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LOST.—A gentleman's Watch Chain on Saturday, 9th May, between Phillip's Ice Cream Parlor, Union street, and Main street, by way of King and Dock streets. The finder will oblige by leaving it at the office of this paper.

MARRIAGES.

DAVIDSON-HAMM—On May 16th, at St. John West, Gilbert D. Davidson and Mariana Hamm, by Rev. Chris. Burnett.

DEATHS.

McDONALD—Of pneumonia, at Moncton, on May 16th, Agnes, wife of James McDonald, aged 38 years.

LONG—At New Ireland, Albert Co., on May 9th, John Long, aged 70 years. Leaving a wife, three sons and four daughters to mourn their sad loss

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ST. JOHN STAR.

ST. JOHN, N. B., MAY 19, 1903.

AMATEUR SPORT.

The opening of the series of base ball games by the amateur league last evening on the Victoria grounds was more auspicious than even the friends of the league had expected. Mayor White very kindly consented to throw the first ball across the plate, and he did it so well that a strike was called on the man at the bat. With his worship in the box and the president of the Y. M. C. A. as a member of one of the teams, the league series was certainly opened under favorable auspices. The fact that Mr. Frank White, president of the Y. M. C. A. has been playing ball for about twenty years ago is a very good effective last evening as he was nearly twenty-five years ago is a very good argument in favor of muscular Christianity. There was a very large attendance at the opening game, which was well contested and at times decidedly exciting. One noticed among those who cheered the good plays well known citizens who have been patrons of the game for at least a quarter of a century, and if the amateur league keep up the pace that was set last evening there can be no doubt that the result will be satisfactory to them as well as to the public. The games are held at a time when most citizens are at liberty to attend, and all that is needed is good sport, free from objectionable features, to attract a steadily increasing number of enthusiastic spectators. The Star trusts that such will be the case, and that the league at the close of the season will be able to look back with pleasure and satisfaction to what it will have done to encourage the development of purely amateur sport.

MR. CHAMBERLAIN'S SPEECH.

The Star prints today a fuller report than before of the remarkable speech by Joseph Chamberlain on preferential trade, and further comments of the press thereon. Mr. Chamberlain is easily the greatest and most far-seeing of imperial statesmen, and his recent address is another development of the progressive policy which has marked his ministerial career. No other British statesman so well understands and appreciates the aspirations of the colonies or realizes so fully the significance of a closer sympathy between the widely scattered portions of the empire. The day of the Little Englander has passed since Mr. Chamberlain becomes a living force in the councils of the nation. The colonies themselves contributed much to that result, by their rapid development and the proofs they gave of unswerving loyalty, but it is to Mr. Chamberlain's lasting honor that he interpreted aright the feelings of the people of the colonies, foresaw their coming greatness, and kept in touch with them. He now gives notice of another important move in the direction of imperial development and a still closer drawing together of the lines uniting mother land and colonies. That he will meet opposition goes without saying, but he will, perhaps, remember it was Gladstone who said that difficulty is the condition of success.

Immigration has brought some very undesirable citizens to New York. A despatch of yesterday's date says:

"The police Monday were called to quell a riot at Broadway and 68th street where several Italian women, evidently strike sympathisers had been intimidating the men at work on the subway construction. Stones were thrown indiscriminately, and the women flashed huge stilettos. Four of the women were arrested. Two of them had stilettos, one of which was two feet long."

Several speakers at the Loyalist At Home last evening deplored the condition of the monuments in the Old Burial Ground. Why should not the Loyalist Society lead an agitation for better care of the resting place of so many of those whose memory was honored yesterday?

The Telegraph has an editorial two columns wide today urging the great need of immediate action to provide additional harbor facilities at St. John. That ought to make the joint committee get down to business. And none too soon.

Andrew Carnegie has been talking again. At least he is reported to have been talking. If he doesn't take care we'll touch him for a million, or get the Telegraph or Sun to publish his portrait.

The Australian railroad strikers decided by ballot yesterday, by an overwhelming vote, to return to work. Nothing was gained by the strike.

FATAL ACCIDENT.

