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DOMINION LODGE L. O. B. A.
 Members of Dominion Lodge, No. 181, L. O. B. A., celebrated their twentieth anniversary in their hall, Simonds street, on Wednesday evening. During the evening there was a short programme, as follows: Solo, Miss Lingley; reading, Mr. Spencer; song, little Misses Thomas and Boone; recitation, Mr. Fullerton; solo, Master Cameron; song, Miss Sweet; song, Mr. Brittain; recitation, Master Ross; duet, Mr. and Mrs. Hamilton; accordion selection, Mr. Ross. At the conclusion of the programme refreshments were served and the anniversary was brought to a close by the singing of the national anthem.

NOW IN TORONTO
 Rev. Charles O'Hara, C. S. S. R., son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. O'Hara, Douglas Avenue, who recently completed his second novitiate at the Redemptorist Seminary at Esopus, N. Y., has been stationed at St. Patrick's church, Toronto. Rev. Father O'Hara celebrated his first mass in St. Peter's church in June 1912.

FOR THE BELGIANS
 Mayor Frink received today a contribution of \$1 from "A Friend" for the Belgian fund.

THE BANK CLEARINGS
 St. John bank clearings for the week ending today were \$1,242,468; same period last year, \$1,081,250.

REAL ESTATE NEWS

Transfers of real estate have been recorded as follows:
St. John County
 E. J. Broderick to David O'Connell, \$1,030, property in Second street.
 Simon Crowley to Ashburn Lake Fishing Club, Limited, property in Sandy Point road.
Diocesan Synod of Fredericton to City of St. John, property in Douglas avenue.
 Trustees of Henry Gilbert to F. B. Hasen, property in Great Marsh road.
 C. H. McLean to Joshua Tobin, property in Brussels street.
Kings County
 A. S. Tabor and G. A. Tabor to Edith E. Tabor, property in Sussex.
 J. E. Thorne to S. W. Thorne, property in Havrelock.
 Herbert Wilson, per the sheriff, to H. S. Jones, \$155, property in Sussex.

COMMON COUNCIL
 The common council will meet this afternoon to discuss the resolutions presented on Tuesday by Commissioner Potts. The resolutions provide for amendments to the assessment act. Commissioner McEwan's suggestion for the establishment of a fair rent commission may be discussed also.

TOOTH-SOME SWEETS FOR THE WEEK-END!

REGULAR 50c. ASSORTED CHOCOLATES.....	30c.
MOIR'S COCOATINAS.....	40c.
JORDAN ALMONDS.....	30c.
OLD-FASHIONED MOLASSES MINT DROPS.....	25c.
FRANK WHITE'S HARD MIXTURE.....	25c.

Bond's - 90 King Street

Prices Are Advancing!
 Read This Money-Saving List on
Friday and Saturday For Cash!

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|---|--|
| 24 lb. bag of Royal Household or Kings Quality Manitoba Flour for \$1.12 1/2 | SEEDLESS ORANGES
1 doz. small sized,.....17c.
1 doz. large sized,.....30c.
White's Pickles, mixed or Chow Chow,.....20c. bottle |
| ROLLED OATS
Last chance.....6 lbs. for 25c. | SOAPS
Ivory,.....5c. cake
2 pkgs. Lux,.....17c.
5 cakes Sunlight Soap,.....21c.
3 cakes Infant's Delight,.....25c.
3 cakes Baby's Own,.....25c.
Special 25c. box 3 cakes fine Toilet Soap,.....35c. box |
| A CHANGE FOR BREAKFAST
Triscuit,.....12 1/2c. pkge.
Shredded Wheat Biscuit, 12 1/2c. pkge.
Hecker's Hominy,.....16c. pkge.
Ralston's Wheat Food,.....20c. pkge.
Educator Wheat Bran,.....20c. pkge.
Roman Meal,.....25c. pkge.
Uncle Sam Health Food,.....25c. pkge.
Lipton's 30c. Tea, Red Label, extra value,.....27c. pkge. | GENERAL LIST
2 tins Canned Peas,.....17c.
3 tins Canned Tomatoes,.....27c.
1 pkge. Natural Peas,.....10c.
25c. Jar Peanut Butter,.....21c.
10c. pkge. Acme Starch,.....8c.
1 jar Preserved Ginger,.....22c.
1/2 lb. box C. & B. Crystallized Ginger Chips,.....15c. each |
| GRANULATED SUGAR
14 lbs. fine.....for \$1.00 | CORN FLAKES
3 pkgs. Kellogg and Quaker, assorted,.....24c. |
| ROYAL DUTCH COCOA
10c. tin Bunsdorfs,.....8c.
25c. tin Bunsdorfs,.....21c.
40c. tin Bunsdorfs,.....33c.
75c. tin Bunsdorfs,.....65c. | |
- NO C.O.D. ORDERS FOR SUGAR AND FLOUR ALONE.

