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### FRATERNAL VISIT.

Last evening a delegation from Brunswick encampment Royal Foresters, paid a fraternal visit to Court Lancaster, I. O. F. at Fairville. A very pleasant evening was spent. Speeches were made by Sir Knights O. Mabey, T. F. Granville and K. Cronk, of the visiting delegation, and an interesting programme of music was carried out. During the evening Mr. Cowan, of Court Lancaster, on its behalf, presented Mr. Allingham with a handsomely upholstered easy chair for the valuable service he had rendered the organization in the past.

### SUBTLE.

Pa (from the upper landing to daughter entertaining her "steady" in the parlor)—Glady's, what time is it? Glady—I don't know, pa; our clock isn't going.  
Pa—How about George?—Richmond Dispatch.

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## LOCAL NEWS.

School books and school supplies at cost to clear. We are going out of this line. McLean's Department Store, 565 Main street.

The sewing circle of the Carleton Free Baptist church will hold a sale and supper in the Oddfellows' Hall, Carleton, on April 3rd.

Rev. E. S. Parker will preach in the Waterloo Street Free Baptist church this evening. Special services will be held every evening this week.

Robertson & Co., Main street grocers, advertise goods landing today on which they will give special reductions to large purchasers.

A social was held in the Tabernacle Baptist church last evening. A musical programme was carried out, and refreshments were served.

Rev. T. S. Vanwart is in the city. He will shortly leave for Deer Island where he will take charge of the Free Baptist church.

A grand concert will be given by the members of the Carleton Baptist Sunday school on next Tuesday evening, March 18th. A choice programme will be given.

Members of the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium classes are getting ready for the night of indoor sports, which will be held about the middle of April in one of the city rinks.

Hay shipments are being quite freely received on the Atlantic division, although shipping from western points has not yet resumed. There are now about six hundred car-loads on the division.

The memorial to the members of the Tabernacle church who died during the recent smallpox epidemic, will, it is expected, take the form of a handsome stained glass window of suitable design.

Miss A. L. Hunt will lecture upon Minor Druidical Remains in England tomorrow afternoon at four o'clock, in the Natural History Society rooms. This lecture is a resume of notes taken from personal investigation.

Mayor Daniel yesterday afternoon distributed among the members of the city council tickets for the lecture to be given by Capt. J. C. Bernier, the Arctic explorer, in the York Theatre on Thursday evening, at which his worship will preside.

Miss Bessie Boyd, daughter of Mrs. Margaret Boyd, died this morning in the General Public Hospital. Miss Boyd was suffering from heart trouble and had been in the hospital for three or four weeks. She was twenty-one years of age.

Last evening a few that hurried from the Queen Rink at the closing of the Neptune Carnival, got into their money than the lingering ones, as they witnessed quite a scrap between some four sailors, in front of the Salvation Army barracks. It was all brought about by an over-abundance of alcoholic juice, and perhaps the absence of the guardians of our peaceful city.

A special meeting of The Saint George's Society will be held at the room (upstairs) in the Orange Hall, Germain street, on Friday evening next, 14th inst., at 8 o'clock, to receive and take action upon the report of the committee appointed at the annual meeting to consider the method of celebrating the centennial of the society.

Yesterday afternoon a young immigrant by the name of Michael Zachary, who was undergoing treatment for trachoma in the G. P. Hospital, while taking an airing in the grounds left without paying his board bill and has not since been heard of. He is probably somewhere in the city awaiting a chance to try to reach his destination.

An item in the Star on Monday stated that George Mitchell and another man had been reported for working in the city, not being ratepayers or having license. Mr. Mitchell writes to the Star that he did not know such a law was in force, and did not refuse to appear in court or pay a license. He adds that in no other town in the United States or Canada does such a law exist.

The death of Wm. Akery, son of Edwin Akery, of St. Leonards, occurred there on Monday, March 3rd, of epilepsy. He was 56 years old and leaves a widow, six sons, three daughters, an aged father and one brother, L. C. Akery, to mourn their loss. Funeral service was held at the Union church, the Rev. Mr. Hopkins officiating and a large number of relatives and friends attended.

