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The average daily circulation of the Star for May was 5,821.

CONSUMPTION GERMS.

If any further proof were needed that consumption is a contagious disease and that the germs of infection abound wherever consumptives are, that proof is found in the discovery that about one-third of the street cleaners of New York are suffering from the disease and that in nearly every case it has been contracted since the men entered upon that occupation.

The expectation of consumptives is alive with tubercular germs. When they spit on the streets or sidewalks the spittle dries, is ground to powder and the germs are scattered broadcast in the dust and refuse to fill the air on windy days and to be drawn by millions into the lungs of every passer by where, if there is a weak spot, they fasten and grow and the man or the woman becomes in turn a center of contagion, and, in the end, dies.

As it is only when dry that these germs can be circulated and as the streets and gutters are kept damp pretty constantly by the watering carts, it is apparent that spitting on the sidewalks is more dangerous than spitting in the roadway.

In the United States 100,000 die of consumption every year; in Canada the mortality is proportionate, and seacoast cities like St. John have more than their share. To each of these whose deaths are reported there are many ill. An efficient system of sanitations would in a few years stamp the disease out entirely, and such a system is one of the ornaments of the near future.

THE ATTORNEY GENERAL'S BELIEF. The attorney general returned from Ottawa yesterday bringing with him for the first time, no glad tidings about the fishery award.

THE FIFTEENTH REGIMENT, of Belleville, had a church parade last Sunday, and were told by Rev. Dr. Crothers, the preacher, that it was the duty of all men, no matter on which side of politics they were, to see that Lord Dundonald, the best general of the Confederation, was not allowed to be crushed because he had dared to speak his mind and protest against what he thought was not in the best interests of the service.

THE GIRL AT THE RACES. She bets, but loses not. Of course, that's strange; but then, you see, when she puts money on a horse she borrows it from me.—Town Topics

LOCAL NEWS.

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FRONTIER TWEEDS and Attorney General Fuglesy came home from Ottawa yesterday. Dr. Fuglesy had nothing whatever to say regarding the fisheries award business had been advanced another step.

The fremen of No. 4 station have recently painted their grand stand on the triangle lot at the foot of Garden street, which now presents a very creditable appearance.

The Bandmann Opera Company, of England, booked dates at the St. John Opera House for next March. Mr. Bandmann is also sending out a special agent to the opera house for three weeks' engagement at the Opera House here booked for January next.

SMALLPOX AT ST. MARY'S. FREDERICTON, June 16.—St. Mary's and vicinity is undergoing another smallpox epidemic, this time said to be the real thing. This morning Dr. H. R. McNally was called to attend a boy-who was making expectation on sidewalks or in public places, punishable by a fine. Since the law was enacted, if the Star is not misinformed, one man has been reported for violation and he was let off. Yet nobody can walk one block without witnessing dozens of carelessly open violations.

MONCTON RACES. MONCTON, N. B., June 16.—Following are the entries for the Moncton races on Friday and Saturday of next week: 230 class—Clayton Junior, R. Hebert, Moncton; Annie Brewer, Thomas Raymond, Fairville; Lord Alverston, E. LeRoi Willis, Sydney; Sunol Prince, H. A. McArthur, Sussex; Drusil, J. T. Prescott, Sussex.

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SWINBURNE'S NEW POEM. Algernon Charles Swinburne has written a notable poem which appears in Harper's Magazine for June. English friends of the poet who have read the manuscript pronounce it Mr. Swinburne's greatest work. Following is a brief excerpt:

AGES and creeds that drift Through change and cloud uplift The soul that soars and seeks her sovereign shrine, Her faith's veiled altar there To find, when praise and prayer Fall baffled in the darkness of divine. Lights change and shift through star and sun; Night, clothed with might of immortal years, is one.

Day, born and slain of night, Hath hardly life in sight As she that bears and slays him and survives; And gives us back for one Cloud-thwarted fiery sun The myriad mysteries of the lustrous Heavens.

Who's stary soulless music saith That light and life was perfect even Through night and death.

DOMINION PARLIAMENT.

OTTAWA, June 16.—The commonsense afternoon discussed Fisher's bill respecting inspection and sale of seeds, until six o'clock. The bill is practically the same as that introduced last session save that further concessions are made to seed dealers.

