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Last Evening.

The wild storm, coupled with the hore or of great darkness, which broods over the west side on such a night, made the audience in the City hall last evening much smaller than it would have been with fine weather. Yet it was not a small audience, all things considered, and certainly those who attended were well repaid.

The entertainment was under the auspices of the Y. P. S. C. E. of the Free Baptist church. The programme as printed in last evening's Star, was carried out.

and another long one from these down to the woman's rights advocate and the Ifrish gossip; yet Miss Rogers was at home in each character. Her manner is thoroughly self-possessed, and in all she did last evening there was the suggestion of one caring more for her art than for the applause of an audience—hearty and vigorous as that applause certainly was. Twice it was necessary for her to return to the stage

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is a very clever young lady, whose popularity as an elocutionist is assured.

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L. W. Titus sang two solos, and one of them a love song, was sung with a sympathetic sweetness that fairly charmed his audience.

A cleverly executed piano duet by Miss Slipp and Miss Connor was a pleasing feature of the programme, and Miss Slipp very acceptably played the accompaniments for Mr. Titus.

The Y. M. C. A. orchestra felt the absence of several instruments, but, led by Prof. Wilbur, their three selections were played with spirit and skill, and they were heartily applauded. Their playing of the National anthem closed the very enjoyable entertainment.

his connection with the department

Alderman McGoldrick was the chairman, and on behalf of the company handed Mr. Logan a handsome dressing case. John C. Chesley, acting for a number of north end citizens who found Mr. Logan a most estimable citizen, handed him a fine pipe, fitted with a gold ferrule. Several hours were pleasantly spent by the company, speeches being made by Ald. McGoldrick, District Engineer Brown, Foreman Scott and Assistant Foreman Ransey, and songs were given by Joseph Irvine, Robert Nelson, Samuel Cooper, Val. Fandoy and Fred Cunningham.

MIND AND MATTER

We'd a misunderstanding, my lady and I, And I fain would acknowledge the fault. For I still can recall the affright of he

cry, "Goodness me! you're upsetting the salt! Now she'd told me that salt, when upset, was supposed
To be off the forerunner of strife—
And it proved to be true, for the incident closed
With a "spat" betwixt me and my wife.

But it quickly blew over—the salt was re-moved,
And we met in a loving embrace,
Thouh you'll smile when I tell you it after-ward proved
That the sugar was spilled in its place.

SHIPPING NEWS.

Domestic Ports.

HALIFAX, Dec 18—Ard, schs Nourmahal.
rom Bay of Islands, NF, and cleared for
Joucester; Lena and Maud, from Gloucester
ia Shelburne, for Bay of Islands, NF, and
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Pearl, coal, for Annapolis; 9th, sch 7
coal, for Digby.

British Ports.

CITY ISLAND, Dec 10—Bound south, tug jypsum King, from Hantsport, NS via Southeast Harbor, towing schs Gypsum Queen, Gypsum King and barge No 20, from Windsor.

NEW YORK, Dec 10-Ard, brig Curacon

COMMERCIAL

STOCK MARKETS.

YORK, Dec. 11.—Wall street: There reat irregularity in opening prices on ock exchange this morning. Changes on fined to fractional, with the except losses of a point in Man, and Lackan Amalgamated Copper opened und, fell ½ and then rose as much above ght on large dealings. The stock marened irregular.

DAILY QUOTATIONS.

Dec. 11, 1901. 137% 106% 135 159 1035% 166 33½ 147% 98¼ 47½ 78¾ 103% 103% 165½ 165½ 33% 147% 148½

213/4 411/8 Wabash, pfd DUFFERIN HOTEL Dec. 11.—E. W. F. Harris, Charlottetown; Dr. Simpson, New Glasgow; F. A. McAndrews, Hampton; A. H. Hatfield, Hallfax; A. H. Moller, Halifax; E. H. Allen, Moncton; L. H. Armstrong, D. McKay and wife, Truro; Fred Jarvis, Newcastle.

ollege yell.

