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## PROMINENT MEN ARRIVE TO CONFER HERE ON PORT CHARGES MATTER

Among Them is D. W. Campbell, a Pioneer of Winter Port.

This afternoon at 2 o'clock permanent shipping men met the members of the city council and port committee to discuss with them the matter of a reduction in the charges made at this port, with a view to bringing more business to St. John. A Montreal delegation arrived this morning and included men well known here and all interested in the matter in hand.

At 11 o'clock this morning a meeting was held at the office of the Board of Trade at which the local representatives of the shipping lines and the head office men conferred and arranged for the conference in the afternoon. The shipping men would not say just what they were going to say to the members of the council, further than they would ask for reductions in the port charges.

Recalls Early Days.

Among the men here for the conference is D. W. Campbell, who was manager of the Beaver Line when the winter port service was inaugurated by that company in 1896. Mr. Campbell said there had been a big change since that time and he was glad the port had come ahead. At the present time he is manager of the Elder Dempster Line for Canada and still has ships coming to St. John.

Speaking of traffic conditions today, Mr. Campbell said there must be a lessening of the burden on the steamships if St. John was to get its share of the trade. He referred to the anchorage charges, the charge for bunkering and for heating the sheds, which he said, were not imposed in other ports and said all these small items should be eliminated. Today ports, like other business houses, had to go after business and make it an object for the exporters and shipping men to use the port. The steamship lines were operating on a very small margin and would naturally use the port most advantageous to them.

During the morning Mr. Campbell, accompanied by J. T. Knight, local agent of the Elder Dempster Line, visited Courtenay Bay and the West Side docks.

Others in the party were: G. M. Borworth, general manager of the Canadian Pacific Steamships; W. M. Kirkpatrick, general export traffic agent of the Canadian Pacific Railway; W. A. Coates, director of the Robert Reford Company; J. W. Nicol, general manager of Furness Withy Company; Leo Doherty, general manager inter-continental traffic Canada Steamships; T. J. McCreary, assistant to Mr. Doherty; Erik Reinhard, manager of the Scandinavian-American Line; and W. R. B. H. Kennedy, manager and manager of McLean Kennedy Company.

The visitors were entertained at luncheon at the Union Club by the local shipping men at 1 o'clock. The guests included the members of the board and railway men, the Mayor and City Commissioners and Messrs. H. C. Schofield, J. T. Knight, W. T. Ledington, Thomas Nagle and Percy Turcotte.

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## REVISE THE CIVIL SERVICE SALARIES

Official Here Gets Word of Order-in-Council at Ottawa.

An order-in-council revising the civil service salaries to adjust them to the new basis since the removal of the houses has been passed by the Government, according to a telegram received here this morning by William M. Campbell, provincial representative on the Dominion executive of the Customs and Excise Officers' Association. The telegram came from the secretary of the association at Ottawa and also contained the information that details of the new schedule would be forwarded by mail at once.

## REPORT THAT MANY HAVE COME TO CITY

Merchants Say Community Sale is Getting Nicely Into Stride.

Merchants reported today that a large number of visitors from outside points were in the city and the community sale was just beginning to hit its stride. It was expected that the afternoon trains would bring in many more buyers to take advantage of the bargains which are being offered at this time.

Today visitors to the city who wished to take advantage of the opportunity could see the city and suburbs as a guest of the retail merchants. This morning two seven-passenger automobiles were placed at the foot of King street and this afternoon several more were on the job. While they had not been used to any great extent during the morning it was expected that many would take advantage of the offer during the afternoon.

## ALMANAC FOR ST. JOHN, OCT. 22

A.M. P.M.  
High Tide..... 6:42 High Tide..... 7:04  
Low Tide..... 0:12 Low Tide..... 12:29  
Sun Rises..... 6:59 Sun Sets..... 5:29

## LOCAL NEWS

### THE VOTERS LIST.

A meeting of the revisors for the city of St. John will be held tomorrow evening at 7:30 to go over the names of those who have made application to be placed on the voters' list and the list as corrected will then be sent to the printer.

### ON THEATRE MATTER.

W. J. Brown, assistant inspector of taxation, left today for Chatham on a tour of inspection of the factories in Kent, Northumberland and Gloucester counties in connection with the administration of the sales tax. He expects to be away about two weeks.

### HOME FROM NEWFOUNDLAND.

Friends of Mrs. Thomas Nickson of Paradise row welcomed her home today from Newfoundland, where she had spent the summer with her husband and two of her sons, Frank and William. They and their father are engaged in the construction work going on at Corner Brook on the Hamber river for large English interests building a pulp and paper plant. Mr. Nickson and his two sons are planning to come home for a family reunion here for Christmas.

