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CALENDAR

Of Temple of Honor and Temperance of N. B

Victoria, No. 2—Meets every Tuesday except third, at 8 p. m., Temperance Hall (Market Building), Charlotte street, St. John.

Alexander No. 6—Meets Thursday at 8 p. m., in Temple rooms, Union Hall, Main street (opposite Douglas avenue), St. John, North.

Milford, No 7—Meets Monday at 8 p. m., in Temple Hall, Milford, St. John county.

Fraternal No. 8—Meets fourth Tuesday at 8 p. m., in Orange Hall, Germain street.

COUNCILS.

Eastern Star No. 1—Meets third Tuesday at 8 p. m., Temperance Hall (Market Building), Charlotte street, St. John, N. B.

Riverside, No. 2—Meets first and third Tuesday at 8 p. m., Temple rooms, Union Hall (opposite Douglas Avenue), St. John, North.

THE WEATHER

Forecasts—Strong winds and gales from westward, gradually clearing.

Sunday—Strong westerly winds, colder, with snow flurries.

Synopsis—The storm is now centred in the Gulf and westerly gales are blowing near the United States coast.

WASHINGTON, Dec 30.—Forecast: Eastern states and northern New York—Fair, colder tonight. Sunday fair, diminishing west winds.

THIS EVENING

The Waite Comedy Co. in the Mysterious Mr. Raffles at the Opera House.

Special rehearsal of "Me an' Otis."

LOCAL NEWS

Miss Florence Black, is visiting her brother, W. Allan Black, of the Clifton House.

Photographs at special prices for Monday, New Year's Day, Lugrin Studio, 38 Charlotte St.

At tomorrow evening's service in Main street Baptist church one candidate will be received by baptism.

Commencing Jan. 2nd the store of F. S. Thomas will close at 7 o'clock every evening except Saturday.

The annual meeting of the Peoples' Line Steamship Co. will be held on the 10th of January next.

The St. John drug clerks will hold their annual drive on Tuesday, January 9. All clerks are cordially invited to attend.

Usher Miller, who has been studying at the Boston Technical College, is spending the Christmas vacation with his parents.

The retail prices which prevailed in the country market yesterday remained unchanged and their is little chance that they will change by tonight.

The members of the Empire Dramatic Club are requested to meet this evening at the East Side ferry house at 7.30 o'clock sharp to attend a special rehearsal of "Me an' Otis."

The body of the late Daniel S. Golding was taken to Wickham, Queens county, for burial this morning. Rev. Dr. Gates conducted a service at Mr. Golding's late residence, 140 Brittain St. last evening.

There were six deaths in the city during the past week resulting from the following causes, consumption, senile debility, accidentally killed, cerebral hemorrhage, congestion of lungs and bronchopneumonia, one each.

The regular monthly meeting of the Natural History Society of New Brunswick will be held on Tuesday evening next at 8 o'clock. A paper on "Shooting Stars and Meteors" will be read by W. F. Burditt. There will be a meeting of council at 7.30 p. m.

Capt. F. W. Roberts, Capt. Morrison, Capt. Elliott and Fred Reid who were here attending the sitting of the Admiralty court yesterday, in connection with the case of Benjamin Hatfield, of Advocate Harbor, vs. Seaman & Company, of Minudie, left for Parrsboro this morning.

The Saint John Business College has had a new steam heating plant installed, rooms painted, and everything in readiness for the re-opening on Tuesday next, January 2nd. Well lighted, thoroughly ventilated, comfortable rooms, teachers specially trained for their work, personal oversight by the principal in each department of each student's work, and a course of training unexcelled by the best business schools anywhere, ensure the comfort and success of the large number who have already enrolled for the new term.

Dr. March, when communicated with this morning at Partridge Island, said the immigrants affected with measles were all doing well and he expected they would be completely recovered shortly. Owing to the large number of patients it was considered necessary to increase the nursing staff and Miss Murray, a trained nurse, was taken to the island yesterday. The regular nurses are Miss Delaney, matron, and Miss Corey, so that at present there are three experienced nurses in charge of the afflicted ones.

