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THIS EVENING

The Every Day Club. The Gordon Bennett Co. in "For Hearth and Home," at the Opera House. Lady Macbeth and other picture attractions at the Nickel.

LATE LOCALS

Steamer Governor Cobb, Captain Pike, landed 50 passengers Saturday night from Boston, and sailed on her return trip.

A vacant house on Pleasant street was destroyed by fire yesterday. Owned by Captain N. Larkin. It is believed to have been incendiary.

Today being the anniversary of the landing of the Loyalists the scholars in the public schools were given a holiday as is customary.

The young people of Brussels street Baptist Church will hold "Mother Goose Social" on Thursday evening next in the schoolroom of the church.

A special meeting of the St. John branch of the City Union of the Order of King's Daughters, will be held at the guild, on Monday at 8 p. m. There will be a short executive meeting at the close.

A number of patriotic airs were played on Trinity chimes at noon today in honor of the anniversary of the landing of the Loyalists. Flags were flown on nearly all the public buildings and many of the business establishments.

At last evening's service in Brussels street Baptist Church, the pastor, Rev. A. B. Cobbe announced that during the summer months he would deliver a series of sermons of an instructive character, on the outstanding doctrines of Christianity.

Last evening's discourse was on "The Idea of God." Next Sunday evening the subject will be "The Revelation of God."

Despite the stormy weather yesterday great crowds turned out at all the 4 special services held by evangelists Mitchell and Bilby. The special service for women and girls only on the "Best Woman in St. John," was so appreciated by the great gathering that the evangelists have been requested to order another one at the evening service, one person made the confession. There are several candidates for baptism. Tonight "The Unpardonable Sin and Who can Commit it."

MINISTERS' MEETINGS

The Methodist ministers met this morning in the parlors of Centenary Church, Rev. Samuel Howard presiding.

Among the reports from the churches, was one from Rev. Mr. Howard in which he stated that on Sunday evening he baptised one candidate and received into church membership two by letter and three from probation. After routine business had been disposed of there was an informal discussion on the question as to whether strongly appealing sermons, or good pastoral work are of the most benefit to a congregation. Those present were Revs. Neil McLaughlin, C. W. Squires, S. Howard and Jacob Heaney.

The Presbyterian ministers met this morning in the parlors of St. Andrews church, Rev. Dr. Rodger presiding.

There was a good attendance and only routine business was transacted. Owing to the absence from the city of a number of the Baptist ministers, it was decided that their meeting would not be held until next week.

PROBATE COURT

Estate of Dr. Charles Holden. Ad-journed hearing on passing accounts. The hearing is further adjourned till Thursday, 11th June.

Barnhill, Ewing & Sanford, proctors for the administrators, John Willett, K. C. and S. A. M. Skinner for creditors.

Estate of Sheriff Sturdes. Ad-journment of citation to pass accounts. Further adjournment was made until Wednesday, 17th June.

Curry & Vincent for the executor; MacRae, Sinclair & MacRae for the creditors.

The above two adjournments were rendered necessary pending legislation making valid the adjournments made by the ex-registrar after the death of the late Judge of Probate.

Estate of Wm. Hazelhurst. Return of citation to show cause why the executor should not file his accounts and pass the same. Ordered that the accounts be filed and petition for passing same be presented within two weeks from date.

MacRae, Sinclair & MacRae, proctors for the petitioning creditor; Barnhill, Ewing & Sanford for the executor.

Estate of Jas. Donovan, farmer. Petition of his eight children in favor of administration being granted to Theresa L. Donovan, who is sworn in as executrix. No real estate; personal property \$750. Hazen & Raymond proctors.

PERSONAL

Harold C. Olive and wife, left on the Governor Cobb, Saturday night, for Boston and New York on a visit.

Mrs. H. L. Coombs returned home Saturday from New York.

George W. Surby, outside advertising manager of the Montreal Star and Family Herald, who has been in the city for the past few days, went to Sussex this afternoon.

IMPROVED WATER PRESSURE.

The water pressure is gradually being increased and during the past few days fifteen pounds has been added. The force of water now coming from Loch Lomond is about forty pounds greater than was obtained from the old system. The pressure will be further increased this afternoon when number 2 main will be utilized again. The testing will be continued and it is believed the system will be in satisfactory working order in a few months at the latest.

ARBOR DAY AT MILFORD.

Arbor day was observed by Milford Superior school in the following manner: In the morning, yards and schoolrooms cleaned and decorated, flower beds made, some planting done and the trees attended to. In the afternoon an interesting programme, consisting of drills, songs and exercises of various kinds having a bearing on Arbor day, was successfully carried out by the pupils. Many parents and visitors were present.

DUKE OF HARCOURT DEAD.

Paris, May 18. - Duke Francis Marie Henri, ninth Duke of Harcourt, died here yesterday. He was born in 1844.

VICTORIA GROUNDS

The Every Day Club is Getting Them in Fine Shape for Play Purposes.