### TODAY'S FUNERALS.

The funeral of the late Miss Annie G. Partelow, who died suddenly in Boston on March 10th, took place at half-past three o'clock this afternoon from the Mission church. Services were conducted in the church by the Rev. Owen Jones and the body was interred in Fernhill.

This afternoon the funeral of the late Mrs. Mary Eagles was held from the residence of W. T. Panjoy, 123 Paradise Row. Services were conducted at the house at half-past two o'clock by the Rev. Dr. Fraser, and interment made in the Methodist burying ground. There were no pall-bearers.

### THE VETERANS.

At the meeting of the Fenian Raid Veterans tonight the men who served in South Africa will probably be asked to join with the veterans in the formation of a society which shall include all who have seen active service at any time. As a rule the boys who were in Africa are not in favor of this plan, as there is some talk of a separate association being formed in the near future. They prefer remaining a distinct organization.

There is more actual tea value in a pound of Union Blend than in any other brand. You try it and see!

### EXTENSIVE WORKS.

The C. P. R. Will Enlarge Yards at Bay Shore—Along the Line.

The C. P. R. will this year continue their extensions and improvements on the west side, and as soon as the weather permits the work will be begun. Among the more important extensions will be the building of the second section of the terminal yard at Bay Shore. This section will be built on the north side of the present section, and will consist of eleven storage tracks, eight long ones and three shorter. These tracks will afford accommodation for three hundred and seventy-five additional cars and will add greatly to the freight handling capacity of the yard. Six additional tracks will be provided for entrance to the roundhouse and for work at coaling, and the cinder pits. A new 100 ton track scale, having a platform forty-two feet long, will be provided, and a safety switch placed in position at the eastern end of the yard. Work on the laying of these tracks will be commenced whenever the frost is out of the ground, and one of the steam shovels which was in use here last year will be brought down when required.

In the engine house a new air compressor will be placed for the lifting of heavy weights and for pumping air into the trains to test the air-brakes before the engines hook on. From this compressor an underground system of piping will run all through the yard. The filling in of the new section of Rodney wharf will be carried on at the same time as the tracks are being laid at Bay Shore. All this work means the expenditure of a very large amount of money and the employment of some hundreds of laborers which would indicate that work will be by no means scarce on the west side during the coming summer.

On other parts of the line improvements will also be made. All the crossing sidings on the St. John section of the Atlantic division, sixteen in all, will be lengthened to a uniform length of 2,500 feet.

A considerable amount of line fencing will be done and quite a number of culverts and trestles will be renewed or replaced by more permanent structures.

At Fredericton Junction a baggage shelter will be erected for the purpose of protecting the baggage transferred from the main to the branch line. Eight commodious cottages for the use of employees will be built at McAdam, and additional mileage of heavy steel rails will be put down on the sections in Maine.

### ADDRESS AND PRESENTATION.

On 17th Anniversary of Marriage of Rev. Geo. A. and Mrs. Sellar.

Last evening some 75 members of Carmarthen street Methodist church called on the Rev. Mr. and Mrs. Geo. A. Sellar, at the parsonage, to congratulate them on the 17th anniversary of their marriage. Although taken entirely by surprise, the worthy pastor and his wife made the visitors welcome and the parsonage was thrown open and a very pleasant evening spent in conversation, games, music, etc.

During the evening the assembly was called to order, and on behalf of the members and friends of the congregation E. M. Robertson read an address and presented Mr. and Mrs. Sellar with a very fine china tea service, scallop dish, and a dozen silver spoons, engraved. The address was as follows:

"Dear Mr. and Mrs. Sellar.—On behalf of the members of your church and congregation and friends here assembled, I desire to present you with these tokens of their love and esteem, and we trust that our Heavenly Father, whom you love and so loyally serve, will spare your united lives to see many more wedding anniversaries, and make you a source of blessing to those with whom your lot may be cast. "Please accept these, and may they ever bring to mind the kindly feelings that we of Carmarthen street church have for you both."

The pastor made a very feeling and felicitous response, and Bless Be the Tie That Binds was sung.

Afterwards a committee of ladies served coffee and refreshments to all, and the gathering broke up about 12 o'clock, feeling that they had spent one of the most enjoyable evenings in the history of the church.

