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LOCAL NEWS

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The "for sale" ads. are salesmen who have had wide experience in selling everything that's saleable.

"A delightful story," the teapot tells it when you use "Salada" Tea; delicious, healthful and refreshing; in fact, "Salada" is tea perfection. 10c

It is said that the Neptune Rowing Club and the La Tour Club are quite ready to identify themselves with the proposed new rowing association for the Maritime Provinces.

Tea acquires a flavor under the peculiar climate of Nova Scotia that cannot be acquired anywhere else on earth. The delicate fragrance and delightful aroma of "Salada" Tea, will please you. Buy a package today from your grocer. 14c

Piles Cured in 6 to 14 Days

PAZO OINTMENT is guaranteed to cure any case of itching, blind, bleeding and protruding piles in 6 to 14 days or money refunded. 50c

Household goods and many other bargains for Saturday night and Monday. F. W. Daniel and Co. have succeeded in getting together a great many good things for April shoppers. Don't miss paying their store a visit on Saturday night or Monday.

Promptly the fire department responded to a call from box 15 early this morning and was able to extinguish what might have been a serious conflagration at A. E. Hamilton's house on Brunson street.

About 2 a. m. the salamander which was being used to dry the cement in Mr. Hamilton's reconstructed house was the means of setting the second story ablaze and destroying that part of the first, but the prompt arrival of the fire brigade soon extinguished the flames. A considerable amount of damage was done to the new building.

EXTRAORDINARY SALE OF SILKS AT M. R. A.'S.

Heavy rich Louisiana silk beautiful self-colors for evening dresses, blouse veils, light summer costumes and children's frocks; also a handsome assortment of colored chantas and fancy blouse silks. A sale which has resulted in a real triumph in modern merchandising. This unprecedented money saving sale commences Monday morning at 8 o'clock in M. R. A.'s Silk Room.

DAVID MITCHELL

David Mitchell, the well-known colored chef and restaurant proprietor, died at his residence, 27 St. Andrew street, at 1:30 o'clock this morning. Deceased was 65 years of age and leaves a widow, formerly Helena Richardson, of St. George, Bermuda, and two sons, David, in Virginia, and Charles, in Boston. In the fall of 1878 Mr. Mitchell came to this city to assist the late Mr. Patterson in the restaurant business and later on opened for himself, having conducted a restaurant on Charlotte street and Germain street. The funeral will take place at 2:30 o'clock Monday afternoon from his home.

ANOTHER POSITION.

Miss Edna Perkins, of North End, has been appointed stenographer for the Canadian Fairbanks Co., Ltd. Miss Perkins was selected from the public stenographic staff of the Currie Business University.

SUNDAY SERVICES

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH. St. John Presbyterian church, Kinz St., East, Rev. H. A. Anderson, B.D. Minister; Sabbath services 11 a. m. and 7 p. m.; Sabbath school and adult Bible class at 1:30. Y.P.S.C.E. meets on Monday evening at 8 o'clock. Midweek prayer meeting on Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock. A cordial welcome to all.

EPISCOPAL. You are invited to hear Rev. Sydney Good, B.A., M.D., returned medical missionary of Salt, Palestine, St. Luke's church, Sunday, April 25, 7 p. m.

METHODISTS. Zion Methodist Church, pastor, Rev. James Crisp. Men's class meeting at 8 a. m. Preaching services at 11. Rev. H. D. Marr, B. A., will preach Sunday School and Bible Class at 2:30. Evening services at 7. Subject, "Wells of Salvation." Social services at the close. Organizers are cordially invited. Class meeting Thursday at 7. Prayer meeting Friday evening at 8.

Only One "BROMO QUININE" that is **Laxative Bromo Quinine** on every box. 25c

Cures a Cold in One Day, Grip in 2 Days

CHAMBERLAIN EMBARRASSED PROTEST AGAINST ACT

Though the men who are taxed on less than \$200 have apparently few friends in the Common Council and none in the legislature, not less a personage than the city Chamberlain endorses the protest against the injustice of imposing upon them a poll tax of 5¢, or 10¢ more than the poll tax upon those better able to pay.

To the Sun yesterday Mr. Lindsey said that as a result of his investigation under the law he was not asked to contribute to the revenue of the city, but in the event of the proposed legislation he would be compelled to pay a poll tax of five dollars. It is more than he can stand. Five dollars will be as difficult to pay as eight. There will be no saving in the clerical work of the department. The wheels have been gagged back into the old rut and the heavier burden that the machinery of the corporation is perforce obliged to carry will tend to grind the small wage earner still lower down.

After the Chamberlain has spoken, the Sun went to some of the men who are affected themselves. Salvation Army men, the banks and other large institutions were allied against the poor man. They have the money; said he; the poor man has not. To wonder the banks gained their point and the railway company secured theirs. They have influence as well as money and we have neither.

ADJ. Cornish, of the Salvation Army, stated that the action of the government would have the effect of making some three thousand citizens debtors to the corporation. The men affected, said he, are no more able to pay a poll tax of five dollars than they are one of twenty. Two at the very most should have been exacted.

