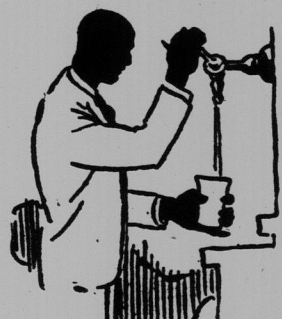


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WILL SPEAK IN SAINT JOHN ON FRIDAY EVENING

Dominion Head of Retail Merchants' Association On Fair Trade League

Joseph T. Crowder, Dominion president of the Retail Merchants' Association, has arrived in the Maritime Provinces on his tour of Canada. He will speak at several places in Nova Scotia, Prince Edward Island and New Brunswick, promoting the Canadian Fair Trade League, with fair trade policy between manufacturer, wholesaler, retailer and public.

HERE NEXT FRIDAY
Mr. Crowder will give an address this evening in Halifax; in Tuesday evening in Truro; Wednesday evening, Charlottetown, P. E. I.; Thursday evening, Moncton, at a dinner; Friday evening at a dinner in Saint John. On Tuesday of next week he will be in Fredericton and on Wednesday, May 25, in St. Stephen. With a meeting at Quebec this series will conclude his speaking tour of Canada.

The dinner to Mr. Crowder in Saint John on next Friday evening will be at the Admiral Beatty hotel at 7 o'clock. The wholesale grocers' section will be the hosts and the provincial executive and Saint John executive of the Retail Merchants' Association will be guests. Mr. Crowder was chosen president of the association at its convention in August. This is his first visit to the Maritime Provinces.

CANTATA IS WELL SUNG AT ST. DAVID'S

"The Daughter of Jairus" Given Excellent Rendering By Church Choir

"The Daughter of Jairus," by Sir John Stainer, one of England's greatest writers of church music, was effectively sung last night by the choir of St. David's church. Bayard Currie, well established in public favor as a soloist and conductor, had his choir in excellent control. The personnel is somewhat changed since the singing of this cantata at Easter, 1925. To many, the work was entirely new, but Mr. Currie blended voices and blended personalities, a conductor's difficult task. Individualities were dropped, sensitive to the desire and unobtrusive authority of the leader. This always results in what was heard last night, ensemble as one voice.

Mr. Thomas, bass soloist, a new voice in St. David's, did very commendable work. Mr. Case sang very sweetly in the duet "Love Divine." There are no solo parts in the cantata, but the altos were most efficiently assisted in quartette and chorus work by Mrs. George Moore, and the soprano by Mrs. Godsoe. Mrs. Ferris, dramatic soprano, was never in better voice. In addition to her soprano solo, she sang the tenor number "My hope is in the Everlasting." Her contrasts in the dramatic parts, her powerful repression of a heavy voice in the pianissimoes, were very delightful. The cantata closed with a grand finale, the beautiful seven part chorus—"To Him."

THIEVES AT WORK

Make Sunday Night Visit to Imperial Bowling Alleys—Break Skylight

About 11:10 o'clock on Sunday night employees of the Dominion garage in Charlotte street, notified Policeman Hatt that footsteps could be heard overhead in the Imperial Bowling Alleys. Detective Kilpatrick and Policeman Garter found that a break had been made into the bowling alleys, entrance said to have been gained by means of a skylight, putting a hand through and unfastening a hook. Some partially filled cartons of cigarettes and some chocolate bars were found by the police in an alleyway off Sydney street which gives access to the rear of the building.

Was Wading Up To His Neck In Tide

Residents on the Red Head road this morning were somewhat alarmed at the strange actions of a young man at Boyle's Marsh. He was said to have been wading in the water up to his neck. The police department was notified and Detective Biddiscombe and Sergeant Dykeman quickly responded. On their arrival the man was found sitting on a rock at Red Head beach putting on his rubber boots and wringing out a sweater. It was said that he was frothing at the mouth. He was taken to the police station and examined by Dr. F. J. Dunlop who found that the man appeared to have recovered and permitted him to go to his home.

Dental Association Dinner Tonight

The regular monthly dinner of the Saint John Dental Association will be held this evening in one of the saloons of the Admiral Beatty Hotel. Dr. A. J. Coughlan, president of the association, will be in the chair and it is expected that the speaker of the evening will be Dr. H. L. Abramson, provincial pathologist. Following the dinner a meeting will be held at which will be discussed the Dominion Dental Convention to be held in Halifax on August 16, 17 and 18. It is the intention of the local society to have a good representation at the convention and it is also possible that the local dentists will hold a clinic there.

ALMANAC FOR SAINT JOHN, MAY 17.

Local News

TO CHOOSE OFFICERS

The board of directors of the New Brunswick Protestant Orphanage will meet in the Board of Trade rooms tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock. Officers and committees for the coming year will be elected.

VETERAN TRAVELER DEAD.

SYDNEY, N. S., May 17—William Ernest Forbes, 63, veteran Montreal commercial traveler, dropped dead in a store at Boutiller's Corner, Glace Bay, early this morning. He was a citizen of Westmount, Quebec.

MOTORSHIP LEAVES

GENVA, May 17—The recently completed motorship Cellina left here yesterday on her maiden trip to Havana, San Francisco and Vancouver, B. C. The vessel is owned by the Navigations Libera Triestina.

HIGH COURT MAY MEET HERE

A. K. Maclean, president of the Exchequer Court of Canada, announces that general sittings for the trial of cases, any are entered, will be held in Saint John on Sept. 10; in Halifax, Sept. 2, and Charlottetown, Aug. 30.

INDICATIONS OF STORM

Increasing cloudiness and an easterly wind this afternoon indicated rain and possibly high winds. Storm signals are displayed along the United States North Atlantic coast. The temperature here at 2 p. m. was 60 degrees.

