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LOCAL NEWS.

The interior of the police station is being renovated.

A new skating rink will be erected in Fredericton this summer.

A number of cases of measles have been reported this week in the city.

The water and sewerage board will meet on Monday afternoon.

Seven deaths were reported at the board of health office during the week.

A gospel service will be held at the King's Daughters' Guild Sunday at 4 p. m. All are welcome.

Eight marriages are reported by Registrar Jones for this week, and twelve births, eleven being girls.

Street car No. 4 ran into an ice team on Charlotte street this morning. The fender of the car was slightly bent.

The big schooner Sarah C. Ropes, which has been loading deals at this port, cleared this morning for London-derry.

The university of Maine base team were given a drive around the city this morning by the managers of the local team.

The names of the streets of the city as printed on the corners, should be gone over and renewed. Some of them are illegible.

A horse found wandering about Main street between one and two o'clock this morning was placed in John McCarthy's stable by Officer Hamilton.

An old fashioned barbecue will be a feature of the garden party of St. John the Baptist church on the Barrack Square on June 10th.

An effort will be made to get the steam roller to level the grounds on the Barrack Square, where the ball games are played.

The Freeman was issued today as a four-page paper, and announces that it expects next week to resume its 16-page form.

A dog belonging to William Cronk of Adelaide street was relieved from the care of this life by Officer Merrick yesterday upon request of the owner.

Mrs. Arthur V. Branscombe, accompanied by her little son and maid, arrived from St. John yesterday to spend some weeks with her mother, Mrs. Samuel Owen, Fredericton Herald.

Leverett Billiard, a well known resident of Morrison's Mills, died Thursday evening, after a lengthy illness from cancer of the stomach. He was 61 years of age, and leaves a widow six sons and two daughters.

Geo. E. Williams left today for New York, where he will visit his brother before he goes to the Y. M. C. A. convention at Boston. Mr. Williams has not seen his brother, who resides in British Guiana, for twenty years.

A movement has been started at Canby for the erection of a monument in memory of the late Lieut. Borden. It is understood that the memorial will be a monument surmounted by a horse and rider.

While on its inward trip today street car number thirty-four went off the track at the foot of King street. On account of this the other cars were delayed for quite a little time, causing a break in the regular service.

Several of the members of the Natural History society have for the last season or two, made a camp in the Nerepis valley, which they visit every week if possible. That part of the province is a veritable collector's Paradise.

The Star line steamers have been bringing down large quantities of hay lately. It brings from ten to thirteen dollars, but does not meet with as ready a sale as could be wished. Among her cargo going up river this morning the David Weston carried a hundred barrels of cornmeal.

Dr. and Mrs. Parkin entertained a few friends at five o'clock yesterday afternoon, when a delightful hour was passed by those present, the guest of honor being Miss Oakley, principal of the Royal Victoria College in Montreal, who is visiting Dr. and Mrs. Parkin—Toronto Mail and Empire, Thursday.

About five o'clock yesterday evening, while driving on Sandy Point Road, a young colt, belonging to Mr. Donovan ran away. The horse passed too close to the gate of the cotton mill, and making a sharp turn, managed to break both shafts, afterwards getting clear of the carriage. The animal was finally caught on Wall street.

On Thursday noon Thomas Manley, a middle-aged man who had been lying alone in the west end, was taken to the hospital. The man was quite ill and had hardly reached the ward when he died. Yesterday morning Dr. Macaulay made a post mortem examination and found that his dies from natural causes.

The funeral of the late Ernest E. Cooper, son of William Cooper, which took place this afternoon, was largely attended. Services were held at half-past two o'clock at his late home, 228 Brussels street, and at the grave by the Rev. T. J. Delnsfadt, of the Exmouth street Methodist church. Numerous one and two Scotch companies, of which organization deceased was a member, attended the funeral in a body. Interment was made in Fernhill.

WILL HELP THE DRIVES.

If today's rain extends over five it will greatly help the lumbermen. It was expected that the rise of 12 to 18 inches on the head waters of the St. John a few days ago would release twelve to fifteen feet which was then hung up. World comes today that rain fell heavily all night at Connor and St. Leonard's, and it is raining there today. The water is rising, and John Kilburn will go up on Monday from Fredericton, with a good prospect of getting out some of the drives.