"And I paid good money to have him equire those clothes and the fog-horn olde and exuberant throat development," he groaned.

"You don't care for the yell?" asked

"You don't care for the yell?" asked be young man.
"I do not," replied the father. "It is salueless as the squeal of a pig, and nat is the one part of the animal hich is lost when he is butchered." A few weeks later, while on a trip of a new country, the father and son the attacked by a band of marauding of the yell."

mans.
"Br.r! Woof, woofwoofwoof! Zip,
p, zippityzip! Oompah, oompah!
urgoo, gurgoo! Wottell, wottell! Whe-

eeeee:
The members of the marauding
band, amazed at the sound and unable
to understand it, turned and fled.
Moral:—A college education pays in

MORNING'S NEWS.

Mill street, a concert w much merit will be given

This evening, in the Boys' Mission, Mill street, a concert which promises much merit will be given.
Ontario packers have again advanced the price of pure lard one-quarter of a cent per pound.
A Carleton lady lost \$14 from her pocket on Prince William street yesterday afternoon.
The Mohawk Hockey Club will meet in the Singer Rink this evening. A full attendance is requested.
A despatch received by relatives yesterday morning, says that Hiram English, formerly of St. John, but now of Boston, is dying.
The city schools will close for the Christmas vacation earlier than usual this year, the last school day being Wednesday, Déc. 18.
The subject of Photography was dealt with in a very instructive and entertaining manner by W. A. Hickman before the Natural History Society last evening.
A meeting of delegates to the St. John Trades and Labor Council will be held this evening in the Moulders' hall, Brussels street, at 8 o'clock, to complete organization.
Hibernal Lodge, No. 3, A. F. and A. M., at its regular meeting last night, initiated Sidney Bowden and advanced Messrs. Second, Foster and Barnes from first to second degree.
A special meeting of the Neptune Rowing Club was held last evening. Heber Vroom was elected as vice-president and W. W. Baird to the vacancy on the management committee. The matter of electing a captain was postponed, as well as the date of the sleigh drive.
The Mattorn, Illinois, Evening Star of recent date speaks in the highest terms of the illustrated lecture on Rome, the city of the Caesars, delivered by Rev. Andrew Gray of Boston. Dr. Gray is a native of Kings county, N. B., where he has hosts of friends. He is now in great demand on the western lecture platform.
Rev. Father McCormick left last evening for Illichester, Md. He was given a cordial farewell at the depot. A number of young men of St. Peter's church on Thursday evening presented him with a rich suit of clergyman's clothes and a set of breviaries. The ladies of the church presented a well filled purse.

PROVINCIAL.

The steamer Ella, from Burin Bay, Newfoundland, for Sydney, was an-chored off Scatterie, C. B., yesterday in a disabled condition, with her pro-pellor broken. Four of her seamen were drowned while attempting to land in a small boat.

GENERAL

It is stated in Quebec that Sir A. P. Caron will likely be the conservative candidate at the coming by-election in L'Islet.

John M. Mutch of Haverhill, Mass., has confessed to the murder of his wife's lover while in a jealous frenzy.

ORANGE ELECTIONS.

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Eldon No. 2, L. O. L., last night elected offleers: S. E. Logan, W. M.; P. McMain, D. M.; Joseph Sproul, chaplain; W. H. Sulis, R. S.; A. J. Armstrong, F. S.; John Rusk, treas.; Jas. Magee, D. of C.; Robt. Johnston, lecturer; 1st committeeman, A. Pattersen; 2nd, G. A. Blair; 3rd, C. R. Flewwelling; 4th, J. C. Mowbry; 5th, W. J. Peacock; E. C. Keirstead, inside tyler; finance and audit committee, J. R. Armstrong, F. Goodrich, A. O. Geldert. Speeches were delivered by the new officers, Neil J. Morrison, grand secretary, and W. B. Wallace, county secretary, and W. B. Wallace, county secretary, financially and numerically, having increased its ranks more largely than for some years past. Its finances are in a flourishing condition.

