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BURIED TODAY. The funeral of the late Mrs. Mary Lucy will be held at half-past two o'clock this afternoon from her late home on Brussels street. The body was taken to the cathedral, where service was conducted by Rev. A. W. Meehan, after which interment was made in the new Catholic cemetery. The body of the late Mrs. Mary Barry was taken to St. John's at seven o'clock this morning. Interment will be made in the Catholic graveyard there this afternoon, Rev. Fr. McDermid officiating. Mrs. Barry died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Thomas Donohoe, City road, on Wednesday.

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STORE OPEN EVENINGS

THE WEATHER.

The highest temperature today was 23; lowest temperature, 15; temperature at noon, 23. Wind at noon, S. W., with a velocity of 20 miles per hour. TORONTO, Jan. 22.—Forecast:—Fresh southwest, shifting to northwest and north winds, generally fair, with local snow showers, turning colder tonight and on Saturday.

LOCAL NEWS.

The noon trains today were each about half an hour late. The steamship Empress of India arrived at Hong Kong on January 21st. Band at the Carleton open air rink tonight and tomorrow afternoon.

There will be a special meeting of the Thistle Curling Club tonight at 7.30 o'clock.

A preparatory service will be held tonight at 8 o'clock at St. Stephen's church. Rev. Mr. Rainnie will preach.

The splendid biograph pictures will be shown at the York Theatre this evening and tomorrow afternoon and evening.

The regular meeting of the Trades and Labor Council will be held tonight at Labor Hall.

Breen, Dalton, Daley, Semple and Leman will be in the races at Carleton open air rink next Monday night for gold and silver medals.

R. J. Wilkins, at 81 King street, keeps the best imported cigars, always in stock. Every requisite for the smoker can be procured at this store.

Men are at work repairing the Connolly dredge International, preparatory to its removal to Quebec as soon as the conditions of navigation permit.

More freight was received at Sand Point yesterday than either of the two preceding days and it is hoped that the delay in moving it has been overcome.

A concert will be held in Glad Tidings hall, Brussels street, tomorrow evening, in connection with Glad Tidings Mission. Miss Rogers, the elocutionist, will read, and Rev. G. M. Campbell will give an address.

The Allan Line Numidian takes the place of the Bavarian on the present trip while the latter is laid up for repairs and is due in Halifax on Sunday. She is bringing about two hundred and sixty passengers.

The marriage took place at Bale Verte, yesterday of Dr. Lunan, of Campbellton, and Miss Elsie Harper, daughter of Capt. Harper, Bale Verte. Miss Fannie Harris, of Sackville, was bridesmaid, while A. G. McKennie, of Campbellton, supported the groom.

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IMMIGRATION MATTERS. There was a general clearing out of immigrants from the building at Sand Point today. About fifty-five were detained from the arrivals on the Lake Champlain by the Canadian examiners and twenty of these were forwarded to their destinations yesterday. Of the remainder eighteen more were sent away today, and the remainder, who are all suffering from trachoma, are being taken to the General Public Hospital. None of the Canadian immigrants on the Champlain will be deported.

The American commissioners are holding about twenty-five persons who will be sent back to the steamer. Fred Lundberg, formerly of the American immigration staff in Halifax, has been transferred to St. John to replace William Van Howard, who was compelled to go south for the benefit of his health.

HOCKEYISTS IN TOWN. The Fredericton and St. Stephen hockey teams, which will play the Beavers and Mohawks tonight in Queen's Rink, arrived on the noon train today and are quartered at the Dufferin Hotel. The St. Stephen team, with substitutes and supporters, consists of P. McGarrity, John Wall, J. Greene, Al. McWha, Frank Holt, P. McWha, Hugh McBride, B. Moore, H. L. Manser, H. W. Whelock. The Fredericton team is made up of C. H. Allen, K. C. Allen, S. W. Babbitt, H. K. Babbitt, S. Staples, C. Coleman, G. Ferguson. The first game will be called at 8 o'clock.

