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Advertisement for W. H. Thorne & Co. Ltd. featuring a bicycle and the slogan "O Dad--A Velocipede". Includes text about the bicycle's features and contact information.

NEAR COLLISION IN THE HARBOR

Manchester Liner Swings Almost Against Empress—Motor Boat is Sunk.

A motor launch belonging to Edward Doherty, a local ship line man, was lost and a collision between the Manchester Producer and the bay steamer Empress was narrowly averted last evening about 6:15 o'clock while the Producer was being moved from Pettingill's wharf to No. 16 berth.

TELEGRAPH AND TIMES TELEPHONES

Day—Main 2417. After 6 p. m. and on Sundays—Main 2417 or 2418. If one number is busy please call the other.

LOCAL NEWS

GOES TO TRURO

F. W. Martin, until recently attached to the St. John branch of the Canadian Bank of Commerce, has been transferred to Truro, N. S.

POLICE MATRON RETURNS. Police Matron Miss Ross returned to the city yesterday from Truro, where she had taken a juvenile delinquent to the home for women.

BANK CLEARINGS. St. John bank clearings this week were \$2,784,674; last year, \$2,615,228; in 1921, \$2,784,001. Halifax clearings this week were \$2,975,723. In Moncton they were \$1,182,768.

A PRETTY CALENDAR. One of the prettiest calendars of the year is that issued by the Independent Order of Foresters to celebrate its fiftieth year. It reveals a young man in Robin Hood costume entering the portals of the Temple Building in Toronto.

EXPECTED HERE TONIGHT. Sir Henry Newbolt, accompanied by Lady Newbolt, is expected to arrive in the city on the C. N. R. train tonight, about nine o'clock. They will sail tomorrow for England on the steamer Montrose. While in the city they will be the guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Skelton, Germain street.

DIED IN ST. JOHN. Frederick Alexander Ritchie, paper manufacturer of Toronto, who was removed from the R. M. S. P. liner Chigecto to the St. John Infirmary on the arrival of the steamer here from the West Indies on March 27, died there on last Saturday and his body was taken to Toronto, the same evening. Mr. Ritchie was returning after a vacation trip to the West Indies and was accompanied by his wife, who remained with him during his illness here and returned to Toronto with the body.

DEATH OF CHILD. Many friends of Mr. and Mrs. T. H. McKillop, of McKillop street, Fairville, will sympathize with them in the death of their daughter, Margaret Alice, aged two years and one month, which occurred at their home on Tuesday night. Besides her parents she is survived by three brothers and one sister. The funeral will take place on Friday afternoon with service at the house at two o'clock.

PRESENTATION. Members of the Girls' Bible Class of St. Paul's church held a party in the school room of the church last evening to make a farewell presentation to Mrs. C. Hamilton, who is leaving the city to reside in Welsford. A neat little gift was presented to Mrs. Hamilton by the girls, and Mrs. Hamilton, A. H. Crowfoot, who spoke a few well chosen words. A pleasant evening was spent in the refreshments, were presented. The teacher of the class is Mrs. T. C. Kirby.

TEA AND SALE. The Ladies' Association of the Church of England Institute held a tea and home cooking sale this afternoon in the Institute rooms. The decorations were artistic and pleasing. Those in charge of the various field, general convenor; Mrs. A. H. Crowfoot, and one sister, Mrs. C. Hamilton, R. A. Armstrong, Mrs. Hatch, Mrs. James H. Frink and Mrs. William McAvity, home cooking table. The young girls of the association are waitresses.

ACCIDENT. While working in the rear of a building at 28 King Square yesterday afternoon, Bert Edwards, a lineman in the employ of the New Brunswick Telephone Company, and living in St. James St., West St. John, sustained injuries which will incapacitate him for a short time. He had a ladder up to the side of a building and the base was on an icy snow drift. The ladder slipped and Mrs. Edwards fell to the ground bruising his face and hands, spraining his back and injuring his leg. He was able to get to his home unassisted.