POLICE COURT.

Fined for Sunday Selling—Some Family Affairs and the Like.

There was very little business before the court and the time dragged so heavily that most of the spectators got tired and went out.

Only one drunk was arrested. He appeared dazed and answered to his name like one in a dream. Officer Rankin had gathered him into the fold from Charlotte street and prevented him from doing any further injury to himself. The prisoner was badly bruised about the face and seemed as if he were still slightly under the weather.

Mrs. Carrie Gutro entered a complaint against her husband, Joseph, for assaulting her in their house last Saturday. He caught her by the throat and choked her. They had to move from the house in which they were living and Joseph superintended the handling of the furniture. When it had nearly all been taken away Mrs. Gutro prepared to go to her new home. To her great surprise, she says, she found that there was no new home. Joseph had transferred the furniture to a wood shed and afterwards sold it to a second hand dealer on Dorchester street. Mrs. Gutro states that some of the articles sold were her own private property.

Walter Cook was bitten on the arm by a dog belonging to a boy by the name of Coilliger, who lives on White street. Sergeant Campbell, yesterday, interviewed the father of the owner of the animal and was told that it would be destroyed at once. However, the boy who was bitten, stated that he had seen the dog this morning and Sergeant Campbell was instructed to take further action. In connection with this case, the magistrate said that next Wednesday the reports of the police in regard to vagrant dogs would be received. Time enough has been allowed for all owners of dogs to have licenses taken out and after Wednesday steps would be taken to have these stray brutes attended to.

Hem Lock, a Chinaman, reported for desecrating the Sabbath by working in his nursery last Sunday, in the court in a comfortable chair and a state of great uneasiness. He was busy and could not very well afford to waste the greater part of the forenoon. Finally hemlock started for the door, but was brought back. As numerous stories are current that a great many people were desecrating the Sabbath it seemed strange that only one solitary case was reported and after waiting for some time he was sent back to work.

M. V. Paddock was reported by Sgt. Kilpatrick and Officer Totten for selling soda water in his store on the corner of Charlotte and Union streets on Sunday morning last. A. Carrey appeared for the defendant and argued the case out at great length.

Mr. Paddock was fined two dollars. Two ladies who live on Sherif street had some trouble in their house yesterday in connection with the use of the other of the landlady. The latter objected to what she considered the improper use of her parlor window blinds, which she stated, the tenant had put up in the kitchen. These blinds were supposed to be removed with the house, but the landlady declares that she only loaned them, as the tenant was too poor to buy any.

In order to have these blinds put to a better use the landlady went to the house and opened the door, tore down the blinds and broke a finger-pot. She declared that contrary to the story told by the tenant she did not use abusive language, and leaves the tenant to a higher judge than the magistrate. She will send in a bill for the use of the blinds and give notice to the tenant to leave. As a parting expression of good will the tenant was advised not to open her mouth or she would hear some things she did not want everyone to know. A fine of eight dollars was imposed.

PRISONERS SENTENCED.

Rourke Gets Two Years and Ten Lashes—Manson Must Leave the City.

At the county court this morning William Rourke, who was found guilty of indecent assault was sentenced to two years in the penitentiary with hard labor. Ten days before the expiration of his term he will receive ten lashes. Rourke's friends tried under the Speedy Trials act. C. N. Skinner, K. C., appeared for him and H. A. McKeown for the crown. Manson plead guilty to the charge of indecent assault. C. N. Skinner, K. C., addressed his honor asking for mercy in the sentence, and a certificate was read signed by Dr. Incha, stating that the prisoner was impaired by the excessive use of cigarettes. His honor gave Manson ten days in which to leave the city. If he returned within two years he was to be apprehended by the police and brought before his honor for sentence. He entered into recognisance for \$500.

NO CHANGE YET.

The statement that E. S. Carter would succeed W. K. Reynolds as press and advertising agent of the I. C. R. has not yet been confirmed. Mr. Reynolds has not been retired, and if he should be there is another candidate spoken of in the person of LeBaron Robertson, a strong party man, who is said to have influential supporters. Mr. Reynolds' friends say that gentleman will be continued in office, and that neither Mr. Carter nor Mr. Robertson will be appointed.

