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## CITY STREETS IN NEED OF ATTENTION

Survey Shows Unkept Condition—Clean-up for Exhibition Needed.

With the tourist season in full swing and the fall exhibition time coming within a few weeks, the attention of the public has been forcibly drawn to the condition of the city streets. In spite of any work done by the employees of the city public works department to keep the roadways in the middle of the city in a state of approximate cleanliness, a survey made this morning by a Times-Star reporter could bring but one verdict—the streets are dirty. They are not at all nearly so tidy as the streets of a city the size of St. John should be.

Added to the accumulation of refuse which remained from previous days' use of the streets was a collection of rubbish, scattered here and there by a thoughtless public, the whole presenting a picture that must be anything but flattering when viewed by visitors to the city. There is a strong lesson for the public in the fact that cigarette boxes and match boxes form a large proportion of the mass of debris which littered the principal streets of the city this morning. The public works department has placed at several street corners red-painted garbage cans, designed to receive these and other forms of refuse which otherwise would be cast into the streets. Judging by the quantities of paper of all kinds seen on the sidewalks, in the gutters and in the roadway, a less quantity of these forms of rubbish is thrown away than is placed in the cans. An awakening on the part of the citizens of their responsibilities in trying to keep the city's appearance more cleanly is necessary.

Usual street accumulations run the paper scatterings a close second. And in addition to this form of litter there is evidence of non-removal for some time from the gutters or even, at times, the sidewalks.

The Sidewalks. The matter of sidewalks is also one that calls for comment. While the principal business places look after the sweeping of the walks in front of their stores, taking particular care to observe the law forbidding the sweeping of the dirt into the roadway, there are evidently some who are not so particular. In many cases the sidewalks showed no signs of having been broomed off and in other cases the sweeping was carried out, but the refuse from the sidewalk was brushed into the gutter and left there to blow about or be scattered by passing vehicles, or remain, an unsightly mass. There is, no doubt, from an observer's standpoint, that the city streets and sidewalks could be much cleaner than they are at present. And likewise it is certain that with a little more care on the part of the citizens, a more vigorous policy on the part of the city conditions could be vastly improved within a very short time and with little added effort.

## WARSHIP AWAY AFTER GOOD VISIT

Calcutta Officer Expresses Delight at Stay Here—Farewell Scenes.

In decided contrast to foggy weather conditions that attended the arrival of the H. M. S. Calcutta, flagship of Vice-Admiral Sir James A. Ferguson, K. C. B., C. M. G., R. N., commander-in-chief of the North Atlantic squadron on last Monday, a blaring sun smiled down at 1 o'clock this afternoon as the Calcutta slowly drew out from the Pettigall wharf and headed down the harbor for Halifax, completing her first visit to St. John. The crew expected to reach Halifax early tomorrow morning. From the Nova Scotia capital she will proceed to Sydney, C. B., for a day, and then on to the Gulf of St. Lawrence, where she will be expected to stop at Charlottetown, to Montreal and Quebec.

The Calcutta leaves behind pleasant memories of her officers and ratings as being jolly good sports and carries with her the most pleasant impression of the citizens of St. John and their hospitality.

"We have heard a great deal about St. John and the treatment this city has accorded ships of the squadron," said one of the officers this morning, "but the half never was told. I think our men thoroughly enjoyed their brief stay here as well as the officers."

Hundreds of citizens were on the wharf as the Calcutta drew out and turned gracefully in the harbor. Officers and men were in groups on her decks, and the band played a series of stirring airs. As she moved down past Reed's Point the strains of "Rocked in the Cradle of the Deep" floated over the water, and hands were waved from ship and shore as a farewell greeting to the end of a very enjoyable though brief acquaintance.

Helps Good Cause. The concert last evening in the Seamen's Institute netted \$74. It was announced this morning by Lieut. Swinley who, with Lieut. Wiggett, had charge of the performance. This will be divided as follows: Navy League, \$34; Lady Byng Camp, \$20, and Lancaster Military Hospital, \$20. Speaking about the concert, which was attended by nearly 400 people, the two popular officers declared it was a pleasure to give the performance and expressed the hope their small donation to these worthy causes would help along. Not a hitch marred the performance and the entertainers were compelled to respond to numerous encores. Mr. Swinley's character sketches from Dickens were among the best seen here in years, while Mr. Wiggett's humorous songs brought down the house. Special mention also is made of the turns of Sergt.-Major Jones, E. R. A. Longman, a newcomer to the troupe, and Mr. Collins.

BASEBALL. The Grand Bay Juniors accept the challenge of the Ketepec Athletes for a game of ball on the Ketepec diamond at 6:30 Saturday evening.

