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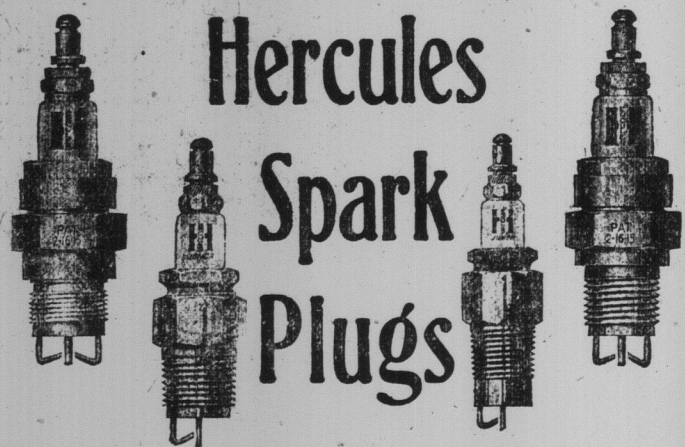
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LOCAL NEWS

EQUAL NUMBERS.

Eight marriages and twenty-six births—thirteen boys and thirteen girls—were reported to the registrar during the week.

CORRIGHAM-THOMPSON.
The wedding of Miss Ethel Thompson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. V. Thompson, 84 Wall street, and Francis A. Corrigham of Dublin, was solemnized on Wednesday evening at the home of the bride by Rev. H. C. Fraser.

NOT GOING TO SCHOOL.
Some boys were before Magistrate Ritchie in the juvenile court this morning charged with truancy. J. Boyd Mann appeared for the prosecution as city truant officer.

ENTERTAINED INVALIDS.
Ladies of the Main Street Baptist Church visited the Home for Incurables last evening and gave the patients a dainty supper. Rev. Dr. Hutchinson accompanied the women and spoke a few words to the gathering.

EIGHTEEN DEATHS.
Eighteen deaths were reported at the board of health office for the week, four deaths due to pneumonia and heart disease, and one to each of the following: Asthma, mumps, diphtheria, tuberculosis, gastro-enteritis, fracture of skull, cancer of stomach, cancer of uterus, tubercular meningitis, puerperal septicemia.

FOR ENGLISH MARKET.
Experiments have been made by a local fish packer with bladders and kippers with a view to meeting the requirements of the English market. These have been lightly smoked and salted and it is said that the samples compare favorably with the high standard of the English bladder and kipper.

NEED AN ARMED GUARD.
Constable Roberts of the C. G. R. arrested a boy about fourteen years old this morning on a charge of stealing coal from one of the C. G. R. coal cars in the depot yard. The boy when caught was on top of the car throwing lumps to the ground. Mr. Roberts said this morning that several boys have been stealing coal all winter, but have been doing so at night.

PRICES ARE HIGH.
With the last weeks of winter at hand, prices in the country market are at their greatest height and meats of all kinds are scarce. Beef retails at 25 cents the pound, pork 35 to 38, real 20 to 25, steak 30 to 35, lamb 30 to 35, mutton 25 to 30, rabbits are 60 cents the pair, pigeons 50 cents and guinea hens \$1.50 to \$2.00. There is no other game on the market. Chicken are 50 cents the pound and fowl 40. Eggs are from 60 to 70 cents a dozen, potatoes \$8.00 to \$8.75 a barrel, apples \$8.00 to \$5.00 a barrel, turkeys \$1.25 to \$1.50. Maple syrup is not yet in but maple sugar is on the market at 90 cents a pound.

MRS. SMITH LECTURES IN MON- TON.

Mrs. E. A. Smith gave a lecture in city hall, Monday last evening, describing the Halifax disaster and relief work among the victims, referring especially to the needs of the blind. Subscriptions were received in aid of training the blind in the Halifax school. F. W. Sumner, agent general for New Brunswick, presided. A vote of thanks was tendered Mrs. Smith on motion of George J. Oulton, president of the Halifax Relief Committee, seconded by Rev. W. H. Barreclough, pastor of the Central Methodist church. There was a large audience and the speaker's remarks were frequently applauded.

STOLE GALLON OF RUM

Detectives Tell of Finding Liquor and of Prisoner's Confession—Got it While His Wife Was Out With Owner

William Garnett was before Magistrate Ritchie in the police court this morning on a charge of stealing a gallon of Demara rum from Mrs. M. E. Cathers of 207 Brussels street. Mrs. Cathers gave testimony to the effect that she had ordered the liquor from Montreal a short time ago and that the defendant's wife had learned of it, knew where it was kept and knew where the key to the house was hung. On Thursday afternoon, between three and five o'clock, the liquor disappeared. In all that time, Mrs. Cathers swore, she was never once separated from Mrs. Garnett. As the husband would be the only person likely to know how to get in, she had him arrested on suspicion. Detective Hopkins gave corroborating testimony and the prisoner was remanded.

HELD PANTRY SALES

The Willing Workers of the Germain street and Central Baptist churches held patriotic pantry sales this morning. The Germain street ladies in the Imperial lobby and the Central workers in the furniture store of Charles L. Bustin in Germain street.

Mrs. Herbert D. Everett, president of the Central Willing Workers, was in charge at Bustin's and was assisted as follows:—Home cooking table, Mrs. J. I. Davis, Miss B. Brundage, Mrs. George Scaplen and Mrs. M. Campbell; apron table and fancy work, Mrs. Z. Alward, Mrs. A. M. Reiding, Mrs. L. A. Belyea and Mrs. John H. Bond. Mrs. W. P. Bonnell, president of the Germain street workers, was in charge of the Imperial sale and was assisted by the following convenors, Mrs. Donaldson Hunt, Mrs. W. C. Cross and Mrs. A. B. Gilmore, and the following ladies:—Mrs. J. C. Earle, Mrs. Roy Fenwick, Mrs. H. P. Mott, Mrs. H. L. Rising and Mrs. A. B. Fowler.