### ENJOYED CARDS.

A meeting of the Nomads of Avondale was held last night in Temple Hall, Main street, and there was a good attendance. After the business had been disposed of a social hour was spent and refreshments served. Cards were enjoyed. The winners were Mrs. Belding and O. S. Dykeman and the consolation winners Mrs. Morrow and W. Mahoney. The committee in charge was composed of Mrs. T. W. Perry, Mrs. Howard Bell, Mrs. W. Colell and Mrs. A. Westray.

### MISSION CIRCLE MET.

The Jessie Chipman Mission Circle of Portland Methodist church held a parlor meeting at the home of Miss Ada Calhoun last evening. There were 38 members present. Miss Gertrude Harper led the devotional exercises. The second chapter of the study was taken up, in charge of Mrs. John Howe, and Miss Mary Lingley, piano solo was given by Miss Vera Corbett and was very much enjoyed. Dainty refreshments were served and a most enjoyable evening spent.

### IS GIVEN WARNING.

Walter Cameron appeared before Magistrate Henderson in the police court this morning on charges of being and lurking in an alley in the rear of 72 Union street. Detective Kilpatrick testified that the defendant was in the alley at the time he was arrested. Magistrate Henderson said he did not accept the explanation of the defendant as satisfactory and warned him that he was liable to be sent to jail for six months. He said he would allow him to go on this occasion but warned him.

### BURIED TODAY.

The funeral of Mrs. Jessie MacKenzie was held this afternoon from the residence of her son in Thorne avenue. Service was conducted by Rev. J. S. Bonnell and interment was in Fernhill. The funeral of Mrs. R. Walter Cunningham was held this afternoon from her late residence, Portland street. Service was conducted by Rev. R. M. Legate and Mr. Scribner and interment was in Fernhill.

### TRIAL BEGINS IN SOMERSET STREET CASE

In the County Court this morning, before His Honor Judge Barry, trial of a case against William McAnulty, William Smith, Harold Wilson and George Peckham, charged with assault and attempted robbery, was commenced. The accused elected to take speedy trial. The complainant, John A. McKenzie of Lakeville, near Woodstock, was not present. After the evidence of four witnesses for the crown had been taken, the case was postponed until Oct. 28.

Evidence was given by Sergeant Rankine, Policeman Sheehan and Special Officer Mc'Brien regarding the arrest of the accused on the day after the alleged assault and attempted robbery. The case was taken place in a house in Somerset street. Mrs. Laura Price, who resides on the lower floor of the house, testified that she saw racket and someone running downstairs on the night in question. It is likely that the complainant's evidence will be given at the adjourned hearing.

K. J. MacTae appeared for Wilson; Francis Kerr for Peckham; E. J. Hennessey for Smith; and J. B. Dever for McAnulty.

### As Hiram Sees It

"I was thinking," said Mr. Hiram Hornbeam to The Times reporter, "of gittin' some fellers to join in startin' a little industry in St. John."

"That confirms my suspicion," said the reporter, "I thought you were showing signs of mental aberration."

"Now just what was you meanin' by that?" queried Hiram.

"Any man," said the reporter, "who would talk of starting anything but a cemetery in St. John is bordering on lunacy. I can bring you equitable persons who will agree with me that poor old St. John is all in, and who will advise you to vamoose."

"You're a nice feller to hev in a town," said Hiram. "You orto git a free ride on a rail-wit-er-later feathers thrown in. Ever hear me run do-'n The Settlement? If I don't try to start the there industry, it'll be because critters like you is rampin' a gloom fecty on a day an' night shift. You're no good. You orto be sent to the Dismal Swamp an' kep there—By Hen!"

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Women's Shop—3rd Floor.

### Men's Sweaters

All-wool coat style, shawl collar—brown, grey, maroon... \$4.48

Street Floor

### Men's Overcoats

Regular \$30 to \$35  
A wonderful variety of the season's new snappy styles and patterns. Get yours today.  
2nd Floor

### Men's Shoes

Worthy of your quick attention. Regu- lar \$7 to \$8.50... \$5.85

Street Floor

### Men's Caps—Reg. \$2.50, \$3; Now... \$1.98

### Men's Underwear—Stanfield's all-wool shirts and drawers. Special per garment... \$1.95

### Fine ribbed combinations, wool and cotton mixed. Special—Imported English washable chambray. Special... \$1.95

### Grey and Beaver Suede gloves. Special... \$1.95

### Hosiery—English all-wool ribbed, heathers and plain. Special 55c Street Floor

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- ELECTRIC SEAL..... \$165.00
- MUSKRAT..... \$135.00

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