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### PITIFUL SIGHTS IN POLICE COURT

**Eight Drunks and Four Protectionists Face Magistrate—One of Homeless is Sixty-five.**

A sorry looking sight was presented in the police court this morning when no less than eight men appeared in answer to drunkenness charges. One admitted that he had been picked up in a vacant lot off Prince Edward street at 2 o'clock Sunday morning while another was found on a deal pile yesterday afternoon. When searched he possessed a bottle of lemon extract. In addition he resisted arrest and the magistrate fined him \$8 for being drunk; \$80 for resisting the police and \$200 for having liquor other than in his private dwelling.

#### Four Homeless.

Probably outdoing these eight was the plight of four others. Martin Hunt, aged 65 years, said that he sought the protection of the police station last night as he had no home. He said that he came here from Quebec. Oscar Larsson admitted he was a vagrant and said he hailed from Weymouth, N. S. Oscar Neale pleaded guilty to a like charge and said that he belonged to Ontario while Fred Billy said that he was making for Gloucester Bay but had run out of funds besides being ill. The magistrate sent the quartette below.

The magistrate commented very strongly on conditions as brought to light through today's police sheet. He said it was a sad state of affairs when an old man of sixty-five years had to seek the protection of the police during the night.

### IN NEW QUARTERS IN MARKET SQUARE

**Canada Permanent Mortgage Corp. Occupy Bank Building—Other Business Changes.**

A change of offices by several firms in the business section of the city took place today. The Canada Permanent Mortgage Corporation has vacated its offices at the corner of Prince William and has removed to the new building at the corner of Dock street and Market Square, formerly occupied by the Bank of Montreal. A visit to these quarters this morning showed the completely renovated and newly decorated.

Located in this building on the ground floor occupying part of the premises with the Canada Permanent Mortgage Corporation are Thomas, Armstrong & Bell, bond dealers, etc. A complete new lighting system has been installed and the quarters present a splendid and up-to-date appearance. Downstairs a high-class and up-to-the-minute safety deposit vault has been established, with several new coupon rooms for the convenience of customers.

In the building previously occupied by the Mortgage Corporation there are reports of further changes. L. P. D. Lewis, barrister, etc., who occupies offices on the second floor, is seeking office accommodation elsewhere, with a probability of his going to the building at the corner of Dock and Market Square. The Canadian Government Merchant Marine will take over the offices to be vacated by Mr. Lewis. Several other changes are expected, but have not yet been finally completed.

### Fined \$25 For Selling Bread Under Weight

James Izzard, Joseph Gibbons and M. & P. Kelly, local bakers, were charged in the police court this morning with selling bread under weight. Mr. Izzard failed to appear when his name was called. Mr. Gibbons pleaded not guilty but following the evidence of Officer McBride he was fined \$25 while Mr. Kelly had his case postponed until Wednesday afternoon. Officer McBride said that he had visited both the premises of Mr. Gibbons and Mr. Kelly on March 9. He weighed several loaves of bread and found some of them ranging from one ounce to three ounces under weight. In reply to a question by Mr. Kelly the witness admitted that he found a few loaves over weight. On request of Mr. Kelly his case was set over until Wednesday when he said that he would offer his side of the case.

#### MAY BUY A RANCH.

Amherst News.—A. S. Etter left today on a several weeks trip through the West and will stop off at Boston, Chicago and Vancouver before his return home. Mr. Etter's chief business is to investigate a ranch property in Alberta with the prospective idea of locating there. He was accompanied by Mrs. Etter who will visit her sister, Mrs. Outerbridge (formerly Margaret Robertson) at Montreal.

#### COST TRAM CO. \$20,000.

Halifax Chronicle.—Snow removal from the streets through which the tramway runs cost the Tram Company \$10,000 in round figures for the month of January. For all last winter the total cost to the company of snow removal was \$20,000.

#### CHARLES W. SMITH.

The death took place at the Cottage Hospital, Springhill, N. S., last Thursday, at the age of 76 years. He was born in New Brunswick, and was the last surviving member of his father's family. He is survived by his wife, one daughter, Grace, who is matron of the Cottage Hospital, and two sons, Fred of New Waterford, and Cecil, at home.

#### AMHERST IS AMATEUR.

Amherst News.—Amherst will be off the independent map this summer, as far as baseball is concerned, and the amateurs will hold sway. Three and probably four Civic League teams will be formed, and with sufficient experienced players to give the youngsters balance, there will be fast ball played here.

### LOCAL NEWS

#### COLLECTION FOR ORPHANS

The amount of the collection taken in the Cathedral on St. Patrick's Day in aid of the orphans totalled \$347.65 according to announcement made yesterday morning at the various masses.

#### LAWYERS TO BOSTON

Boyer S. Smith, Kenneth J. MacRae, William M. Ryan and E. J. Henneberry, barristers, will leave this evening for Boston in connection with the winding up of a local estate in which some of the interested parties reside in the United States.