PASSED FINAL EXAMINATION

The following students passed their final examinations at the holiday closing, and were awarded diplomas in the shorthand department of the Currie Business University, Limited:-

Ida Mallory, Margaret M. Seeley, Agatha Maxwell, Edith Cuming, Ethel M. Purchase, Clara J. Leach, Joseph B. Murphy, Ida M. Piercy, A. Mildred Berry, Clement T. Murphy, Gladys I Smith, Helen L. Short, Fred McAuley, Florence R. McCarthy, Alberta R. Parker, Muriel H. Fish, Deborah M. Coram, J. Vincent Shea, Hyman E. Goldberg, Katie Donovan, Lottie Pidgeon, Laura M. Aide, Chas A. Emery, city; Louise J. Dickson, Hampton, C. May Connors, Black's Harbor, Laura Murray, St. George, Geo. McAfee, Quispamsis.

In the business department, Robt. W. Nelson, city, was awarded his diploma.

NEW YEAR'S WRESTLING

There promises to be a large attendance at the York Theatre Monday night to witness the wrestling match between the two crack lightweight wrestlers—Eugene Hardy and Napoleon Constant. The records of the men are sufficient to guarantee a fast and hard struggle. The St. John public have seen Hardy vanquish Joe Gilbert and Bam Bu Lah. Constant, on the other hand, finished second to Tremblay, the world's lightweight champion, in the Montreal tournament.

AN INTERESTING SPECIMEN

He—"Madam, I am collecting for the Drunkards' Home."

She—"I'm very pleased to 'ear it, young man. If you calls tonight you can take my 'usband."—The Tatler.

GROUP FROM RECENT SHORTHAND GRADUATES OF THE CURRIE BUSINESS UNIVERSITY, LTD.

Clara J. Leach, Margaret M. Seeley, Edith Cuming, Ida Mallory, A. Mildred Berry, Gladys I. Smith, Ida M. Piercy, Agatha Maxwell, J. R. Currie (principal), Ethel M. Purchase, Clement T. Murphy, Joseph Murphy.

A FRIENDLY CHALLENGE

The above is a photo-engraving of a group of shorthand writers selected from the list of those who received their diplomas just before Christmas. Not one of the above group has been studying shorthand for more than three months' time.

There appears to be a diversity of opinion as to whether the Pitman or Syllabic systems as taught in other schools, or the system of Scovil shorthand, as revised by court stenographers and taught in The Currie Business University, Limited, is the most efficacious.

In order to demonstrate to the public that the Currie Business University, Limited, produces the best trained stenographers obtainable, its management hereby issues a friendly challenge to any school in the city to produce a group of pupils, with but three months' training, who will be willing to meet any, or all of the above named group in a friendly competition before any independent and unprejudiced competent person or persons.

A friendly competition of this kind would be an interesting as well as instructive feature for the competitors; and, in the opinion of the management of the Currie Business University, would also serve to uphold their contention that Pitman, or Sylabic, or any particular system of shorthand, plays very little part in comparison with the strict methods of training to be obtained in an institution such as theirs, where the instructors are men with years of recent experience in conducting the affairs of houses, which have been overwhelmed with all classes of work.

The majority of the above group are graduates of the High School, and their High School training has served in a great measure to reduce the time required for their special training in amanuensis work.

This school will reopen on Tuesday, January 2nd, 1906.

SAVED $20; LOST $185

A Very Striking Example of Civic Foresight and Enterprise.

An interesting story of civic thrift is told in connection with the recent application of T. McAvity & Sons for a larger water supply pipe from the main to their factory on Water street.

The firm made application to Supt. Murdoch for the pipe. He informed them that they must first get authority from Director Cushing to open the street and then find him at his office between ten and twelve o'clock (if he happened to be there) and conclude the arrangements for putting in the pipe, which they would have to do themselves.

The firm replied, contending that as the city was selling the water, and they would have to pay increased meter and consumption taxes every year, the city should therefore carry the larger pipe to their wall. Supt. Murdoch said this could not be done.

The firm then sent a letter to the water and sewerage board, pointing out that they now paid over $185 per year for water and would pay twice as much for the larger supply. They therefore asked that the city put the pipe down. It was not a large item, costing twenty dollars, or less, but they held the view that the city was asking too much. They needed more water for their factory and were willing to pay for it if the city would put in the pipe from the main to the wall of their factory.

The board, like Supt. Murdoch, refused to do it.

As a result, McAvity & Sons ran a pipe down the wharf, put a pump at the end, and as salt water is as good as fresh for a part of their work they now use harbor water.

The city saved its twenty dollars or less, but it lost $185 per year or more, by refusing to put down the pipe.

Other factory owners make the same complaint of an utter lack of disposition on the part of officials and boards to encourage the enlargement of industries. They say the officials are independent and the boards back them up, to the disadvantage of the city's best interests. They say that before new industries are got those now here should be fairly treated.

