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It's a sad predicament to be in, when you need help and can't get it. A

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THE WEATHER

Maritime.—Fresh northwest winds, fair and cold today and Thursday.

LOCAL NEWS

During the absence of Mayor Bullock at Ottawa, Deputy Mayor Holder is doing the honors at city hall.

The regular quarterly meeting of Saint Andrew's Society will be held on Thursday evening, February 4th, at 8 o'clock, in the Old Fellow's Hall.

You can go to extremes in style at a limited price if you order a suit or overcoat at C. B. Pidgeon's store. Young men may please make a note of this suggestion.

About twenty five young people of the North End enjoyed a delightful drive to Newcomb's last evening. After returning to the city they went to the residence of B. W. Wilson, 74 Kennedy street, where supper was served. Games and other amusements were indulged in.

A good programme is being prepared by the Exmouth street quartet for the concert to be held in the Seaman's Institute on Thursday evening at 8 o'clock. The four pictures presented by the London Art Union will be on exhibition in the rooms on that evening.

One of the course lectures of the Ladies' Association of the Natural History Society will be given in their rooms on Union street, on Thursday afternoon, at 4 o'clock. The subject will be "Schools of Fishes" by Mrs. R. Chipman Skidmore.

The members of the common council will attend the funeral of the late Major Grant in a body. A special meeting will be called half an hour before the funeral when a suitable resolution will be passed.

Rev. Thomas Marshall, secretary of Home Missions for the Methodist church, passed through the city today on return to his home in Backville, having completed a tour through Woodstock, Edmundston and other places in that vicinity.

IN THE COURTS

In county court chambers this morning the defendant in the case of Frost and Wood Co. vs. Frank Gorham was examined. A judgment was recovered against him by the plaintiffs in the city courts sometime ago, and this morning proceedings were devoted to the examination as to what property he has. Before his honor gave his decision the matter was compromised. John B. M. Baxter appeared for the plaintiffs and H. W. Robertson for Graham. Mr. Robertson took a preliminary objection as to the service of the order, but was overruled.

PROBATE COURT.

The passing of accounts in the estate of the late James Murphy, victualler, was resumed this morning in the probate court from last Wednesday. Admittance was made at 1 o'clock this afternoon at 1.30.

TONIGHT'S CURLING

This evening in the two curling rinks the second of the series of games between St. Andrew and Thistle junior players will take place. The first of the series, played on Wednesday last week, was won by the Thistles by about fifty points. Play tonight begins at 7.30. The rinks will be as follows:

THISTLE ICE.

St. Andrew, Alex. Watson, A. G. McKeown, W. D. Foster, R. Reid, F. C. Beattie, F. White, J. A. Clark, A. G. Stevens, S. P. McCavour, H. C. Vanwart, C. H. Ferguson, E. S. R. Murray, H. B. Robinson, F. P. Patterson, Dr. Skinner, J. S. Gregory, skip

Dr. Frank Smith, R. Bonnell, J. P. Barnes, W. B. Robinson, A. S. Bowman, L. A. Langstroth, J. L. McAvity, F. P. Burpee, skip

ST. ANDREW'S ICE.

Dr. Merrill, J. H. Starkey, F. C. Smith, Fred D. Miller, C. W. McFarland, A. P. Patterson, G. W. Wetmore, A. J. Macdonald, skip

Fred Hoach, H. Dopley, Alex. Fowler, O. F. Price, W. A. Lockhart, H. H. McLean, W. B. Howard, W. J. E. Myles, skip

H. C. Schofield, J. F. McKean, E. G. Macdonald, A. Comrie, H. G. Watson, J. P. Likely, H. P. Rankine, J. R. Thomson, skip

C. A. Gray, D. Ledingham, R. B. Kessen, Dr. McAlpine, S. P. Smith, H. M. McAlpine, H. M. McBeath, R. S. Orchard, skip

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PERSONAL

Mrs. Richard D. Lewis and family wish to thank their many friends for their kindness in their late bereavement.

Mr. P. W. Smler is confined to his home through indisposition, but expects to be about again in a few days.

Mrs. McAfee, of Princess street, entertained her friends with a sleigh drive and dance on Tuesday evening. About seventy were present and the evening was enjoyed by all.

Chief Justice Barker returned from Fredericton this morning.

Mrs. F. C. McNeil came in on the Boston express this morning.

W. S. Fisher returned to the city this morning.

Thos. L. Hay came in on the Boston train.

Engineer Hunter reached the city on the Boston train in noon today.

Frank McPeake, of West St. John, returned from Winipeg today.

S. S. DeForest left on the Halifax express at noon.

POULTRY SHOW WAS OPENED THIS MORNING

Four Hundred Birds on Exhibition

All Classes Well Filled and the Event Promises to be Very Successful—Speeches Tonight.

One of the finest collections of poultry exhibited in St. John in many years is shown at the poultry show under the auspices of the N. B. Poultry Association, which opened this morning in the Essex building. Over four hundred birds are on exhibition and the lot is indeed a splendid one.

A Star reporter paid a visit to the show this morning and was surprised to see so large a number of exhibits.

