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CIRCULATION

The following is the sworn average daily circulation of the Times for the last four months:

January	6,712
February	6,979
March	7,167
April	7,194

The Times does not get its large sale through newsboys. It is delivered at the homes. That is the kind of circulation which is of value to the advertisers.

TO ADVERTISERS

We issue at 12 noon, Saturday, until further notice. Advertisers should have their copy at the Times office not LATER than five o'clock, Friday, p. m.

THIS EVENING

J. C. Rockwell's new Sunny Couth Company at the Opera House.

Moving pictures and illustrated songs at the Nickel.

Illustrated songs and moving pictures at the Star, North End.

St. John Lodge, No. 30, Knights of Pythias, meet in T. of H. hall, Main St. Chambers Lodge, Loyal Guardians, will meet in Orange hall.

No. 7 company, C. A. S. C., meet in their armory, Germain street, at 7.30, for drill.

ST. JOHN MAN IN THE WEST

Robert Dalton Son of Late Harbormaster at Indiantown Talks of the Prospects in Western Canada

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Dalton and son, James, of Calgary, arrived in the city on the noon train Saturday. Mr. Dalton has been attending the Railway Men's Conference at Boston as a delegate from the section around Calgary. He is a former St. John boy; his father being the late harbor master at Indiantown, but he went west about seventeen years ago in the C. P. R.'s employ and has been very successful.

He regards the west as an ideal country for a young man, and for anybody, in fact, and thinks there are greater opportunities for success here than in the east. Although it has been a very backward season, everything is now looking brighter and the territory is for a prosperous year in the west.

Mr. Dalton, his wife and son have been absent from home for about a month, having spent some time in New York when the conference was over, and will remain here for a week.

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LATE LOCALS

A bad hole in Reed's Point pier requires attention.

Fairville Section, J. T. of H. and T., will meet this evening at the residence of Cyril T. Hanson, Millard Road.

The members of the Grand band will meet on Wednesday evening, June 2nd, instead of this evening.

Richard Magee's barn at Narwigauk, with all its contents, including a horse, was destroyed by fire early Saturday morning.

The words Fresh Wash Silks in Macaulay Bros. great silk sale adv. in this morning's Telegraph, should have read French Made Silks.

Don't forget the concert to be held in Waterloo street, United Baptist church under the auspices of the Christian Endeavor. Be sure and come—June 2d.

A meeting will be held in the board of trade rooms at 3.30 o'clock this afternoon to organize the John's branch of the N. B. Association for the Prevention of Tuberculosis.

Rev. David Lang, Rev. A. A. Graham and S. R. Jack will leave this evening for Hamilton to attend the meetings of the Presbyterian General Assembly. Rev. James Ross will also go.

The monthly meeting of the Natural History Society of New Brunswick will be held on Tuesday evening. The report of the delegate to the Royal Society will be received and arrangements made for the summer outings.

The adjourned annual meeting of the Y. M. C. A. will be held in the association's building tomorrow at 8 p. m. A full attendance is requested as important business is to be transacted.

A. P. Barnhill, K. C. and John Keefe, the Canadian members of the joint commission appointed to look into matters in dispute on the St. John river will leave for Van Buren tomorrow to inspect the log jam. A meeting will be held in Van Buren with the U. S. commissioners.

At a meeting of the West Side Every Day Club last evening Rev. George Titus delivered a practical and helpful address on "A True Aim of Life." W. J. Hubbard gave a reading. C. G. Brown, the president of the club, was in the chair. There was a large attendance.

Charles Collins, who is in custody, accused of wounding Mrs. Elizabeth Murphree in the White street debacle, was further remanded this morning until tomorrow morning, when it is expected that the woman will be able to leave the hospital and testify in court.

No. 1 battery will meet for drill in uniform on Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock. The new uniforms have arrived and will be issued immediately. There are a few vacancies and all intending recruits are requested to report at once. The Solomon Cup rifle match will be held on June 1st. The detachment for Peterawa leaves St. John on July 24.

