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TO LET.—FROM FIRST OF MAY NEXT, THE Middle Flat of House, No. 115 Dorchester street. R. C. SKINNER.

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Brick Cottage, Wright St., now occupied by Mrs. Crookshank.

Flats.

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FOUND.

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LOST.—THE PARTY WHO TOOK A MAGnet from the yard of the Victoria Hotel last Friday morning is known. Unless the same is returned at once to the New Brunswick Electric Light Co., steps will be taken for its recovery.

MISCELLANEOUS.

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YOUR EYE SIGHT SHOULD BE OF GREAT importance to you. Do not buy cheap spectacles that will ruin your sight; but come to me and have perfect lenses adjusted to your needs by MR. P. H. MORRIS, the expert Optician, which will strengthen and preserve your eyes. At D. HARRIS, English Optician, 53 German St.

DRAWING AND PAINTING.—MISS ELLIS commenced her new term on the 9th inst.—the hours are from 9.30 a. m. to 12.30 and 2.30 p. m. to 5.30 daily, except on Tuesday and Thursday. Studio, Oddfellows' Hall, Union street.

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RELIGIOUS.

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CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, Union street. Services will be conducted tomorrow, at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m., by the pastor, Rev. David Howie. Sunday-school at 2.30 p. m. Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor will meet on Monday evening at 8 o'clock; prayer and praise service every Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock.

CALVIN PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, corner of Wellington Row and Carleton street—Services conducted by the pastor, the Rev. T. F. Fullerton, at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Sunday school and Bible class at 2.30 p. m; prayer meeting on Wednesday evening at eight o'clock.

MISSION CHURCH, Paradise Row—First Sunday in Lent; Holy eucharist, 8 a. m.; matins, litany and sermon, 11 a. m.; evensong and sermon, 7.30 p. m. Wednesday, Friday and Saturday, Ember days, holy eucharist, 7.30 a. m. Wednesday, 10th, choral even song and sermon, 8 p. m. Other services daily; matins and litany, 9 a. m.; evensong and lection, 5.30.

THE CHURCH OF THE MESSIAH, Main St., North end.—Services will be conducted by the pastor Rev. A. MacDougall, B. D., Ph. D., at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Sunday school at 2.30 p. m. Seats are Free. All are welcome.

CHURCH OF CHRIST, Coburg street—T. H. Capp, pastor. Services at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Sunday school at 2.30 p. m. Young people's meeting Tuesday evening at eight o'clock. Prayer and social meeting Thursday evening at 8 o'clock.

BAPTIST CITY MISSION, Haymarket Square.—Preaching at 11 a. m. by Rev. J. L. Shaw, and at 7 p. m. by Rev. E. Hickson. Sabbath school at 2.30 p. m. Prayer meeting Tuesday and Thursday at 8 p. m.

LEINSTER STREET BAPTIST CHURCH—Rev. H. G. Mellick, pastor. Preaching 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Sunday school 2.30 p. m. Young people's prayer meeting Monday evening at 8 o'clock. Strangers invited and provided with seats.

ST. DAVID'S PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH—Rev. G. Bruce, pastor, will conduct the services at 11 a. m. and seven p. m. Sunday school and Bible class at 2.30. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock.

ST. ANDREW'S CHURCH—The pastor, Rev. D. G. Macneill, M. A., will preach tomorrow at 11 a. m. and at 7 p. m. The subject of evening discourse will be "Some Political Questions not in the Party Platform." All are cordially invited.

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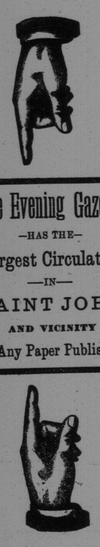

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PHASES OF THE MOON.

Last quarter, 2nd	2h. 18m.
New Moon, 9th	9h. 48m.
First quarter 15th	3h. 22m.
Full Moon, 23rd	2h. 46m.

Date.	Day of Week.	Sun Rises.	Sun Sets	High Water a.m.	High Water p.m.
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MASONIC ENGAGEMENTS.

February, 1891.

Meetings will be held at the Masonic Hall, German street, during the month of January at 8 o'clock in the evening as follows:

Wednesday 18th, Carleton Royal Arch Chapter. Thursday 19th, The Union Lodge of Portland No. 10.

LOCAL MATTERS.

For additional Local News see First Page.

PALACE RINK.—There will be local races at the rink to-night.