IF NOT, WHY NOT?

People are wondering why the government organs, which announced that Dr. Smith had been appointed to succeed Mr. Knodell, as a license commissioner, have not made any announcement about the county commissioners. The term of one of them must have expired as well as that of Mr. Knodell. Has Dr. Fugatey overlooked it? Or has one of the old commissioners been appointed to succeed himself? If the latter, why could not Mr. Knodell have been his own successor?

Mr. Byer—If you want a new colored shirt, give us a call. We have some new creations in Pleated Fronts, Soft Fronts, and Starched Fronts. These are all new goods, and critics say they can't be beat. Give us a call tonight. Wm. A. Wetmore, 118 Mill street.

NARROW ESCAPE.

A. H. Sears Has a Narrow Escape From Drowning on the Kennebec Falls.

A. H. Sears, of the Bank of Montreal staff, had a narrow escape from drowning on the Kennebec falls last evening. He borrowed a sail boat at Riverside, intending to sail to Westville. When he had been a short time out a squall struck the boat, and it upset, throwing Mr. Sears into the water. He managed to get hold of the boat and supported himself on it for some time, and endeavored to attract the attention of the people on board the Margie Miller, but without success. After some twenty minutes of the work, Mr. Sears stripped off his clothing, fastened them to the boat and struck out for shore, which he reached in an exhausted condition. He was taken in by some people living near, and came to the city this morning. He was considerably bruised and cut by the boat. Any one discovering the craft will know that the clothes and other things attached to it belong to Mr. Sears.

PERSONALS.

Archibald McVicar, of St. George, is visiting Angus Cameron, of Broad street.

Master Bernard Mooney, who was run over by a cart on Saturday last, has quite recovered from his injuries. Miss Grace Burpee, of Mt. Pleasant, who has been ill is recovering.

William Barlow, who has been critically ill, is rapidly regaining his former health.

Capt. E. C. Elkin returned today from Helena, Montana. He had nothing to say authoritatively in regard to the proposed sale of the Bear Gulch mine.

Rev. William Dyan, a student at Newton Theological seminary, who has been spending a few days in town, went to Sussex today to occupy the Baptist pulpit in the absence of Rev. W. Camp.

Mrs. Whetsel intends to leave for England in the steamer Loyalist next week. She expects to pass two or three months in the British Isles, returning to St. John in September.

H. C. Tilley today received a telegram from J. D. Chipman at St. Stephen stating that Mrs. Z. Chipman, Lady Tilley's mother, was very low. Lady Tilley has been called from Toronto and is now at St. Stephen.

FURNACE LINE.

The following is a list of the passengers per S. S. Evangeline, which left Halifax on Thursday for London. First cabin—Mrs. S. R. Cussey, Miss J. Thomas, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Dyer, Master Dyer, Prof. and Mrs. Fraser, Miss Frame, Miss Coulthard, Rev. J. M. Gay, J. C. Henderson, A. Matheson, Mr. and Mrs. Harris, Miss Russell, Miss Mackenzie, Mrs. F. H. Haddock, Master Wardrope, Mrs. Chubbuck, Master Chubbuck, Lieut. and Mrs. Styrax and three children, Prof. W. J. Hutchins, Lieut. Vincent, Lieut. and Mrs. Murray, Mrs. Bundy and two children, Miss Edman, Miss Derbent, Mr. Fryer, Mr. Lewis, J. P. Baker, P. O'Mullin, Mrs. C. G. McDonald, Miss Burns, Mrs. A. D. Thomson, Mr. Sturt.

Second cabin—Mrs. J. Stewart and two children, Mrs. M. Scott, Capt. Matheson, one boy and one girl.

Third cabin—Fifty-six young men, A. Anderson, B. Hansen, H. Wolbert, Wm. Thomas.

OFF THE TRACK.

On Charlotte street last evening a man slightly under the influence of liquor, who had for some time been supporting one of the telephone posts, happened to notice the two street cars at the head of King street, and after vaguely considering them for a few moments approached a gentleman who was passing with the question: "Say, mister, when does this train go?"