GILBERT'S GROCERY

Children's and Misses' Wool Toques
 8 dozen 50c. and 75c. Caps at 25c., in Fawns, Greys, etc. Other makes at 50c. and 75c.
Children's Scarlet Overstockings 35c
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 539 to 545 Main Street
 Stores Close at 6 p. m. Except Saturday.

The BIG Disposal SALE
OPENED WITH A RUSH!
 at 55 Charlotte Street, and hundreds came, saw and bought. Never before in the history of SALES have such genuine BARGAINS been offered — and if YOU don't take advantage of this SALE it is only because you do not fully realize the genuineness of the offerings.
 My admonition to you is to come in early tomorrow — as the stock is going fast and selections will be easier.
 J. Grover Watts.

GUARDS AND LIGHTS AT BRIDGES OVER FALLS

For further protection at the bridges over the reversing falls additional guards are being placed on duty today, and preparations are being made to have four large lights installed so that the rays will fall on the large piers and the waters below. While it would be dangerous for a person unfamiliar with the tidal conditions to approach the bridges in the dark it is felt that men like the one who attempted to blow up the Yancobro bridge would not hesitate. It is felt that in the dark the guards might not be able to see a boat approaching and so the lights will be placed. Two guards, William Hammond and Blake Hoyt, were placed on the new government bridge today.

FAIRVILLE NEWS

'The Queens of Avalon' — Another Project For Belgian Aid

Last evening the "Queens of Avalon," a young ladies' organized Sunday school class of the Baptist church, entertained the choir at the parsonage and a good time was enjoyed. The programme of entertainment proved not only interesting but unique. The reception committee was composed of Misses Gladys Ross, Hope Crowell and Priscilla Harris. The individual members of the class are supposed to choose an ideal woman from the past, and to emulate her. The young ladies, entitled "Collecting Missionary Money," read a paper on the subject. The usual ritual was carried out, consisting of quotations, singing and prayer, during which Miss Gladys Ross presided. A sketch was put on by the young ladies, entitled "Collecting Missionary Money." Games and a general good time were later indulged in and the choir guests heartily appreciated the hospitable efforts of the class. Refreshments were served by the young ladies.

The organization of this class under the guidance of Mrs. P. R. Hayward, provides for a great many interests for the girls. During the Christmas season they sewed for the poor, cooking lessons are also part of the plan, as well as literary and social evenings during the winter. The membership is as follows:—Misses Gladys Ross, Hope Crowell, Evelyn Waters, Mita Estrom, Yerna Howard, Elsie Ferris, Edna Miller, Nellie Sweet, Ellen Carr, Sadie Stevens, Katie McLeod, and Priscilla Harris.

POLICE COURT

Preliminary Examination Begun in Several Cases

Preliminary hearing in the case against James McIntyre, arrested recently on a charge of stealing \$80 from Roy Kirkpatrick, was held in the police court this morning. Police Constable Goslin testified that on the night of January 20, he was standing in Main street, between twelve and one o'clock, when several young men passed him. Later he heard cries for help from around the corner of Elm street, and while he was hurrying in that direction, saw some men running in different directions. He saw Kirkpatrick holding McIntyre and crying for a "cop," so he went up to them and asked the cause of the trouble. He said that Kirkpatrick told him that the defendant had put his hand into his pocket and robbed him of \$80. Later, when searched by Detective Briggs, a \$10 bill was found in McIntyre's coat pocket.