SOME NASHWAAK HUNTERS captured four large moose on Cain's River last week.

W. R. McCLOSKEY of Boistown, sent one hundred and seventy-five car loads of bark to Boston last summer.

BROW OF LOGS the great brow of cedars above the bridge at Marysville, which was an object of curiosity and interest to the visitors, is about all hauled away to the shingle mill and manufactured into shingles.

THE ROADS.—the country roads were never in worse state than they are at the present time. A farmer with a good horse was six hours this morning travelling eight miles on account of the drifts.—Fredericton Gleaner.

MESSRS. A. C. & C. W. Elderkin, of Advocate, N. S., manufactured about one and a half million feet lumber last season and got out and shipped six cargoes of piling. In doing this work they employed twenty-five men and ten horses.

THE SAD NEWS comes from California that Mrs. Frances L. Mace the poetess, and one of the most brilliant of Maine's daughters is very critically ill with pneumonia. Her Bangor friends, and she has very many, are deeply concerned about her and trust that the tenor of future reports may be more favorable.

SLEEPING.—Miss Sarah Doherty of the College Road, this city went asleep, or into a state of trance on Sunday last and did not show signs of consciousness till last night. Everything that could be was tried to waken her but in vain. Doctors were called but they could not do anything for her.—Fredericton Gleaner.

FOR TEN OR TWELVE years past Messrs. James Miller and Co., of Economy, N. S. have been carrying on an extensive lumber business. Their yearly output during that time has been from five million feet to eight million feet of manufactured lumber, and they have also done quite a large business in manufacturing slate frames and other hardwood goods for the British market.

YESTERDAY afternoon a man named McLean, who was going to Boston on the steamer Carroll, was served on the wharf with a writ issued out of the divorce court at the suit of his wife, Mary Jane, she having filed a petition for a divorce, alleging adultery. The writ calls upon McLean to appear in court in about two weeks and answer to the petition, and if he fai ls to do so the hearing of the matter will be proceeded with.—Halifax Echo.

IN THE HALL and private office of Mr. C. B. Hazeltine's residence in Belfast, Me., may be seen the largest pair of moose horns in Maine, and a pair of elk horns almost as remarkable, with several pairs of minor elk and moose horns, deer antlers, a wild boar's head from Germany, and a large number of rare birds from this country and Europe. A musket 200 years old that saw service in the King Philip Indian War, an heirloom, hangs over the door. These are the most prominent among many other relics and curios.

WE have been handed a letter received by Messrs. Archibald & Co. of this town, from their coal agents in Montreal, in which it is stated that no coal contracts can be made there until the result of the elections are known. The Montreal agent writes further that the Manager of the sugar refinery at Montreal states that if the "Liberals are returned his company will not likely require any Cape Breton coal." This Montreal sugar refinery consumes about 30,000 tons of Cape Breton coal annually, a large portion of which is Gowrie Mines coal. Comment is unnecessary.—North Sydney Herald.

EVERYBODY smokes the celebrated Pace's twist mixture. Guaranteed a pure tobacco that does not bite the tongue. Sold only at Louis Green's, 59 King street, St. John, N. B.

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THE CAMPAIGN.

CARLETON OPENS WITH A GRAND RALLY OF WORKERS.

A Splendid Meeting in City Hall—Dr. Stiles Alward will not Stand on the Unrestricted Reciprocity Plank—Stirring Addresses by the Candidates and Hon. G. E. Foster.

The Conservative meeting in Carleton City Hall last evening was a spiendid one. The hall was filled with persons glowing with enthusiasm for the Conservative cause. Mr. S. L. Brittain was elected chairman.

MR. C. N. SKINNER

who was first called upon to speak was receieved with hearty applause. He made an able speech clearly showing the fallacy of the liberal policy. Cartwright and Wiman were the leaders of this anti British policy. Three or four weeks ago Hon. Alex. Mackenzie had declared with warmth and loyalty that he would adopt no policy with respect to trade that would discriminate against the mother country. Edward Blake, too, had refused to raise a hand to cut the links which bound us to the mother country. Our young nation was growing into manhood and we must stand by our national developement.