POLICE COURT. In the police court this morning John Collins, a sailor off the Lake Champlain, who has been giving practical lessons in the methods of irrigating the asopagus was fined four dollars, but will probably be sent back to his ship. The crew of the Lake Champlain seem to be unusually thirsty this trip.

WANT NEW ORGANIST. The position of organist in St. Andrew's church has been declared vacant. Mr. Ely, who came here last summer, having left the city. William A. McKie of Charlottetown is spoken of as a possible successor to Mr. Ely. Mr. McKie is a pupil of W. Harry Watts, formerly of Moncton, and possesses no small ability. He played in several St. John churches during the autumn.

CARPENTERS AND JOINERS. Donald Glass, of Buffalo, organizer for the Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners, is expected to arrive in St. John tomorrow on the Boston train. He comes at the request of W. D. Huber, grand president of the brotherhood, and is expected to spend some days in the city.

Rifle competitions are now the prevailing entertainments. A fine shooting gallery is provided at Wilkins' cigar and tobacco store, 51 King street.

THE ALMSHOUSE.

The alms-house commissioners are this year, more than ever, finding themselves up against the proposition of how to secure the necessary labor for the management of the alms-house. Ever since the establishment of the home of the Good Shepherd, and the Salvation Army Rescue Home, this matter has been becoming more serious, until now it causes the commissioners no small amount of worry. In the past, women who were brought before the police magistrate on minor offences were sentenced to terms in the alms-house, but now they all go to either the jail or the Good Shepherd. These women were of much assistance to the matron of the alms-house, as they were put to work at scrubbing and washing and many other necessary occupations, but now that the women do not go to the alms-house it is a matter of no small concern as to how this work is to be done. Then in the past many children were born in the alms-house, and many others were taken in with their mothers. When the mothers were able to be about the house they helped to pay their support and attention by doing many of the lighter tasks, while some of the older inmates who were unable to work looked after the children. During the last few years there has been a decided falling off in the number of mothers and children admitted, and the great majority of inmates are now too old to work or are incapacitated by disease. The alms-house is a refuge for the destitute, a home for the fallen soldier, a shelter for the orphan, but its work now is almost confined to the two former classes of inmates, and these are nearly all unable to work. Many applications used to be received for the admission of illegitimate children, and these when from the city were admitted along with their mothers. But applications were also received from outside for the admission of children alone, and under the rules of the alms-house such applicants could not be taken. Since the establishment of the Salvation Army home so many of these applications, but attention has been paid to the matter, and one of the commissioners is authorized by the statement that "St. John is rapidly becoming a dumping ground for illegitimate children." These infants may or may not become public charges, but it is so that while in the past they were kept by their mothers in different parts of the province, many of them are now sent to St. John, where they can be placed in a home, and the unmarried parents relieved of their care. The commissioners do not see their way clearly out of the present difficulty of securing help, and an increase in the management of the alms-house may be the unavoidable consequence.

PERSONAL.

S. L. Hamilton and W. A. Cline of Sydney are at the Dufferin. Rev. J. B. Cropper, a returned missionary from British Guiana, arrived in St. John. A Smith of Campbellton is in the city. Mrs. J. G. Stevens, Mrs. W. C. H. Grimmer and Mrs. Burdett of St. Stephen are in the city, where they were visiting Mrs. Whelpley's sister, Mrs. Edwin Golding. Miss Martha A. Morton left last evening for Hartford, Conn., to resume her studies in the Hartford Hospital and Training School for Nurses. John A. Watson slipped on the ice Wednesday evening while leaving Masonic hall, and besides badly spraining his ankle, he injured his back. Miss Robinson of St. John is the guest of Miss Burchill, Nelson—Chatham. Mr. and Mrs. R. Walcott of Halifax are at the Dufferin. Miss Mabel Thomson, of St. John, N. B., is in Ottawa, the guest of Mrs. A. G. Blair. J. R. McFarlane, of Brock & Patterson, is a passenger for New York by Wednesday's P. R. train, from which place he will sail tomorrow for Liverpool by the S. S. Lucania, on a buying trip for his house.