## LOCAL NEWS

ALMANAC FOR ST. JOHN, AUG. 15.

A.M. P.M.  
High Tide.....11:35 High Tide.....7:32  
Low Tide.....8:25 Low Tide.....4:00  
Sun Rises.....5:25 Sun Sets.....7:32

SOLD AT AUCTION. Auctioneer Roy Potts sold the equipment of the Curb Filling Station, King Square, to O. W. Wood, at public auction this morning for \$137.50.

ALL BY HIMSELF. One man arrested last night on a charge of drunkenness pleaded guilty in the police court this morning and was fined \$8 or two months in jail.

MEETING IS POSTPONED. A meeting of the Civic Power Commission, scheduled for this afternoon, will be made next Monday. Twelve applications had been received up to noon today, and from these two scholarships will be awarded.

PAY DAY. The sum of \$13,167.90 was paid out by the city today in the fortnightly labor pay, as follows: Public works, \$5,282.23; water and sewerage, \$8,498.10; harbor, \$3,969.69; ferry, \$319.

TWELVE APPLY. Application for the Knights of Columbus scholarship will close today, and it is expected that the allotment will be made next Monday. Twelve applications had been received up to noon today, and from these two scholarships will be awarded.

ST. JAMES STREET WORK. Commissioner Frink said this morning that he had received several bids for the granite blocks needed in the paving of St. James street, but was not sure when the work would be started, as this depended on the arrival of the steel for the New Brunswick Power Company, which concern intended to lay new rails.

RETURNED TO MONTREAL. J. J. Scully, general manager of the C. P. R. eastern lines, who was on an inspection trip over the northern section of the New Brunswick district, left last evening for Montreal. J. M. Woodman, general superintendent of the New Brunswick district, who accompanied him on his inspection trip, returned the city today.

ENGAGEMENTS. Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Davis, 204 Prince William street, wish to announce the engagement of their daughter, Jessie Eileen, to Frank Murray Taylor, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Taylor, 224 Douglas avenue, the wedding to take place in September.

BOYS IN TROUBLE. Two boys were reported for throwing stones and pulling up sod in Queen Square last night. One appeared in the police court this morning and was given a lecture. His mother was warned that she was liable to a fine of \$50 if she did not see to it that the boy was brought to court by Sergeant Dykeman the two were ordered to return this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

PICNIC ENJOYED. The annual picnic of St. Phillip's A. M. E. church was held at Grand Bay yesterday, about 140 persons attending. The weather was ideal and an extensive programme of sports and games was carried through without a hitch. Supper was served on the grounds by a committee of ladies of the church. Arrangements for the picnic were in charge of Rev. Claude Stewart, pastor of the church.

MASONIC PRESENTATION. A large number were present at the meeting of New Brunswick Lodge No. 22, F. and A. M., held last evening in Masonic Temple, Germain street, including officers H. M. S. Calcutta. A feature of the evening was the presentation to S. P. McCavour, past master, of a past master's jewel, suitably engraved, and a past grand lodge officer's apron. The presentation was made by R. G. Carson, Hiram, master of the lodge. At the conclusion of the business session a social was enjoyed and light refreshments served. Mr. McCavour is now a resident of Ottawa.

## ST. JOHN COUNTY HOSPITAL MATTERS

Meeting of Board Held—Kings County Account Adjusted.

At the meeting of the St. John County Hospital Board of Commissioners, yesterday afternoon, in the office of County Secretary J. K. Kelley, it was reported that responsibility for an account of about \$1,200 had been accepted by Kings County after a conference between Dr. Gilchrist and two of the Kings County councillors and Dr. H. Farris, superintendent of the hospital. The patient in this case came from Westfield parish.

Dr. Farris was authorized to make arrangements to have the members of the Municipal Council visit the institution some time during September and take dinner there.

Dr. Farris reported that a blowout of the hot-water boiler had been caused by the connecting up of an inch pipe with a three-inch coupling. No action was taken.

Dr. Farris was given authority to call for tenders for supplies at the same time as the General Public Hospital, it being the opinion that better prices could be obtained by the two acting together.

An offer to standardize the hospital was received by the American Hospital of Surgeons. Dr. G. G. Corbet was appointed consulting orthopedic surgeon at the hospital. Dr. Farris reported the installation of an internal fire alarm system and that it was working satisfactorily.

H. B. Schofield presided, and others present were Mrs. J. H. Frink, W. F. Dean, Dr. H. A. Farris and J. King Kelley, K. C.

## WILL REPLACE LONG STREET RY. SECTION

Power Co. to Lay Standard Rails, Fairville Corner to City Line.