A young man named Frank Mills, while attempting to board the workmen's train at Sydney Mines last Thursday evening, fell beneath the cars and was instantly killed. Two cars passed over the body and it was cut in two and badly mangled. Deceased belonged to Green Bay, Nfld., was 35 years old and unmarried.

RECENT DEATHS.

Philip B. Embree, of Amherst, died yesterday. He was one of Amherst's best citizens.

MORNING'S NEWS.

LOCAL.

There have been 70 cases of diphtheria in Chatham up to date. Four have died, 12 are under treatment, and 58 have recovered.—Chatham World, 14th.

R. Stuart Solomon, of Capetown, accompanied by his wife and daughter, is in the city, staying at the Clifton House. He will remain in Canada until about June 20th.

Rev. Dr. Hartley attended the at home given by Loyalist Division in their hall, Simonds street, last evening, and delivered an interesting address, recalling his pleasant experiences in division rooms in St. John in the 80's.

PROVINCIAL.

A brigade camp will be held at Sussex this fall.

Geo. J. Raymond, of Boston, who charges that Senators Foster, of Gloucester, and Fitzgerald, of Boston, attempted to collect $1,000 from him to have certain bills put through, is a native of Woodstock, and a prominent member of the Canadian Club of Boston.

Rev. J. Douglas delivered his farewell sermon in the Annapolis Presbyterian church on Sunday evening.

The blast furnaces at Londonderry, N. S., will soon be ready for work.

F. G. Lansdowne and Geo. H. Barnes returned to Sussex Saturday night with 96 trout that weighed 80 pounds. The fish were caught in two days at a lake in St. John county.

GENERAL.

In parliament yesterday, Mr. Monk's bill respecting insolvency was defeated by a party vote of 74 to 41.

The permanent militia force is to be increased to 1,500 men with two new military depots, one at Montreal and one at Edmonton. The new militia bill will not be proceeded with this session, as several changes are contemplated.

Immense ice floes and bergs are encountered by vessels in the neighborhood of Newfoundland.

The conductors and motormen of the Montreal street railway threaten to strike for an advance in wages.

MEETINGS, ETC.

The ministerial conference of the Christian church clergymen of the maritime provinces, and also including some in Maine, will open next Monday evening in Coburg street church.

A large number of friends and acquaintances of Mr. and Mrs. James Buchanan, Prince William street, completely surprised them last evening, the occasion being the 36th anniversary of their wedding, by calling and presenting to them a handsome solid oak Morris chair. After the presentation a very pleasant evening was spent in various amusements.

The fraternal visit paid by Peerless Lodge, I. O. O. F., to Siloam Lodge in Oddfellow's hall last evening, was a most enjoyable affair. The members of Peerless attended in force, while Pioneer and Golden Rule lodges were also represented. After Noble Grand Macdonald had welcomed the visitors, the following programme was enjoyed: Speeches by Noble Grand Cody, of Peerless; Deputy District Master Gillott, M. D. Brown, Charles Harper, Mr. McIntosh, J. H. Murphy, J. B. McLean, John Jackson, W. F. Hatheway, H. E. Codner, John Stamers, F. Heans and Noble Grand Macdonald; songs by Miles Morrell and J. A. Murdoch; recitations by A. Morrell, R. E. Coupe and E. E. Staples, and piano solo by T. V. Reynolds.

JOHN M. DEWOLFE DEAD.

HALIFAX, May 19.—The death of John M. DeWolfe occurred at noon yesterday at his home, Willow street. Deceased was one of Halifax's most esteemed citizens. He was an enterprising business man, and for years carried on a carriage building industry, but of late has been manufacturer's agent. Some months ago his health began to fail, and he took a trip to the West Indies, returning home about two months ago. Deceased was seventy years of age. For several years he occupied a seat in the city council. He was a native of St. Stephen, N. B. Eight daughters and two sons survive, Fred T. and John S., traveller for Simpson Bros.

LOYALIST AT HOME.