Detective Briggs told of searching the prisoner. He said he heard McIntyre tell Police Constable Goslin before he searched him that he had no money at all. The prisoner was then remanded. Preliminary hearing in the case against Edward Redmond, charged with breaking and entering the office of Elmore & Mullin, South wharf, was commenced. Daniel Thompson testified that about 4 o'clock in the morning he was going home when he heard a revolver shot and went down the South wharf, where he met Police Constable Ward. He saw a window in the door of Elmore & Mullin store broken and saw Redmond sitting in the office alongside a stove. The witness assisted Police Constable Ward through the aperture. He said the man looked stupid and the atmosphere smelt strongly of liquor.

Police Constable Ward said he was making his rounds and saw lights burning in the store, and discovered that a window had been broken. He saw Redmond sitting by the stove. He went into the store through the broken window and arrested the man, who was under the influence of liquor.

Alfred C. Carrison testified about arriving at the store on the following morning and finding the window broken. He said he missed an old coat, which had been hanging in the office. He recognized the coat worn by Redmond as his property. The prisoner said that he had been given the coat by the policeman. The prisoner was then further remanded. John Connell, who has been in custody for some time on a charge of drunkenness and causing a disturbance in his home in Somerset street, was fined \$8 or two months in jail, after his father had given evidence. The latter said that the defendant had come home intoxicated and started raising a disturbance. He picked up a knife, and when the witness went to take it from him, he received a bad cut on the hand. George Fogala, a Russian, who was arrested yesterday afternoon by Police Constable Jeffries on a charge of stealing coal from an I. C. R. car, pleaded guilty in the police court this morning, and was remanded. Police Constable Jeffries said he had been informed that Fogala was in the habit of collecting coal in payment for his board. The recipients of the coal have been summoned to appear tomorrow morning.

HEAVY LOSSES BY FIRES RECENTLY

Insurance in Connection With St. John, Provincial and Nova Scotia Fires

Losses of property by fires have reached a total of more than \$175,000 in New Brunswick and Nova Scotia this week. The loss is shared about equally between the owners and the insurance companies. An unfortunate feature of the fires is that they include two fine hotel buildings whose owners carried very little insurance and who may therefore not find themselves in a position to rebuild. In the case of the school buildings destroyed it is expected that they will be rebuilt eventually but this loss sustained is a severe blow at a time when reconstruction rather than enlarged expenditures is the policy of public bodies as well as private individuals. The most important losses are those sustained in the destruction of the Moncton high school; Legers Hotel in Bathurst; Lour Lodge, Digby, and Horton Academy and Young Hall in Wolfville.

The Moncton school building was totally destroyed with a loss of about \$70,000. This was covered by insurance to the extent of \$40,000 as follows: On the building Fidelity Indemnity, \$10,000; Atlas, \$5,000; Commercial Union, \$5,000; Fidelity Phenix, \$4,000; Queen, \$4,000; General, \$2,000; Union, \$2,000; London, Liverpool & Globe, \$2,000 and Sun \$1,000; on furniture, Western, \$1,000; L. L. & G. \$1,000 and Queen \$2,000. The loss on Legers Hotel, Bathurst, is estimated at \$80,000. Very little insurance was carried; the only policy known here being one for \$8,000 with the Atlantic Mutual. Lour Lodge, Digby, also had little or no insurance and the loss there was about \$25,000. In the total destruction of Horton Academy and the Young Memorial Hall in Wolfville the Baptist church sustains a serious loss. Although the insurance was carried to the extent of \$2,000 on these buildings the buildings were valued at \$85,000. In this connection it may be of interest that the total insurance carried on all the school and college buildings totaled \$250,000. On the total schedule \$20,000 was placed with the Western and \$15,000 with the L. L. & G. offices here. In addition to these fires there was the destruction of John O'Regan's summer residence, valued at \$9,000 and insured for \$4,000 and the Clayton fire in Brunswick street, with a loss of about \$10,000 and the only insurance \$2,500 on the stock in trade.

TABLET IN MEMORY OF ARCHDEACON BRIGSTOCKE

Unveiling at Dedication of Church of England Institute Building

Bishop Richardson will dedicate the new Church of England Institute building, 116 Princess street, this evening at 8 o'clock. A tablet, designed by H. Green & Son, will be unveiled. The tablet is inscribed:—
 The Rev. F. H. J. Brigstocke, M. A., D. D., Founder of this Church of England Institute, Jan. 25, 1876, until his death, March 8, 1899. Erected at the dedication of this building, February 8, 1915.

