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THIS EVENING.

Prof. McEwen at Mechanics' Institute, 8 p. m.
Tea and sale, Calvin Presbyterian church, 6.30 p. m.
Sale and tea, St. Paul's church, 3 to 6 p. m.
Easter sale and tea, St. Mary's church, afternoon and evening.
Concert, Brunels Street Baptist church, 8 p. m.
Gideon L. O. L.
Alexandra Temple of Honor.
Loyalist Court I. O. F.
Tilly Temple of Honor.
Golden Rule Lodge, I. O. O. F.
Gurney Division, S. of T.

THE NEW DRILL SHED.

Mayor Daniel has received replies from all the cities to which he had written in regard to the assistance given by them to the building of drill sheds. In most of the cases, especially where buildings were erected lately, the government has done everything. The special committee recently appointed to interview the government in regard to the matter, will probably leave the first of the week.

"Patterson's,"
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LADIES' COLLARS

3 for 25c.

Store open every evening.
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WANT ADS.

In order to be of as much service as possible to the working people of St. John, the STAR will insert FREE all advertisements of Situations Wanted. For any other Want Ads. there will be a small charge.

Read the Ads.

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LOCAL NEWS.

The board of works will meet tomorrow.

The C. P. R. express from Montreal is two and a half hours late today.

There were thirty-two civil cases before Judge Ritchie this morning.

A wagon owned by George O'Brien broke down on Mill street yesterday.

Between three and four o'clock this morning the police found the back door of McArthur's bookstore open.

Harry Lyons has been reported for throwing stones on North street between six and seven o'clock yesterday evening.

Mary McDonald applied for protection at the central police station last night.

James Arthurs has been reported by the police for dumping ashes on Pond street and allowing paper to blow about.

Some loose slates on the roof of St. John the Baptist church, Broad street, need looking after. Some slates have fallen on the sidewalk.

The friends of Rev. Gideon Swim gave him a handsome donation of goods and money at his residence in Moncton on Tuesday evening.

A fence belonging to Daniel McDermott on Broad street was blown down last evening. It fell across the sidewalk and needs to be removed.

The body of the late Grace C. Fowler, which was to have been taken to Greenwich on the Springfield today will probably go on the five o'clock train this afternoon.

Rev. Dr. Steel of Amherst is expected to occupy the pulpit of the German street Baptist church Sunday, Rev. J. D. Freeman, the pastor elect, will probably take charge on twenty-first.

A Gordon Leavitt appeared on yesterday with a bunch of catskins as a boutonniere. He said they were signs of spring. They were not coon-catskins.

The St. Paul's church mothers' meeting apron sale will be held in the school room, on Winter street, this afternoon, commencing at three o'clock. Tea will be served from four till six o'clock.

James Parlee and Thomas McQuire, sloven drivers, collided on the corner of Union and Mill streets yesterday. The shaft of Parlee's sloven was broken and McQuire's shaft and whiffletree badly smashed.

A slight fire occurred this morning in the residence of Robert Sullivan, of Rockland Road. The blinds and curtains on several windows were destroyed, but the fire was extinguished without the department being called out.

The regular annual meeting of the North End Salvage Corps will be held in the company's rooms on Monday evening next at eight o'clock. Officers for the ensuing year will be elected and other important business discussed.

The Nova Scotia government has made a rebate in the succession of duties on several legacies left to the Maritime Baptist Foreign Mission board and to Acadia college. The rebate to the board amounts to about \$1,100 and to the college about \$5,000.

Gendron, Agent, Leader, Milamit and Crescent are the wheels handled by R. D. Coles at 191 Charlotte street. On the same floor is a splendidly equipped repair shop, where bicycles are cleaned and fixed up for the bicycling season. Bicycles and tandems to hire. Mr. Coles is agent for the Orient Motor Bicycle.

Business in the fish market is very quiet at present, with very few fresh fish showing. Halibut is selling at from twelve to fifteen cents a pound, cod and haddock from four to five, gaspereaux twenty-five cents a dozen, frozen salmon fifteen to twenty-five cents a pound and pickerel six to seven.

Yesterday forenoon Sheriff Sturdee received a copy of the special act passed in regard to the man Collins, who was sent here from Dorchester, and late in the day applied for an order for his removal. The necessary papers were signed and last evening Collins was taken to the Lunatic Asylum.

Timothy Burke this morning appeared before the police magistrate to answer a charge of fighting and resisting the police on Pond street, and Michael Donovan for being drunk on Mill street and fighting with Timothy. They did not see their way clear to plead guilty and were remanded.

Edward O'Brien this forenoon entered a complaint at the central police station against Edward Olive, of 878 ney street, for allowing a ferocious dog to go at large without a muzzle. O'Brien was severely bitten by the dog in the left leg, just above the ankle, and naturally feels very sore over the affair.

NO FUN IN THIS.

Dr. Dagnall Tells of a Trip Over the Maine Central.