PERSONAL INTELLIGENCE

The marriage of Miss Roma King, youngest daughter of the late Mr. Justice King, to David Gordon Gilmour, son of John Gilmour, has been arranged to take place in Ottawa on Wednesday, January 10th.—Montreal Star.

J. E. DeWolf, of Halifax, is a guest at the Royal.

Rev. Dr. Jas. McLeod went to Sackville on the noon train.

H. M. Turner, of West Virginia, the U. S. immigration agent, is in the city, a guest at the Royal.

Captain Isaac Worden, who has been ill at his home in Johnston Parish, Queens County, is said to be in a critical condition.

Robert Dunham, Joshua Cowan and James Paterson leave by this evening's train for Fredericton, where they will spend the holiday.

Levert Thorne leaves on this evening's train for the Washademoak, where he will spend New Year's day with relatives.

J. M. Scovil returned today from Montreal.

Col. Domville was a passenger on the Atlantic express from Montreal today.

T. B. Kidner, superintendent of manual training, arrived in the city this morning from Fredericton.

WILL CLOSE AT 6 O'CLOCK

J. N. Harvey, the Union street clothier, has decided to close his store in the Opera House block every evening except Saturday at six o'clock during the months of January and February.

THE FIREMEN'S ICE SPORTS

They Will Take Place on Jan. 15th --- Outside Teams to Compete.

The Firemen's Mutual Relief Association will hold their ice sports on the 15th January in the Queen's Rink.

Moncton, Sussex, Fredericton, St. Stephen, Woodstock, Fairville and other places will be invited to send teams and skaters to take part in the hose reel race, ladder race and speed skating. This is going to be made the event of the season. It has been stated that the police sports will take place on the 11th, but such is not the case. The police do not want to clash with the firemen, but will hold their sports later, due notice of which will be given. The firemen are noted for giving good sports, and a good night's fun is in store for all who attend.

The sports are intended to raise funds for the benefit of the Firemen's Relief Fund, and should be largely patronized. Tickets may be secured from members of the department.

N. Y. STOCK MARKET

Saturday, Dec. 30.

Chicago Market Report and New York Cotton Market. Furnished by D. C. Clinch, Banker and Broker.

	Yesterday Clos'g	Today Open'g	Close
Amalg Copper	109⅞	109⅞	110½
Anaconda	289	290	289
Am Sugar Rfrs	153	153½	152½
Am Smelt & Rfg	169¼	169¾	168¾
Am Car Foundry	41¾	41¾	40¾
Am Woollen	42⅜	42⅞	42½
Atchison	89	89¼	89
Atchison, pfd		105	105
Am Locomotive	72⅞	73¾	75⅞
Brook Rpd Trst	89	89¼	88⅝
Balt & Ohio	113¾	113¾	113¾
Chesa & Ohio	56⅝	56⅝	56
Canadian Pacific	175	174⅝	173¾
Chicago and Alton	32		
Chi & G West	21	21¼	21½
Colo F & Iron	57	57½	56⅛
Consolidated Gas	179¼	182½	181
Colorado Southern	28⅝		
Gen Electric Co	177		
Erie	49¼	49¼	48⅝
Erie, first pfd	81	81¼	81
Erie, second pfd	75		
Illinois Central	175		175¼
Kansas & Texas	27½	37⅜	37⅝
Kan & Tex, pfd	69½	71	71
Louis & Nash	152¾	152⅝	152
Manhattan	162		
Met Street Ry	125¼	124⅝	125
Mexican Central	25½	25¾	25⅝
Missouri Pacific	100½	101	100
Nor & Western	84⅝	84⅝	85
N Y Central	153¼	153⅜	153½
North West	220½		223
Ont & Western	52⅛	52½	52¾
Pacific Mail	48⅜	48½	48½
Peo C & Gas	138¼	138¼	138¾
Republic Steel	34⅝	34¼	34
Sloss Sheffield	89⅞	89½	89½
Pennsylvania	144¼	144	143⅝
Rock Island	24	24¼	24½
St Paul	181¾	182	181¾
Southern Ry	36	36	35⅝
Southern Ry. pfd	100		
Southern Pacific	66⅝	66¾	66¼
Northern Pacific	205¾	205	205
National Lead	85	85½	83½
Twin City	117⅜	117½	117½
Tenn C & Iron	133⅜		131½
Texas Pacific	23½		
Union Pacific	151¼	151¼	150⅝
U S Rubber	52¼	53¾	53¾
U S Steel	43½	42⅝	43½
U S Steel, pfd	106¼	105⅝	106⅝
Wabash	20¼	20⅜	20¾
Wabash, pfd	40⅝	41	41
Western Union	93¼	93⅜	93⅝

Total sales in New York yesterday 1,982,200 shares.