A STAUNCH CRAFT IN STRANGE SEAS

News of a disaster, not a marine disaster, but one in which a mariner cut the leading figure, came to a Times reporter through shipping circles yesterday. The mariner is a well known local skipper and his adventures on the stormy seas of Prince William street proved amusing to friends who happened to be in the neighborhood. It appears that this captain, who by the way, was built on generous lines, was coming out of a drug store in Prince William street on Wednesday afternoon when he had the misfortune to bump rather heavily into a lady whom he had not seen. She was apparently as unprepared for a collision and the force of it knocked her completely off her feet. The gallant skipper, although momentarily taken aback by the damage he had caused, immediately rushed to pick the lady up and restore her shattered dignity. Here was where misfortune played her second card against the mariner. While stooping to assist the lady he slipped and himself fell heavily, one of his feet striking against one of the lady's and knocking her shoe off.

BOYS FOUND IN SHED. Two boys, aged eleven and fourteen years, who were missing from their home from one o'clock yesterday afternoon, were found by the police about 2:30 o'clock this morning in a shed in Smythe street. At the time the children were found the police were accompanied by their father, who took them home.

AIR TRAVEL BETWEEN NEW YORK AND CHINA

New York, April 12.—An air route between New York and Peking, China, has been organized. It will make possible a trip by passenger airplane in sixty-five hours. Winnipeg will be the first stop and the second in Nome, Alaska.

TWO NEW BERTHS AT SOUTH END

Visit of City and Railway Officials—Do Away With Reed's Point Trestle.

L. S. Brown, general manager of the eastern division of the C. N. R., accompanied by T. H. Bullock, Commissioner of Harbors, and L. R. Ross, terminal agent of the C. N. R. here, this morning inspected the site of the proposed fill between Reed's Point wharf and the Atlantic Sugar Refinery wharf. According to this proposal, the present trestle, which now will take only light engines and freight loads, will be eliminated and the construction will make provision for two additional deep water berths, the extension of the grain conveyors from the C. N. R. elevator, and additional trackage area for the railway.

Commissioner Bullock said after the inspection that if the C. N. R. did not carry out the proposed work, he would recommend the extension of the wharf on the Charlotte street extension as far as to provide for the installation of a new railway spur.

Mr. Brown was a guest of the board of trade at a luncheon at the Union Club today at noon. Mayor Fisher was present as representative of the city.

DOUBLE HIS LIGHT; YET SAVE MONEY

Proprietor of Big Business House Sees in Civic Hydro Solution of His Illumination Problem.

There is a proprietor of a large business establishment in St. John who is one of the large consumers of electric current for lighting in the city. During the last few years he has felt the pinch of increasing the cost of his premises, but felt that even with the reduction of January 1, he was not able to pay only about \$21, and he can double the advantage of the better illumination.

When he was approached by a hydro canvasser and it was demonstrated that he could get the current from the City Commission for less than half the amount he is now charged, he was so satisfied in glowing terms. However, instead of planning to save half the present cost by using the hydro, he has decided to double his present installation, for which he will pay less than he is now charged, and still have the advantage of the better illumination.

The average consumption in this plant is about 770 kilowatt hours a month, for which the present charge is in the vicinity of \$22. Using the same amount of current under hydro rates, this citizen will be required to pay only about \$21, and he can double the amount of current he can use for the present cost for half the amount of current.

Good Year for the S. E. Improvement League Reported

A meeting of the South End Improvement League was held last evening at the Boys' Club, with the president, James H. Hamilton, in the chair. It was decided to have a closer entertainment for the club on next Thursday evening, the boys themselves to provide the program. It will be a free entertainment showing the progress made in physical culture under Mr. Strachan's direction, and many visitors, including parents of boys, are expected to attend.

BUTTER DECLINES IN MONTREAL

(Montreal Gazette, Wednesday.) The butter market, on the whole, was decidedly weak, which was attributed principally to the heavy receipts for the period of the week, indicating that factory men throughout the country have been producing all the butter possible on account of the high prices that have prevailed of late. The decline in prices yesterday caused a loss of 2c to 3c per lb., with fresh-made fudder creamery offering at 40c to 41c per lb., and the indications were that prices would go still lower in the near future. The demand for supplies continues to be very light, and the volume of business was small. In a wholesale jobbing way prices were reduced 4c per lb. by finest creamery selling at 42c per lb. in solid packages, and at 41c per lb. in 1-lb. blocks, and dealers stated that even at this level the sales were light.

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