

THE EVENING TIMES, ST. JOHN, N. B., THURSDAY, MARCH 30, 1905.

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Local News.

Canadian Pacific Steamer "Empress China" left Hong Kong Wednesday, March 29th for Vancouver.

Ship Charles S. Whitney, 1801 tons, of Parrboro, N. S., left the Burleson yard, Fort Richmond, B. I., being altered into a barge.

The treasury board meets this afternoon. The estimates will be considered. There will be a meeting of the common council tomorrow.

The funeral of the late Elizabeth Hutchings, Cook place this afternoon from her late residence, 73 Mecklenburg street. Interment was in Fernhill.

Send your orders for potatoes to Chas. F. Francis & Co., 151 Charlotte street, and 70 & 72 Mill St. A car of choice potatoes to arrive Saturday. They will be sold at unusually low prices.

T. T. LeBlanc, of Moncton, who has been in Boston for some weeks on a business trip returned today. While in Boston Mr. LeBlanc met many of the old Moncton boys whom he says are all doing well.

A Japanese concert will be given in the lecture room of St. David's church, on Tuesday evening next, when some of the best local talent will take part. A silver collection will be taken at the door.

D. Bassen of St. George, has spent the last week in St. John on business. Mr. Bassen has engaged Miss L. J. Gilson, formerly with Messrs. Morrill & Sutherland.

The new advertisement of W. A. Oathers & Co., will be found today on page 4. Their store at 155 Prince Wm. street, has been entirely remodelled and presents an attractive appearance. They carry a stock of products which for quality and goodness is not surpassed by any store in town. Persons who are particular about their table supplies, will do well to investigate. Not only are the goods first-class but the prices are so reasonable that you will be astonished at the saving possible, through one small order placed with Oathers & Co. Call and see.

THEIR CALL IS RESENTED

Messrs. Prosser, Perkins and Kilpatrick Not Wanted in Pool Rooms.

Eben Perkins, Rev. A. J. Prosser, and Police Sgt. Kilpatrick paid an unexpected visit to the north end pool rooms Tuesday night.

The proprietors of these establishments opened their eyes and picked up their ears at having such distinguished visitors at their places of business, and those who happened to be enjoying a quiet game of pool wondered, probably, if the trio had not dropped in hoping that some one would throw down the gauntlet for a game of "ten on the ladder."

Be this as it may, the visit was undoubtedly a huge surprise to both proprietors and players, and many of the former were indignant that anybody would "go out of their way to interfere with the affairs of other people."

An Indian town man, who conducts a restaurant, pool room and saloon, addressed the visitors in language that could leave no doubt in their minds as to what he meant. "You had better go and attend to your congregation. You'll find that you have enough to do there, without trying to find out sins in others. He also informed Mr. Perkins that his time would be much more profitably employed in the pursuit of his business, than in assisting the police in performing their duties, a matter for which he, as well as other citizens were already paying taxes.

Nor did the visitors confine themselves to the pool rooms alone. Main street liquor dealer told the Times that he also was honored by a visit from the trio. "I think," he said, "that they were considerably out of their way in taking such a step, and I am sure that if the chief of police were aware of it, he would never have allowed one of his men to accompany these gentlemen on such an errand."

The indignant bar keeper concluded his remarks by stating that he did not understand why "an American wanted to come in here and meddle with such matters."

The feeling prevails among the proprietors of pool rooms and beer shops that Mr. Perkins is "an outsider" and has no right to interfere with their business.

GOSPEL SERVICES.

The series of special services in Centenary church which have been conducted during the present and past week will be brought to a close this evening. Rev. Dr. Bates has been well received by the people here and his various meetings have greeted him with the loudest applause. The services today are as follows—At 8 p. m. and 11:15 there will be special views, and at 7:30 p. m. a praise and thanksgiving meeting, and at 8 o'clock the usual preaching service. The invitation is extended to all to attend these meetings, and they are assured a real treat, as Dr. Bates is a powerful speaker who holds the attention of his audience throughout.

NEWS FROM NORTH END

On Douglas Avenue.

"Had it not been for the street railway people, the residents of Douglas Avenue would never have been able to reach their homes with dry feet, during the past winter," remarked a prominent north end merchant to the Times, yesterday. "In the large majority of cases, the sidewalks were entirely neglected, and with the exception of the portion traversed by the electric cars, the roads were in a wretched condition, and practically unfit for pedestrians; and so it was that those who were not in the habit of riding were unable to reach their homes with dry feet."