#### KEATING-CORAM

A quiet wedding took place at the Princess House, 160 Princess street, last Saturday when Rev. O. P. Brown united in marriage Miss Gwendolyn Fairchild Coram and Edward A. Keating, both of this city. Mr. and Mrs. Keating will reside at 160 Princess street.

#### OIL SHALES CASE.

The case of the Prudential Trust Co., Ltd., vs. The Oil Shales Co. of Canada, Ltd., was continued this morning before Sir Douglas Hazen, Chief Justice. Louis Simpson, mining engineer, was in the stand up to the time of adjournment. J. L. McDougall, who was representing several parties interested in the matter, has returned to Ottawa.

#### COMMON CLERK ILL.

H. E. Wardroper, common clerk, is ill at his home. He left his office at City Hall on Saturday afternoon feeling ill and has not at his desk this morning. Roy A. Willet acted as common clerk in his absence at the meeting of the Common Council in committee.

#### RUMMAGE SALE

A very successful rummage sale was conducted in the Orange Hall, Simonds street, on Saturday by the Seven Seas Chapter, I. O. D. E. The sum of \$40 was realized which will go towards the general work of the chapter. Miss Alice Lockhart was general convener and she was assisted by a committee of members.

#### BOARD OF TRADE ENQUIRIES.

Among the enquiries received by the Board of Trade today were the following: From Montreal, asking for information on Canadian exports; from a Toronto firm, asking for names of tailors and clothiers of St. John; from Portland, Me., request for pilot-vessel, harbor and wharf charges; from Edinburgh, Scotland, a marine engineer seeking employment.

#### CITY BILLS IN LEGISLATURE.

There will be no meeting of the Common Council tomorrow. City bills, in particular the bill concerning superannuation of city employees, will be before the legislature. E. M. Oliver, chairman of the board of assessors, will go to Fredericton, and it is expected, also, that W. H. Harrison, acting city solicitor, will be asked to go. The Mayor would not say what members of the Council would attend.

#### PASSENGERS COMPLAIN.

Many indignant comments were heard in the Union Station today about the condition of the train shed. Large puddles of water collected in a number of places and passengers were forced to walk through them. The covering in the shed is also leaking badly as well as the skylight in the centre of the station. Passengers were heard to remark that it is time that something was done to better these conditions.

#### A LENGTHY TRIP.

Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Thompson and daughter, Miss Lulu, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Cassidy, 1 Elliott street, now returning to their home in Oxford, N. S., after having spent three months traveling through Massachusetts, Michigan, Kansas and Mexico and other States. Mr. Thompson is engaged in lumbering and mining and has been in Silver City, New Mexico, in the interest of mining.

#### HEARING ADJOURNED

The military board investigating the circumstances surrounding the death of the late Major W. C. Magee, met on Saturday morning with Lieut. Col. T. E. Powers presiding. Several witnesses were heard and the inquiry was adjourned until Wednesday morning for the hearing of two more. No action has yet been taken and it has not yet been decided what course will be followed.

#### NO CRIMINAL CASES

The February term of the County Court opened this morning with Judge Armstrong presiding. There are several criminal cases on the docket. The case of Commory vs. Denning, a jury case, was commenced this morning. This is an action for an amount claimed to be due from the defendant to the plaintiff in a matter of cutting laths near Musquash. The plaintiff was on the stand this morning. G. H. V. Bates, K.C., for the plaintiff and H. O. McInerney and J. McMillan Trueman for the defendant.

#### THE ROTARY CLUB

The weather does not dampen the ardor of Rotarians. They tramped joyously through the heavy rain and the slush to the Up Town Tea Shop to their weekly luncheon today, and sang their songs with even more vigor than usual. They also sang, led by DeWitt Cairns, with Mose Ewing at the piano, a group of special songs the St. John contingent will sing at the District Conference in Halifax tomorrow and Wednesday. The delegation leaves St. John tonight. There was universal regret that Crawford C. McCulloch, of Port William, Past International President, did not arrive in time to attend today's luncheon.

#### WEST INDIES S. S. SERVICE.

Copy of call for tenders for alternate and fortnightly steamship services from St. John and Halifax to the British West Indies and British Guiana, to commence April 1, 1924, has been forwarded to the Board of Trade by the Trade and Commerce Department. Tenders are invited for service covering a period of five or ten years; steamers to be from 5,000 to 6,000 tons gross, capable of an ocean speed of twelve knots, and with accommodation for 100 first-class, thirty second-class and 100 steerage or deck passengers; to be provided with cold storage, if traffic warrants; there to be no unfair differentiation in freight rates against the smaller colonies as compared with the larger ones situated at a similar distance from St. John or Halifax; steamers to carry mails, if required.

### FREDERICTON

## HIGH WOULD MEET ST. F. X.

Game for School Title of the Maritime Provinces is in Prospect—Depends on the Weather.

Fredericton, N. B., March 19.—Fredericton's high school hockey team, champions of the New Brunswick Interscholastic League, are ready to meet St. Francis Xavier School team which won the Nova Scotia interscholastic championship on Saturday, for the school title of the Maritime Provinces. Whether the teams will meet will probably depend upon whether satisfactory arrangements can be made before the ice becomes too soft. St. F. X. have held the Nova Scotia title for several years while this is the second consecutive season for Fredericton High School as New Brunswick's champions.