At the meeting of Dominion Logice.

as printed in last evening's Star, was carried out.

The central figure was Miss M. Florence Rogers, who appeared four times, reading Will Carleton's New Lochiny arr; the third scene in Act I and also the court scene in the Merchant of Venice; and two humorous selections. Miss Rogers is not only a trained electionist, but a young lady of engaging presence, who has a fine appreciation of the dramatic possibilities of the characters she portrays. It was a rather long step from the farmer folk of Will Carleton to Shylock and Partia, and another long one from these down to the woman's rights advocate and the Irish gossip; yet Miss Rogers was step to the woman's rights advocate and the Irish gossip; yet Miss Rogers was step to the woman's rights advocate and the Irish gossip; yet Miss Rogers was step to the woman's rights advocate and the Irish gossip; yet Miss Rogers was step to the woman's rights advocate and the Irish gossip; yet Miss Rogers was step to the woman's rights advocate and the Irish gossip; yet Miss Rogers was step to the woman's rights advocate and the Irish gossip; yet Miss Rogers was step to the woman's rights advocate and the Irish gossip; yet Miss Rogers was step to the woman's rights advocate and the Irish gossip; yet Miss Rogers was step to the woman's rights advocate and the Irish gossip; yet Miss Rogers was step to the woman's rights advocate and the Irish gossip; yet Miss Rogers was step to the woman's rights advocate and the Irish gossip; yet Miss Rogers was step to the woman's rights advocate and the Irish gossip; yet Miss Rogers was step to the woman's rights advocate and the Irish gossip; yet Miss Rogers was step to the woman's rights advocate and the Irish gossip; yet Miss Rogers was step to the woman's rights advocate and the Irish gossip; yet Miss Rogers was step to the woman's rights advocate and the Irish gossip; yet Miss Rogers was step to the visit of the Roger with long har, a sweater that had eleven distinct colors in its fabric. All the was terrifying.

A young man once returne

The annual meeting of Havelock, L. O. L., No. 27, was held in the Market building last evening and the following elected:—Wm. Wallace, W. M.; Robert Carson, D. M.; John A. Kaln, Chap. P. M.; Robert M. Rubins, Rec. Sec., P. M.; John Kerr, Fin. Sec., P. M.; James Elliott, Treas. P. M.; A. Winchester, D. of C.; C. N. Skinner, lecturer, P. M.; John Currie, A. W. Macrae, P. M.; Wm. Worden, J. P. Hipwell, P. M.; H. A. McKeown, P. M., committee.

dipwell, F. M., A. A. depression of the committee.

The lodge adjourned until next Tuesay evening at 7.30 o'clock, when the next llation will take place and on installation of C. N. Skinner the members

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To Those Who Listen to the Man or

the Street.

(Thaddeus in Religious Intelligencer.)
When the deacon came in to see me one night last week, I greeted him with. "They say, deacon, that you refused to be vaccinated." The deacon looked at me a moment before answering, and then, slowly and quietly, asked, "Who (with emphasis on the who) told you I refused to be vaccinated?" I hesitated, stammered, and said, "Oh, I don't remember, they said that—that—I don't know exactly what it was they said, or who said it."
"I am surprised," said the deacon with a sigh, "that you quote from such an authority. You ought to know that there is no more disreputable, untruthful family to be found anywhere than the "They Say' family. And, as it is the oldest and largest family in the world, they are continually making mischief. Sometimes honest people quote from them thoughtlessly, but no honest person quotes them habitually. quote from them thoughtlessly, but no honest person quotes them habitually. Gossips, prevaricators and cowards are continually quoting them. And when malicious men and women want to injure any persons, or cause, they shelter themselves behind the 'They Say' family, and from that cowardly covert, shoot their deadly venom. And they have maimed and bruised and crippled more lives than grape and shot and shell ever did."