BOY GIVEN OVER TO THE CHILDREN'S AID SOCIETY

Judge McKeown Makes Order in Matter of John Boyce—Porter vs. O'Connell

An order was made by Mr. Justice McKeown this morning giving the custody and control of John Boyce, eleven-year-old son of Henry Boyce, to the Children's Aid Society, with an order to the father to pay \$1.50 a week for maintenance of the lad. It was disclosed at the hearing that the lad's mother had left the husband and boy and through no fault of the father the boy was left to sleep in barns and often go hungry. The matter was brought to the attention of the authorities by W. J. Kirkpatrick, employer of the boy's father, and the application made to the court by J. King Kelly, K. C., in their behalf.

FIRESIDE CLUB HELP TO SWELL THE BELGIAN FUND

A delightful parlor entertainment was given last evening under the auspices of the Fireside Club at the residence of Alexander Watson, Wentworth street. The concert was in aid of the Belgian relief fund and about \$30 will be cleared for that worthy object. The programme included: Piano duet, Mrs. J. M. Barnes and Miss Edith Cochran; vocal solos, Miss Dorothy Creighton, Charles Munro, Miss Eraline Climo, Hew Walker, Miss Blenda Thompson and Thomas Guy; violin solo, Mrs. F. J. Gunn; vocal quartette, Misses Climo and Thompson, Messrs H. Shaw and John Woods and violin duet, Mrs. Gunn and Mrs. Harold Macneil. Dainty refreshments were served and the evening closed with a dance which the members of the club and their friends greatly enjoyed.

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 Ladies' Black Maitresse Underskirts for stout figures; made goat and full and finished with an accordion frill at the bottom.....Special, \$1.85 each

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 Fine White Apron Lawns, with deep hemstitched borders; many have fine tucks and insertion trimmings; 40 inches wide.....Special, 15c. a yard

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 Fine White Organdy Guamps, with daintily embroidered collar and fronts, with elastic at waist. Regular \$1.00 quality.....For Saturday, only 88c. each

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 Pretty Embroidered Organdy Collar and Cuff Sets—New pleated back style (wired); also pleated cuffs to match.....For Saturday, only 85c. each

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FIRST SHOWING OF MEN'S SHIRTS FOR SPRING, 1915
 Few stores there are anywhere that sell as many shirts as Oak Hall. We buy thousands from the great makers in this country and abroad—hardly a week passes that we don't receive fresh shipments.
 We are making an advance showing of the new styles for Spring, 1915, and special attention is directed to our One Dollar Shirts, which for value have become famous with us. They are in Madras, Cheviot and Percalé in the new colorings and patterns, in coat and regulation style, cuffs attached and detached. Other good values including "Arrow" shirts, \$1.25 to \$2.00.
NEW SPRING NECKWEAR
 Have you mastered the science of choosing Neckwear? One's tastefulness in this seemingly small matter often determines whether one will look positively stunning or just fairly well. For the appearance of a whole suit can be changed by simply putting on the right thing in Neckwear. The first shipment of the new things for Spring has just arrived, and includes new novelties in Floral designs, Shepherd Plaids, Regimental Stripes, Foulard Spots, Palm Beach, Black and White effects and plain colors, 50 cents.
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St. John, N. B., Feb. 2, 1915.
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 Now is the time when values have got the floor, accordingly we ask you in all sincerity to notice these prices on cold wearables.
 Men's Waterproof Overshoes,.....\$1.19 worth \$2.00
 Men's Oil Tanned Moccasins,.....\$1.98
 Boys' Oil Tanned Moccasins,.....\$1.58 and \$1.38
 Men's Coat Sweaters,.....96c. worth \$2.00
 Women's Rubbers,.....38c. worth 75c.
 Men's Felt Boots,.....\$1.98 worth \$3.50
 C. B. PIDGEON,
 Low Rent District.

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MINK, ALASKAN SABLE and PERSIAN LAMB
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STOLES AND TIES. Regularly from \$20.00 to \$135.00 NOW from 10.00 to 67.50	STOLES AND TIES. Regularly from \$25.00 to \$60.00 NOW from 12.50 to 30.00	STOLES AND TIES. Regularly from \$15.00 to \$60.00 NOW from 9.00 to 30.00

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