The new steel fixtures recently purchased by the city from the Office Specialty Company of Montreal have been installed in the vault in the chamberlain's office. With the new arrangement much more room is afforded for keeping valuable documents secure and in order, and the appearance of the interior of the vault is very attractive.

Minnie Nairn, the negro, who is in jail for conducting a disorderly house near the Carmarthen street entrance to the exhibition grounds, desired this morning to have Thomas Comboy and Jacob Luppe, a white and colored man respectively in court to testify and Luppe will be in attendance tomorrow morning.

Two schooners arrived in port this morning to load lumber for the West Indies. The Muriel B. Watters from Lunenburg, N. S., goes to Barbadoes, and the Burnett C. from Boston for Antigua. The latter named vessel has on board a part cargo of oats. Both vessels will return here with cargoes of molasses for the Crosby Molasses Company. Both schooners are new vessels of beautiful models.

MINISTERS' MEETINGS

Baptist Ministers Met Today and Adjourned for the Summer—Methodists in Session.

The Baptist ministers met in weekly session this morning at 10.30 o'clock in the mission house, Prince William street. There was a small attendance. In addition to the city ministers there were present Dr. H. P. Cousins, of England, who preached three times in the city yesterday; J. P. Crabtree, of Wickham, who has just closed his pastorate on that field, and C. P. Clark, who graduated last week with honors from the U. N. B. Mr. Clark will take up work on the Musquash route in business. At 2.30 o'clock this afternoon the ministers' committee having in charge the arrangements for the reception to St. John's Petera tomorrow, held a meeting to complete their plans.

Rev. Neil McLaughlin was in the chair and among those present were Revs. T. J. Macdonald, H. G. Gardner, H. D. Marr, C. W. Squires, Charles Comben and James Crisp.

The following exchange of pulpits was arranged for the second Sunday in June: German street—Rev. D. Hutchinson, Brussels street—Rev. G. Swinburn, Waterloo street—Rev. W. W. McMaster, Tabernacle—Rev. A. B. Cohoe, Main street—Rev. J. W. Kierstead.

Adjournment was made until next fall. The Methodist ministers met in the parlors of Centenary church and transacted routine business. At 2.30 o'clock this afternoon the ministers' committee having in charge the arrangements for the reception to St. John's Petera tomorrow, held a meeting to complete their plans.

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Have You Seen Them

If you haven't seen our Cabinet Glenwood, it will pay you to come around and look them over. Ask all the questions you want about them. Go see those that are using them, they will tell you how they bake. It will also pay you to come in and see our kitchen utensils lines. There is always something new in these goods. Come and see our new potato pot: it is fitted with a strainer, no more scalded arms or hands while straining your potatoes. You should see these pots and you won't go out without one.

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INTERSCHOLASTIC ATHLETIC SPORTS

High School Boys Announce Their Entries—Fredericton, Rothesay and Moncton Not Yet Heard From.

The interscholastic sports to be held here on Wednesday, June 2nd, are attracting a great deal of attention. The High School boys have been training for some time and a good many of them are looked upon as winners and are expected to uphold and out-do the reputation already acquired by them as athletes.

Fredericton, Rothesay and Moncton have not as yet sent in their entries but are expected to do so not later than this afternoon. The cup donated by Rothesay last year and now held by Fredericton will be awarded to the team capturing the major number of events.

The following are the entries submitted by the local boys for the sports:

100 yards dash—F. Smith, R. Smith.
220 yards dash—F. Smith, R. Smith.
440 yards—F. Finley, McGarrity.
One mile—W. Walsh, G. Melrose.
High jump—F. Finley, McGarrity.
Pole vault—H. Cunningham, F. Donnelly.
Shot put and broad jump—F. Smith, F. Finley.
Hurler—R. Smith.