1,200 CATTLE TODAY.

A train of thirty-one cars of cattle for the Donaldson boat Indiant came in about one o'clock today and another for the Pretorian is expected at four with 28 cars for the Pretorian. In all there will be about 1,200 head, all of which will be taken around to Sand Point for loading. The barge which was built to transfer the cattle across the harbor and save train hauling and bridge tolls is practically ready, and the majority of the steamship people are anxious to do their loading by means of it. But the consent of the shippers has to be obtained, and it is understood that the C. P. R. people are obfuscating reasons are inclined to hinder the carrying out of the scheme.

POLICE SPORTS.

The following officers will be in charge of the policemen's sports this evening: Referee, Mayor White. Judges, W. Walker Clark, Edward Sears, John Wilson. Timers, D. C. Clinch, E. D. Jewett, C. W. Bell. Scorers, Evart Cameron, Stephen Gerov. Starter, Robert A. Watson. Clerks, P. B. Holman, Stevens, Harry Ervin. Announcer, Charles Brown.

FRANCE AND CATHOLICS.

Archbishop Ireland's Appeal in Behalf of Passionist Fathers.

ST. PAUL, Minn., Jan. 22.—The Globe says: Archbishop Ireland has addressed a communication to M. Del Casse, the French minister of foreign affairs, on behalf of the English Passionist fathers of the Catholic church in Paris, who, according to the present French government policy, are about to be forcibly dispersed. Archbishop Ireland informs M. Del Casse that the dispersal of the Passionist fathers will be viewed with repugnance and horror by the American people. He adds that such procedure would be considered in this country a persecution of a character utterly alien to American ideals. In this way, the archbishop declares, such a policy would do much to alter the esteem and respect mutually existing between the two countries, which he has hitherto done his utmost to foster. The archbishop further says that should the Passionist fathers be dispersed, he would feel like a stranger in Paris on his next visit, and numerous Americans who have worshipped at the church on the Avenue Hoche will feel the same way. It is understood that in making this appeal on behalf of the Passionist fathers, Archbishop Ireland was joined by General Porter and Sir E. J. Monson, the American and British ambassadors at Paris, but despite the influence brought to bear, word has been received in St. Paul from members of the Passionist order that M. Combes, the French prime minister, has determined to make a clean sweep of the Passionist congregation.

DRASTIC MEASURES.

To Crush out the Plague in Mexico — Burning the Houses.

LOS ANGELES, Calif., Jan. 22.—Charles M. Rhodes of Philadelphia, a capitalist interested in mining property near the city of Mazatlan, Mexico, has arrived at Los Angeles. He was obliged to charter a steamer to go from Mazatlan to Guaymas, where his party was quarantined for ten days. Mr. Rhodes says: "In Mazatlan the plague is confined to the poor class of natives, even to the apparent exclusion of the few Chinese. Of course a panic has been created among the population, and thousands of people have fled to the mountains. The quarantine at Guaymas was very thorough, and I see no reason why the people of Southern California need have any fear of the spread of the plague this way, from Mexico. Guaymas was thoroughly cleansed by the authorities and presents an ideal aspect from a sanitary point of view. In Mazatlan, the centre of the plague, the sanitary conditions were deplorable, and it may be a hard matter to stamp it out among the miserably poor people of the place. The Mexican authorities have appropriated \$100,000 for fighting the plague in Mazatlan, and every house in which the disease exists is burned with its contents."

TO FORCE THE MAYOR.

Attorney General Pugsley has begun action to have the court issue a mandamus to compel Mayor White to sign the warrant admitting Goodspeed to the reformatory. He made application this morning for an order nisi returnable before the full court at Fredericton next week. Counsel will there argue the case, and the court will decide finally in the matter. The attorney general also intends to recommend to the minister of justice to amend the criminal code so as to provide that a boy confined in the reformatory, for an offence for which he might be sentenced to a judge or of the lieutenant governor, made on the recommendation of the attorney general, be transferred to the penitentiary for the remainder of the term of sentence.