CHICAGO MARKET REPORT.

Dec Corn		44⅛	44⅛
Dec Wheat	83⅜	83⅜	83⅞
May Corn	44⅜	44¼	44½
May Wheat	87⅜	87½	88⅛
May Oats	32¼	32⅛	32¾
May Pork	13.82	13.82	13.82
July Wheat	83⅞		

MONTREAL QUOTATIONS.

Dom Coal	78¼
Dom Iron & Steel	27⅜
Dom I & S, pfd	75½
Nova Scotia Steel	65¾
C P R	175
Twin City	89
Montreal Power	89
Rich & Ont Nav	70

N. Y. COTTON MARKET.

January Cotton	11.30
March Cotton	11.61
May Cotton	11.77
July Cotton	11.85

CELTIC HAD ROUGH PASSAGE

Spent Christmas Day in a Hurricane at Sea Which Did Much Damage.

NEW YORK, Dec. 30.—The White Star steamer Celtic, which arrived today from Liverpool, encountered, on Christmas Day, a terrific hurricane from the northwest. An enormous sea broke over the starboard quarter and ripped out a section of the heavy plated waist bulwarks. The uprights were snapped like pipestems and several other sections were dented in. The portion swept away was held by rivets an inch and a half thick, but these to the number of 50 were drawn apart.

The water swept throug the engineers' gangway, flooding several compartments and smashed windows, doors and head lights.

TO HARNESS THE LITTLE FALLS

Letters to Elijah Ross Regarding His Scheme.

Elijah Ross, who some time ago made plans for harnessing the Reversible Falls, received the following letter from well-known captains of the North End, which speaks for itself:

St. John, N. B., North End, Dec. 28.

Dear Ross,—As it has been stated by persons who either do not know, or are trying to block your plans with regard to power from the rapids of the Little Falls, by trying to make it appear that the ice will interfere with the working of the machine, and as we have had experience for years and at all times of the season in using those falls, we therefore know the above statement is not true.

(Signed) CAPT. JAMES LEONARD.
CAPT. ANDREW NORMAN.

Another letter from a well-known lumberman, who has been rafting all his life, also says:

"I have had experiences of the falls for 40 years with scull and oar, both day and night, and say that the Little Falls is comparatively clear of ice throughout the winter.

(Signed) ISAAC M. COWAN.

THE MYSTERIOUS MR. RAFFLES

The Mysterious Mr. Raffles was presented at the Opera House last evening by the Waite Comedy Company and proved a thriller. William Wagner and Miss Dormer, in the leading roles, did some splendid work, in fact the entire company was most acceptably cast. The work of Messrs. Elliott and Huxtable in the comedy roles of "the coon" and "the stuttering dude" was cleverly interpreted. The play will be repeated again this evening.

On Monday afternoon at the special holiday matinee James R. Waite will appear in his great laughing success, "Other Peoples' Money." In the evening the company will be seen in a sensational melo-drama, "The Man of Mystery."

AT VICTORIA RINK

A good New Year's programme is promised at the Victoria Rink. Indications point to colder weather and Manager Armstrong will have a good sheet of ice on the old Vic. to start the season of 1906. In the morning speed skating can be indulged in and in the afternoon and evening the Vic's own band will furnish music. A handicap race will be an extra attraction in the evening.

NOTICE

The Oddfellows of the City of Saint John are particularly requested to attend at Oddfellows' Hall, Union street, on New Year's day at ten o'clock in the morning.

C. N. SKINNER,
Grand Master.

CONDENSED ADVERTISEMENTS

FOR SALE—HORSE, BETWEEN 12 AND 13 hundred, suitable for lumber woods. Or will exchange for smaller one. Apply HYGIENIC BAKERY. 30-12—tf

FOUND—ON KING STREET, YESTERday, a sum of money. Owner can have same by paying for this ad. and applying 68 Mechlenburg street. 29-12—tf

All our New Winter Jackets for Ladies and Misses at just Half Price.

MACAULAY BROS. & CO.

Every Jacket in our Great Reduction Sale is New This Season.

Big Reductions from Former Prices on Real Hand-Worked Linens.