"The cars are also of inestimable benefit in summer, not only on rainy days, but when the roads are swept by blinding clouds of dust, for it is an undeniable fact that the watering cart is seldom or never seen on the avenue."

Pleasant Evenings.

There was a large attendance at the "North End Night" conducted by the B. Y. P. U. of Main street Baptist church, last night. Interesting readings were read by Mrs. H. H. Thorne on the importance of the work in the Northwest, both evangelistic and national; by W. H. MacIntyre on the Urgency and Encouragement of Work in the Northwest; by Miss Pearl Sprague on Work Among the Russians and Galicians, in that Country, Solos were sung by Miss Hilda Hawhurst, and Dr. J. A. MacIntyre. Selections from Ralph Connor's Prospect were read by Mrs. H. H. Colpitts, while Rev. H. H. Colpitts gave a short address on the work of Rev. Jeremiah Clark. The following six little girls gave a mission dialogue: Mabel Edlin, Gertrude Phillips, Edna Myles, Louise W. White, Kitty Patterson, and Enid McIntyre, L. H. Thorne was in the chair.

Minor Notes.

The first of a series of evangelistic services in Portland Methodist church, was conducted by Rev. Malville A. Shaver last night. There was a good attendance, and there are already signs of deep interest. To these evangelistic services, the public generally are cordially invited.

"The 'Serena 2' left Indian town for Grand Bay yesterday, but could not get beyond Green Head on account of the ice.

Stanford White has arrived from Rousesburg where he has been employed in Taylor & White's lumber camp. He will be employed at Indian town, by P. Nasé & Son.

Jordan's mill was shut down yesterday afternoon to enable the mill to attend the funeral of John Delaney, one of the mill hands.

Stanger "Gliffen" was taken through the falls, to Hilyard's blocks where she will be calked and painted preparatory to being placed on her route for the summer.

A number of men rowed from Land's End to Indian town today. They report that the river is open at Carter's Point. It is also reported that the ice on the Long Reach has become honeycombed, and it is expected that there will be open water in a few days.

Chas. Huggard left yesterday for Boar's Head.

Fred W. McAlary who for the past three days has been confined to his bed through illness was out today. It is understood that Glavier's fleet of tug-boats will go up river some time next week.

A. Y. Patterson will remove his jewelry establishment to the store now occupied by D. A. Gibson at Indian town. Mr. Gibson will occupy a store further up Main street.

FISH MARKET.

There is a Great Scarcity of Fresh Fish at Present.

There is a great scarcity of fresh fish in the city at present. The fish market this morning, had a very meagre supply, and in conversation with one of the prominent dealers here, it was learned that all kinds of fish were scarce just now, and that there was very little local fishing. There has been some attempt made to get gaspereaux, but the results have not been very gratifying. It is said that some fishermen here, who have been using the winter gear, are changing to the summer gear and lines, and this in part accounts for the scarcity just now.

The Halifax fishermen have been having better luck than our local men, and there will be a supply of fish here tonight, for tomorrow's trade. It is also probable that the local men may prove more fortunate in their gaspereaux fishing, and that these members of the harbor fraternity may be added to the bill-of-fare. The list for tomorrow will include: halibut, 15c. by cod, 6c. by, haddock, 5 c. lb.; smoked bladders and haddocks. In salt fish, there will be shad, mackerel, herring and cod.

INVENTORS WORK.

The following Canadian patents have been recently secured through the agency of Messrs. Macdon & Macdon, Patent Attorneys, Montreal, Canada, and Washington, D. C. Information regarding any of the patents cited will be supplied free of charge by applying to the above named firm.

No. 91,590—Fascial Dergmaia, Montreal, Que. No. 91,591—Hay press. No. 91,592—Thomas McLennan, Belmont, Ont. No. 91,593—Horse shoe. No. 91,594—Saw tensioning device. No. 91,595—Frederic Paul, Jr., Sorel, Que. No. 91,596—Air forcing mechanism. No. 91,597—Napoleon. No. 91,598—Loose leaf file. No. 91,599—David. No. 91,600—Charles. No. 91,601—Gaining machine. No. 91,602—Charles McDonald, Sydney, C. B. No. 91,603—E. B. Car coupling. No. 91,604—Samuel Saavara, St. Hyacinthe, Que. No. 91,605—Arthur McLean, Sydney, C. B. No. 91,606—Thomas. No. 91,607—Joseph S. N. Gindon, Montreal, Que. No. 91,608—The "Investor's Adviser" is just published. Any one interested in patents or inventions should apply to Messrs. Macdon & Macdon, Patent Attorneys, Montreal, Canada, and Washington, D. C.