BACK FROM BOSTON.

Andrew O'Brien of Carleton, has forsaken the glare and glamour of Boston and has come back to his own town for the purpose of going to jail. He may not be one of those whose heart hath never within him burned from wandering in a foreign land. There really was nothing in Andrew's home coming to make his heart burn, unless, indeed, it was tobacco, which is said to sometimes cause heartburn. Andrew O'Brien is one of the men for the row at the tank house in Carleton on the night of December 22nd, when a young fellow named Quinlan was assaulted. O'Brien has been in Boston but came home yesterday and was evidently about to give himself up to the police when he was taken in charge by Sergt. Ross on the warrant issued in December. In the police court today the prisoner was remanded until tomorrow. Oscar McCaulay, another young man mentioned in the warrant is still in the land of liberty and labor troubles.

TO BECOME NURSES.

The following young ladies have undergone examination to qualify for entrance into the General Public Hospital: Julia Reynolds, Carrie Irwin, Frances O'Keefe, Emily Mason, Nellie Colwell, Eva Pender, Ethel M. Manning, Mary McLeod, Lucy Sullivan, Annie McNair, Nellie J. Dalton, Katharine R. Shea, Beulah R. Scott, Alice M. Dalton.

THIS EVENING.

Madame Abasi at the Opera House. Police Sports at Victoria Rink. Two hockey games at Queen's Rink. Moving Pictures at the York Theatre this evening. Curling at St. Andrew's Rink with Hampton visitors. The annual curling match between the Thistles and St. Andrew's rinks will take place tomorrow afternoon and evening, fourteen rinks playing on each side.

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HOCKEY.

JANUARY 23rd, Mohawks vs. St. Stephen, Beavers vs. Fredericton.

HAPPY CARLETON.

There is joy in the hearts of the members of the Carleton Curling Club today—joy such as has not been felt for over four years, and which has given the players a new lease of life and a feeling of hopefulness which will not be overcome by many defeats. The Carleton club has at last won a game. Four rinks went to Moncton last evening, sixteen men selected from a total membership of only about thirty-seven, and these sixteen raised the standard of Carleton from the slush and water into which it had fallen and once more planted it firmly in solid, glistening ice. "When shall their glory fade, glorious curlers." For over four years the Carleton club has battled against fate. The members have played many games, but such a run of luck as they met with surely never was experienced before. The stones would not go where they were sent, the ice was always in the wrong place or the ice didn't suit. Something always happened, but for four years the curlers played on, meeting defeat after defeat with a fortitude and perseverance which has proved strong enough to win at last. And now success has perched on the handles of the curling stones, the eagle of victory has flapped its wings and settled on the brooms, and Carleton has lost its reputation of being the club which never wins a game. And the names of the men who have at last redeemed it will go down in history along with those of other great ones. The skips of the rinks which won against Moncton in last night's game are: W. O. DUNHAM, J. M. BELYEA, W. D. BASKIN, DR. WHEELER.

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TO FACE FOSTER.

BEAVERTON, Ont., Jan. 22.—The liberals of North Ontario in convention here today nominated Geo. E. Grant, barrister, to oppose Hon. Geo. E. Foster in the approaching by-election for the dominion house.

Two rinks of the Amherst curling team went to Hampton this morning where they will play the Hampton curlers this afternoon. The other two rinks are playing Carleton on the Carleton ice today. The rinks in Hampton today will return to St. John and play Carleton this evening, while those in Carleton will go to Hampton and play there.

Coroner Berryman does not yet know whether he will hold an inquest into the death of Lizzie Pierce. He told the Star today that he had not been notified by the hospital officials of the woman's death.

MONTEREAL, Jan. 22.—Eleven hundred McGill students this morning decorated the statue of Queen Victoria on Victoria square, it being the second anniversary of Her Majesty's death.