DR. SILAS ALWARD

spoke next. He was received with loud and long continued applause. He felt almost surprised to be upon this platform. The time sometimes came when it was necessary to speak in the interest of patriotism. For 12 years he had been on the liberal side. The old issues between that party and the conservative party were now dead. One of them was the construction of the C. P. R. and the other was that of a revenue tariff as against a protective tariff. These issues had been fought out and settled. But the liberal party had since the last general election formulated the platform of unrestricted reciprocity. On that plank he would not stand. (Applause). He regarded unrestricted reciprocity with the United States as impracticable, and he had the courage of his convictions. His views were entertained by his colleagues, Dr. Stockton and Mr. McKeown, who were out of the city at present, but would otherwise have been with him tonight. (great applause). At a meeting in the the institute next week they would give reasons for the hope that was in them. He would not follow the annexationists who advocated this policy any further.

HON. E. M'LEOD

was heartily welcomed. He showed that the head quarters of commercial union and unrestricted reciprocity were in the States. Should we retain control of the government or hand it over to Washington? He was proud to speak of loyalty and to say that he had always been consistent to his British nationality. Mr. McLeod closed amid great applause and

MR. J. D. HAZEN

was next called on. He was accorded a splendid reception and made a spirited and able speech. He believed that after the 5th inst. St. John city and county would be represented by three gentlemen who would be true to British interests.

THE PATRIOTIC SONG "MY OWN CANADIAN HOME"

was then sung by a choir of thirty male voices. The enthusiasm raised was intense and the choir had to respond to our encore.

HON. G. E. FOSTER

was awarded a most stirring reception and his speech kept up the feeling of the evening. For the past five years the city of St. John had not had its best interests represented in parliament. In the last year the case had been better because Mr. Skinner had given his attention on behalf the city. He wished the electors now to send two others in company with Mr. Skinner to represent the constituency. To adopt unrestricted reciprocity with the United States was to raise a barrier against two thirds of our total trade, which was the amount of our trade with other countries. It also meant the abolition of $8,126,000 duties collected now on the frontier. After the adoption of that policy there could not be one petition in a great many articles which are to-day imported from the United States and other countries. Then there would be importation of these articles from the U. S. alone. This would cause a loss of $8,000,000 more. Thus in all about $16,000,000 would have to be raised by direct taxation.

There was a dream and something more than a dream, that some day all British countries might be united under a common government with all their institutions in common. We would sacrifice this dream by stepping off into another country and thus lead the way to the dismemberment of the empire. (Long and continued applause.)

The audience then sang God Save the Queen and three cheers and a tiger were again given.

The Effects of the McKinley Tariff.

The effects of the McKinley tariff upon trade have been much talked of, and there can be no doubt but some branches of trade have been seriously affected by it. According to the figures of the exports on the custom house books the dead meat business is the trade most seriously affected. In the quarter ending 31st of December 1889 the export of dead meat from St. John, including fresh beef, mutton, lamb, poultry, rabbits, etc. amounted to $22,222 while for the corresponding period in 1890, during which the McKinley tariff was in force, the export of dead meat amounted to only $1,832.

There is also a considerable falling off in the export of eggs for the same period. The export of eggs for October November and December of 1889 being $2,711 worth while for the same months of 1890 after the McKinley bill came into effect, the eggs exported from St. John amounted to only $8,30 worth.

Many people thought that the potato trade would be interfered with to the greatest extent by this hostile tariff, but this does not appear to have been the case so far. The price of potatoes was higher in the fall of 1890 than in 1889, yet the value of the export of potatoes to the United States for the last quarter of 1889, before the McKinley bill was in effect, was only $9,258 as against $8,384 worth during the corresponding quarter of 1890 under the McKinley bill when the Americans were charging a duty of 25 cents a bushel on them. This looks like a pretty good proof that the Americans must have our potatoes. Another interesting feature of the potato export business is that while the figures given for the last quarter of 1889 show the total export for those three months of that year, (as the whole export went to the United States then) the figures for the same period in 1890 show less than one half the total export, for besides the $8,384 worth of potatoes sent to the United States from St. John in the first three months after the going into effect of the McKinley bill, $8,762 worth of potatoes were sent from St. John to the West Indies.

It would seem from these figures, therefore, that the potato trade had not been at all seriously affected by the hostile legislation of the Americans, and that while the American market was almost as good as ever for this product, another market equally good, or perhaps better is rapidly being opened up.

The Independents Meet Again.

