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THIS EVENING

"It's all Your Fault" at the Opera House, by W. S. Harkins Company.

LATE LOCALS

Steamer Sobbo, Captain Bridges, left port this morning at 9 o'clock for Halifax and the West Indies.

The United States schooner Francis Goodson, Captain Lane, cleared from port of St. George, N. B., on the 4th December with 12,300 bundles of ground spruce wood pulp for Norway, Conn.

Alfred Davis, the English ticket-of-leave man, who is desirous of returning to England, asked Magistrate Ritchie to intervene for him today.

Members of local union, 919, Carpenters and Joiners, are urgently requested to attend a meeting this evening at 8 o'clock, business, election officers.

A public temperance meeting will be held tomorrow, Thursday, evening, in Smith's Hall, Hampton Station.

Mrs. McKillen, of the immigration department, Ottawa, came in yesterday with two women whom she accompanied from Winnipeg and who will be deported.

The ferry steamer Ludlow, which was placed on the ferry yesterday afternoon having undergone extensive repairs, had a mishap last evening when a joint in the boiler burst and traffic was suspended for about an hour.

Work was started yesterday placing the new street signs in position.

There was a good sized audience last night in the Seaman's Institute at the entertainment given under the direction of Miss M. Florence Rogers.

At the meeting of Passenger Traffic officials of the Boston & Me. Central, C. P. R., I. C. R., D. A. R. and Eastern Steamship Company, held in the Board of Trade rooms yesterday afternoon, it was decided that in future the winter rates should be set simultaneously on all the lines.

WINTER PORT NOTES

Furness line steamship Kanawha, which arrived today will be fitted up to carry cattle.

Donaldson line steamer Kastalia is due today; she passed Cape Race last Sunday.

C. P. R. steamer Monmouth is about due from Bristol.

Steamship Empress of Ireland, which sailed Friday for Liverpool, has booked over a thousand passengers.

The valuation of the cargo of the C. P. R. steamer Lake Erie, now on her way to Liverpool from this port, is as follows: Canadian goods, \$159,801.

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS

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A GOOD CONCERT

Exceptionally Meritorious Entertainment in the Every Day Club Last Evening.

A very clever group of entertainers gave a varied and exceptionally enjoyable entertainment in the Every Day Club last evening.

DROVE A BARGAIN WHILE IN A CELL

How One Prisoner Secured a Cheap Watch from Another While Waiting Trial.

Many a man has bemoaned his fate as he has been peremptorily cast into jail, but it is fortunate for Alexander Morrison that he was taken into custody at an early hour on Friday morning and still more fortunate that he was remanded and assigned to the same cell in jail occupied by Charles Windsor, an Englishman, for now he is in possession of a solid silver watch valued at not less than \$35, for an outlay of only one dollar.

It developed on inspection that the watch was an Elgin movement and as it was solid silver, it was suspected the time-piece was the missing one of which William Ingraham was deprived, and for the alleged theft of which William Smith is undergoing preliminary examination, but as it did not correspond in other details with Ingraham's description, the watch was restored to Morrison.

Windsor was given an opportunity to leave the city, the magistrate remarking that comment on his actions was unnecessary.

William Ferguson paid a fine of \$20 for breaking windows in the Red Ball saloon on King Street.

Joseph McElhinney, accused of breaking and entering, was again remanded to jail without further evidence being adduced until tomorrow at 2 p. m.

William Smith, accused of stealing two watches from William Ingraham, a man who first requested for an explanation for the presence of the cheap watch in his possession, was non-committal, but he declared that he did not steal it.

He claimed to have purchased it from a pedestrian on Dock street. He admitted that he was one of the trio who entered Isaac Williams' pawnshop, but stated that a companion, who was the same man of whom he (Smith) secured the cheap time-piece, was the person who attempted to dispose of the silver watch for 50 cents. He was remanded.

NORTH END MAN SELLS "BOTTLES" TO WOMEN

One of His Customers in the Police Court This Morning on Charge of Drunkenness.

A red man, black man and a woman were in the dock at the police court today.

Amie Criley, aged thirty-five who was arrested on Main street yesterday afternoon surrounded by a group of curious children, protested that it was unreasonable to assert that she was inebriated as she had imbibed only two ales.

Sergt. Kilpatrick stated that the woman's husband is industrious and respectable. She is the mother of five children, the eldest a boy in his fifteenth year and the youngest a girl of two years.

The sergeant said that men furnished the unfortunate woman with intoxicants.

To cure a cold she claimed that she visited the abode of a friend and assimilated a portion of a pint of ale. This statement evoked some caustic comment from the magistrate.

"You scarcely hear of a woman becoming drunk," said he, "that an old crony with the jug or the growler as it is popularly termed isn't in the background."

Addressing the woman he informed her that in all likelihood she would be placed on the interdiction list and would be the first woman to be so treated.

He reiterated frequently that if she was freed she would amend her life. She said the two ales must have bogged her brain and made her stagger.

Sergt. Kilpatrick asserted that a north end man who was selling bottles of liquor to women had been warned to desist but still he continued the practice. The woman was released through the intercession of friends.

Peter Francis, a negro, who was ejected from the house of his mother, Amelia Francis, on Sheffield street at midnight last night, and later arrested was fined \$8 or 30 days.

Patrick Quinn a living example of the fruits of intemperance was fined \$4 and Charles Murray, the same amount.

As the court concurs with President Roosevelt's race suicide ideas, Murray was shown leniency, he being the father of a septette of children, and therefore no fine was collected.

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