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2 DAY SPECIALS (FRIDAY-SATURDAY)

- Dozen Gillette Blades 85c.
25c. Pears' Unscented Soap . . . 3 cakes 57c.
Lunch Kits with Thermos Bottle . . . \$1.39
50c. Pepsodent Tooth Paste 39c.
75c. Prophylactic Tooth Brushes . 2 for 98c.
\$2.25 Hot Water Bottles (2 year guarantee) \$1.49
50c. Pond's Cream (either Cold or Vanishing, tubes or jars) 39c.
60c. Hind's Honey and Almond Cream . 49c.
60c. Odorono 53c.
75c. Neet (depilatory) 69c.
\$1.25 Burdock Blood Bitters \$1.08
\$1.30 Scott's Emulsion 98c.
65c. size Scott's Emulsion 49c.
\$1.25 Dresco 3 bottles \$3.35

Two Day Specials for Tomorrow and Saturday.

THE ROSS DRUG CO. 100 King Street.

THOMAS' FUR SALE

A Sale You Should Visit. 5 ONLY MUSKRAT COATS—Made from dark full furred Canadian skins, 40 inches long—Regular Price \$250. Sale Price \$125
PERSIAN LAMB COATS. . . \$125, \$195, \$275, \$335
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Royal Blue Band with Encrusted Gold Border. We can supply this ware in Tea Sets and Dinner Sets or odd pieces. W. H. HAYWARD & CO., Ltd. 85 - 93 Princess Street

Advertisement for DREADNAUGHT Tire Chains, featuring an image of a tire chain and text describing its benefits for heavy vehicles.

STATE PLANS FOR RITCHE BUILDING

New Owners Make an Announcement—May House Probate Records

The Ritchie Building & Investment Company, Limited which recently acquired the Ritchie Building, have announced their intention of renovating and remodeling the building, and have completed plans to make it one of the most attractive office buildings in the city.

Edwards Bates has a contract to remodel the top floor and is building two additional vaults for tenants on this floor. The Registrar of Probate is considering having a larger vault installed in the basement for the preservation of the probate records and plan to complete a private entrance from his office to this vault.

CHARY OF EVENTS FOR THE JUNIORS

Toronto Meet Includes Only One Race for Lads in Each Class.

Official entry forms have been received here for the United States National amateur outdoor speed skating championships, which are to be held at Saranac Lake on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, February 13, 14 and 15; also for the National speed skating championships of Canada, which are to be held in Toronto on February 8 and 9.

GET WORD FROM OVERDUE SHIP

C. G. M. M. Receive News That Ranger Will Reach Here Sunday.

"Will reach port Sunday" was the glad tidings received at the local office of the Canadian Government Merchant Marine from the Canadian Ranger, which has been over twenty-five days coming from Antwerp. The Ranger sailed from Antwerp on December 30 and should have arrived here by January 12 or 13 at the latest, but she encountered mountainous seas, hurricanes and thick weather and many days instead of making progress was driven back hundreds of miles. As far as is known she did not suffer any damage from the exceptionally rough passage.

DEATH OF W. E. BURTON. William Ernest Burton died this morning at the residence of his mother, 862 Main street. He had been in ill health for two years. He was a son of Mrs. Martha and the late William Burton and was associated with the American Dye Works. He is survived by his mother, his wife and one son, three brothers, George, at home, and James S. and John A., in the States; also four sisters, Miss Jessie, at home, and Mrs. H. R. Roberts, Mrs. Winslow Colwell and Mrs. F. W. McNicol, all of this city. His funeral will take place Saturday afternoon.

LOCAL NEWS

STAFF ENTERTAINED

C. F. West entertained members of the staff of the Furness Withy Company last evening at his home in Princess street. Music and auction bridge was enjoyed and refreshments were served.

ST. JOHN MEN CHOSEN. Dr. W. W. White and F. P. Starr of this city were re-elected directors of the Bank of Nova Scotia at the annual meeting in Halifax yesterday.

CONTINUE EVIDENCE TODAY. The preliminary hearing of Stewart Godwin, the 16-year-old lad who is charged with the murder of Mrs. Clara Whiteside, will be continued this afternoon and several witnesses will be called.

BURIED TODAY. The funeral of Mrs. Annie A. Mayes was held this afternoon from her late residence, 23 Cambridge street. Service was conducted by Rev. G. B. MacDonald. Relatives acted as pall bearers. Interment was made in Greenwood cemetery.