Members of the Every Day Club will be at the Victoria grounds between six and eight this evening and at 8.30 an important business meeting will be held at the hall. An association football team is to be organized if possible. Tomorrow evening representatives of the several football clubs meet at 7.30 o'clock at Carvell Hall to discuss prospects for a league.

Every evening a lot of ball players and runners are at the grounds. The fence has been completed, the running track has been covered with cinders all the way round and rolled, and everything will be in good shape for the ball game on Saturday and the sports on Monday next. The members of the Every Day Club are taking pride in the work and have done a lot of it in the past two weeks. There is still a good deal of small repair work to be done, and it will be completed as rapidly as possible. The club's intention is to make the grounds as attractive as possible, and before the middle of June a transformation will have taken place. As soon as the grounds are thoroughly dry the little children of that part of the city will find them a great boon as a free playground. A portion of the grounds will be reserved for the use of the club when games are in progress. A caretaker will be in charge.

IT'S ALL IN THE POLISH

Cheap Work the Cause of Fading Inscriptions on Grey Granite Monuments.

The Times on Saturday published a statement made to this paper by a dealer in monuments to the effect that the inscription on grey granite monuments quickly wears out and becomes undecipherable. That the same statement has appeared in other papers suggests a reason for the publicity sought for. The Times has made some enquiries and finds that the article does a gross injustice to an important industry of this province. Where grey granite is properly polished the inscription is as indestructible as the granite itself; but if the artful dealer polishes it with acid, or in some other cheap way, the inscription looks all right when it leaves the shop, but loses its sharpness and clearness in a few years. An inscription properly cut in properly polished grey granite will not wear out. And there is no better quality of grey granite in the world than is found in New Brunswick.

POLICE COURT

One Prisoner Dealt With And Six Others Remanded This Morning.

Seven prisoners adorned the bench in the police court this morning, when all save one were remanded by Police Clerk Henderson, who presided in the absence of Judge Ritchie, who is out of town, but is expected to return for the afternoon session at 1 o'clock when some of the prisoners will probably be finally disposed of.

Among the prisoners are Amelia Francis, colored; charged with keeping a bawdy house, on Sheffield street; and Ernest Baird, Lucy Bayard and Lizzie Norman, who are charged with being inmates of the Francis woman's house.

The arrests, which, with the exception of Lizzie Norman, were made by Deputy Chief of Police Jenkins and Detective Patrick Killen, on Saturday night, are the outcome of a hold-up raid to have occurred in the Francis woman's house on Friday, when a man whose name is withheld by the police entered the house and while there was relieved of some of his valuables. He reported his loss to the police, with the result already mentioned.

The arrest of Amelia Francis, Judge Ritchie, who a week ago, expressed a desire to have her appear before him and severe punishment would be handed out to her - has his wish.

The Francis woman has a reputation as one of the worst characters in the city and is well known to the police.

The Norman woman was arrested on Sunday by Patrolmen Lucas and Sullivan.

Maud Lester, who was arrested on Sunday for wandering about on Carmichael street and being unable to give a satisfactory account of herself to the police was remanded, as was also Henry McNally, alias Henry Johnston, arrested on a similar charge.

John Rowlings was taxed \$8 or thirty days for drunkenness.

Deputy Chief of Police Jenkins has reported 101 persons, residing in Carleton for having dogs without licenses.

ST. JOHN FIRM IS BRANCHING OUT

St. John wholesale houses have never lacked enterprise, and the firm of Baird & Co. is no exception. They have already have branches, with warehouses, in Newcastle and Campbellton, and they are opening this week a branch in Truro, where they have secured offices and warehouses for the convenience of their trade in portions of Nova Scotia. This branch is in charge of H. B. Cassidy, a former traveler for the firm, who has returned from the United States.

EXCHEQUER COURT

The exchequer court case of Barrett vs. the King, was resumed this morning before Mr. Justice Casella. Several witnesses were examined and adjournment was made till this afternoon at 2.30 o'clock. It is expected that the hearing of testimony will be completed this evening.

CROWDS MUST MOVE ON.

Chief of Police Clark recently instructed his men to allow no standing around on, or obstruction of the sidewalks, and, as a result the patrolmen in the pursuit of their duty met with numerous indignant protests on Saturday night, especially on Charlotte and Union streets, as they endeavored to keep the crowd moving along. No loitering, even on the part of the fair sex, was permitted.

Chief Clark said he gave instructions to his men some time ago not to permit standing at the corners or to allow any obstruction of the sidewalks. He was determined to break up the gangs where they were making a nuisance of themselves by being made and to make the order effective everyone must comply with it.

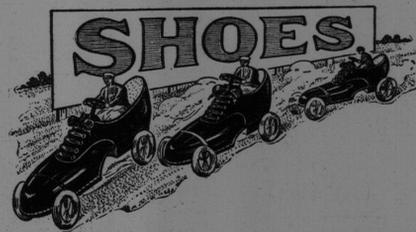
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