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### Local and Provincial

#### LAUNDRY AGENCY

Persons wishing to send articles to Givan's Laundry can leave same at Neil O'Brien's barber Shop before Tuesday evening of each week. March 15, 4 is.

#### DIME SOCIAL

Thursday night a dime social, in aid of the new Sunday school, held in Douglastown, was held at the residence of Thomas Flett, Marine Hospital. Nearly 100 people attended, a very pleasant evening being spent.

#### EASTERN S. S. CO.

It will be good news to the people of this Province that the Eastern Steamship Co. will have four direct trips from St. John to Boston during the coming season. This excellent and up-to-date service will be performed by the magnificent steamships "Calvin Austin" and "Gov. Cobb."

#### LOST A HORSE

School Inspector Mersereau ran in hard luck Thursday by losing a horse through the ice. He and his driver were going up McLean's Creek, Hardwicke, when the animal suddenly broke through. After going some distance for assistance, the horse was hauled out but died soon after. The horse was a valuable one and belonged to Thos. Fitzpatrick, Chatham.—Tribune.

#### DIED IN BROOKLYN.

A letter received by Postmaster Sears of St. John from a friend in New York, told of the death in December last of Mr. W. Buchan Mott, a well known broker and banker. New Brunswick has an interest in Mr. Mott from the fact that he was a grandson of Jacob Mott, the first King's printer of this province, who held office from 1785 to 1805. Mr. Mott had made a large fortune in Wall street. His home was in Brooklyn.

#### DEATH OF MRS. DONAHER

The death of Mrs. Stephen Donaher occurred at her home here March 9th after a short illness. The deceased lady had reached her 73rd year and during her long and useful life had won the esteem of all and the love of many. She was formerly Miss Mary Murphy, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mart Murphy of Nowlanville. The funeral on March 11th, was largely attended. Interment took place at the Catholic cemetery Nelson. The chief mourners are her four sons, Thomas and John at home, Wm. of Boston, and Michael of Chatham, and three daughters, Mrs. Walter Howard, Boston, Mrs. William Hayes, Craigville, and Miss Margaret of Boston.

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Henry W. Donaher

#### ERNEST MANDERSON

The grim messenger has again entered the home of John Mander-son. The death of his son Ernest, occurred yesterday at his father's home here, after lingering illness of about ten months. Deceased was born twenty-six years ago. In August 1908, he removed to South Brewer, Me., where on May 30, 1909, he contracted typhoid fever, from the effects of which he never fully recovered. Appearing better for a time, he was married on Sept. 21st, 1909, to Miss Bernice Doucett, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Doucett of Turgeon, Gloucester Co., who survives him. Growing worse, Mr. Mander-son returned to Newcastle on December 7th, since which time he gradually sank until death ended his sufferings. His mother pre-deceased him by one month and five days. Besides his wife he leaves his father and following brothers and sisters: John, of Benson Mines, N. Y., Edward, of Newcastle; Mrs. Wm. Cain, South Brewer, Me.; Joseph and Ephraim, at home. The funeral takes place tomorrow morning. The whole community sorrows with the bereaved family.

#### THE HAPPY HOUR

The Happy Hour is gathering large crowds every night. On Saturday evening the drawing took place for the parlor lamp, Mr. Wm. Ashford held the lucky number and carried off the prize. A barrel of flour is to be given away this week. The drawing will take place Saturday night. In future the programme will start at 8 p.m.

#### ST. PATRICK'S DAY

St. Patrick's Day was quietly observed here. The weather was fine and "The Wearing of the Green" was very much in evidence. A large number were in town from outside districts and perfect order prevailed, not a solitary arrest being made during the day. The drama "Shamrock and Rose" was put on at the Opera House in the evening and proved a great success.

#### THURSDAY NIGHT

Miss Flora Donaldson, the Queen of Scottish Song, will give a Grand Concert in the Opera House Thursday evening. Miss Donaldson will be assisted by Harry Layden, the great Scotch Comedian. The newspapers all speak very highly of Miss Donaldson's singing. Hear the Scottish songs, as only a Scottish Lassie can sing them. The Scotch Comedian will do his part. Tickets 35c.

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#### HEAR HIM

Mr. Nelson W. Brown will explain the Dominion Government Old Age Annuity System, in the Town Hall, on Friday evening, 25th instant. Admission free. Ladies welcome. Come and hear him.

#### ALFRED E. G. RUSSELL

Ald. S. A. Russell has received word of the death on Sunday March 13th, at Fort Francis, Ont., of his brother, Alfred E. G. Russell, of Antigo, Wisconsin. Deceased was 23 years old. He leaves a wife—formerly Miss Lynch, of Bartibogue, N. B.—and several children; also his mother, Mrs. Daniel Russell, and four brothers, S. A., John, Daniel and Arthur J., all of Newcastle.

### NEWCASTLE CELEBRATION OF ST. PATRICK'S DAY

We have had a rare treat. St. Mary's choir put on the beautiful play "The Shamrock and Rose." The Miramichi has never been wanting in talent when the occasion required; and the young ladies and gentlemen who took part in the performance and entertainment at the Opera House the 16th and 17th have well proved that we are not deteriorating. The play represents a period of strife in Ireland, and is a blending of the drama and melo-drama written by John Fitzpatrick Murphy, illustrating life in Ireland in the days of its spies, and rebellions, traitors and heroes and the scenes that necessarily follow a state of turmoil and national struggle in any land; to be plain



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ular position of villain as Captain Beck of the King's Yeomanry made a decided hit, probably nothing so strongly proves the dramatic power of an actor as to hear the audience utter "the scoundrel," and like epithets against the man who plays the bad part, and these were very conspicuous. We congratulate the young man on his performance. J. A. McCabe also as Lieut. Douglas seemed a real soldier and all observers remarked he was reared on the stage.

For the young ladies Miss Foran as the Heroine, the Rose of Wicklow, Miss Morris as Eileen O'Rourke and Miss Harriman as Nano Desmond, they are above our criticism. The rendering of their respective parts made us forget we were at a play and feel that it was real life, weep with their tears, laugh with their mirth and sigh with their sighs. The specialties were equally refreshing.

The little son of Mr. James Sullivan was about the most striking feature of them. "Oh you Stinky Kid." Little Master John Sullivan in his rendering of this would have done honor to old masters of the Opera, every word was articulated with perfect distinctness while his grace of pose on the stage and the perfection of intonations and the melody of his voice made a rendering we have seldom heard. We learn the boy is only about 6 years old, and that he is in training at the Kindergarten department of St. Mary's Convent. We wish to congratulate Mr. and Mrs. Sullivan on having such a talented son and the Convent on the result of its work.

The other specialties, rendered by Miss May Morrison, Miss Mollie Creaghan, Miss Sullivan, Miss Lawlor, Mr. Fitzpatrick and others were excellent and served well to fill in the short time between acts: Too much credit cannot be given to the talented and energetic young leader of St. Mary's Choir, Miss Annie Quinn, who selected the drama and had largely the management of its preparation for the stage. She also did duty as accompanist for the Specialties, with a touch that few can equal. St. Mary's Band was in attendance and rendered some choice selections.

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