Dr. A. A. Stockton, K. C., presided at the At Home given by the Loyalist Society last evening. After reading a letter of regret from Rev. Canon and Mrs. DeVeber, Dr. Stockton announced that in future Loyalist Day would be officially recognised by the dominion government ordering the firing of a salute on that day. Dr Stockton delivered an eloquent address on the Loyalists, and was followed by D. R. Jack, who read a very interesting paper on the same subject. Rev. Dr. Raymond referred to the sufferings and sacrifices of the Loyalists, and Dr. Dole read the ode written by him for the centennial of the landing of the Loyalists in 1883. Mayor White, Recorder Skinner, Hon. R. J. Ritchie, Dr. Dole and W. M. Jarvis also made interesting speeches.

A musical programme was carried out by G. C. Coster, Messrs. Beveridge, Appleby and D. Arnold Fox. Refreshments were also served.

THE DRY DOCK.

George Robertson, M. P. P., returned from Montreal yesterday, accompanied by Louis Coste, C. E., the engineer employed by the Dry Dock Company. Mr. Coste will spend a few days getting measurements at Sand Point to enable him to complete his plans, which are well advanced, and Mr. Robertson hopes that they will be able to begin work on the dock in October.

A FOOLISH EDITOR.

BERLIN, May 19.—The Mercury, a weekly paper, published by a group of young literary men in Strasburg was recently confiscated on the charge of les majeste. The responsible editor of the paper thereupon shot and killed himself and his sweetheart.

SENTENCED TO DEATH.

VIENNA, May 19.—A despatch from Salonica announces that a court martial has sentenced to death the instigator of the destruction by dynamite, April 30, of the Ottoman bank at Salonica. The Salonica police have arrested the proprietor of the shop from which a tunnel was dug to the Ottoman bank.

To cure Headache in ten minutes use KUMFORT Headache Powders.

BORDER NEWS.

The Calais correspondent of the Bangor Commercial writes under yesterday's date:

Considerable surprise was manifested Sunday morning when it was learned that two young women had been arrested the previous evening on a charge of street walking. Both women belong in Milltown and are known in this city. They felt their position keenly and tried to evade the scrutiny of the curious ones who attempted to get a view of them through the windows. They were the first to occupy the female ward of the new city lockup, but it is very doubtful if they fully appreciate the distinction.

Mrs. Ellen McGouldrick, widow of Andrew McGouldrick, late of Milltown, N. B., died Saturday evening at the residence of her son-in-law, M. J. Goode, Monroe Street. Deceased was 70 years of age, and is survived by two daughters, Mrs M. J. Goode and Mrs. Thomas Doyle of this city, also numerous other relatives in various parts of the United States and Canada.

Mrs. W. C. H. Grimmer of St. Stephen was called to St. Andrews, N. B., on Saturday, on account of the death of her father, Charles M. Gove, ex-collector of customs of that port. Mr. Gove was in his 89th year and had retired from service several years ago.

SYBIL SANDERSON'S FUNERAL.

Great Opera Singer and Most Beautiful Woman on the Stage.

PARIS, May 18.—The funeral of Sybil Sanderson, who died in the city on Saturday from the effects of an acute attack of the grip took place Monday morning at the church of St. Honore d'Eylau and was largely attended by representatives of the operatic and theatrical world, including Mm. Saint Saens and Massenet, the composers; M. Moulierat, M. Delmas, Mlle. Jeanne Granier and M. Eugene Mandick, operatic artists; Sir Henry Austin Lee of the British embassy, and Lady Lee; Admiral and Madame De Jonquieres, representatives of the U. S. embassy and many members of the American colony here. The floral offerings were so numerous that the casket was buried in flowers and even the sombre hearse was transformed into a floral chariot. The usual Catholic funeral serivce was performed. The surpliced choir was augmented by an orchestra and several prominent singers. Crowds surrounded the church and many persons were unable to gain entrance to the building.

Among the floral offerings was a handsome piece from the Bohemian Club of San Francisco and another from the Opera Comique. The body was taken to Pere-La-Chaise cemetery where it was cremated. She was a famous opera singer and the most beautiful woman on the American or French stage. She was a native of California.