### FOR FALSE ARREST.

Before Judge Gregory in circuit court this morning the case of White v. Hamm was continued. This is an action for false arrest. The plaintiff was arrested for stealing a horse from John Ferris. It was claimed on behalf of the plaintiff that he was informed by another boy that Mr. Ferris had loaned the horse to him. This Mr. Ferris denied today. Officer Hamm arrested White. Evidence on behalf of the plaintiff was furnished this morning and the defence was taken up. G. H. V. Belyea and W. B. Wallace, K. C., for the plaintiff, and C. N. Skinner, K. C., for the defendant.

### MARITIME CHAMPIONSHIPS.

Despite the present mild spell the skaters are putting the finishing touches on their training. Ribbons in plain effects and of soft materials will be largely used. Nets and chiffons also are largely shown.

### A MILITARY HINT.

Osprays are revived again in pat trimmings, the favorite being the long, straight effect. Linen batiste materials are very popular, both for the making and trimming of hats. Ribbons in plain effects and of soft materials will be largely used. Nets and chiffons also are largely shown.

### 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.

### POLICE COURT.

No arrests were made by the police last night.

Bobby Hicks for stabbing Kate Barrigan on Thursday last, was fined forty dollars or two months in jail. The sentence was allowed to stand upon the condition that Hicks keeps away from Sheffield street and avoids the Barrigan woman. Bobby promised to do so, and was allowed to go.

A number of drivers of the St. John Ice Co. were reported for encumbering Marsh street with sleighs. It was stated that Marsh street is not an incorporated street, but Mr. Houston, who makes the complaint, claims that it is. The matter was postponed until Tuesday.

James Gillespie of Green & Gillespie, reported for allowing water to flow over the sidewalk on Peters street, said that it was the same old thing which has repeatedly been reported and with which his firm has nothing to do. He stated that James Christie was the one who should have been reported and the matter was allowed to stand until Mr. Christie could be notified.

Timothy Burke, who fainted yesterday in the courtroom, is still in jail and was too sick to be brought in for trial this morning.

### ROCHE-FOUNTAIN.

J. M. Roche, formerly of New York and now of St. John, was this morning united in marriage to Miss Daisy B. Fountain, daughter of H. Clinton Fountain of Eastport, Me. The ceremony was performed at seven o'clock at the residence of the bride's father, Broadway, Eastport, in the presence of a number of friends. Both parties were unattended. After the ceremony breakfast was served and Mr. and Mrs. Roche left for a short trip to provincial points. On their arrival in St. John they will reside at 244 King street east. The bride, who is one of the most popular young ladies of Eastport, was the recipient of many beautiful and costly gifts.

Mr. Roche has been engaged in photography in St. John for some months, and having recently formed a partnership with Gilbert Davidson, will open a business in the premises now occupied by C. B. Robertson, on June 1st.

### JAMES H. WALLACE.

On Thursday afternoon, Feb. 27, James H. Wallace died at the home of his son William, in Springfield, Me. He was born in Blissfield, N. B., Nov. 23, 1820, and was the last of a family of twelve children. He married Susan Moores in Blissfield in 1844; the union proved a happy one which was broken only by the death of his companion on December 24, 1901. They went to Maine in 1849 and settled in Carroll, where they made for themselves a home, where they lived 50 years. Years were spent in clearing land and bringing a farm under good cultivation, while the winters were given to lumbering. The home was made cheerful by the advent of boys and girls to the number of ten, all but two of whom are now living.

### WARNING TO BOYS.

In the police court this morning Sitting Magistrate Henderson referred to the conduct of newsboys and others in and about the post office. A great many complaints have been made by citizens in regard to the actions of these boys who gather round the building and besides annoying all who call at the office, play marbles and other games on the floor and outside on the pavement. The post office officials state that they have been unable to stop the noise and unruly conduct and asked that a warning be given from the police court. In the future, all boys found acting in a disorderly manner in or near the post office will be severely dealt with.