BALL GIVEN BY ST. GEORGE'S SOCIETY, A DRILLANT AFFAIR

St. George's day was brought to a brilliant close last night by a ball in the Rose Room of the assembly room. The event has long been anticipated and despite the very inclement weather some three hundred guests were in attendance. They were received by Mrs. Anderson, Mrs. J. H. Fink and Mrs. W. H. C. Moore. The wives of the president, the first and second vice presidents respectively.

The rooms were most artistically decorated. The color scheme, of course, was red, white and blue, while shields and mottoes went to add a last touch that is so necessary to complete the display.

The supper room off the main ball room was also prettily decorated, the color scheme being preserved throughout. It was furnished with small tables, individually decorated with the blood red cross of St. George.

The proceedings preliminary to the main dance were of an especially interesting and betting nature. J. C. Anderson welcomed the guests of the evening in a hearty speech, and the Rev. B. Hooper delivered one of the most stirring and eloquent orations that have been heard in the city for some years.

PROCEEDINGS BEGIN

The proceedings of the evening commenced with a few remarks by Mr. Hooper, as the creator of the festival. In an eloquent, forceful and most impressive address, Mr. Hooper appealed to his hearers to constantly bear in mind the chivalry, the manliness, and the Christian spirit of the revered St. George.

Clive Dickerson then sang the Englishman in particularly good voice in the chorus of which the dancers joined. The following programme of dances was then carried out:

The dancing programme was really under the direction of Bandmaster Jones, who enlivened the dancing hall with excellent music. The programme was as follows:

1. Waltz.
2. Maple dance.
3. Two step.
4. Lancaer.
5. Waltz.
6. Minuet.
7. Two step.
8. Waltz.
9. Waltz.
10. Sir Roger de Coverley.
11. Two step.
12. Waltz.
13. Two step.
14. Waltz.

The following is the list of guests:

Anderson, J. C. and Mrs.; Armstrong, the Misses; Atkinson, C. A.; Addy, Dr. G. A. E.; Addy, Charles; Addy, Miss; Allison, Harold A.; Arnold, J. W. and Mrs.; Arnold, G. Heber; Armstrong, T. E. G. and Mrs.; Allen, L. T.; Arnold, Miss.

Barker, Chief Justice, and Mrs.; Barker, Miss; Bourne, T. P. and Mrs.; Bell, Miss; Bridges, Dr. H. V. and Mrs.; Bridges, Miss; Broad, W. L. and Mrs.; Burpee, G. B.; Bent, Miss; Baird, Miss; Bullock, Mayor and Mrs.; Brydon, James; Blackmore, C. E. and Mrs.; Barnhill, A. F. and Mrs.

Chisholm, Mrs. D. P.; Campbell, Miss; Crockett, Miss Ethel; Casson, Robert and Mrs.; Casson, Miss; Currier, R. L. and Mrs.; Cline, Misses; Cornell, Julien F.; Church, E. E. and Mrs.; Church, W. A.; Church, Misses; Crawford, Roy E.; Cormier, R. B.; Crosby, L. G.; Chamorlai, Geo. A. and Mrs.; Chandler, Dr. E. B. and Mrs.; Curry, Miss; Corwell, Mrs.; Christi, Miss; Clinch, D. W.; Carrite, J. B. and Mrs.; Claxton, H. K.; Cowan, Miss; Clinch, Peter; Campbell, J. R. and Mrs.

Daniel, Fred W. and Mrs.; deForest, S. S. and Mrs.; Daniel, Miss Jean; Dickason, C.; DuVeret, Miss; Davison, A. C.

Emery, Dr. A. F.; Eason, C. H. and Mrs.; Estabrooks, T. H. and Mrs.; Everett, A. E.; Earle, W. Z. and Mrs.; Emerson, H. W.; Emerson, S. L.

BOULEVARD

Here's a snappy sport that catches the eye of the best dresser. The high in front 18 in. at back. Called Newport in Elk Brand.

MARATHON

Our latest product—one of the best designed in the world. Height, 9 inches at back. Called Collars in Elk Brand.

RIALTO

It is 2 1/2 inches high in front and 2 inches at back—its close together in front.

YOUNG CORBETT DEFEATS KEYS

NEW YORK, April 23.—Young Corbett defeated Bert Keys tonight on points in a slashing fight before the Fairmont. A. C. In the ten rounds there was not a ball and each lad from the start apparently tried for a knockout.

The pugilistic experts decided, after the contest, that Young Corbett has "come back" into his own and that he is entitled to a bout with any in his class, including Battling Nelson. Keys' savage rushes had Corbett reaching for his wind towards the end, but throughout the contest Corbett was able to land hard punches when he desired.