"The malicious have only to say, 'They Say' such a bank is shaky, and a run is made on that bank, and it has to suspend payment."

to suspend payment."

"A bad man wants to injure a rival's business, and he has only to say, "They Say so-and-so's business is falling off, and he is having a hard time to meet his payments," and the shutters go on that store."

"A malicious roomen wants to injure."

"A malicious woman wants to indure a possible rival, and she has only to whisper, They Say that if all stories are true, etc., and a white reputation is sullied, if not tarnished forever."
"The whispers of 'They Say' go through a village or country neighborhood like thistle down, and there are estrangements and discords and feuds that live for many a generation."
"Choirs have quarrelled and been disbanded, and churches have been divided, never to be re-united by what 'They Say' said."
"Pastors have been dismissed in the midst of their usefulness because 'They Say,' intimated that 'it is time we had a change."

the mischief, the incalculab "Oh, the mischlef, the incalculable harm that has been caused by the They Says." Don't quote from them my friend, or you will scatter false hoods broadcast. You will bury people before they die, and marry people who were never engaged, and neve will be. And that is the smallest harm of which the They Says' are capable." of which the 'They Says' are capable
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"Make it the rule of your life," added the deacon, "when you tell anything to give your authority. When you cannot name the person who gave you your news, you may know that your news 's false or mischievous, or both, and keep silent. The next time any one gives you news from "They Say' ask him, as I did you, 'who told you? Who said?" and see how disconcerted they will be, and how they will stammer and hesitate as you did." The deacon took his hat to go, and asked me to help him on with his coat.
"Be careful," he said, "careful please, my arm is very painful."
"And then my face got red and redder; but the deacon was a gentleman, and did not seem to notice it, but simply said, "I told the doctor when he scraped my arm that it was a pity there was no vaccine for moral diseases. If you could vaccinate some people for laziness, and others for bad temper, and others for gossip, and vaccinate the victims with hemp it might save them from hanging, and liars with lye"

save them from hanging, with lye."

"They say," I said.

TEN MILLION DOLLARS.

Carnegie Offers that Sum for a University for Higher Education a Higher versity for Washington.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 10.—The Po ays Pres. Roosevelt has received a leer from Andrew Carnegie in which the atter offers to make a donation 10,000,000 to the United States. latter offers to make a donation of \$10,000,000 to the United States. The letter will be referred to Congress by the president in a special message.

Mr. Carnegie's gift is for the purpose of establishing in Washington a university for higher education. As far as his idea has been developed, it proposes a gift after the manner of the bequest of James Smith.von, the Englishman, who gave \$1,000,000 for the establishment of the Smithsonian institution. Mr. Carnegie proposes that the university which he is to endow shall be the greatest institution in the world for the development of higher education. He has consulted Pres. Gilman, of Johns Hopkins university, Pres. Hadley of Yale, Pres. Elliot, of Harvard, former Pres. White, of Cornell and all the leading educators of the country. They heartly endorse his plans. The proposed university will not interfere in the least with the educational institutions already established, but will supplement them for, according to the present plans, its doors will be open only to those who desire to tape up a post graduate course. Mr. Carnegie wants the new university to take the lead in original research, so that the United States can eventually

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Mr. Carnegie has kept the proposed endowment a secret until he could definitely arrange the plans and scope of the new university. Even yet all these details have not been arranged so that little more than the outline of his gift can be published. It is known, however, that he does not propose to ask from Congress a single foot of land upon which the university buildings will be constructed. The entire expense is to be borne out of his endowment. It will, however, necessarily be very large as it is proposed to erect a series of magnificent structures.

The amount of money to be given by Mr. Carnegie equals the sum of the present endowment fund of Harvard and is considerably more than the invested fund of Yale.

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