Contestants for the Scholarship Prizes.

Vote for Your Favorite.

Name the person you wish your votes to count for and state the number of months the paper is to be delivered. It is all that need be sent with the coupon as our collector will call thereafter. Send in your subscription to THE EVENING TIMES and help these deserving young people.

Table with 2 columns: Name, Votes. Includes W. R. McDonald (12), Jos. Donovan (40), Frank L. Giggery (150), Edward Bond (325), Miss A. B. McGinley (1), Miss McKinnon (3), Miss Pearl Eagles (6), Miss A. B. McGinley (2,252), Miss McKinnon (15,674), Miss Pearl Eagles (1300), Miss A. B. McGinley (24), Miss McKinnon (12), Miss Pearl Eagles (12).

ADOLPHUS HEPBURN WAS FOUND DEAD THIS MORNING.

A Lombard Street Milkman Was Discovered By Officer Isaac Stevens at an Early Hour on the Sidewalk—Life Was Extinct.

Adolphus Hepburn, a milkman, whose home is on Lombard street, was found dead this morning, by Officer Isaac Stevens, on his way to work, and found Mr. Hepburn lying on the sidewalk about ten feet from his own house. He was doubled up, his knees being drawn up nearly to his chin. A lighted lantern was between his arms and chest, and his clothing was on fire. Officer Stevens, on finding that the man was dead, notified the occupants of a house owned by a man named Collins, at which threshold Mr. Hepburn was living. Miss Collins, who was then in bed, dressed herself, and went out into the street, and at once identified the dead man. She notified his wife, who had had her breakfast, and who had been told that the milkman had been killed. Sergeant Kilpatrick happened along and made known the facts to Coroner Barry, who ordered the body to be removed to the coroner's home. A short time later, the body was taken to the morgue, and viewed by the coroner. He does not think that an inquest will be necessary. The general opinion about the affair, is that Mr. Hepburn had delivered milk in Mr. Collins' house, and tripped while coming down the stairs, and fell striking his head on the sidewalk.

NO MAIL SINCE LAST FRIDAY.

Lepreux People Are Wondering What is the Matter.

Thos. Stinson of Lepreux, was in the city this morning, and in conversation with the Times, he stated that they had received no mail at Lepreux since last Friday. Mr. Stinson cannot understand why this should be, and the roads are in very fair condition, and teams are passing through there every day. This morning, he left a dozen teams, loaded with supplies for the lumbermen, left the city, and it is expected that they will reach Lepreux by heavy loads, can go over the road, the post-office authorities could surely have the mail taken down the same way. It is a great annoyance and inconvenience, to have to wait a week or more for mail to be delivered when there is a way out of the difficulty, if the authorities would only attend to it.

T. F. KIDNER IS IN TOWN TO-DAY

In Connection With the Household Science Department at Kingston.

T. F. Kidner, the Director of Manual Training Schools, is here today looking after the equipment for the Household Science Department at the Kingston Consolidated School. The fixtures and furniture have been made by the Home Working Co., and will be shipped within a day or two from this city. Mr. Kidner expects the teacher to arrive from England in about a fortnight's time. As in the case of the Manual Training work, it is found necessary to import teachers from first, but several provincial teachers are now taking courses to qualify them as instructors, and it seems quite likely that their services will be required in some of our schools next year.

MISSIONARY MEETINGS.

The executive committee of the various Women's Missionary Societies, of the city, decided, at the beginning of the year, to have two additional meetings similar to those held during the week of Prayer, on the first Wednesday in April, and October.

The April meeting will be held on the afternoon of next Wednesday (April 26th), in the school-room of St. John's Presbyterian church, beginning at 8 o'clock. The first half of the meeting will be devoted to prayer; the last half to a discussion, led by a short paper, on "Prayer, the Power behind the Missionary." All are cordially invited.

PERSONAL INTELLIGENCE.

H. F. Douglas, B. B. Liance, of Portland, Me., are at the Grand Union. They are on a trip to the provinces and intend visiting points of interest.

Rev. John D. Freeman, pastor of Blair street Baptist church, preached the 22nd anniversary services of the Belleville Baptist church on Sunday—Toronto News.

The marriage of Miss Louise City of St. John, N. B., to John Stephen of the Bank of British North America, Hamilton, will take place in Montreal on April 19th—Montreal Star.