BASEBALL

- National League Games.
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| At Pittsburgh—Pittsburg, 2; Cincinnati, 1. |
| Philadelphia—Philadelphia-Boston, rain. |
| Brooklyn—Brooklyn-New York, rain. |
| At St. Louis—Chicago, 3; St. Louis, 6. |
- National League Standing.
- | Team | Won | Lost | P.C. |
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| Cincinnati | 6 | 3 | .667 |
| Pittsburg | 4 | 2 | .667 |
| St. Louis | 4 | 3 | .571 |
| Philadelphia | 4 | 3 | .571 |
| Brooklyn | 3 | 3 | .500 |
| Philadelphia | 2 | 5 | .286 |
- American League Games.
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| At Cleveland—St. Louis, 3; Cleveland, 1. |
| At Chicago—Detroit, 3; Chicago, 1 (11 innings). |
| At New York—New York-Washington, rain. |
| At Boston—Boston-Philadelphia, rain. |
- American League Standing.
- | Team | Won | Lost | P.C. |
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| New York | 5 | 2 | .714 |
| Detroit | 5 | 2 | .714 |
| St. Louis | 4 | 2 | .667 |
| Cleveland | 4 | 2 | .667 |
| Boston | 4 | 3 | .571 |
| Philadelphia | 3 | 3 | .500 |
| Chicago | 2 | 5 | .286 |
- Eastern League Games.
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| At Providence—Montreal-Providence, rain. |
| At Baltimore—Baltimore-Rochester, rain. |
| At Jersey City—Jersey City, Buffalo, rain. |
| At Newark—Newark-Toronto, rain. |
| At Northampton—Northampton-New Haven, rain. |
| At New Britain—New Britain-Hartford, rain. |
| All New England League games postponed, rain. |

APPLY FOR CHARTER FOR VALLEY RAILWAY

OTTAWA, April 23.—Senator Costigan today in the Senate introduced a bill respecting the Quebec and New Brunswick Railway Company, increasing bonding power from \$20,000 to \$25,000 a mile, extending the time and extending the authorized line from Coon Rapids to Centerville, thence to Woodstock and by the St. John river valley to St. John.

AMUSEMENTS

"INDIANS AGAINST WHITES" at the NICKEL

Thrilling Photo-Drarna of Pioneer Life on the Plains

"The Story of Psyche" "Shun Evil Companions"

A gripping colored film of a Gripping Story of great

TALKING PICTURE "Where is My Wandering Boy Tonight"

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BIG SATURDAY MATINEE.

NEXT WEEK AT THE PRINCESS

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"Polkmen in Action" "United By Misfortune"

"The Landscape Artists" "Two Vary Funny Comedies"

Hit Song—"I REMEMBER YOU"—Mae Colyer

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A HEALTHY LAND IS SCANDINAVIA

Due to the Hygienic Customs of the People.

LONDON, April 24.—The most healthful countries in Europe, if the death rate be taken as an index, are Sweden and Norway, says Jules Courmont, a Frenchman who was sent on a mission to Scandinavia last year on a mission to Scandinavia. The statistics collected by him indicate that the death rate in Sweden has fallen to 14.5 a 1,000, and in Norway to 13.5. In France the average mortality is 20 a 1,000.

OPERA HOUSE

Matche This Afternoon at 2.30. **THE FRANKIE CARPENTER CO.**

TONIGHT **The Garrison Girl**

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Specialties by Little Bill and Miss Popular Prices.

OPERA HOUSE Next Week—April 25-27, Mr. Arthur McCloskey Presenting **"The Belle"**

"The Lost Paradise" Prices, 25c, 50c, 1.00.

OPERA HOUSE, ONE NIGHT ONLY APRIL 25 Holden's Comedians IN **PIKE'S PEEK** You Must Laugh—You Will Laugh. Prices, 15, 25, 50c.

THE ELECTRIC CRATER


How the Arc Light is Produced Between the Electrodes.

Everybody knows that an arc light is formed by causing an electric current to pass between the points of two carbon rods. One of these is called the positive and the other the negative electrode, and the current passes from the former to the latter. Particles of carbon are carried on from the positive electrode until it becomes cup shaped.

To the little cup thus formed the name of crater is applied, and from this crater four-fifths of the light is emitted. The negative electrode does not become so hot as the other. Between the two a little cloud of vaporized carbon is formed, rising from the crater, and this vapor gives forth a golden-yellow light. But it is overpowered by the light of the crater itself, which has a violet tinge due to the incandescence of solid particles of carbon. The arc of light extended from one electrode to the other also has an axis of violet color which is its most brilliant part. The fact that most of the luminosity comes from the crater explains the reason why the light does not appear equal in all directions. It is brightest from that point of view which shows the largest portion of the crater.

An interesting effect is often noticed when flies or other insects flutter about an arc light. Their shadows cast on a neighboring wall appear gigantic. The reason is that the light of the crater is concentrated in a point smaller than the bodies of the insects, and the boundaries of the shadows consequently widen with increase of distance.

THE ORIGINAL AND ONLY GENUINE BEWARE OF IMITATIONS SOLD ON THE MERITS OF THE LITTLE DIMOND BY MINARD S.



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Y. From, Heber, Vanwart, Hartley and Mrs.

U. S. Consul and Mrs. Willrich; White, Col. G. Roll, D. O. C. and Mrs.; White; Williams, F. E. and Mrs.; Wilson, Alex. and Mrs.; Walker, Thos. M.D.; Walker, Miss; Warner, General White, G. H. and Mrs.; Waring, G. H.; Warner, Miss; Walker, T. Dyess, M.D.; Woods, Miss; White, Frank S. and Mrs.