Dr. J. S. Dagnall of Charlottetown passed through the city last evening on his return from a holiday in New York and other American cities. In conversation with a Star reporter Dr. Dagnall said that the trip from Bangor to St. John was one that he will never forget. On Tuesday, owing to a washout on the line between Oldtown and Mattawamkeag, the Boston express was running from Oldtown to Milo and Brownville Junction and round to Mattawamkeag, but yesterday another washout occurred between Bangor and Oldtown. On account of this the train was unable to reach Brownville from Bangor and Aroostook line from Oldtown, and had to double back from Bangor to Newport Junction on the Maine Central, from there to Foxcroft and on to Milo. At Foxcroft the engine was attached to the rear of the train and it pulled in to Milo backwards. Here it was shunted to its proper place and the journey continued. The worst part of the whole trip, said Dr. Dagnall, was at Kingman. For a distance of four or five hundred yards there is at least fifteen inches of water over the line and the train going through it sent out a large wave on each side. No one knew whether the train was damaged or not, as on account of the water the section men were unable to ascertain any damage. On each side of the rails, large sand bags were placed on the sleepers to assist in keeping them down and hundreds of men were waiting to repair or attempt to repair any damage that might occur. Were it necessary to undergo such another experience the doctor said that he, in common with other passengers, would prefer remaining at home and eating the trip off. No dining car is carried on the Boston express, and owing to the delay caused by taking the roundabout course the train did not stop long at any place, and consequently the passengers had nothing to eat until nearly two o'clock. The train which left here Tuesday evening was passed at eight o'clock yesterday some distance beyond Bangor, but owing to the engine taking it had not then reached Bangor and would have to run back there after reaching Newport Junction.

OVER THE BRIDGE.

Charles Oakley, an Asylum Patient, Leaps to His Death.

About nine o'clock this morning Charles Oakley, an asylum patient at the Lunatic Asylum, was at work with one of the keepers in the grounds near the end of the suspension bridge. Finding advantage, when the keeper was not looking, Oakley made a break for the fence, got over, ran out on the bridge and leaped over. The keeper ran after him, but was not able to overtake him. The tide was running out and the man's body never reappeared after the first plunge.

Oakley belonged to the Parish of Cambridge, Queens County, and has been in the asylum since August 1899. He was leaving his leave on a wife who is living now in this city. He was a harmless patient, and considered one of the best in the institution. He had never betrayed any suicidal tendencies, and his mad way was therefore entirely out of harmony with his former conduct.

Oakley had been considered by the asylum attendants as a perfectly quiet and harmless patient. He had been employed along with others at light outdoor work, and this morning went out with them as usual. After working a short time he suddenly dropped his tools and ran, jumping over the fence and heading towards the bridge. A bus was going over the bridge at the time, and the driver saw the man leap. G. T. Purdy and another man, who were in the bus, got out and saw the body floating around. Mr. Purdy says it floated around for five minutes before it finally disappeared, but there was no sign of life.

THE FRESHET.

Big Rise in the River Last Night—The Springfield Goes Up This Afternoon.

The breaking up of the ice in the Reach caused a considerable rise in the height of the river at Indiantown last night. The water took a bigger jump, comparatively, than at any other time during the freshet. Colder weather today stopped any further rise, and the river now is about at a standstill.

Reports from the Reach state that the broken ice is scattered over the river in every direction.

The Springfield did not leave this morning, owing to difficulty in starting a crew, but is expected to go up river this afternoon.

Now that the ice has broken up efforts will be made to get the boats on their routes immediately. It was reported that Indiantown this morning that the Delta, which left yesterday for Fredericton, to assist in repairing the booms, had arrived at her destination in every direction.

DAMAGE UP RIVER.

FREDERICTON, N. B., April 11.—A gentleman who had been to Maugerville returned this morning in a boat. He reports the whole section of the country from Maugerville to Jemseg under from three to twenty feet of water. The water is in most houses, and people are living upstairs.

A few cattle were drowned. Great damage has been done to trees, fences and land by great masses of floating ice.

The bridge at Estey's Creek, Lower Maugerville, has been swept away. It was a covered bridge, 90 feet span. Fourteen barns were carried away on Ormoco Island.

The water is receding slowly.

The Orange Grand Lodge of N. B. meets in annual session at Campbellton the week after next.

The death occurred at Boston on April 3rd of Henrietta, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wesley H. Barker, formerly of Fredericton.

James Bell, of Fredericton, yesterday shipped two car loads of potatoes to Boston, the other to the New York market.

TO ADVERTISERS!

Advertisers in the STAR are requested to send in copy not later than TEN O'CLOCK IN THE FORENOON, in order that the matter may be set up in time for that day's issue.

NORTH END BAZAAR.

The crush in the hall last night was just as great as on Tuesday evening.

Over two hundred people took tea in the library and the food supply is still far from running short.

The City Cornet band rendered some choice music last evening.

What use a young man intends to make of an expensive doll is unknown. The same kind that you will buy in other stores at 25c.

UNDRESSED KID BELTS, dove shade, 25c. All sizes.

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CENSUS YARNS.

A census commissioner called on an elderly lady who is somewhat deaf.

"I am taking the census," he said.

"I don't want anything at all today," replied the lady, preparing to close the door.

"But I am taking the census—I want to take it down," explained the enumerator, producing his list.

"I won't go down anywhere!" declared the lady.

And the visitor had to talk some time longer before he could get her to understand what he wanted.

"I am taking the census," said another enumerator to the young lady who opened the door.

"Oh, come right in," she said.

She took him to the top floor of the house, and then pointing toward the ceiling said:

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AT THE INSTITUTE.

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JUDGE LANDRY'S SON.

A Montreal despatch of Tuesday said: "Peter Landry, son of Judge Landry, of New Brunswick supreme court, who is a student in civil engineering in McGill College, is now a patient at the Royal Victoria hospital, having undergone an operation for appendicitis. Enquiry at the hospital this morning elicited the information that the patient is doing well. His condition is all that could be expected."

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