"In a few minutes." "Where does it go?" "To City road." "Is it an accommodation?" "Yes." "Sure it ain't a freight?" "Quite sure." "Well, when does the Boston train start?" "In about an hour." "Oh, sugar. And I have to stay here all that time. I will be too late to catch it, and the engineers will all be in bed."

THE STREET CARS.

A great deal of complaint was heard this morning in regard to the street cars. Quite a number of the open cars were running in spite of the continuing rain. In several cases the blinds on the sides were tied up, giving the rain full sweep of the seats and making the patrons about as uncomfortable as possible. It should be a very easy matter for the railway company to have the closed cars in readiness for such occasions as the present one and would be a great convenience to the public at large.

BASE BALL.

On account of the rain this afternoon's base ball game was postponed until Monday afternoon at 2:30. The Baptist church, of which Rev. C. T. Phillips is pastor, the pitcher whom the Alerts expected today, wired that he had missed the train, but would come Monday if wanted. The Alerts may let him go and sign Webber, who will pitch for the variety on Monday. The game is called at 2:30 to allow the men chance to return home on the afternoon train.

PICNIC AT WESTFIELD BEACH.

One of the most enjoyable picnics of the season will be that of the Sunday school of the Waterloo street Free Baptist church, of which Rev. C. T. Phillips is pastor. The picnic will be held at Westfield Beach on July 10th. Trains will leave the depot at St. John at 9:10 a. m. and 1 p. m., standard time. This will afford city people a fine chance for a pleasant outing.

Lariat Luke—We lynched that new weather feller last night.

Captain Charles—Per what?

Lariat Luke—Bashed four day hand rumkin—Ohio State Journal.

DYKEMAN'S 3 Entrances

97 King, 59 Charlotte, and 6 South Market Streets.

We will offer very special attractions for shoppers on MONDAY. A careful reading of this advertisement will repay anyone who has thoughts of Dry Goods. Everything that is sold cannot be a "bargain," else the commercial world would soon be bankrupt—regular goods must have their important place. We print only the news of real genuine bargains—that are the result of careful buying—or of unforeseen circumstances that warrant reduced prices—on regular stock goods we always hold the prices to the lowest points consistent with our standard high quality.

Special Sale of Children's White and Colored Dresses.



No. 1 lot at 50c. A dainty little dress made from American percale, frilled around yoke, plain collar, bishop sleeve with soft cuffs. Sizes from 2 to 5 years.

No. 2 lot at 75c. A white cambric dress with insertion yoke, lace trimmed on collar and sleeves. This number would be good value if sold regularly at \$1.00.

No. 3 lot at \$1.00. A charming number made from dainty blue and white cambric, trimmed with feather stitching on shoulders revers. With pique yoke.

No. 4 lot at \$1.10. Made from a real Scotch gingham, hamburger yoke, frilled around yoke, hamburger cuffs. This style would retail at \$1.50 under ordinary circumstances.

No. 5 lot at \$1.20. A neat little colored print dress, Mother Hubbard style, fast color, good patterns cotton. Frilled on neck and yoke. For children from one to five years.

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WYETH'S MALT EXTRACT, WYETH'S BEEF, IRON AND WINE, AT FAIRWEATHER'S DRUG STORE, 201 UNION STREET. (Next door to Opera House Entrance.)

SPECIAL SERVICES.

year will be inducted and reports read. At the Portland Methodist church tomorrow evening the 73rd anniversary of the church will be celebrated. The service will be in charge of the young people.

HALF-PRICE SALE OF LADIES' JACKET.

Tailor-made jackets in the most popular styles, well made and lined throughout. Colors: Fawn, Navy, Grey, Brown, etc.

88.00 COATS FOR \$4.00. 10.00 COATS FOR 5.00. 12.00 COATS FOR 6.00.

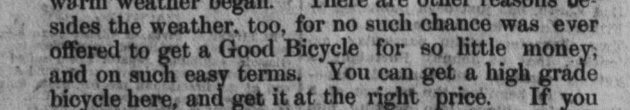
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LADIES' CAPES, samples at about half regular prices, \$1.50 to 6.50 each.

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