At eight o'clock house went into supply on agricultural estimates, when Fisher was again placed on the rack. Items of agricultural farm expenditures were discussed to a late hour by Blain, Taylor, Dr. Daniel and others, when committee rose and adjourned at 11:45 p. m. Prior to this Fielding submitted the balance of Lord Dundonald's correspondence as promised by Laurier.

The government proposed bill to amend the election act is a measure the opposition will fight to the death if the current report be true that its chief aim is to substitute Sifton's list in Manitoba for lists of electors as per the provincial qualifications. The measure is therefore in direct violation of the principle of the present dominion franchise act.

J. E. Wolf, president of the Hall-tax board of trade, and Aid. Rodgers are here as advance guard of a delegation drawn up to present on the government tomorrow the granting of a bounty for steel and iron shipbuilding.

MORE WEDDINGS.

Last night at the Baptist parsonage, Main street, Miss Eleanor Sargison was united in marriage to Jaa. Durost. Rev. H. H. Rosch officiated. The groom was supported by J. W. McAfee. The bride was becomingly attired in white muslin and wore a white chiffon hat. The bridesmaid wore white pique.

A pretty wedding took place at the Cathedral yesterday morning, when Miss Mary Crockett was married to Thomas Killen, yacht carrier. Rev. A. W. Meahan performed the ceremony. The bride was attired in grey and wore a white net picture hat and a bouquet of white roses. Miss Maud Ready was bridesmaid and wore a white net picture hat and a bouquet of white roses. Wm. J. Magee was groomsmen. Mr. Killen's fellow letter carriers presented to him a cut glass and silver cake dish.

John Bishop, of Moncton, was married in this city yesterday to Miss Agnes Beale, of Yarmouth Creek, St. John county. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. G. O. Gates at the residence of the German Street Baptist church.

Wednesday the wedding took place at the home of the bride's father, of Miss Christina, daughter of Hector Patterson of Wood Point, to Thomas Gamble of Joggins, N. S. The ceremony was performed in the presence of a large number of friends by Rev. E. B. McAtchey.

Wednesday afternoon the marriage of Miss Estabrook, daughter of Stewart Estabrook, Middle Sackville, to J. R. Amos, British Settlement, took place at the residence of the bride's father, Mr. Estabrook, being officiated by Rev. Chas. C. Anderson.

SIGNERS OF THE HALF HOLIDAY AGREEMENT.

The clerks' association has secured the signatures of the following firms to the Saturday half holiday list and they are delighted with the prospects. There are only a few names yet to be had to bring the roll up to last summer's standing. Hatters, shoe dealers and a few others are not mentioned, but the list of signers is: Manchester Robertson Allison Limited, Macaulay Bros. & Co., Morrell & Sutherland, Selva, Brothers, F. W. Daniel & Co., Dunham, Scott Brothers & Co., A. Gilmour, Henderson & Hunt, J. N. Harvey, American Clothing, Wilson & Co., Doherty & Foster, A. R. Campbell & Son, J. A. Dawson, H. C. Higgins, T. L. Murphy, John Rubins, Wm. P. Higgins, T. L. Murphy, John Rubins, W. J. Higgins & Co., McCarty & Co., P. J. Patterson, Montreal Clothing Store, M. Higgins, N. A. Seeley, Wilson, Brothers, J. A. Robinson, Butt & McCarthy.

HARBOR PARADE.

Yacht owners met last evening and discussed their part in the Tercentenary. On Friday morning the yachts which are to take part in the illuminated parade will be anchored in a line from the end of North wharf to the buoy off Hilyard's reef. The decorating of the yachts will be begun as soon as Champlain's boat is seen coming up the harbor. At nine o'clock in the evening the illuminated parade will commence. The route will be down the harbor to Reed's Point, then across, and up into Sand Point. This route is subject to change.

WITH ADVERTISERS.

Attention is drawn to Robinson's advt. in another column of the addition of a new department to their business at 173 Union street. Gentlemen keeping bachelor's hall and ladies shopping up town will find something to interest them in this department of lunches and teas at moderate prices.

MARRIAGES.

BISHOP-BEGG—At the parsonage of the German Street Baptist church, on the 16th inst., by Rev. G. O. Gates, Rev. John E. Starr, of Moncton, and Miss Agnes Bees, of St. John Co.

DEATHS.

McMURRAY—At the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Mary Crockett, of St. John, on June 15th, Mrs. Mary McMurray, leaving five children. Funeral on Saturday, 18th, from late residence to St. Rose's church, Fairville, N. B. High requiem mass.

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