All Our Mussed and Crumpled Linens Left Over After Christmas Sale will be sold at Special Reductions. One washing will make them as good as new. Every piece real Handwork on Best Irish Linen.

Distinct and Exclusive Patterns, all new, and just in the shapes, sizes and articles in everyday use.

D'Oylies, all sizes; Tray Cloths, Carver's Cloths, Bureau Scarfs, Sideboard Cloths, Pillow Shams, 5 O'clock Covers, Small Bureau Mats, Centre Pieces, Pillow Cases, Etc.

At same Linen Counter during this sale we shall offer PURE IRISH LINEN TOWELS, in half dozen lots, at very low prices.

MACAULAY BROS. & CO.

White Unlaundried Shirts.

The Best White Shirt Ever Offered at 50 Cents

These Shirts are made of the best English Cotton, with fine Linen Bosoms and Wrist Bands.
Every Shirt has patent cushion backs for the studs to rest on.
Sizes 14 inches to 17 inches if you come quick.
NOTE---Every Shirt is guaranteed Tailor Made.

I. CHESTER BROWN, :-: 32 and 36 King Square.

We Have Just Opened

A LOT OF THE NEW

High Bust Form Corsets

The very latest shapes in White and Drab, at **75c. and $1.00 per pair.**

Look at our window and you will see just what you need in a Corset. We have all other kinds, shapes and styles of Corsets, from 50c. per pair up to $2.00. These goods are perfect fitting and a good wearing article.

Ladies' and Children's Suspenders in Black, White and Colors, in different styles.

ROBT. STRAIN & CO., 27 and 29 Charlotte St.

Globe Clothing House

Will offer this week the balance of our WINTER CLOTHING at the following prices: To Wit, Eight Suits of Tweed Cloth, all Wool, Regular Prices, $8.00, now $4.00.

Thirty-four All-wool Cheviot Cloth Suits. Regular Prices all over $12.00; Now, $5.50.

Twenty-five Worsted and Diagonal Suits our prices for these goods were $10.00 to $14.00 per suit. Now your choice of the whole lot for $8.00.

With eight overcoats, all in stock Your choice of the whole lot for $8.00 Some of the coats were $15.00.

With about six youths' ulsters at $2.00 each. Regular Price of these Garments is $6.00.

Fleece-Lined Shirts and Drawers, 33 cents per Garment.

White Dress Shirts, 50 cents each.

Colored Shirts, from 30c. to $1.00 each. All at the

GLOBE, 7 and 9 King Street.

23 lbs. Standard Granulated Sugar for $1.00
Cleaned Currants 6c. California Raisins 6c.
Store open every evening till 9 o'clock.
ROBERTSON & CO. 562-564 Main Street. ST. JOHN, N. B.

Extraordinary Bargains in Skirts and Waists!

In order to reduce our large stock we have placed these goods on sale at a most unusual reduction in prices. These Skirts and Waists are all this season's goods and are in every way up-to-date.

The Waists are in Black, Cream and Fancy Lustre, Black Sateen, and Fancy Flannelettes. The Skirts are in Plain Black, Greys, Navy and Brown, and Fancy Navy, Browns and Greys. ALL MARKED BELOW COST TO CLEAR.

SKIRTS!

Were $2.95	now $1.98	Were 3.75	now 2.88
Were 3.25	" 2.38	Were 4.00	" 2.98
Were 3.50	" 2.58	Were 4.25	" 2.98
Were 3.65	" 2.68	Were 4.75	" 3.38

WAISTS!

Were .50	now .42		
Were .75	" .63		
Were .90	" .70		
Were $1.10	" .88		
Were 1.45	" 1.18		
Were 1.85	" 1.48		

S. W. McMACKIN, Successor to SHARP & McMACKIN,
335 Main Street, North End.
N. B.—January 1st to April 1st store will close at 7 o'clock every evening except Saturday.

$5.00.
BEST VALUE EVER OFFERED.
We make the Best $5.00 Gold Crown in the City.
Teeth without plates $5.00
Gold fillings from $1.00
Silver and other filling from 50c.
Teeth Extracted Without Pain, 15c.
Consultation FREE
The Famous Hale Method.
Boston Dental Parlors.

Fresh, Salt —AND— Smoked Fish
OF ALL KINDS
can be found this week at
CHAS. F. FRANCIS & CO.,
141 Charlotte Street.
70 and 72 Mill Street.

GRAND Clearance Sale
To make room for Holiday Goods.
Big Sale on Today.
PEOPLES' DEPT. STORE
142 Mill St.