### MISSIONARY AID SOCIETY.

The fifth fortnightly meeting in the course of mission study adopted by the Baptist Missionary Aid Society was held last evening at the residence of N. C. Scott, Douglas avenue. A paper on mission work during the time of John Knox was read by Mrs. E. M. Sipprell, and the lesson taught by Mrs. J. W. McAlary. Mrs. H. F. Waring reviewed the lesson taught at the previous meeting and interesting addresses were given by Mrs. S. McCully Black and Mrs. J. W. Manning. The next meeting will be held on March 25th at the residence of Mrs. E. L. Rising, 62 Queen street.

### BOYS' MISSION.

Tomorrow evening an illustrated lecture on the war in South Africa will be given in the Boys' Mission on Mill street. Besides the views illustrating the lesson, a number of others will be given. On Tuesday evening next the boys of the mission, assisted by a number of their friends, will give a concert in the Carleton City Hall. Among other numbers on the programme will be juggling by Orr brothers, bone playing by Bond brothers, whistling by Walter Nixon and experiments in hypnotism by Johnny Taylor.

### TAKING ON A NEW LEASE.

Chambers Lodge, No. 1, Ancient Order of United Workmen, had a very interesting meeting on Monday night last. After the usual routine of business one candidate received the Master Workman degree. This lodge now has on its roll book 117 members, with two applications received, and others to follow. Initiations will be in order at their following lodge meetings, which are on the second and fourth Monday of each month.

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### A TALE OF THE SEA.

And the Fare the Daisy Lindon Brought to St. John.

Digby, thrusting its fore foot out on stilts into the tide of Fundy, calls itself a fish emporium, and talks patronizingly about St. John and Yarmouth and Westport and other places where the toilers of the sea take their fares for a market.

But Digby has been weighed in the fish scales and found wanting. When the good schooner Daisy Lindon, Capt. Arthur Longmire, lowered her sails at Digby pier and offered 133,000 lbs. of mixed fish from Brown's Banks, to the westward of Cape Sable—Digby wa'n't in it. It was the biggest fare Digby had ever seen, and there wasn't room for it. Therefore the Daisy had to hoist her sails again, and come over to St. John, arriving here on Sunday night. Here the fish were bought by Leonard Bros. and E. M. Robertson, and St. John thus asserts her supremacy as a market to which the fishermen should hike his haddock and hake.

The Daisy Lindon carries twenty men, and they say she is high line of all the fleets from over the bay. On March 5th, the last day the crew fished on the banks, a southeaster came up with terrific force and the seas broke over her, smashing dories and washing away some thousands of pounds of fish. But there were enough fish left to make the Digby dealers very tired.

The steamer Lake Michigan, which has been in quarantine since Sunday, has been fumigated and will probably be moved up this afternoon to fit up so that she may take aboard her cargo of horses. All but two of the steamers officers are now in quarantine at Partridge Island.

### NOVA SCOTIANS.

Who Were Probably Lost With Schooner Alva.

Sch. Alva of Gloucester, Mass., Capt. William McDonald, sailed from there January 25, bound on a two or three weeks' winter haddocking trip to Georges. The craft now has been absent over six weeks, and during that time has not been seen, spoken or reported at any harbor on the Atlantic coast.

As the vessel was only fitted for a short trip of two or three weeks, and in twice that length of time has not been heard from, there is not much doubt but what she has been lost in one of the many severe gales which swept over Georges during February or the latter part of January, while it is also felt that the only hope for her crew of 18 hardy men is that they may have been picked off by some sailing vessel bound for some distant port and which as not yet reached its destination. This hope is slight, however, and it is felt among fishermen that the Alva and her crew will never be heard from.

Nearly all of the crew are from Nova Scotia. They include: Capt. William McDonald, aged 55, native of Mulgrave, N. S.; Simon Langley, 50, Arichat; William Peoples, 38, Canso; Ephraim Thorburn, 40, Sheburne; Geo. Hawkins, 25, Beaver Harbor; Geo. Stone, 25, St. Peters, C. B.; Capt. J. E. Dall, 53, Lockeport; Charles Forest, 30, Arichat; William Doucet, 30, Meteghan; Edward Williams, 41, Lockeport; Robert McKinnon, 30, Arichat; Malcolm Edwards, 35, Arichat; Joseph Chisholm, 29, L'Ardoise; C. B. Joseph Rogers, Pirate Cove, and a man named LeBlanc of Arichat.

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