Mrs. W. H. Chalmers arrived from Montreal yesterday and is a guest at the Royal with her mother, Mrs. E. P. Twissell. Mrs. Twissell and Mrs. F. Twissell, left Montreal for the former's home in Bath, Me.

MACAULAY BROS. & Co.

We are showing a select stock of LACE ALL-OVERS, in all the latest and most popular makes for York.

Deep Cuffs, Collars, etc. They come in White, Paris shade, Black and Butter Color, from very fine Sheer Valenciennes to heavy plain Lace.

ALL WIDTH IN LACES AND INSERTION. Laces to match the All-over Laces, in cream, white, blacks, paris and butter.

NEW CHIFFON TAFFETA RIBBONS. In every shade, 4 1/2 to 6 inches width, as now used for Neck-wear and Millinery, 30c., 85c., 40c., per yard.

MACAULAY BROS. & Co.

The Attractions of Our Stores Are Their Low Prices. D. A. KENNEDY, 32-36 King Square.

YOU CAN BUY DRY GOODS HERE DURING THIS SALE AT WONDERFUL LOW PRICES TO CLEAR. Come in and get a big bargain.

LACE CURTAINS, DRESS GOODS, MEN'S SHIRTS AND DRAWERS, REGATTA SHIRTS, LADIES' HOSE, LADIES' WHITEWEAR, LADIES' CORSETS, TABLE LINENS, COTTONS, PRINTS.

Cash will buy a large parcel here. Goods must be sold.

33-3 DISCOUNT Note Paper and Envelopes, Perfumes, Toilet Waters, Soaps, Household Requisites, Engravings and Water Colors framed, Wrist Bags, Oriental China at 33-3 discount FLOOD'S

GLOBE CLOTHING STORE.

A very large spring stock of Tailor-Made Clothing just opened in all the best colors in Hairline Worsted Diagonals and Tweeds, heavy and light weights, also Suits, and separate Pants and Vests, all at bottom prices, with a full line of Youths' and Boys' Suits, all tailor-made. Large assortment of Underwear, Collars and Neck Ties, latest designs. Braces and Sox. Suit Cases, \$1.50 up. Goods made to measure and trimmed at \$8.00 per suit at

THE GLOBE, 7 & 9 Foot of King Street.

I. C. R. NIGHT TRAINS.

The Public Claimers for a Better Service Between St. John and Halifax.

Again and again it is that question re-iterated—"When will the night trains be resumed on the I. C. R. between St. John and Halifax?"

A traveller stopped a Times reporter at the station this morning, and asked the above question. The reporter replied that he could not secure any information from the I. C. R. officials. At headquarters here, they know nothing, and as far as Moncton is concerned, very little information can be gleaned; although a well grounded rumor is afoot that the service will be re-installed about the first of April.

Another I. C. R. man who has been around the station on many occasions said—"The present state of affairs is decidedly objectionable. Why, it is a usual occurrence to see a woman with two or three children land here, expecting through transportation to points in Nova Scotia. These families are not in many cases very well fixed financially, and are compelled to put up over night at an unnecessary expense. Surely the numerous attempts to escape from I. C. R. will get a move on and remedy the present objectionable condition of affairs."

Mrs. Anglin, wife of Superintendent Anglin of the Provincial Hospital for the Insane, is here with Superintendent Anglin for a few days. They are guests at the Queen hotel. Rev. Father Doyle, of Milltown, is a guest of Rev. Father Carney today—Presbyterian Gleaser.

POTATOAS.

To Arrive April 1st—1 Car Choice Potatoes.

Orders taken for delivery from car at specially low prices.

CHAS. F. FRANCIS & Co., 141 Charlotte Street, 70 and 72 Mill Street.

SCARED THEM WHITE.

Two young men who are clerks in an uptown grocery assert that they have seen white mice in the cellar of the building on numerous occasions. Both young men are said to be temperate, so the statement should be worth something. One of the parties suggested that the mice had made their way into the building through the numerous attempts to escape from I. C. R. will get a move on and remedy the present objectionable condition of affairs.

A fool man will go through any old thing for a pretty thing—even through his bank account.

AGAINST BUCKET SHOPS.

Albany, N. Y., Mar. 30.—A bill proposed to prohibit all "bucket shops" and "bucket-broking" in this state was introduced in the assembly today. The bill prescribes a penalty of not less than six months imprisonment for exhibiting stock quotations for transfer, purchase or sale on margins and other fictitious stock transactions.