The independents met again last evening and discussed together with the political situation enormous quantities of biscuit and bologna. There were seven of them present and the chairman, Mr. A. N. Hanson, pointed out that 48 others had promised to come. So important were the questions arising that the meeting did not adjourn until after twelve o'clock, having by that time prepared themselves to accept any advances which might be made by either party, or, they would not stick at advances if all promises were made in writing. Already the Telegraph had offered the organization two copies of that paper, daily, stated the chairman, but this of course was only a recognition of the organization as a social concern, not as a political concern.

He had faith in the future and was sure that the votes of so many prominent young men of the community would command still greater recognition than two copies of the Telegraph. Not that they desired any compensation for using their influence in a certain direction, but it became necessary in order to protect their rights, to show both political parties that they meant business, that they would vote independently for that side only which would make the first and most satisfactory concessions to them.

This is the platform which the chairman advocated and the others cried yea. So a committee of one, self appointed, stated that he would feel the public pulse on the question, and arrangements were accordingly made by the Independents with that in view.

They Have Good Reasons.

A public meeting will be held at the Institute next week at which Dr. Silas Alward, M. P. P., Dr. A. A. Stockton, M. P. P., and H. A. McKeown, M. P. P., will give their reasons for leaving the Liberal party and joining the ranks of the Conservative party. Other prominent men, who have adopted the same course are expected to speak, among the number being Howard D. Troop, James Pender, George McLeod, William Vassie and James Manchester. All these gentlemen were Liberals. They now believe that the time has come when the interests of St. John should be considered.

Notes of the Contest.

Hon. G. E. Foster will speak at the Mechanics' Institute to-night. The chair will be taken at eight o'clock.

A large and enthusiastic gathering of the friends of the Hon. G. E. Foster in No. 2 Kingston, was held on Thursday evening, Feb. 12, at the residence of E. H. Merritt, Moss Glen. A good representation from all parts of the district was present. R. C. Williams was elected chairman, and E. H. Merritt secretary.

Dr. R. C. Weldon delivered an able and eloquent speech at Elgin on Thursday night before a meeting of about 500 persons. Rev. Mr. Kierstead acted as chairman and the meeting showed that the Conservative cause was sure of winning in the coming election.

Good work is being done by all the Conservative committees in the city. Keep it up.

Messrs. Skinner and Hazen will speak on Monday night at Mispec, Tuesday night at Black River, Wednesday night at Quaco, Thursday night at Loch Lomond, and Friday night in the North end of the city.

The Liberals had an organization meeting in Carleton last night. They also had a meeting in Union hall, North end, and at which Messrs. Weldon and Rankine spoke.

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SPIRIT OF THE TIMES.

Skating Notes.

The walk around Victoria rink last evening was crowded and before the race between Lamb and Breen took place, the respective merits of the men were excitedly discussed and considerable money put up. After a junior race had been skated Lamb and Breen came on the ice, and were loudly cheered. They started from opposite sides of the rink, and at the word "go" (it should have been a pistol shot), Lamb took several yards start, cutting a fast pace. He gained slightly for three or four laps; then Breen let himself out, and with long powerful stroke, recovered his lost ground, and caught Lamb before the third half was completed. The race was then virtually over; for, barring accidents, Breen could not lose, and he did not lose. He coul l have done much better but he did not have to exert himself, and won easily in 10.16¼. The first half was done in 1.32; mile 3.09¾; two miles, 6.38; three miles 10.16¼. Lamb ten seconds behind.

The other races resulted as follows:—

Boys—(1) E. Dalton, Hamilton and Merritt. Time 4.17.

Juniors—(1) O. Irvine, (2) Upton, (3) McCormick. Time 7.52.

Two-mile amateur—starters—O. Wetmore, W. H. Breen, Davidson, D. Wetmore, B. Duffy. B. Duffy won in 5.69 with D. Wetmore second. Breen fell in the tenth lap while leading.

Nichols defeated Price in a match game for $10.

McLean won from Pitt.

BREEN AFTER LAIDLAW.

Breen has challenged Laidlaw to skate him a five-mile race in Victoria rink on February 25th for $200 a side. He has made a deposit of $25.

Laidlaw wil probably say that he has the right to name the rink.

The Ring.

The date of the Dixon—McCarthy fight is ever changing. Owing to necessary alterations in the rink in Jersey City where the mill is to take place, the fight cannot come on the 20th. It will probably be the end of the month before all arrangements can be made.

Not One in Ten

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His Old Yellow Almanac.