WILL ADHERE TO OLD FISHERIES SALE PLAN

Commissioner Russell said this morning that no bill would be presented to the legislature respecting the sale of the fisheries in the harbor. An advertisement to that effect was published but, he said, no such action would be taken and the lots will be sold by auction yearly.

GOVERNMENT MAKES GOOD ARRANGEMENT

Large Transaction in Rails Which Helps C. G. R. in War Work and Leaves Province Substantial Sum of Money

An arrangement which provides sufficient eighty-pound rails to complete the Valley Railway from Gagetown to Westfield, enables the province to aid the Canadian Government Railways in handling the war traffic of the country and incidentally leaves the province a very substantial sum of money as a result of the transaction but it is being completed. This is one of the chief results of a mission to Ottawa after which C. O. Foss and E. S. Carter, chief engineer and secretary-treasurer of the St. John & Quebec Railway Company, have returned. They reached Fredericton yesterday and Mr. Foss came to St. John on the night train.

At the last session of the legislature authority was given to permit the St. J. & Q. R. and the government of New Brunswick to lift the rails of the Northern N. B. and Seaboard Railway. In January of this year Premier Foster and officials of the railway company had a conference with the directors of the Seaboard road with a view to arriving at a suitable arrangement for the use of the rails so taken.

Since then, the Canadian Government Railways, finding it impossible to secure sufficient heavy rails for relaying portions of their trunk road, which bears the heaviest traffic, asked that they be permitted to take over the Seaboard rails. Their great need, for the purposes of important transportation, led to the suggestion that the heavy eighty-pound rails on the Valley railway from Gagetown to Centreville might be exchanged for the eighty-pound relay rails which they would replace on the I. C. R. It was in connection with this exchange that Messrs. Carter and Foss have been in conference with officials of the department of railways at Ottawa.

As the C. G. R. is operating the Valley railway between Gagetown and Centreville and knows just what rails the traffic would require, the request made to the N. B. government and the St. J. & Q. R. really is, he readily accepted. This may be done the more readily because of the patriotic reasons advanced showing the great necessity for such rails in the government service.

AT THE VICTORIA ALLEYS

In a one-sided game on the Victoria alleys on Friday afternoon the C. P. R. Checkers again white-washed the office staff, defeating them by 181 pins. It was an interesting game, however, and many good plays were made. The results:

| Checkers | Score |
|----------|------------------|
| Leonard | 24 42 75 79 226 |
| Ervin | 72 240 |
| Scribner | 81 98 259 |
| Connell | 89 91 80 240 |
| Carlton | 178 81 289 |
| Office | 378 411 410 1199 |

| Office | Score |
|----------|------------------|
| Codre | 72 62 74 208 |
| Ervin | 82 71 38 211 |
| Griffin | 67 83 77 227 |
| Nobles | 74 62 67 203 |
| Humboldt | 73 81 69 223 |
| Office | 368 359 325 1062 |

In a McAvity League game, No. 7 team and No. 8 team battled for honors. No. 7 team had the largest pinfall. As usual, the royal rovers were out in force and much enthusiasm prevailed. Following in the results:

| No. 7 Team | Score |
|------------|------------------|
| Phinney | 92 77 69 238 |
| Gray | 71 84 72 227 |
| Fortune | 60 69 63 172 |
| Campbell | 71 68 68 208 |
| Harrison | 94 98 86 278 |
| Office | 388 397 348 1133 |

| No. 8 Team | Score |
|------------|------------------|
| Miller | 74 69 66 209 |
| Tickner | 82 82 80 244 |
| Speer | 60 62 73 195 |
| McDonald | 72 71 84 227 |
| McCluskey | 85 80 74 248 |
| Office | 373 363 387 1123 |

In the second game of their series the Post office staff won three points from the A. L. Goodwin team in a close game. The first string was won by Goodwin's by two pins. The second was very close until the last when spares by Brennan and Maxwell won the pinfall by thirteen pins. Following is the result:

| Post Office | Score |
|-------------|------------------|
| O'Leary | 88 79 81 248 |
| Levine | 73 80 76 229 |
| Walsh | 69 87 78 234 |
| Brennan | 87 92 84 263 |
| Maxwell | 88 77 1345 |
| Office | 408 426 396 1230 |

| Goodwin's | Score |
|-----------|------------------|
| Leighton | 88 97 89 274 |
| R. Leeman | 82 74 76 232 |
| Parker | 84 80 75 239 |
| W. Leeman | 89 63 61 212 |
| Farlee | 74 76 80 230 |
| Office | 405 396 388 1189 |

In a match game in the Telephone League, No. 5 team won three points from No. 4 team. Only fourteen pins separated the teams at the finish. Duncan was high man with 103 and 105. The summary follows:

| No. 5 Team | Score |
|------------|------------------|
| McCarroll | 74 80 73 227 |
| Wasson | 77 78 78 233 |
| Duncan | 62 77 89 238 |
| O'Dell | 60 51 61 172 |
| Leroy | 84 68 69 221 |
| Office | 362 354 370 1086 |

| No. 4 Team | Score |
|------------|------------------|
| Dunham | 69 75 74 218 |
| McAllister | 74 73 78 225 |
| Duncan | 62 103 105 270 |
| Nason | 69 71 49 179 |
| Dakin | 63 65 68 194 |
| Office | 327 385 360 1072 |

Death of Jacob W. Miller.

New York, Mar. 9.—Former Commodore Jacob W. Miller, of the New York Naval Militia, at one time vice-president of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railway, and an officer of various citizenship lines, died yesterday. He was born in 1847.

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