OVER HALF A MILLION JEWS.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., May 18.—The convention of District No. 1, Independant Order of B'nai B'rith which convened yesterday, had another session today at which the recommendations contained in the president's report were considered. One of these recommendations was the continuance of the distribution of the New York Ghetto. It was stated that between half a million and 600,000 Jews are now in New York and that in some cases as many as three or four families are huddled in one small tenement.

Water Commissioner Rothnosky of Boston, one of the delegates from that city, made an earnest and eloquent appeal for the continuance of the work of relieving this congestion.

TOMORROW THE 20TH.

The 11.23 p. m. train on the I. C. R. will be held for ten minutes if necessary Wednesday night to accommodate folks outside the city who are going to attend the grand concert and series of war pictures in the Opera House under the auspices of the noncoms. of the 62nd Regiment St. John Fusiliers. A large number of outside militiamen are coming to town to see the show—men from the suburban districts. They will certainly appreciate the generosity of the I. C. R. management in allowing the holding of the train. Everything points to a most successful entertainment and the officers of the local militia are lending their efforts in conjunction with the non-coms. in assuring the happy result. Seats can be exchanged at the Opera House.

BAY CHALEUR SERVICE.

The steamer Restigouche, recently purchased in the old country by Michael Connolly, the contractor, to replace the steamer Admiral on the Dalhousie and Gaspe service, has been found to draw too much water, being unable to dock at New Carlisle, Paspebiac and other points on the route. She is at present lying at Dalhousie, while the old Admiral is running the usual number of trips.

Chronic Constipation surely cured or money back. LAXA-CARA TABLETS never fail. Small, chocolate coated, easy to take. Price, 35 cents. At druggists.

TRAINS TO C. P. R. SUBURBAN POINTS.

On May 23rd and 25th and daily (except Sunday) thereafter, train will leave Welsford 6.45 a. m., arriving St. John 7.50 a. m. and night train will leave St. John 10.45 p. m. for Welsford and intermediate points.

On May 23rd, 25th and 30th, and June 6th additional trains will leave St. John 9.25 a. m. and 1.10 p. m., returning leave Welsford 11.10 a. m. and 6.40 p. m.

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BRITAIN AND RUSSIA.

LONDON, May 19.—With regard to the statement published in the United States that Great Britain is planning a military expedition into Thibet and that it is intended as a menace to Russia, the only foundation for the report appears to be the fact that the Indian mail brings advices that a small body of Indian sappers and pioneers had been sent to rebuild the road along the Feest railway to the frontier and that there is some speculative talk in the Indian papers regarding the possibility of pushing on the railway through the Bolan territory. There is no suggestion of any menace to Russia.

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For the Holiday.

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LADIES' WHITE TUCKED LINEN BLOUSES, with medallion trimmings, sizes 32 to 38. Price $2.50.

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LADIES' CHAMBRAY BLOUSES, in Blue and Ox-blood; sizes 32 to 36. Price $1.00.

LADIES' CHAMBRAY BLOUSES, in Blue and Ox-blood, with tucking and insertion. Sizes 32 to 36. Prices $1.75, $1.90 and $2.90.

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LADIES' CANVAS BLOUSES, white with black dot, and blue with white stripes, green with white stripe, and black with white stripe. Sizes 32 to 36. Price 95c.

LADIES' CHAMBRAY BLOUSES, in blue and white, green and white and pink and white. Sizes 32 to 36. Price $2.25.

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LADIES' COLORED COTTON BLOUSES. Sizes 32 to 38. Price 55c. and 80c.

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LADIES' WHITE LAWN BLOUSES, 80c., 95c., $1.00, $1.10, $1.25, $1.30, $1.40, $1.60, $1.90, $2.25, $2.50, $3.25, $3.75 and $4.00.

HAMMOCKS.

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AT $1.65—Hammock, extra large size, close weave, with pillow and spreader.

AT $1.65—Hammock twill weave, with valance, pillow and spreader.

AT $2.00—Hammock, Swiss weave, with valance, pillow and spreader.

AT $2.00—Hammock, close weave, with valance, pillow and spreader.

AT $2.25—Hammock, extra large size, close weave, with valance, pillow and spreader.