BOY IS FOUND.

Nine-year-old Joseph James Shaw, who was reported to the police by his mother, Mrs. William Shaw, Wilton avenue, East Saint John, as being missing from his home since 9:30 o'clock on Saturday morning, was found last evening by his little sister in the Loch Lomond road.

SHAD SEASON OPENS

Shad were reported scarce on the tide this morning, and but few boats were out early on the opening day of the season in the Bay of Fundy, Saint John harbor and river. It was expected that a larger number of boats would go out in the late afternoon and evening tide. Few shad were landed up to 2 p. m.

SAILINGS CANCELLED

The sailing of the White Star liner Doric, due to leave Liverpool last Friday for Montreal, was cancelled owing to strike conditions, according to word received at the office of Wagnie & Wigmore Saturday afternoon. The scheduled return trip from Montreal May 29 has also been cancelled, Wagnie & Wigmore reported this morning.

VISITING OLD LAND

British mails brought a letter to Mrs. Scott's wife, George Scott, agent of the Children's Aid Society here, from her husband, who is on a vacation trip to the old land. He arrived in Liverpool on Sunday May 8 and found England enjoying delightful spring weather. Mr. Scott planned to spend two weeks and then planned to go to his native Scotland to visit relatives for a further three weeks.

EXPENSIVE FUN.

Nelson Nichols, 54, was arrested yesterday by C. N. Policeman J. Morrissey and N. Barden, charged with being drunk and resisting the police while driving a motor car in Mill street. Officer Barden testified the accused was jumping on trains and causing trouble before and after having started. Nichols was fined \$8 for being drunk and \$40 for resisting, or five months in jail.

IN FAIRVILLE CHURCHES.

Rev. J. A. Murchison, secretary of the Fairville Society, conducted the evening service in the Fairville Baptist church yesterday. Frank Murphy, pastor of the church, conducted the morning and evening services in St. Colomba Presbyterian church yesterday.

GETS ANOTHER CHANCE

A juvenile arrested yesterday afternoon by Policeman Jounrey for being from door to door and accosting persons on their way to church, was given another chance by Magistrate Henderson when he appeared before him in the Police Court this morning. The lad had been before the magistrate before and had been given one chance to go to the country. On the promise of his mother that she would return him to the country today, he was allowed to go.

COSTS \$20

Amos Perley, given in charge of Policeman McElhinney and Cova by Patrick Friel at 11:30 o'clock on Sunday night on a charge of assault, appeared before Magistrate Henderson this morning and was fined \$20. Friel told of an argument in a boarding house and of Perley inviting him down to the D. A. R. wharf where the alleged assault took place. He said he was knocked down. Perley admitted hitting Friel but said the latter used a foul name. He was then fined \$20 or two months in jail.

PRESENTATION MADE.

On Saturday evening members of the staff of Francis and Vaughan presented a pair of gold cuff links to Eric F. Ring, the occasion being the severance of his connection with that firm. Mr. Ring had been employed for several years by Francis and Vaughan and was leaving to accept another position in this city. The presentation was made by Miss Florence Wall, who told Mr. Ring in what high esteem he was held by those associated with him and wished him success in his new position.

PATROL CUTTER BEGINS DUTY IN LOWER BAY

Arleux Guards Fisheries As Run of Mackerel Is Due

The Canadian Government fishery patrol cutter Arleux has been dispatched to patrol the waters in the lower Bay of Fundy and to the eastward of Cape Sable in order to prevent encroachments upon Canada's fishing grounds within the three mile limit. The annual movement of mackerel schools is in progress, and big schools are expected to be seen in the Bay of Fundy and the Highlands of Navarin, N. J., and Cape Cod. The advance guard of the mackerel is expected to be sighted off the lower Bay of Fundy sometime this week, the first fish being usually caught inside the bay by Yarmouth and Shelburne County fishermen. Saint John usually receives a supply of fresh mackerel soon after they are caught off Yarmouth.

WINS FELLOWSHIP

Word was received today that another Saint John boy has distinguished himself in college. Aubrey H. MacAndrews, son of Mr. and Mrs. F. A. MacAndrews of this city, a graduate of the New York State College of Forestry at Syracuse, who will receive his doctor's degree in June, was made the recipient of a graduate fellowship from the department of entomology of the University of Minnesota for a period of one year. The fellowship carried with it \$800 cash.

BRITISH STRIKE IS TOPIC OF SERMON

Rev. James Dunlop, who returned to his own pulpit in Central Baptist yesterday after a fortnight's vacation in Boston and vicinity, gave his hearers considerable to ponder in a religious address last evening based upon the recent general strike in England and reconciling power of the religion of Jesus Christ. Rev. Mr. Dunlop who has made British politics, particularly the Labor movement, a definite study, submitted to his hearers an array of facts and figures dealing with the Labor movement which were illuminating.

CLASS NUMBERS 13

Four Saint John Nurses Are in Number at G. P. H. Exercises

Preparations are underway for the carrying out of a fitting programme on May 26, when the 1926 class of nurses will be graduated from the training school of the General Public Hospital. Those graduating this year are: Miss Frances Keith, Newtown, N. B.; Miss Alice Conlin, Westport, N. S.; Miss Sarah Teddie, Hartland, N. B.; Miss Isabel Richardson, Miss Jane Thorne, Miss Marian McGowan and Miss Frances Daye, all of Saint John; Miss Vivian Corrier, Oromocto, N. B.; Miss Doris Robinson, Gagetown, N. B.; Miss Lella Cumming, Canterbury Station, N. B.; Mrs. Mary G. Fraser, Bathurst, N. B.; Miss Marguerite Belding, Hampton, N. B., and Miss Mary Clark, Fredericton Junction, N. B.

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