ANOTHER OLD RESIDENT PASSED AWAY TODAY

Mrs. Elizabeth Steven Died at Her Home, Exmouth Street This Morning.

The death of Mrs. Elizabeth Steven, at her home on Exmouth street, this morning, removes another of the city's oldest residents. Mrs. Steven was born in this city in 1820, and is therefore eighty-nine years of age. Her birth-place was on the site now occupied by Shaw's bakery on Waterloo street. She had resided for most of her life on Exmouth street and saw the eastern end of the city develop from a grass grown hill to a thriving portion of St. John. She had picked berries in the neighborhood before the transformation of the vacant lots by a building boom. Near the spot where she resided was in olden time a spring which supplied the residents with water.

Mrs. Steven possessed an excellent memory and was fond of recollecting incidents and people of her girlhood. She was a descendant of the Loyalists and her husband was a native of Glasgow. Surviving are one son, Douglas Steven of Shediac, N. B., and one daughter, Alice, at home. Also six grandsons and two granddaughters, the children of her son, and one great-grandson, Robert Boyer, William Boyer and John Boyer, her brothers, are still living. The late Mrs. Moran was also a sister. The funeral will be conducted on Wednesday, at 2 p. m., from 17 Exmouth street to St. Mary's church, where Rev. Dr. Raymond will officiate at the services.

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THE DEATH OF MRS. ELIZABETH STEVEN, AT HER HOME ON EXMOUTH STREET, THIS MORNING, REMOVES ANOTHER OF THE CITY'S OLDEST RESIDENTS. MRS. STEVEN WAS BORN IN THIS CITY IN 1820, AND IS THEREFORE EIGHTY-NINE YEARS OF AGE. HER BIRTH-PLACE WAS ON THE SITE NOW OCCUPIED BY SHAW'S BAKERY ON WATERLOO STREET. SHE HAD RESIDED FOR MOST OF HER LIFE ON EXMOUTH STREET AND SAW THE EASTERN END OF THE CITY DEVELOP FROM A GRASS GROWN HILL TO A THRIVING PORTION OF ST. JOHN. SHE HAD PICKED BERRIES IN THE NEIGHBORHOOD BEFORE THE TRANSFORMATION OF THE VACANT LOTS BY A BUILDING BOOM. NEAR THE SPOT WHERE SHE RESIDED WAS IN OLDEN TIME A SPRING WHICH SUPPLIED THE RESIDENTS WITH WATER.

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BIRTHS

HUMPHREY—On May 29th, to the wife of Percy Humphrey, a son.

DEATHS

STEVEN—In this city, May 31st, Mrs. Elizabeth Steven, widow of the late William Steven, in the 89th year of her age.

ROSS—On Saturday morning, May 29, after short illness, at the residence of his son-in-law, Herbert A. Northrup, Prospect street, David Ross, in the 79th year of his age, leaving a wife, two sons and two daughters to mourn their loss.

Funeral service on Monday evening, the 31st inst., at 8 o'clock.

Remains will be taken to Apohaqui on Tuesday morning by 10 o'clock train for interment at Highfield at 11 o'clock.

SHARP—At 177 Wentworth street, this city, May 29, after a lingering illness, Elizabeth Sharp, widow of the late John Sharp, and daughter of the late William C. and Hannah Hill, leaving three daughters and one son.

Funeral on Tuesday at 2.30 o'clock. Friends and acquaintances are invited to attend.

MONTREAL STOCKS

Montreal, May 31—(Special)—The stock market was narrower today and most prices fractionally easier. Scotia was an exception selling one point higher at 65 1/2. Other features were Toronto Railway, 128 1/2; Mexican 70; Dominion Steel 38 1/4 to 37 3/4; Mid 129; Lake of the Woods, 114 1/8; Textile 60 7/8.

Lingerie for the June Bride

A Showing of the Newest and Handsomest Models Procurable.

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