I left the farm when mother died, and changed my place of dwellin'
To daughter Susie's stylish house, right in the city street,
And there was them, before I came, that sort of scared me, tellin'
How I would find the town folk's ways so difficult to meet.
They said I'd have no comfort in the rustlin', fixed-up throng,
And I'd have to wear stiff collars every week-day right along.

I find I take to city ways just like a duck to water.
I like the racket and the noise, and never tire of shows;
And there's no end of comfort in the mansion of my daughter,
And everything is right at hand, and money freely flows;
And hired help is all about, just listenin' for my call,
But I miss the yellow almanac off my kitchen wall.

The house is full of calendars from attic to the cellar,
Ther're painted in all colors, and are fancy-like to see:
But just in this particular I'm not a modern feller,
And the yellow-covered almanac is good enough for me;
I'm used to it, I've seen it round from boyhood to old age,
And I rather like the lokin' at the bottom of each page.

I like the way the 'S' stood out to show the week's beginnin'
(In these new-fangled calendars the days seemed sort of mixed),
And the man upon the cover, though he wasn't exactly winnin'
With lungs and liver all exposed, still showing how we are fixed;
And the letters, credentials that was writ to Mr. Ayer,
I've often, on a rainy day, found readin' very fair.

I tried to find one recently; there wa'nt one in the city.
They noted out great calendars in every sort of style;
I looked at 'em in cold disdain, and answered 'em in pity,
"I'd rather have my almanac than all that costly pile."
And, though I take to city life, I'm lonesome after all
For that old yellow almanac upon my kitchen wall.

—(Ella Wheeler Wilcox, in the Century.)

A Curious Case.

The last heard from Elliott Giles, of Amherst, who was shot while poaching by his brother Delta Richardson Jan. 26th, was that he was alive, but that was the early part of the present week. His case is one of the most peculiar which has been brought to the attention of the medical men in Eastern Maine for some time. The charge which wounded him passed into the back of his head and going directly through, came out of his forehead above the eyes. Some of the brains were blown out and quite a section of his skull had to be removed by his physicians. Nevertheless Giles had been alive five days at last accounts and conscious at all times of everything going on around him. The doctors, however, said that there was no hope of his recovery and had not changed there opinion at last accounts. Dr. Hodgkins, of Ellsworth, and Dr. Patten, of Amherst, have had the case in charge from the first and it has been surprising.

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DEATHS.

SEGEE—After a lingering illness, at his residence Durham street, Indiantown, on the 11th inst., Mr. James W. Segee, a well-known resident of the North End.

Funeral will be on Sunday, 15th inst., at 2 o'clock. Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend.

WILSON—At Partridge Island, on the 12th inst., of congestion of the lungs, Capt. Hendrie McEwen Wilson, (of the Salvation Army) in the 23rd year of his age, third son of Mr. James Wilson, keeper of the Island light.

Funeral from Reed's Point wharf at half-past 1 o'clock on Sunday next. Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend.

WILMOT—At Belmont, Sunbury County, on the 12th inst., Hon. Robert Duncan Wilmot, aged 81 years.

Funeral will take place on Sunday next at 3 o'clock.

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New York, 12th inst, brigt G B Lockhart, Olsen from Curacoa.

SAILED.

Hyannis, 11th inst, schrs Carrie Easler for Boston; Richard Peterson for Portland via Eddertown.

Cette, France, 9th inst, bark Northern Empire, Knowlton for New York.

Notice to Mariners.

Washington, D C, Feb 10—The inspector of the Fourth Lighthouse District has been directed to mark the wreck, reported an unknown three-masted steamer, in 16 fathoms of water, about sixteen miles SE by ½E from Absecom, with a whistling buoy as soon as it can be done.

Exports.

WEST INDIES, Stmr Loands—

ST. THOMAS—10 cases drugs, 1 case printed matter, Northrup, Lyman & Co, ltd; 3 cases printed matter, Davis Lawrence & Co, ltd; 1 parcel printed matter Toronto Lithographing Co, 22 half bbls herring, E B Colwell

ST. KITTS—2 cases chairs, Renaud, King & Patterson; 4 cases drugs, Northrop, Lyman & Co; 1 case printed matter, Davis, Lawrence & Co; 2 cases canned haddies, H W Northrup & Co; 25 half bbls herring, E B Colwell; 200 boxes herring, Andrew Malcolm; 300 boxes herring, 2 tubs butter, 35 bo