ON THREE MONTHS' TRIP. James H. McPartland, accompanied by his sister, Miss Emma McPartland, of Manchester, N. H. and niece, Miss Martineau, of Cambridge, Mass., left New York on Jan. 10th on the S. S. Manchuria on a three months' trip to Southern California via Cuba and the Panama Canal.

SENTENCE STANDS. William J. Barnes, who was arrested yesterday on a charge of stealing a watch from a man at Black River, was taken before Magistrate Adams in the Brookville court and was sentenced to three months in jail. The sentence was allowed to stand pending his future conduct.

GOES TO SUPREME COURT. Another stage in the celebrated "Nevins Will Case" has been entered with taking of an appeal to the Supreme Court of Canada, and it will be argued before that body some time the latter part of February. This case has been brought by the Probate Court and by the Supreme Court of New Brunswick.

POWER COMMISSION MET. Only routine business was transacted at the meeting of the New Brunswick Electric Power Commission yesterday, it was stated by Hon. Dr. E. A. Smith, chairman of the commission. He said the members are expected to meet for current from May 1 last would be considered later. Hon. J. E. Michaud, the secretary of the commission, is expected to return for his home last evening, and Dr. Smith will leave for home this evening.

INSTITUTE ELKS ON FEB. 15. A meeting of those handling the promotion of a St. John lodge of the Elks of Canada, and the Victoria Hotel, and February 15 was decided on as the date of the institution of the lodge. The ceremonial will be handled by a degree team from the Montreal and other Quebec Province lodges.

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BOWLERS LEAVE ON MATCH TOUR

Harrington and Gill to Roll in Border Towns and Eastport.

Joe Harrington and Fred Gill, two of the prominent high score getters on the local bowling alleys, left this morning for a match-playing tour of the border towns and vicinity. This evening in St. Stephen they will roll a 10-string match with two men to be selected from the best exponents of the game there. On Friday afternoon and evening they will be in Eastport and will contest two 10-string matches with Eastport bowlers. They will then go to Calais for a 10-string game there on Saturday afternoon and plan to be in St. John again on Saturday night. Harrington and Gill may be counted on to give a good account of themselves. Each is going strong this year and is a big bowler. They will play some good men to oppose them on their tour, for the bowling game has always been followed with keen interest here and some excellent plinkiters have been developed. They are a fine class of sporting chaps, too. Harrington and Gill yesterday issued a challenge to any two bowlers in St. John and hope for a response by their return. Out of the border trip may come return matches in St. John with the players whom the local men meet when away.

WILL BE SENT TO JOIN PRINCE LINE. The Appamattox and Other Steamships are to Leave Furness Service.

Word has been received at the local office of the Furness Withy Company that the steamship Appamattox, after completing her round trip, will be withdrawn from the St. John-London route and will be sent to New York to Jola the Prince Line. She is at present enroute from London here with general cargo. The Chichkonny and the Aliehan, which ply between Halifax, New York and London are also to be changed to the Prince Line. The Appamattox will be known as the Castilian Prince, the Chichkonny will be renamed the Corn Prince and the Aliehan will be the Sardinian Prince. The Appamattox has been on the St. John route now for some time and is one of the largest of the Furness fleet coming to this port.

PRESENTATION TO MINISTER AND WIFE. Cane and Umbrella Gifts to the Rev. F. S. and Mrs. Porter.

Rev. F. S. Porter and Mrs. Porter were pleasantly surprised last evening when between 50 and 60 of the members of the Baptist church and congregation of Hampton called at their home to bid them farewell before they depart for the south, where Mr. Porter has accepted a call. During the evening Rev. C. B. Lumsden, on behalf of the gathering, presented to Mr. Porter an ebony walking stick, and to Mrs. Porter a fine silk umbrella.

RESOLUTION RE HARBOR PASSED. Council in Special Session Adopts Plan Reported on Yesterday.

At a special meeting of the City Council, held this morning, the recommendation of the citizens' committee of 25 was discussed and a resolution adopted along the lines reported yesterday—a conference with the C. P. R. management on harbor improvements and seeking an interview with the Minister of Public Works of Canada, urging that financial provision be made in his estimates at the coming session of Parliament for the carrying out of such work as may be jointly agreed upon by the city and C. P. R. The council then adjourned to meet this afternoon at 3 o'clock to take up the estimates.

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