The regular premiums at the show are \$1.00 for each prize winner, cock with also blue, red and white diploma. The special prizes include cash, silver cups and merchandise to the value of \$150.

All the classes were well filled at ten o'clock, when the doors were thrown open. Many poultry fanciers were on hand and all expressed themselves as greatly pleased with the stock shown.

In the Minorca class a large number of birds are entered. These include exhibits from J. W. Lettney of this city, and Mr. Hatfield, of St. Martins.

In another class, which is slated to be the strongest shown here, entries are on hand from Messrs. H. C. Lemon, W. P. Kierwin, Alfred Burley, Frank V. Haman and Wm. Hatfield.

About twelve birds are shown in the Barred Plymouth Rock class. The exhibitors include Messrs. Haman, Bain, Cosman and Kierwin.

The White Rock hens are especially good, some thirty fowl being on exhibition.

Entries are shown from Messrs. Finlay, Hatfield, Warren, Jackson and Haman.

In the White Wyandotte class Messrs. Vincent and Jackson are the exhibitors.

There are about eleven entries in the Golden Wyandotte class. J. W. Lettney and H. C. Lemon are the main exhibitors.

Mr. Lemon is also showing ten birds in the Silver Wyandotte class.

In the Rhode Island Red the entry list is especially large, about fifty being shown. These include exhibits from Messrs. Kellom, Lemon, Burley and Holman.

In the Buff Orpington class twenty birds are on exhibition. Entries are shown from Messrs. Barton, Haman, Hector, Hatfield and Burley.

In the S. Hamburg class the exhibitors are Messrs. Hector, Newcombe, O'Leary and Barton.

Eight entries are shown in the Hon-don class. Messrs. Clarke and Doyle are the largest exhibitors.

In the Dorking Class H. C. Lemon has the largest exhibit. Wm. Jackson and John Bain show large exhibits in the Cornish Indian Game class.

Entries in the other classes include: Buff Wyandotte, Jackson; Langsham, D. Doyle; White Indian, James and Bain; Light Brahma, John Bain and Z. Clark; White Face, Lemon and Craig; Columbian Wyandotte, Burley and O'Leary; Partridge Cook, James Brown; Buff Cock, Hatfield; Rosecomb Shik, Minorca, Bain and Burley; Blue Andalusian, Doyle, Clarke and Lemon; young S. C. Brown Leghorns, Warner, Scott, Campbell; young Leghorns, Lemon and Black; black old game, bantams, Scott and Vincent; golden duck wing, Scott and Vincent; old Fife, O'Leary; black red Zylke, Jackson; Pidgeon, Lemon and Lettney.

The show will be formally opened this evening when speeches will be delivered by prominent citizens. Judging from the interest shown this show will be a great success.

John A. Scott, of Broad street, is the superintendent of the show, and states that he has never seen a finer gathering of poultry.

TAG DAY RALLY IN KEITH'S ASSEMBLY TOMORROW

Volunteers Are Needed to Tie the Tags—How the Campaign on the 13th is to be Carried On.

There appears to be some uncertainty as to the methods to be adopted by Free Kindergarten workers on Tag Day, and the idea that the proceedings may demand a certain boldness is liable to influence some ladies who might otherwise gladly volunteer their services. A few have the impression that it is the duty of workers to tag everyone whether they wish it or not, to surprise them as it were, and then demand money. There is no foundation for this belief. Nobody need be tagged unless they desire it. The workers first request permission to tag whoever they may meet, and, this being granted, the tag is looped over the button and the bank held out to receive whatever contribution may be offered. There is no occasion for boldness.

Tomorrow will be the first tag rally day for preparing the tags. Early in the afternoon all friends of the free kindergartens are asked to meet without special invitation, at the Keith Assembly rooms. There are fifteen thousand tags to which cards must be attached, and for this work all the helpers who can possibly arrange to attend will be required.

Other preparations are coming along well and the tagging process promises to be productive of much success financially.

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NIGHT OF MEETINGS CITY COURTS

COURT ST. JOHN, No. 470—Orange Hall, Germain street, 1st Friday in month.

COURT UNION JACK, No. 548—Orange Hall, Germain Street, 4th Wednesday.

COURT NORTH END, No. 667—Union Hall, Main street, last Tuesday each month.

COURT YUKON, No. 723—Orange Hall, Simonds street, 3rd Wednesday.

COURT SHAWATHA, No. 753—Temperance Hall, Market Building, 1st Wednesday.

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White Unlaundered Shirts, fine light weight cloth, open back, reinforced fronts, double-stitched seams, continued facings back and sleeves, cushion stud-hole at back of neck. Sale price, each..... **30c**

White Unlaundered Shirts, open back, reinforced back and front, double-stitched seams, continued facings back and sleeves, cushion stud-hole at back of neck. Sale price, each..... **75c**

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8 Bars of Barker's Soap for 25c.
And many other bargains too numerous to mention.

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Ladies' Ribbed Cashmere Hose, 50c, 55c, 60c pair

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Children's Ribbed Cashmere Hose, 22c and 45c

Boys' Heavy Ribbed Wool Hose, 17c to 25c pair

S. W. McMackin,
335 Main Street, North End.