M. A. Pooler, general manager of the New Brunswick Power Company, announced this morning that they intend to replace the rails on the West St. John section from Fairville corner to City Line. The new rails will be the standard weight, 80 pounds, and the replacement will start just as soon as the rails arrive. An order has been placed for them and it is expected that they will reach the city in about 30 days. Under the ties, crushed stone will be placed and the entire construction will be similar to that used in Fairville, which was recently completed. The new work it is estimated will cost \$50,000.

The company expects to complete the installation of additional lights in Lancaster avenue. Sixty new lights are being placed there, bringing the total up to approximately 200. The new lights will have 200 watt lamps. This work is expected to be completed next week.

## ONONETTE HOUSE BURNED TO GROUND

L. E. Rolston's Residence There Destroyed by Fire Yesterday.

To sit on the front veranda and have a neighbor tell you that your house was on fire and then to watch it burn to the ground was the experience through which L. E. Rolston was called on to pass yesterday afternoon when his summer home at Ononette was totally destroyed with all the furniture and clothing in it. The fire occurred about 5 o'clock and the origin of the blaze is a mystery, as there was very little fire in the stove at the time. The Rolstons left the house about 30 minutes after 4 o'clock, and then everything was all right. At a quarter to 5 Mrs. Hoyt called out to Mr. Rolston that his house was on fire and in a few minutes the whole structure was a mass of flames. Neighbors, as far as possible, soon had to confine their efforts to keeping the fire from spreading to nearby buildings, and in this they were successful.

The loss is estimated at \$2,500, partially covered by insurance.

## GETS MONEY FOR DAY HE CLAIMED

The R. R. Lee Episode at City Hall Has Been Closed.

The R. R. Lee episode was closed this morning when Mr. Lee called at City Hall and received his money in full, including the day in which he was taking his scow and rigging back to its anchorage after doing city work. This matter was referred to the Mayor and city solicitor. It was said today that the solicitor advised the payment of the account as it was rendered.

## PROPERTY SALES

The following real estate transfers are reported: Brunswick Realty, Ltd., to City of St. John, property Douglas avenue. Trustees of Lucy DeBury to B. Hoff, property Main street. Heirs of Ethel Hicks to J. A. McInerney, property old Loch Lomond road. Luther B. Smith to City of St. John, property Douglas avenue. K. A. Wilson to J. J. and Grace Goldie, property Lancaster. K. A. Wilson to W. W. Wilson, property Middle street.

## As Hiram Sees It

"Hiram," said The Times reporter to Mr. Hiram Hornbeam, "I walked in two streets last evening. Both are streets where people live. In one the houses are of brick, the pavement is smooth, and grass and young trees relieve the eye. There are no trees or grass in the first street no children were visible, and the people, all well dressed, were met. Many of the families are in the country or on tour. The other street revealed scores of children at play. Most of them were poorly dressed, and rather dirty from their play, but unmistakably happy. Here and there women sat on a doorstep. People looked out of open windows. Men stood in small groups, in conversation. There were a few small stores, but people lived over and beside them. There was a constant hum of voices. The contrast between the two streets was so marked that I have been thinking a lot about it. In which street is there greater content and happiness?"

"That," said Hiram, "depends on the folks themselves—but I'd say you'd find less skittles in the closet in the poor street than the other one—I you knowed all the was to know—yes, sir."

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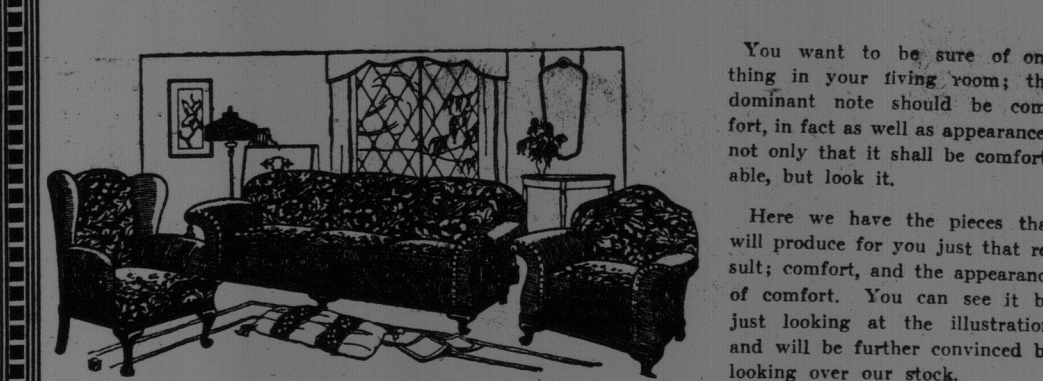
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