Last fall Fredericton High and St. F. X. teams played for the maritime interscholastic rugby championship, the former winning in a sudden death game by a score of 3 to 0.

### First Store Cattle

## From Canada To England Since 1894

Shipment Arrived This Morning and Will be Shipped to Old Country by Manchester Liner.

The first consignment of store cattle to be shipped from Canada to England since 1894 arrived in the city this morning from Montreal via the C. N. R. They are all Ontario stock and were shipped from Toronto in charge of Arthur A. T. Carley, veterinary surgeon. There are 427 head comprising steers and speyed heifers and average from one to two years and 1,000 pounds in weight. They left Toronto last Tuesday and were held in Montreal for two days to ascertain if the British authorities would grant permission to let them pass through Maine while in transit. This was avoided, however, as they were transferred from the C. P. R. to the Canadian National Railway and made over their line from Montreal. There was not a single casualty from the time they left the Toronto stock yards until their arrival in this city.

Prior to being shipped they were inspected by Dr. Carley for cattle plague, foot and mouth disease, pneumonia and mange. They were also inspected in Montreal and at Mount Joli. At no time from their departure until their arrival in England are they allowed to come in contact with any other cattle. While at this port they will be segregated and will undergo another thorough inspection by J. H. Shonah and Dr. Carley. The animals will also have ear tags bearing the letter C and a serial number, and notes will be taken of the number on the legs, owners, etc., for identification purposes. After this has been completed they will be placed on board the S. S. Manchester Division, which is expected to sail for Manchester tomorrow. While in transit they will receive a daily inspection by Dr. Carley all to take place in daylight. While on the ocean Dr. Carley will send telegrams to Hon. Mr. Netherwell, Minister of Agriculture, as to their condition, etc.

Asked about the store cattle Dr. Carley said that if they are fed on their arrival in England they should be ready for slaughter in eight or ten weeks, but if they are grazed it will require a longer period. The cattle are being looked after by Foreman William Cunningham of Toronto, who has been crossing the ocean in charge of cattle shipments for forty-five years. He has an assistant foreman and fourteen men with him.

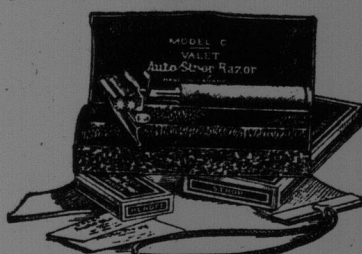
### Oklahoma Hears Of Miss Canada

From far away Ponca City, Oklahoma, comes a clipping from the Ponca City News of Feb. 20, containing a fine photograph of "Miss Canada."

The announcement that she is a St. John girl and Canada's pride. With the paper comes a letter from John, who is now engaged in the leasing and producing end of the oil business in Oklahoma and doing well. Writing to the Times, he says: "I am a native of St. John and lived there nearly all my life till I came west in the oil game two years ago. I go to Canada each fall, and was in St. John last August and part of September as the guest of George Buchanan, 340 Main street, Fredericton, Green, 233 Douglas Avenue, and an old school chum, Gordon Foster of Queen street. I enclose a photo of Miss Winifred Blair, as Miss Canada, whom I had the pleasure of meeting several years ago. I want the people of St. John to see that our lovely Canadian girls are heard of away out here, and that this is not a wild and woolly west as many seem to believe. The thermometer is 80 here today, March 18, and I have not seen a flake of snow this year, although I would enjoy a good skate."

#### MRS. F. A. CATES

Mrs. G. Dewis Parsons of Amherst, is in receipt of a letter from Vancouver, B. C., conveying intelligence of the death of Mrs. Luncinda Cates, widow of F. A. Cates, who died just six years ago, both passing away on the same date, March 18th. There are left to mourn one son Odober, one brother Nathan Baird in the Canadian West; six half sisters and one half brother. The sisters are Mrs. Brown and Mrs. J. A. Doncaster, Vancouver, B. C.; Mrs. George Sauber, Hamilton, Ont.; Mrs. J. W. Ross, Oxford; Mrs. A. F. Cassidy, St. John; Mrs. G. D. Parsons, Amherst and Howard in Whittier, Cal.



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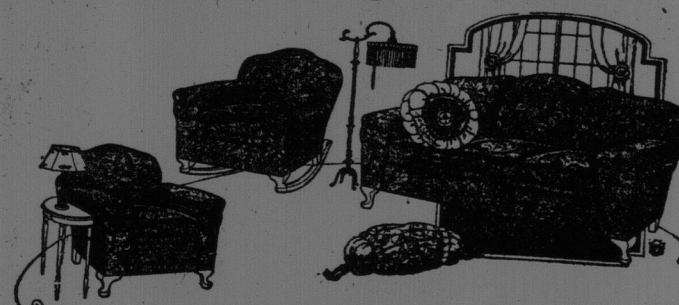


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