AT $2.45—Hammock, canvas weave, with valance, pillow and spreader.

AT $2.90—Hammock, Swiss weave, with valance, swing-back, pillow and spreader.

AT $3.25—Hammock, extra large size, double rib weave, with valance, pillow and spreader.

AT $3.65—Hammock, extra large size, twill Jacquard weave, with valance, swing-back, pillow and spreader.

AT $4.00—Hammock, extra large size, double rib weave, with valance, swing-back, pillow and spreader.

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PROVINCIAL ITEMS.

Fire destroyed the residence of C. E. Morton at Milton, Queens Co., N. S., on Friday evening, also damaged to a large extent the house of James A. Hunt. It is claimed to be the work of an incendiary. The steam engine and fire company were sent from Liverpool to assist the Milton brigade.

The fire at Dominion No. 1 colliery, Cape Breton, is yet far from extinguished. Last Tuesday an investigation of the drain shaft was made and it was found that the fire was still burning. The officials held a consultation and decided to resume flooding at once. It was thought that the fire was completely out and all preparations had been made for pumping out the water. It now looks as if it would be many months before Dominion No. 1 will be in operation again.

The Cape Breton Electric Co. expects to have the construction work on the North Sydney—Sydney Mines line sufficiently far advanced to begin the running of cars between the two towns on Wednesday next.

The P. W. A. of Sydney Mines, are having plans prepared for a opera house which they propose to erect in that town. The building will cost about $15,000. The lower floor will be used as an opera house, and the second floor will be donated to the uses of the society.

If you are hard to suit with tea, try Red Rose. It's good tea.

RUSSIA'S IRON HAND.

LONDON, May 19.—The Shanghai correspondent of the Daily Mail telegraphs that the excessive duties imposed on both exports and imports at New Chwang by the Russians are driving trade away.

NOW 1,500 ARE IDLE.

CHICAGO, May 19.— The refusal of twenty-five electricians and cranemen to return to work in the Chicago plant of the Allison, Chalmers Co. unless their demands for an increase in wages was granted, has necessitated the closing down of the entire plant, throwing 1,500 machinists, blacksmiths, pattern makers and other laborers out of employment.

TURK AND ALBANIAN.

CONSTANTINOPLE, May 19.—The lesson taught the Albanians by the Turkish troops' advance on Ipek, Albania, is considered to have attained the primary object of the expedition, which was the occupation of that place in spite of all opposition. A number of Albanian chiefs, however, are still holding out in the mountains, and it is said that when the chiefs fled from Ipek they took with them the members of the Sultan's special commission sent to pacify the Albanians, and who made Ipek their headquarters.

TROUBLE IN CONGO.

LONDON, May 19.— The Daily Chronicle's Geneva correspondent learns that the Congo state authorities are investigating the charges of committing atrocities upon the natives brought against the Congo state officials, and have already dismissed many officials whose guilt was proven.

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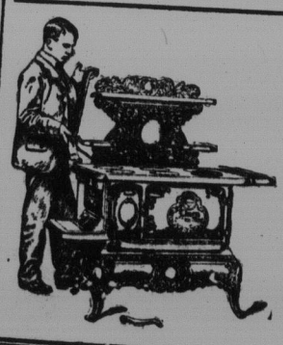
MEN'S REGATTA SHIRTS.—Buy your Regatta Shirts here for the holiday. They are cheaper, fit well, wear well. 60c., 75c., 95c, each.

LADIES' WHITE MUSLIN BLOUSES, 75c., 95c. each.



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TWO BOYS DROWNED.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., May 19.—Harold R. and Herbert A. Goodwin, brothers, aged eight and ten years respectively, were drowned at Silver Lake yesterday. The younger lad was paddling about in the water and stepped into a hole. His brother promptly went to his rescue and both sank.

A SKY SCRAPER.

The largest apartment house in the world is the Ausonia, which is just completed at 72nd street and Broadway, New York. It is seventeen stories high, provides for 1,800 persons, and has sixteen elevators. The building cost $4,000,000, and rents range from $500 for a single room to $1,000 for a double suite.