephen by auto with a friend, George M. Young, Milltown. He will return in a few days. Mr. McLeod is a son of the late H. D. McLeod. He is at the Royal.

Saint John Baptist mission church hall was the scene of a prettily arranged tea and candy sale yesterday from McLeod. He is at the Royal.

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Emma G. Hayward to John Higgins, property Cardwell.

W. W. McKiel to G. T. Cameron, property Greenwich.

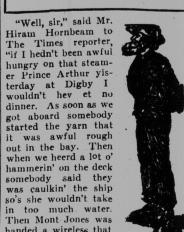
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Bessie Y. Spragg to E. J. Spragg, property Springfield.

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The election of officers resulted as follows: President, Miss Jordan; vice-president, Mrs. Hugh Miller; treasurer, Mrs. Edward L. Hayward, the new worthy mistress, occupied the chair and exemplified the first degree, for two candidates. Miss Josephine Woodland made the presentation of a past mistress's jewell to Mrs. Brown. The services of Mrs. Brown, for so many years

As Hiram Sees It



Work Progresses Inside New Hotel Work on the interior of the Admiral Beatty Hotel is now largely confined to the street level, such as laying tiling, hitching up myriad electrical connections from the roundabout tunnel un

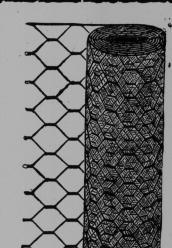
to their homes, which are outside the city.

Mr. Ryan said today that the men registered were all anxious for work and eagerly took on any job that offered whether it was of a casual nature down to the store the other night about a boatswain's chair, manipulated by or not. Even jobs offering outside the bein' the Exalted Beadle of some kind the halyards of the staff. This man city were filled without difficulty, which of a lodge. He opens an' shets the door has the distinction of reaching the he said was a change from a year or —or somethin' like that. Yes, sir—I so ago.

—or somethin' like that. Yes, sir—I which towers over the city in general.

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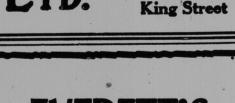
Large White Turkish Towels with two wide blue stripes on ends, 25x46 inches..... 65c

Double Thread Turkish Towels, woven design on each end of pink fleur-de-lis on blue floral

design, 20x35 inches... 80c Double Thread Bath Towels, woven colored ends in gold, mauve, blue, pink, space for monogram; 22x44 in. 95c

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